**FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH
Northwood, Iowa
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*THAT ALL MAY KNOW THE LOVE OF GOD IN JESUS CHRIST*



**Christ the King**

**November 21st, 2021
9:00am**

**Pastor Becky Sogge**

**Acolyte:** Kenedie Berry and Lauren Petznick

**Organist/Pianist:** Loraine Mix

**Lay reader:** Madelyn Midtgaard

**Special Music:** Senior Choir

**Sound/Video:** Andrew Breitsprecher, Mark Willand

**Counters:** Mike & Judy Stevens, Steph Perkins

**Altar Guild:** JULIACircle

### Prelude -Loraine Mix

### Welcome – Announcements

**Confession and Forgiveness**

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sins in the presence of god and of one another.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

Have mercy on us, O God. **We confess that we have sinned against you** **and against our neighbor.** **We have built walls instead of tables** **and have turned away the stranger.** **We have sought glory for ourselves** **and have treasured that which does not satisfy.** **Help us to love as you love,** **to welcome those you send,** **and to treasure mercy and justice.** **Turn us from our ways to your ways,** **and free us to serve those in need. Amen.**

God, who makes all things new, forgives your sins for Jesus’ sake and remembers them no more. Lift up your heads and your hearts. Yours is the kingdom of God. **Amen.**

**Opening Hymn** *“Jesus Shall Reign”*  ELW 434

### Greeting p. 138

### Kyrie p. 138

### Hymn of Praise: This is the Feast… p. 140

### Prayer of the Day

**Almighty and ever-living God, you anointed your beloved Son to be priest and sovereign forever. Grant that all the people of the earth, now divided by the power of sin, may be united by the glorious and gentle rule of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.** **Amen.**

**Special Music *“Come, Come Unto Me” -Senior Choir***

**First Reading: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14**

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

### Psalm 93

The Lord is king, robed in majesty; the Lord is robed in majesty and armed with strength. The Lord has made the world so sure that it can not be moved.

**Ever since the world began, your throne has been established;** **you are from everlasting.**

The waters have lifted up, O Lord, the waters have lifted up their voice; the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.

**Mightier than the sound of many waters, mightier than the breakers of the sea,** **mightier is the Lord who dwells on high.**

Your testimonies are very sure, and holiness befits your house, O Lord, forever and forevermore.

**Second Reading: Revelation 1:4b-8**

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

### Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia…. p. 142

### Gospel: John 18

(Before) The holy gospel according to John.
**Glory to you, O Lord.**

(After) The gospel of the Lord.
 **Praise to you, O Christ.**

### Children’s Sermon

### Sermon  *Pastor Becky Sogge*

### Hymn of the Day “*Beautiful Savior”* ELW 838

### Baptism

### Prayers of Intercession

### God, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

**Temple Talk** Rich Selvig

### *Offering is received in the plates at the entrance of the sanctuary or electronically through Vanco*

### Offering Prayer

### Great Thanksgiving p. 144

**Lord’s Prayer p. 145**

**Invitation to Communion**

A feast of love is offered here for you and for all the saints.

**Lamb of God p. 146**

**Communion Blessing and Prayer**

**Blessing**

God, the beginning and the end, who has written your name in the book of life, bless and keep you in grace and peace from this time forth and forevermore.

**Closing Hymn “***Soon and Very Soon”* ELW 439

**Dismissal**

Led on by the saints before us, go in peace to serve the Lord.

**We Will! Thanks be to God.**

### Postlude -Loraine Mix

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**Mission Project for November**

**Meals on Wheels / Manna of Worth County**

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| **Weekly Attendance and Giving** |
| **Date** | **Attendance** | **Giving** |
| November 14 | 106 | $353.00 |
| November 7 | 95 | $3,998.00 |
| October 31 | 135 | $1,365.00 |
| October 24 | 96 | $1,123.00 |

Announcements

**Congratulation to** Bryce and Joann Ogea on the baptism of their son, Walker Ray. His sponsors are Wade Feldmann and Elizabeth Feldmann.

**If you** don’t have your pledge card with you but would like to fill one out, there are extras on the table near the sound booth.

**Community Thanksgiving Service**

Join us on November 21st at 7:00 pm,
at United Methodist Church for
 a Community Thanksgiving Service!
If you have any questions call the office at 324-2984.

2021 Poinsettias Order

The Worship Committee invites you to help us fill the sanctuary with poinsettias again this Christmas at First Lutheran. You may fill out an order form which you will find in the sanctuary before worship service on Sunday as well as the office.

Orders will be taken in the church office until **November 28th.**  Payment must be made with your order. You may take your plant home after Christmas.

We will print a list of those contributing poinsettias and whom they wish to memorialize or honor so please fill out your order completely.

**If you have questions, please call the Church Office at 324-2984.**

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| **Weekly Calendar** |
| Sunday, November21 | 9:00 am | Worship Service with H.C.\* |
|  | 10:00 am | Church Council Meeting |
|  | 10:10 am | Sunday School |
|  |  3:00 pm | LRH Communion |
|  |  6:30 pm | JH. Youth |
|  | 7:00 pm | Community Worship at UMC |
|  Tuesday, November 23 | 11:00 am | Staff Meeting |
|  | 7:30 pm | AA –Al-Anon |
| Wednesday, November 24 | 3:00 pm | Sr. Communion- Maple Court |
|  | 6:00 pm | Bell Choir |
|  | 7:00 pm | Choir Practice |
|  | 7:00 pm | SH. Youth |
| Thursday, November 25 | Closed | Happy Thanksgiving |
| Sunday, November 28 | 9:00 am | Worship Service with N.O.\* |
|  | 10:10 am | Sunday School |
|  | 6:30 pm | JH. Youth |