Sunday, December 13, 2020
Third Sunday of Advent
Christ the King Lutheran Church
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Prelude "Gesu Bambino" by Mark Gould

Welcome Summer Markham

#### "And Wonders of His Love" by Arden Mead Brynn and Bryce Udovich

Praise the Lord for His steadfast love!

Tell the wonderful things He has done.

Give Thanks to the Lord, call on His name!

Praise the Lord for His steadfast love!

Make known God's deeds among all the nations!

Tell the wonderful things He has done.

Sing to the Lord, sing praises to God!

Praise the Lord for His steadfast love!

Be glad that we belong to him!

Tell the wonderful things He has done.

Let all who worship the Lord rejoice,

Praise the Lord for His steadfast love!

Go to the Lord for help, seek his presence continually,

Tell the wonderful things He has done.

### Prayer: Trey Justman

O God, you have made the darkness of night shine with the brightens of true Light. Having come to know the mystery of that light of earth, we pray for the fullness of heavenly joys. Through he same Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever, **Amen.** 

**Lighting of Advent Wreath** 

**Neumiller Family** 

O Come, O Come Emmanuel vs. 5 and 6 LeeAnn Quinlan and Marilyn Short with Mark Gould

### Prayer of the Day Ethan Galassini

Stir up our hearts in wonder, O God.

May we wear a mantle of praise
as we delight in your gift of salvation,
in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

## First Reading: Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11 Michael and Mason Markham

<sup>1</sup>The spirit of the Lord God is upon me, because the Lord has anointed me; he has sent me to bring good news to the oppressed, to bind up the brokenhearted. to proclaim liberty to the captives, and release to the prisoners; <sup>2</sup>to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all who mourn: <sup>3</sup>to provide for those who mourn in Zion to give them a garland instead of ashes, the oil of gladness instead of mourning, the mantle of praise instead of a faint spirit. They will be called oaks of righteousness, the planting of the Lord, to display his glory. <sup>4</sup>They shall build up the ancient ruins, they shall raise up the former devastations; they shall repair the ruined cities, the devastations of many generations.

8For I the Lord love justice,

I hate robbery and wrongdoing;

I will faithfully give them their recompense,

and I will make an everlasting covenant with them.

9Their descendants shall be known among the nations,

and their offspring among the peoples;

all who see them shall acknowledge

that they are a people whom the Lord has blessed.

10I will greatly rejoice in the Lord,

my whole being shall exult in my God;

for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation, he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself with a garland, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels.

11 For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to spring up before all the nations.

### "God Has Done Great Things for Us"

Marilyn Short and LeeAnn Quinlan

# Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24 Madison Markham

<sup>16</sup>Rejoice always, <sup>17</sup>pray without ceasing, <sup>18</sup>give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. <sup>19</sup>Do not quench the Spirit. <sup>20</sup>Do not despise the words of prophets, <sup>21</sup>but test everything; hold fast to what is good; <sup>22</sup>abstain from every form of evil.

<sup>23</sup>May the God of peace himself sanctify you entirely; and may your spirit and soul and body be kept sound and blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. <sup>24</sup>The one who calls you is faithful, and he will do this.

Children's Message Summer Markham

Gospel Acclamation

Angels We Have Heard on High

Bryce Udovich on xylophone

Angels We Have Heard on High Brynn Udovich on piano

Gospel: John 1:6-8, 19-28 Pastor and Deane Jaeger

<sup>6</sup>There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. <sup>7</sup>He came as a witness to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him. <sup>8</sup>He himself was not the light, but he came to testify to the light.

<sup>19</sup>This is the testimony given by John when the Jews sent priests and Levites from Jerusalem to ask him, "Who are you?" <sup>20</sup>He confessed and did not deny it, but confessed, "I am not the Messiah." <sup>21</sup>And they asked him, "What then? Are you

Elijah?" He said, "I am not." "Are you the prophet?" He answered, "No." <sup>22</sup>Then they said to him, "Who are you? Let us have an answer for those who sent us. What do you say about yourself?" <sup>23</sup>He said,

"I am the voice of one crying out in the wilderness, 'Make straight the way of the Lord,'" as the prophet Isaiah said.

<sup>24</sup>Now they had been sent from the Pharisees. <sup>25</sup>They asked him, "Why then are you baptizing if you are neither the Messiah, nor Elijah, nor the prophet?" <sup>26</sup>John answered them, "I baptize with water. Among you stands one whom you do not know, <sup>27</sup>the one who is coming after me; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandal." <sup>28</sup>This took place in Bethany across the Jordan where John was baptizing.

The gospel of our Lord. **Praise to you O, Christ.** 

Song: "In the Bleak Midwinter" Rachel Kurtz

Christmas Program COVID Christmas Journals
Written by: Summer Markham

Song: "O Holy Night" by Rachel Kurtz

Prayers of Intercession

Madison Markham and Peyton Goetz

Peace Ethan Gallasini

Offering

Offering Prayer Mason Markham and Ethan Gallasini

**Holy Communion** 

**Great Thanksgiving** 

Dialogue

Preface **Eucharistic Prayer** Communion **Invitation to Communion Table Blessing Prayer after Communion** Blessing Sending Song Happy Birthday, Jesus by Lucca and Ethan Galassini **Announcements** Dismissal **Ethan Galassini** Postlude Joy to the World by Mark Gould