



November 1, 2026

All Saints

8:30 AM & 11:00 AM



Christ Lutheran Church
9212 Taylorsville Rd. Jeffersontown, KY 40299
502-267-5082
www.christlutheranlouisville.com

WE WELCOME OUR GUESTS who worship with us today. We are glad you are here and we invite you to worship with us again and often. If you have no church home, we invite you to consider Christ Lutheran Church. Please sign the attendance card and place it in the offering plate.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

Jesus Christ is the host at the table of Holy Communion and invites all to come. Here the real presence of Jesus meets us in the form of bread and wine. In this sacrament he offers himself to us for the forgiveness of sin and the promise of eternal life. Holy Communion kits are available in the narthex for inperson worship. Gluten free Communion Wafers are available, please notify the Pastor.

CALL TO WORSHIP

The prelude is a time to prepare for worship. When the prelude begins, please enter the sanctuary prayerfully and reverently. Please silence your cell phones and take this time to quiet your minds and voices.

Rev. Dr. Bimen Limbong, Pastor
Ann Colbert Wade, Director of Music

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Thank you to today's worship assistants:

	8:30am	11:00am
Communion Assistant (A)	Liz Dawson	Steve Sarson
Lector	Becky Miller	Leroy Koch
Ushers	Rick Uhl & John Schmitt	Sarah Pryor & Karen Schuette
Crucifer	Liz Walker	Sarah Pryor
Liturgist (L)	Jennifer Kemnitz	Steve Sarson

If you are interested in serving, contact Liz Walker at 502-693-7576

Welcome

Stand

Brief Order of Confession and Forgiveness

L In the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

L God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C **Amen.**

L If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. Let us confess our sin to God who is faithful and just and who has promised to forgive our sin and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Stand/Kneel Silence for reflection and self-examination

L Most merciful God,

C **Have mercy on us. We confess to you that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not trusted you with our whole heart; we have not loved one another in deed and in truth. In your compassion forgive our sin and so up hold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ our light and our truth. Amen.**

L With joy, I proclaim to you that Almighty God, rich in mercy, abundant in love, forgives us all our sin and grants us newness of life in Jesus Christ.

C **Thanks be to God!**

Stand

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Sharing the Peace

L The Peace of the Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

Greeting

- L The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C And also with you.

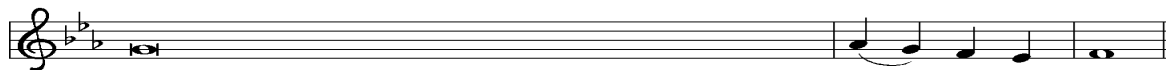
Kyrie



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



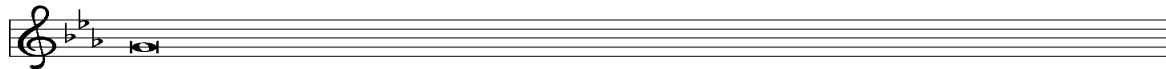
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



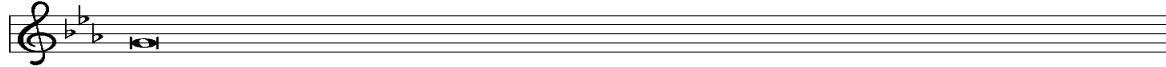
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.



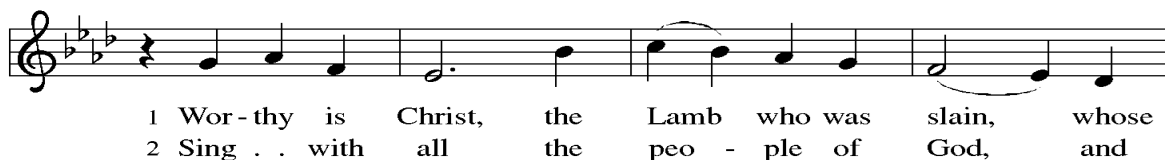
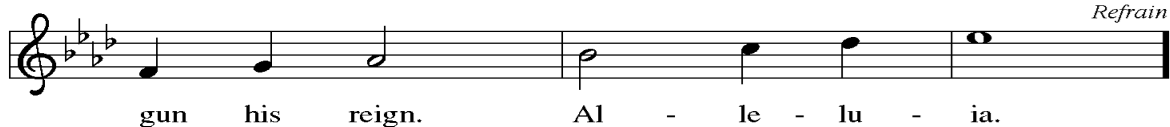
Lord, have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.



