## GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH AND CHRISTIAN DAY CARE

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## **Reformation Sunday** October 31st, 2021

SERVICE: Divine Service Setting 3 LSB pg. 184

LSB 656, LSB 645, LSB 398 HYMNS:

TEXT: Matthew 11:12-19

PSALM: Psalm 46

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:** Almighty and gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on Your faithful people. Keep us steadfast in Your grace and truth, protect and deliver us in times of temptation, defend us against all enemies, and grant to Your Church Your saving peace; 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 Today Those Serving Us Next Week**

Kristin Schneider Kristin Schneider Organist:

## This Week:

Sun: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study

10:30 a.m. Divine Service w/ Communion

12:00 p.m. Fellowship Lunch

Wed: 10:30 a.m. Bible Study

Thurs: 6:30 p.m. Catechism @ Erickson's

Sun. Nov 7: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study

10:30 a.m. Divine Service w/ Communion

12:00 p.m. Fellowship Lunch

**OFFERING:** October 24, 2021

Budget: \$ 376.85 + US\$ 20.00

LCC: \$ 20.00 WECLO: \$ 0.00

Other: \$ 125.00

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. 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. Next week we will begin to use the chalice for the distribution of our Lord's blood. Our practice of wiping and turning the cup helps to limit the transmission of communicable diseases and we are investigating additional methods of wiping the cup to prevent the spread of viruses. If you are looking to receive the Lord's blood from the chalice, simply politely refuse the individual cup and pastor will come by with the chalice. It is requested that you keep your individual cup visible so that pastor knows vou have already received the blood of Christ. 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. We rejoice in God's great mercy towards us as we gather to hear His Word online and in person. Sermon audio found through the church website, Facebook can he or on our page at https://www.facebook.com/Good-Sheperd-Lutheran-Church-102466395763

THE LUTHERAN HOUR: "Not How, But Who" (1 Samuel 17:37) The story of David and Goliath is often treated as a how-to guide to overcoming obstacles, but Dr. Michael Zeigler says that misses the point. 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:** Romans 3:20 – "For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin." The Law of God is good – it's just that we sinners cannot save ourselves by the Law. Salvation is a free gift of God because that is the only way we could ever be saved. The Law shows us God's holiness and thus our own sin. And now in Christ we can look at the Law and see it in a new light – as a guide for how to live a godly life in thanksgiving to God for His gracious forgiveness in Christ.

**WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:** Join us on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. Hebrews 4 warns us that if we are not going to listen to the Son speaking in the Divine Service then we will fail to reach the rest that God gives to us. As the chapter concludes the preacher begins to outline what he will speak about throughout the sermon and how God's rest now comes to us in Christ through the Word that He speaks to us. 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:** We meet in the sanctuary at 9:30 a.m. and will be going over the Gospel reading for the Sunday. Today we looked at John 8 and the freedom that Jesus gives to those who trust Him and hear His voice.

**ALLERGIC NOTICE:** Please note that there is a child in the daycare who has a severe allergy to nuts and eggs. At this time we are asking that foods with these items not be brought in for our lunches due to cross contamination, which could cause a reaction. Thank you.

**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 four 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. Charles Ravelonjato of Redeemer Lutheran Church in Brampton, 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: Dave & Debbie Chevalier; Ethan, Alexandra
- **4. For Those Who Are Celebrating:** Deanna Meleg (1); Crystal Kouvelas (3); Robert Smith (4); Nancy Murphy (4)
- 5. For Those In Need of Prayers:

Joan Nelson\* Joe Hilger Chris Lucas
Alice Elvy\* Mary Louis Stein Janice & Emma Kempffer
Elizabeth Goldman\* Lisa Erickson Eleanor Kempffer
Chris Muzzin Wayne Bird Jon Ochs

Sloan Rev. Chris Patterson Those affected with Covid-19

\*INDICATES SHUT-INS

