

“Why do your disciples not live according to the tradition of the elders, but eat with defiled hands?” He said to them, “Isaiah prophesied rightly about you hypocrites, as it is written, ‘This people honors me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching human precepts as doctrines.’ You abandon the commandment of God and hold to human tradition.” Then he called the crowd again and said to them, “Listen to me, all of you, and understand: there is nothing outside a person that by going in can defile, but the things that come out are what defile.” For it is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come: fornication, theft, murder, adultery, avarice, wickedness, deceit, licentiousness, envy, slander, pride, folly. All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person.”



**Join Us In Prayer**

**Ongoing Prayers:** Emil, Pat, George, Tom & Jeanne, Juanita, Dan & family, Irene, Jan and her son, Marley, Friends and Family of Mike Corgiat

(Please contact the office to be added to our prayer list. Individual prayers will remain in the bulletin for 2 weeks, unless the office is notified to keep them in on ongoing prayers.) Thank you!

**Welcome Visitors!**

Thank you for worshiping with us today!  
Contact Donna Finch (414-322-2796/[dffinch@wi.r.com](mailto:dffinch@wi.r.com)) with questions.

We hope you return another Sunday!

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**Sunday, August 29, Worship Team**

**Special thanks to our Worship Team and to all those who make worship possible!**

**Usher Team:** John Guetzke, Bob Wierichs, Nancy Wierichs, Dan Bonesho, Jake Bonesho

**Tech Team:** Andy Justman, Paul Neumiller, Rich Quinlan

**Our Mission**

Alive and Growing through God’s Grace

**Our Vision**

A dynamic congregation — Engaged and growing in service to Christ and the community. All are welcome!