A - men, a - men.

Refrain*Refrain**Refrain*

Prayer of the day: *(See on screen/Celebrate insert)*

L The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

L Let us pray.

C Amen.

Sit

The Word

Readings and Psalm: *(See on screen/Celebrate insert)*

End 1st and 2nd reading with:

A The word of the Lord.

The congregation responds with:

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Gospel Acclimation



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Repeat alleluia
Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

Gospel *(See on screen/Celebrate Insert)*

P The Holy Gospel according to:

C Glory to you O Lord

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you O Christ.

Sit

Sermon

Stand

Hymn of the Day: *Sing with All the Saints in Glory*

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The Apostles' Creed

P Remembering God has made us his people through our Baptism into Christ, living together in trust and hope we confess our faith...

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit,
And born of the virgin Mary,
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.*
On the third day he rose again;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father,
He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,**
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

**Or, He descended into hell*

*** 'Catholic church means 'universal church or Christian church throughout the world'.*

The Rite of Remembrance

P Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the source of all mercy and the God of all consolation. He comforts us in all our sorrows so that we can comfort others in their sorrows with the consolation we ourselves have received from God.

C **Thanks be to God!**

P When we were baptized in Christ Jesus, we were baptized into his death. We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we, too, might live a new life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his.

C **Amen.**

P Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. ²And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. ³And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; ⁴he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away."

(Revelation 21:1-4)

Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. (John 11:25-26)

P Let us pray,

O God of grace and glory, we remember before you today our brothers and sisters whom you have called into your eternal home from our congregation this year:

Carol Korman
Ronald Jack Morgan
Wilma Brown
Robert “Bob” Wade
Laura Haaland
Rebecca Zibart
William “Bill” Scott

(you may name your loved ones with your spoken words or silence)

We thank you for giving them to us to know and to love as companions in our pilgrimage on earth. In your boundless compassion, console us who mourn. Give us your aid, so we may see in death the gate to eternal life, that we may continue our course on earth in confidence, until, by your call, we are reunited with those who have gone before us; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen.

**The congregation is invited to light a candle in memory of their loved ones during Holy Communion*



Intercessory Prayers *(See on screen/Celebrate Insert)*

Sit

Offering:

*For online worshippers, please mail to the office at
9212 Taylorsville Road, 40299
or contact the office for instructions for direct deposit.
You may also use our online app at tithe.ly
or scan the QR code on the right*



SCAN ME

Offertory Anthem (11:00): *Blest Are the Pure in Heart*

Mengel

*Blest are the pure in heart, for they shall see our God;
the secret of the Lord is theirs; their soul is Christ's bode.
Blest are the pure in heart, for they shall see our God!*

*Lord, we thy kingdom see; may ours this blessing be;
give us a pure and lowly heart, a temple meant for thee.
Blest are the pure in heart, for they shall see our God! Amen.*

Stand

Offertory Prayer

P Let us pray.

C Everything in heaven and earth belongs to you. We joyfully release what you have entrusted to us. May these gifts be signs of our whole lives returned to you, dedicated to the healing and unity of all creation, through Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise... We praise your name and join their unending hymn::

