

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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DIVINE SERVICE, SETTING ONE

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CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH REDLANDS, CA

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SUNDAY MORNING

9:00a.m. -- Divine Service

10:30a.m. – 11:30a.m. -- Sunday School & Adult Bible Study

TO GUEST AND VISITORS

We welcome you to our congregation in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Please leave a record of your visit in our guest book near the main door. We pray that the Holy Spirit would richly bless your hearing of God's Word with a living trust in Jesus Christ who died and rose for you. **For more information regarding Baptism, instruction in the Christian faith, and communicant membership, please see Pastor Smith.**

RECEIVING THE LORD'S SUPPER AT CHRIST THE KING

As intended by Christ and as practiced by the one, holy, catholic and apostolic church throughout her history, "Closed Communion" is observed in this congregation, in which the Lord's Supper is distributed only to those:

- A) who have been **baptized** in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit;
- B) who have been **instructed** in the truth of Holy Scripture as taught in the **Lutheran Confessions**, who have been **confirmed** in this Lutheran Faith, and who **now confess** the same doctrine that is taught in this congregation, holding membership in a congregation of the **Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod**;
- C) who believe that in this sacrament the **real body and blood** of Christ are truly distributed to them and **orally received** by them, bestowing on them the **forgiveness of sins, life and salvation**;
- D) who **sincerely repent** of all their sins, and **desire to receive** God's forgiveness in this holy meal.



HYMNS for TODAY'S DIVINE SERVICE

- Processional Hymn: Why Should Cross and Trial Grieve Me474
Hymn of the Day: Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice556 (stanzas 1-5)
Recessional Hymn: Dear Christians, One and All, Rejoice 556 (stanzas 6-10)



PRAYER CONCERNS

- Elizabeth Saldomando, Labecca Will's sister**, who received an outstanding report regarding her cancer treatments
- Marianne Anderson**, recovering at home from a hospital stay
- Susan Jay**, at home receiving immune therapy infusions which are working immensely well
- Ruth Wood's family**, God has taken her to the refuge of His heavenly home
- Sue Meaney's family**, God has embraced and welcomed Sue to her heavenly home
- Charles Baker**, recovering at home from a serious leg infection
- Cynthia Amador, a friend of Lysah Rios**, in an extended rehab facility with leg and ankle injuries following a head-on auto accident
- Harriet Ouimette's daughter Shirli**, battling myeloma
- Daniel Conrad**, our missionary to Mexico
- Shut-ins:** Bill Nye, Troy & Louava Wideman



ALTAR FLOWERS

Today's flowers are given to the glory of God from Mike & Lee Alhorn in thanksgiving and in celebration of Virginia's 90th birthday (April 16).

	SERVANTS for THIS WEEK	SERVANTS for NEXT WEEK
Altar	Margaret Nowak	Bernice David
Elders	Dwayne Danielson	Don David
Finance	Robert Arnold & Steve Aimar	Mary Coppenger & Catherine Murano
Flowers	Mike & Lee Alhorn	Michael & Kaylea Bosman
Ushers	David Alder & Loren Scott	David Alder & Loren Scott

EVENTS THIS WEEK

SUNDAY	9:00AM	Divine Service (Childcare provided for up to 5 years of age)
	10:30AM	Congregational Voter's Assembly in the Courtyard
		NO Sunday School
TUESDAY	11:00AM	Communion (A-D)
	2:00PM	Communion (E-J)
WEDNESDAY	9:30AM	Adult Bible Class
THURSDAY	11:00AM	Communion (K-P)
	2:00PM	Communion (Q-Z)
SATURDAY	8:30AM	Bible Study with Russ Gross

DAILY LECTIONARY READINGS – LSB pg. 300

EASTER 6 ASCENSION (Thursday)	Su Num. 3:1-16, 39-48; 4:1-8:4 Luke 14:25-15:10	M Num. 8:5-26 Luke 15:11-32
Tu Num. 9:1-23 Luke 16:1-18	W Num. 10:11-36 Luke 16:19-31	Th Num. 11:1-23,31-35 Luke 17:1-19
F Num. 11:24-29; 12:1-16 Luke 17:20-37	Sa Num. 13:1-3, 17-33 Luke 18:1-17	

Today's service will be posted on YouTube for viewing after the Divine Service on Christ the King's YouTube page: <https://www.youtube.com/user/CTKRedlands>



COUNTY EXPANDS FOOD DELIVERY PROGRAM FOR SENIORS

California Gov. Gavin Newsom introduced a new public-private partnership to ensure our older residents have access to healthy meals during the state's stay-at-home order. The San Bernardino County version of the program, called "**Great Plates Delivered.**" The partnership teams FEMA with the state of California, local governments and local restaurants. It calls for local food providers to prepare and deliver three nutritious meals a day to eligible residents, adults age 65+ who meet the following criteria:

- Seniors who have been exposed to the coronavirus, or are at high risk due to pre-existing health conditions;
- Living alone or with one other program-eligible adult;
- Not currently receiving assistance from other federal nutrition assistance programs;

The Department of Aging and Adult Services (DAAS), which is working with the San Bernardino County, the Joint Information Center and other departments, have been in contact with local restaurants to assess their interest and ability to participate. For more information and to see if you qualify for this program, please call 888-743-1485.