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Sunday, September 12**

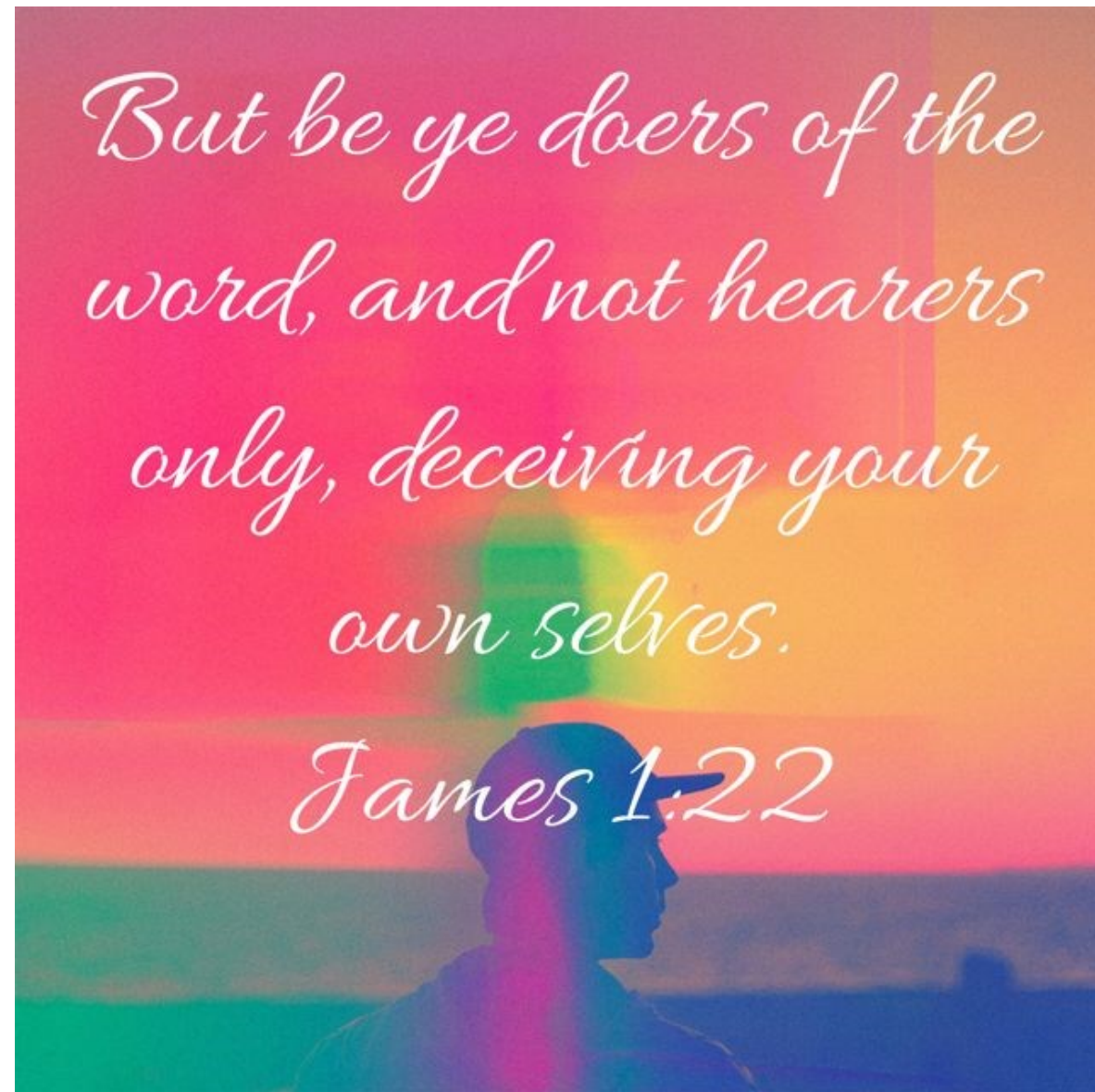
Rally Day

9:00 am Outdoor Worship & Rally Sunday

**Saturday, September 25**

Outreach for Hope Ride Run Walk

**Sincere thanks from the Corgiat Family to all who have continued to hold Mike Corgiat in their hearts and prayers.**



**Sunday August 29, 2021**

Christ the King Lutheran Church

Pastor Jackie Cook

Delafield, Wisconsin

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Reader: Samantha Goetz

Music Ministry: Becky Zelm

Youth Ministry: Summer Markham

Please see an usher if you would  
like a large print bulletin.

## PRELUDE

## WELCOME

Confession and Forgiveness

Opening Hymn "Dearest Jesus, at Your Word" ELW #520

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

O God our strength, without you we are weak and wayward creatures. Protect us from all dangers that attack us from the outside, and cleanse us from all evil that arises from within ourselves, that we may be preserved through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.  
**Amen.**

## WORD

First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9

Second Reading: James 1:17-27

Children's Message

Summer Markham

Gospel Acclamation

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Gospel: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Sermon

Pastor Jackie Cook

Hymn of the Day "O Master, Let Me Walk with You" ELW #818

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Apostles Creed

Prayers of Intercession: Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

## MEAL

Offering

Offering Prayer

The Great Thanksgiving

Preface

Holy, Holy, Holy

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Eucharistic Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Invitation To Communion- Christ has set the table with more than enough for all. Come! *At the direction of the ushers, those sitting in the left section (when facing the altar) and the center section will be invited to come forward. You may then move to the side to commune at the rail or take the elements back to your pew to commune. Those in the right-hand section will have the communion elements placed in the pews for them so that they can remain in their pews. Those in the balcony will be invited to come forward by the ushers and can also request communion elements from the ushers.*

Communion Hymn

"Lamb of God"

ELW p. 146

Table Blessing- Amen

Prayer After Communion

Jesus, Bread of life, we have received from your table.....In your name we pray. **Amen**

## SENDING

Blessing—Amen

Sending Song "The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve" ELW #551

Announcements

Dismissal: Go in peace. You are the body of Christ. **Thanks be to God.**

## POSTLUDE

*Thank you to all who make our worship service possible.*

*Please join us for coffee and fellowship served after worship today!*

## First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9

So now, Israel, give heed to the statutes and ordinances that I am teaching you to observe, so that you may live to enter and occupy the land that the Lord, the God of your ancestors, is giving you. You must neither add anything to what I command you nor take away anything from it, but keep the commandments of the Lord your God with which I am charging you. You must observe them diligently, for this will show your wisdom and discernment to the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, "Surely this great nation is a wise and discerning people!" For what other great nation has a god so near to it as the Lord our God is whenever we call to him? And what other great nation has statutes and ordinances as just as this entire law that I am setting before you today? But take care and watch yourselves closely, so as neither to forget the things that your eyes have seen nor to let them slip from your mind all the days of your life; make them known to your children and your children's children.

## Second Reading: James 1:17-27

Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change. In fulfillment of his own purpose he gave us birth by the word of truth, so that we would become a kind of first fruits of his creatures. You must understand this, my beloved: let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger; for your anger does not produce God's righteousness. Therefore rid yourselves of all sordidness and rank growth of wickedness, and welcome with meekness the implanted word that has the power to save your souls. But be doers of the word, and not merely hearers who deceive themselves. For if any are hearers of the word and not doers, they are like those who look at themselves in a mirror; for they look at themselves and not, on going away, immediately forget what they were like. But those who look into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and persevere, being not hearers who forget but doers who act—they will be blessed in their doing. If any think they are religious, and do not bridle their tongues but deceive their hearts, their religion is worthless. Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to care for orphans and widows in their distress, and to keep oneself unstained by the world.

## GOSPEL: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Now when the Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered around [Jesus], they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with defiled hands, that is, without washing them. (For the Pharisees, and all the Jews, do not eat unless they thoroughly wash their hands, thus observing the tradition of the elders; and they do not eat anything from the market unless they wash it; and there are also many other traditions that they observe, the washing of cups, pots, and bronze kettles.) So the Pharisees and the scribes asked him,