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of

pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the

name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

P Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

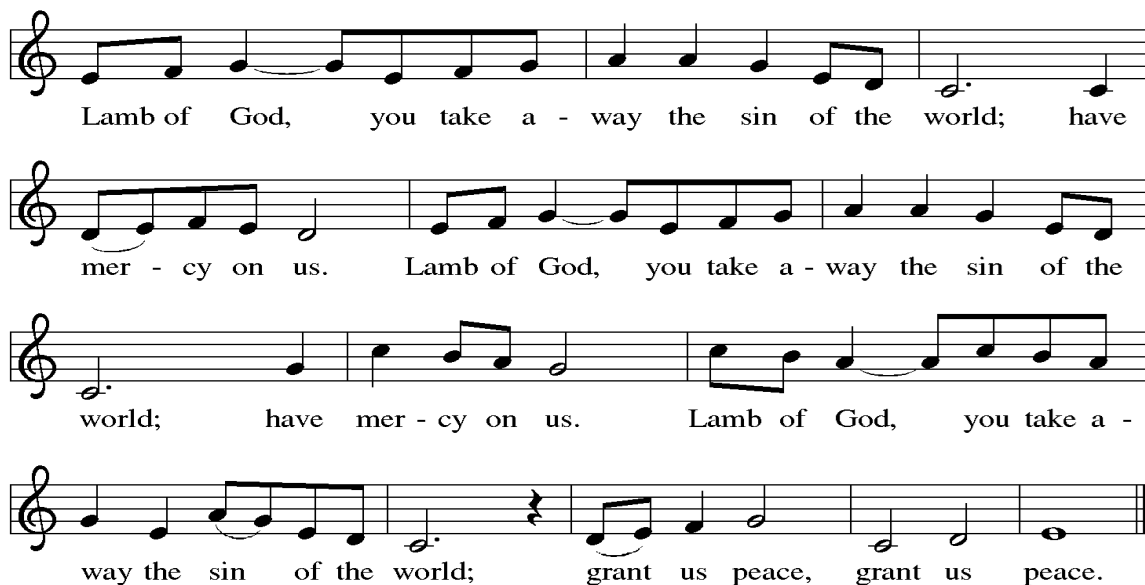
C Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation.
but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.

Sit

Communion



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Stand

Blessing

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of His body and blood strengthen, keep and unite us, now and forever.

C Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

A Let us pray.

C We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Benediction

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C Amen.

Sending Hymn: <i>Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart</i>

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Dismissal

A Walking together with Christ, go in peace to love and serve our church and neighbors

C Thanks be to God!

Postlude: *Improvisation on "Hark! I Hear the Harps Eternal"*

ALL SAINTS BANNER

The All Saints Banner reminds us of the Saints of God who have died in Christ and now receive the gift of resurrection and eternal life. These Saints have passed on to us their legacy of faith in Christ Jesus.

The banner was originally constructed as part of the 225th anniversary of our congregation. The names of the persons buried in the Christ Lutheran Cemetery were written onto the ribbons. Names of members who pass away will be added to the ribbons.

The support of the banner is in the form of a cross. The cross is the means by which Christ has reconciled all of creation both in and on earth to God. By his death on the cross, Jesus has destroyed the powers of sin, evil and death.

In baptism, we are marked as saints of God by the sign of the cross. It is a gift of grace that God claims us as sons and daughters and heirs of the kingdom of heaven. The names which are printed on the ribbon remind us that Jesus the Good Shepherd calls us each by name. We hear his voice and we follow him. By virtue of our baptism, our names have been written into the Book of Life.

The flowing ribbons remind us of the movement of the Holy Spirit in the world and in our lives. In our lives, the Holy Spirit blesses us with the gift of faith. Faith is our trust in God's love for us and God's promise of eternal life. In the world, the Holy Spirit blows like the wind. The Holy Spirit calls, gathers and enlightens the Communion of Saints, the church. In and through this community of faith, the Good News of Jesus Christ is proclaimed in Word and Sacrament. The Holy Spirit keeps the church true in its faith.

The chimes on each end of the cross arms call our attention to the great joy of the Saints gathered around the throne of Christ singing out the Lord's praise. We join our voices with the Saints of old as we sing God's praise in worship. We join the Saints who have gone before around the Lord's Table as we receive a foretaste of the feast to come, as the Saints in heaven take eternal delight in the wedding feast that has no end.