CONGREGATIONAL VOTERS' ASSEMBLY



Our Congregational Voter's assembly will be held on Sunday, May 17, in the courtyard immediately following the Divine Service. Topics include the adoption of the slate of officers and board members as well as approving the school budget.

2020 CTK COUNCIL BOARD MEMBERS & NOMINEES

President

Steve Wolff.....2021

Vice President

Thomas Crowley2021

Secretary

Donna Crowley.....renew

Treasurer

Bill Phillips.....renew

Elders

David Alder2021

Charles Baker2021

Thomas Crowley2021

Dwayne Danielson.....2021

Don Davidrenew

Russ Grossrenew

Vic Haynes (C).....2021

Roger Loewecke.....2021

Anthony Lombardorenew

James Wilson.....2021

Finance

Steve Aimar (C).....2021

Judy Alder2021

Robert Arnold.....renew

Lucy Becker.....2021

Mary Coppenger.....renew

Bernice David (alt.)renew

Cindy Hanson (C).....2021

John Hinkleman, Jr.....renew

Roger Loewecke.....renew

Catherine Murano.....2021

Margaret Nowak (alt.)2021

Joy Phillips (alt.).....2021

Anna Smith (alt.)2021

Joseph Vasquezrenew

Debbie Wolff (Bd. Acct.)renew

Evangelism

Lorrie Hinkleman..... 2021

Karen Prill..... 2021

James Wilson (C)..... 2021

Stewardship

Anna Bush.....renew

Mike Bush.....renew

Loyd Coppenger 2021

Mary Coppenger 2021

Cindy Currier 2021

Connie Johnson..... 2021

Betty Mitchellrenew

John Mitchellrenew

Dwayne Mugiishi.....new

Rebecca Mugiishinew

Trustees

Steve Aimarrenew

Glenn Henderson (C)..... 2021

Jodi Hendersonrenew

Mike Nauman 2021

Erick Nowak 2021

Loren Scott..... 2021

Christian Education

David Alder..... 2021

Thomas Crowley..... 2021

Cindy Currier (C)..... 2021

Russ Gross 2021

Anthony Lombardo..... 2021

James Wilson 2021

School Board

Joe Belli (C)..... 2021

Kaye Deen..... 2021

John Mitchellrenew

Jeanie Nowak..... 2021

Alise Smithrenew

Erica Vasquez 2021



THE READINGS



ACTS 17:16-31

¹⁶While Paul was waiting for them at Athens, his spirit was provoked within him as he saw that the city was full of idols. ¹⁷So he reasoned in the synagogue with the Jews and the devout persons, and in the marketplace every day with those who happened to be there. ¹⁸Some of the Epicurean and Stoic philosophers also conversed with him. And some said, "What does this babblers wish to say?" Others said, "He seems to be a preacher of foreign divinities"—because he was preaching Jesus and the resurrection. ¹⁹And they took hold of him and brought him to the Areopagus, saying, "May we know what this new teaching is that you are presenting?" ²⁰For you bring some strange things to our ears. We wish to know therefore what these things mean." ²¹Now all the Athenians and the foreigners who lived there would spend their time in nothing except telling or hearing something new.

²²So Paul, standing in the midst of the Areopagus, said: "Men of Athens, I perceive that in every way you are very religious. ²³For as I passed along and observed the objects of your worship, I found also an altar with this inscription, 'To the unknown god.' What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you. ²⁴The God who made the world and everything in it, being Lord of

heaven and earth, does not live in temples made by man, ²⁵nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mankind life and breath and everything. ²⁶And he made from one man every nation of mankind to live on all the face of the earth, having determined allotted periods and the boundaries of their dwelling place, ²⁷that they should seek God, in the hope that they might feel their way toward him and find him. Yet he is actually not far from each one of us, ²⁸for

" 'In him we live and move and have our being';

as even some of your own poets have said,

" 'For we are indeed his offspring.' "

²⁹Being then God's offspring, we ought not to think that the divine being is like gold or silver or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of man. ³⁰The times of ignorance God overlooked, but now he commands all people everywhere to repent, ³¹because he has fixed a day on which he will judge the world in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed; and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead."

1 PETER 3:13-22

¹³Now who is there to harm you if you are zealous for what is good? ¹⁴But even if you should suffer for righteousness' sake, you will be blessed. Have no fear of them, nor be troubled, ¹⁵but in your hearts regard Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; ¹⁶yet do it with gentleness and respect, having a good conscience, so that, when you are slandered, those who revile your good behavior in Christ may be put to shame. ¹⁷For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that should be God's will, than for doing evil.

¹⁸For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might

bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit, ¹⁹in which he went and proclaimed to the spirits in prison, ²⁰because they formerly did not obey, when God's patience waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were brought safely through water. ²¹Baptism, which corresponds to this, now saves you, not as a removal of dirt from the body but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, ²²who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers having been subjected to him.

JOHN 14:15-21

¹⁵[Jesus said] "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, ¹⁷even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you.

¹⁸"I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. ¹⁹Yet a little while and the world will see me no more, but you will see me. Because I live, you also will live. ²⁰In that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. ²¹Whoever has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me. And he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him."



