GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH AND CHRISTIAN DAY CARE

Lutheran Church-Canada

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Twenty-First Sunday After Pentecost October 17th, 2021

SERVICE:	Divine Service Setting 3 LSB pg. 184
HYMNS:	LSB 781, LSB 744, LSB 850
TEXT:	Mark 10:23-31
PSALM:	119:9-16

We welcome you to our Service of Worship and Praise this morning. We pray that the Word of God Spoken to us this morning will give us comfort, peace, joy, and the strength to face whatever the devil, the world, and our own sinful flesh may tempt us with throughout the coming week. If you are a visitor with us this morning, we ask that you kindly sign the guest register located in the back of the church and do come and worship again soon.

COLLECT OF THE DAY: O God, Your divine wisdom sets in order all things in heaven and on earth. Put away from us all things hurtful and give us those things that are beneficial for us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Those Serving Us TodayThose Serving Us Next WeekOrganist:Kristin Schneider.....Kristin SchneiderHoly Communion: Close communion has been practiced since the early Christian Church. We maintain thispractice. We welcome communicant members of Good Shepherd and fellow Lutherans from churches infellowship with Lutheran Church-Canada to receive Holy Communion. All wishing to commune that are notvet communicant members are cordially invited to speak to the Pastor before the Worship Service.

This Week:

Sun:	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service w/ Communion
	12:00 p.m.	Fellowship Lunch
Wed:	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study
Thurs:	1:00 p.m.	Ladies' Meeting
	6:30 p.m.	Catechism @ Erickson's
Sun. Oct 10:	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service
	12:00 p.m.	Fellowship Lunch

 OFFERING: October 10, 2021

 Budget:
 \$ 8829.30

 LCC:
 \$ 20.00

 WECLO:
 \$ 25.00

Other: \$50.00

NOTES DURING CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK: Dear saints, please remember that we continue to observe social distancing of 2 meters and masking orders of our town and province. With Ontario in Stage 3 of their reopening plan we will be singing to entirety of the liturgy from the hymnal and adding one more hymn. We will continue to use the Communion rail and ask that communicants leave space between households. You may remove your mask once you come to the rail. If you find yourself concerned about still joining us in person, do not feel ashamed, but trust in Your Lord Jesus who holds you in His hands. We are baptized children of God and no one is strong enough to snatch us out of His hand. He is as near to you as the Word that you read or hear. Our sermons continue to be recorded and posted on our Facebook page for those who are unable to join us, or those who wish to go back and hear the sermon again. Pray for your congregation and for your pastor during this time. The sacrifice that we have been asked to make has been weighing upon all of us, and though the burden has been eased recently, it is still difficult for many of us to bear. We come together to witness the great sacrifice that our Lord has borne for us to save our lives and free us from our sins and our death. Even when we are weak, when we faint and fall, He remains strong and lifts us up with His grace, mercy, and love. Pray also that God continue to impede the coronavirus and its variants in our community and in the world. We rejoice in God's great mercy towards us as we gather to hear His Word online and in person. Sermon audio can be found through the church website, or on our Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/Good-Sheperd-Lutheran-Church-102466395763

THE LUTHERAN HOUR: "Dead Man Walking" (1 Samuel 3:18) The Old Testament books of Samuel tell the story of Israel's King David and share the promise of the greater King to come. Hear this inspirational message on WDFN 1130 AM at 6:30 a.m., WRDT 560 at 7:30 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.,

on SiriusXM satellite radio on 131 at 10:00 a.m., and streaming audio and pod-casts at www.lutheranhour.ca.

STEWARDSHIP BLURB: Mark 10:29-30 – "Jesus said, 'Truly, I say to you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or lands, for my sake and for the gospel, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this time, houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions, and in the age to come eternal life." This is Jesus' encouragement for every faithful disciple. Let it encourage you today.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: Join us on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. In the first three chapters the preacher has taken us into the conversation of the Holy Trinity. In chapter 3 we continue our dive into that conversation. You can join us either in person, or online at Google Meet. If you would like the link to drop in on the study, even for part of the study, you are welcome to join us. If you'd like the Google Meet link, please ask Pastor Schneider.

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY: Our Sunday Bible study is scheduled to begin on October 31 at 9:30 a.m. We will be meeting in the sanctuary and will be looking at the Gospel reading for the day.

LWML LADIES: We meet this coming Thursday, Oct. 21st at 1:00 p.m. We are planning something a little different this month. Marti Krey is expecting her baby in 3 weeks and the ladies wanted to do something for her and the new baby. We will be having Marti as our guest of honour and have a little fun and fellowship. All ladies are invited to attend and we will have coffee and tea. Bring a small plate of finger food to share if you wish and come out for some fellowship. See you there.

SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP: We started our fellowship after church last Sunday and will continue fellowship after church every Sunday and invite all to join us. We are hoping to set up a schedule of ladies taking turns to host fellowship again and ask anyone who is willing to please speak to Joan Krey, so we can set up a schedule again. Thanks.

ADVENT: Advent is only six weeks away. As part of Advent we have traditionally joined on Wednesdays for Advent services. This year we are considering having our services at an earlier time, whether that be noon or later in the afternoon around 4:00 p.m. If you have any thoughts or suggestions, please speak to Pastor, or a member of our Council: Ted, Bob, or Anita. Thank you.

DAYCARE COT SHEETS: Several of the daycare's cot sheet have worn out. We are asking any of our members who have talent in sewing to serve in making some new ones. You can use the sheets that we already have as a template. Please speak with Karin Porter if you willing to serve the daycare in this way.

Prayer List For The Week:

1. God's Servant: Rev. Kirk Radford of Christ Lutheran Church in Sarnia, ON.

2. Pray for our Missionaries Around the World: Rev. Ted & Rebecca Krey, Rev. Sergio Maita, Rev. Joel Fritsche, Danelle Putnam, Lucas Eberhart; Rev. David Preus, Jamie-Lynn Flores, Rev. Dr. Jonathan & Cheryl Nauman, Tirzah Krey, Dominican Republic; Rev. Eric & Johanna Stinnett, Ethiopia. All Haitian Pastors & people in Haiti & the Dominican Republic. Our Lutheran Church in Nicaragua, and other Missionaries who serve for us in foreign lands.

3. For God's People: Heather Bird; Brystol

<u>4. For Those Who Are Celebrating:</u> Michael Alexander (22); Audrey Erickson (22); Cash Robert (23)

5. For Those In Need of Prayers:

Joan Nelson* Alice Elvy* Elizabeth Goldman* The Stinnett Family Jon Ochs Rev. Paul Pollex Joe Hilger Mary Louis Stein Lisa Erickson Chris Muzzin Sloan Those affected with Covid-19

Chris Lucas Janice & Emma Kempffer Eleanor Kempffer Wayne Bird Rev. Chris Patterson

*INDICATES SHUT-INS