By the power of the Holy Spirit, embraced by God's love, meeting of the Resurrected Lord Jesus in Holy Communion we are united with those who have gone before. We are inspired by their faith, which has been passed on to us. And we are given comfort, hope and peace for living each day that is before us.



WEEK ONE

THE JOY OF GENEROSITY

Have you ever heard someone say, “Give until it hurts”? This advice implies that a truly generous gift should be large enough to have a negative impact on the giver. Though sometimes heard in the church, “Give until it hurts” is not advice from the Bible.

The Bible says, “Give until it feels good.” Jesus says, “There is more happiness in giving than in receiving” (Acts 20:35 Good News Translation). Over and over, the Bible connects generosity with happiness. Stinginess is what leads to hurting.

Think about your own giving of money and time. Think of an instance when you made what, for you, was a very generous gift. How did it feel? Did it hurt, or did it bring a smile to your face? As you think back on that gift, do you still have happy feelings about it?

God invites us to live generously not only because other people have needs that we can help meet but also because God knows what is good for us — and generosity is good for us. Generosity brings us things far more valuable than whatever we have given away. As the Rev. Michael Binder, assistant professor at Luther Seminary, rightly notes, “Generosity is what God wants for us, not from us.”



CHRIST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

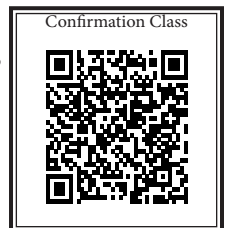
THE CHURCH IN LIFE & WORK

November 1, 2026

November 1	8:30 AM	- Worship In Person w/Communion
	9:45 AM	- Sunday School - Adults 1 - Room 1, Adults 2 - Room 9
		- Whirl Lectionary (preK through 5) - Room 7
		- Holy Heroes (6th through 12th) - Room 8
	11:00 AM	- Worship In Person & at Home w/Communion
	12:15 PM	- Social Hour - Room 1
	1:15 PM	- Confirmation Class: The Fall - Room 1
November 2	12:00 PM	- Bible Study/Prayer Meeting
	1:15 PM	- Social Ministry Meeting
November 3	9:30 AM	- Tuesday Friends
	7:00 PM	- Property Committee
November 4	9:30 AM	- Wednesday Friends
	7:00 PM	- Choir Rehearsal
November 8	8:30 AM	- Worship In Person w/Communion
	9:45 AM	- Sunday School - Adults 1 - Room 1, Adults 2 - Room 9
		- Whirl Lectionary (preK through 5) - Room 7
		- Holy Heroes (6th through 12th) - Room 8
	11:00 AM	- Worship In Person and at Home w/Communion
	12:15 PM	- Social Hour - Room 1
	2:00 PM	- Forest Hills Commons Worship

† **Temple Talks** – As we go through our 2026 Stewardship Campaign, various congregation members will be giving Temple Talks to discuss their experience at Christ Lutheran Church and why Stewardship is a vital part of the health of the church. This week we welcome Karen Lawyer, Kyle Fletcher and Liz Dawson.

† **Confirmation Class** – Confirmation classes will resume today. The focus will be the Old Testament and Apostle's Creed. The class will begin at 1:15 in Room 1. If you'd like to join online, scan the QR code to access Zoom link.



† **JAM Donations** – (November) Oral Health: toothbrushes, toothpaste, floss, dental picks

† **Live Stream** – The 11:00am Sunday service is live streamed. You can join us on our Facebook page or YouTube. If you are interested in joining the livestreaming media team, please contact the office. Training will be provided.

