

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH AND CHRISTIAN DAY CARE

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The Fourth Sunday After the Epiphany January 30, 2022

SERVICE: Divine Service Setting 3 LSB pg. 184
HYMNS: LSB 803, LSB 729, LSB 842, LSB 922
TEXT: Luke 4:31-44
PSALM: 71:1-6

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 God, You know we live in the midst of so many dangers that in our frailty we cannot stand upright. Grant strength and protection to support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; 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

Organist: Kristin Schneider.....

Those Serving Us Next Week

Kristin Schneider

Holy Communion: Close communion has been practiced since the early Christian Church. We maintain This practice. We welcome communicant members of Good Shepherd and fellow Lutherans from churches in fellowship with Lutheran Church-Canada to receive Holy Communion. All wishing to commune that are not yet communicant members are cordially invited to speak to the Pastor before the Worship Service.

This Week:

Sun:	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service w/ Communion
Wed:	10:30 a.m.	Wed. Bible Study
Thurs:	6:30 p.m.	Catechism
Sun. Feb 6:	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service w/ Communion
	12:00 p.m.	Voters' Meeting

OFFERINGS: January 23, 2022**Budget:** \$ 470.00**LCC:** \$ 20.00**WECLO:** \$ 50.00**Other:** \$ 50.00

NOTES DURING CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK: Dear saints, we rejoice at the news of restrictions easing at the end of the month. We pray that God continue to be with our nurses and doctors who are working so hard to care for those who are sick, and guard all other patients from disease. We pray that God grant healing and recovery to those who are sick, and patience and hope to those who battle with long term consequences of disease. May God grant us His Holy Spirit, that the seed of His Word that He has planted within us would not also be choked out by the cares and worries of disease, however legitimate that worry may be. He has our tomorrows in His hands and has given us today with enough of its own cares. Having said that, it is important, at this time, that we continue to observe social distancing of 2 meters and masking orders of our town and province. As we gather at the rail please remember to leave a space between households. You may remove your mask once you come to the rail. If you would like to receive the Lord's blood from the chalice, 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 you 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 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: "It's Not the Healthy" (Luke 5:17-39) The story of a pastor who preached Christ's forgiveness to a congregation of criminals. 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: Luke 4:34 – “Ha! What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are – the Holy One of God.” The demon that Jesus drives out knows who He is. But knowing that Jesus is the Holy One of God will not save the demon from hell. Knowledge is not faith. To know something is not the same thing as trusting someone. Faith is trusting in the Lord Jesus Christ for salvation. Mere knowledge of the facts does not give life. Trusting in the living God is how we receive life. Knowledge doesn’t necessarily lead anywhere, but a living faith in the Lord Jesus leads to a life built on Him and walking in His footsteps.

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY: Our Sunday Bible study takes place in the sanctuary at 9:30 a.m. Today we saw the power and authority of the Lord’s Word to bring the new creation into this fallen world. This is a great comfort when we hear the Lord’s Word speak to us in Baptism, the Supper, Absolution, and the Bible. Next week we’ll see Peter stand in fear of being in the Lord’s presence and the Lord’s comforting and calling response. Everyone is welcome to join us.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: Our Wednesday Bible study will reconvene on January 12th at 10:30 a.m. We are moving into Hebrews 7 where the preacher returns to his main point and begins to delve deeper into the priesthood of Melchizedek and how this order surpasses the order of the Levites who served at the temple. 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.

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.

VOTERS’ MEETING: Next week, February 6 we will have a voters’ meeting to discuss and approve the budget for this year. All members are encouraged to attend.

SWEARING IN OF NEW OFFICERS: Next week we will be swearing our newly elected officers on our Council and Day Care Board. A friendly reminder for those elected at our November meeting to please be present next week. Thank you.

Prayer List For The Week:

1. God's Servant: Rev. Bill Stanfel of Christ Lutheran Church in Petawawa, 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: Bev & Muriel King

4. For Those Celebrating This Week: Janice Pelan (31); Freja Erickson (3)

5. For Those In Need of Prayers:

Joan Nelson*

Alice Elvy*

Elizabeth Goldman*

Wayne Bird

Joe Hilger

Katharina Wolf

Lisa Erickson

Jon Ochs

Chris Lucas

Janice & Emma Kempffer

Eleanor Kempffer

Those affected with Covid-19

*INDICATES SHUT-INS