CONTINUED PRAYERS

HOSPITALIZED, RECOVERY OR ONGOING TREATMENT

Rod Hester, 2015 Roberts Road, Taylorsville, KY 40071
Anne Hernandez, 10116 Cedar Crest Court, Louisville, KY 40291
Beverly Kelly, 7603 Endecott Place, Prospect, 40059
Shari Bessette, 416 Tophill Dr., Shelbyville, KY 40065-9414
Ryan Bessette, 416 Tophill Dr., Shelbyville, KY 40065-9414
Emmanuel Korgar, PO Box 91711, Louisville, Ky 40291
Alice Spaulding, 3052 Crystal Waters Way, Louisville, KY 40299
Donna Heinicke, 8303 Bellis Way, Louisville, KY 40242
Fred & Silvia Schuette, 4320 Tulip Grove Ct., Louisville, KY 40241
David & Kathy Bremner, 8117 Watterson Trail, Louisville, KY 40299
Curtis Sigdestad, 17110 Farrier Drive, Louisville, KY 40245
Jane Farrar 9801 Hillary Ct., Louisville, KY 40291
Sherri Hesler 6208 Crystal Pointe Dr., Louisville, KY 40299
Sharon Coombs, 1109 Glenlake Way, Louisville, KY 40245
Ashish Charles, 4549 Taylorsville Rd. Apt. 48, Louisville, KY 40220
Alita White 1918 Dressage Circle, Louisville KY 40245
Fran Kilgore 3608 Eastside Drive, Louisville, KY 40220
Kathy Sigdestad 17110 Farrier Drive, Louisville, KY 40223
Holly Kroening 6618 Millridge Circle, Dulbin, OH 43017

NURSING HOMES AND HOMEBOUND

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Florence Bright, 2619 Lindsay Ave., 40206
Mary Lou Miller, 13600 Lagrange Road, Apt. 238, 40245
Pete Peters, Forest Springs Health Campus, 4120 Wooded Acre Ln #308, Louisville, KY 40245
Norma Kuerzi, 3451 S. Hurstbourne Ln Apt 215, Louisville, KY 40299
Betty Payne, 2300 Old Hickory Road, Louisville, KY 40299
Betty Graff, 1280 Old US 60, Frankfort, KY 40601
Joyce Anderson, 5317 Bartonfield Ln, Louisville, KY 40219

***Please notify the church office or the Pastor of any changes.**

***Prayer box and request forms are located in the Narthex to be used or feel free to contact Pastor Limbong or the office.**

**“Walking with Christ, We Love and Serve
Our Church and Neighbors”.**

**Let’s be intentional! Invite your neighbors and folks outside our
congregation to our worship services and events!**

**HAPPY
Birthday
FROM YOUR
CHURCH FAMILY**

**HAPPY
Anniversary
FROM YOUR
CHURCH FAMILY**

This Week’s Birthdays

10/28 - Pam Ballinger

10/30 - Katherine Koepfel

10/30 - Emily Richardson

10/30 - Hannah Richardson

10/31 - Ginny Hallum

This Week’s Anniversaries

10/27 - Gary & Peggy Stephens

**If you’d like to send cards to those celebrating birthdays or anniversaries, please see monthly list of those
celebrating in the monthly messenger or on the board in the Solarium.**

Upcoming Events Summary

Please mark your calendars:

- † The Social Ministry committee will again be participating in the Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child shoebox collections. We will collect supplies through November 15th. Thrivent grants can be used to assist with purchases to fill boxes. School supplies will be on sale, so you may be able to purchase needed supplies at a good price!
- † JAM will be collecting \$50 gift cards to distribute to families in need to assist with Christmas gift purchases for their families. Collection dates are November 22nd through December 13th. The cards will be delivered to JAM December 14th. JAM will distribute the cards.
- † Join us on Saturday, November 21st beginning at 7:00 PM for a Friendsgiving Lock-In. Youth (grades 5th through 12th) are invited to stay the night at the church. We will be preparing desserts for the Consecration Sunday luncheon and putting together thank you notes.
- † Pastor Bimen and Berliana will once again be hosting a Thanksgiving dinner at the church on Thanksgiving Day (11/26). If you do not have a place to go or simply do not wish to prepare a dinner, you are welcome to join. The Limbongs will be providing the main dishes and welcome you to bring a side dish or just come as you are. In order to ensure enough food is prepared, please be sure to RSVP by contacting Pastor Limbong or the church office.



Church Office Hours:

Monday through Friday

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

If you wish to contact Pastor Limbong
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or his cell phone: (502-553-6025)

His scheduled days off are Friday and Saturday

Except during an emergency

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