

THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



OCTOBER 11, 2020

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CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH REDLANDS, CA

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SUNDAY MORNING

8:00a.m. & 10:30a.m. – Divine Service

9:30a.m. – 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: Spread the Reign of God the Lord..... 830
 Hymn of the Day: A Multitude Comes from the East and the West..... 510
 Distribution Hymns: Jesus Comes Today with Healing 620
 In Thee Is Gladness..... 818
 Recessional Hymn: Behold a Host, Arrayed in White..... 676

PRAYER CONCERNS

- Marianne Anderson**, in need of prayers and meals 
- Richard Stracke, Jodi Henderson's brother**, in the hospital, dying from Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome (ARDS) 
- Linda Whittier**, her son Benjamin is with our Lord in His loving eternal home 
- Diane Ronchetto**, experiencing severe hip pain
- Karen Prill**, receiving a very good report following treatment for B Cell Lymphoma
- Dwayne Danielson**, recovering from eye surgery
- Susan Jay**, at home receiving immune therapy infusions  
- Daniel Conrad**, our missionary to Mexico
- Shut-ins:** Bill Nye, Troy & Louava Wideman

ALTAR FLOWERS



The flowers today are given to the glory of God by Joe & Andrea Belli in celebration of Ava's 13th birthday. Happy Birthday Ava!



ALTAR FLOWERS NEEDED FOR DIVINE SERVICE

Altar flowers are needed for the Divine Service on Reformation Sunday, October 25. Sign-up chart is in the narthex. Thank you.



Thank you my brothers and sisters. Thank you for the prayers, the cards, the flowers, the gifts, the hugs, the words of encouragement, your presence. Thank you for all of your support. Love you brothers and sisters.

Sincerely, Linda Whittier.

SERVANTS for THIS WEEK		SERVANTS for NEXT WEEK
Altar	Anna Bush	Loren Scott & Mike Bush
Elders	James Wilson	Lorrie Hinkleman
Finance	Mary Coppenger & Steve Aimar	David Alder
Flowers	Joe & Andrea Belli	Mary Coppenger & Steve Aimar
Ushers	Loren Scott & Mike Bush	Mike & Lee Alhorn

EVENTS THIS WEEK

SUNDAY	8:00AM.....	Divine Service
	9:30AM.....	Adult Bible Study
	10:30AM.....	Divine Service
TUESDAY	7:00PM.....	School Board Meeting
WEDNESDAY	9:30AM.....	Adult Bible Class (Parish Hall)
	7:00PM.....	New Members Class (Parish Hall)
SATURDAY	8:30AM.....	Adult Bible Study (Conference Room)
	10:00AM.....	Elders Meeting

DAILY LECTIONARY READINGS – LSB pg. 302

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST		Oct 11	Deut. 9:23-10:22 Matt. 11:20-30	Oct 12	Deut. 11:1-25 Matt 12:1-21
Oct 13	Deut. 11:26-12:12 Matt 12:22-37	Oct 14	Deut. 12:13-32 Matt. 12:38-50	Oct 15	Deut. 13:1-18 Matt 13:1-23
Oct 16	Deut. 14:1-2, 22-23, 28-15:15 Matt 13:24-43	Oct 17	Deut. 15:19-16:22 Matt. 13:44-58		



PLEASE WELCOME OUR GUEST PREACHER REV. NEAL BLANKE
 Rev. Neal Blanke is our guest preacher today and will also be leading our Adult Bible Study following the 8:00am Divine Service.



Today's service will be broadcast live, and for later viewing, on Christ the King's YouTube page: <https://www.youtube.com/user/CTKRedlands>

✦ Sermon manuscripts are now available on our website at:
<https://www.ctkredlands.org/sermons-online/sermon-manuscripts/>



CTK CHURCH BUDGET MEETING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24th AT 10:00A.M.
 Please provide a representative from your board or committee to attend the budget meeting on Saturday, October 24th at 10:00am in the St. John Hall. Thank you.



REFORMATION POTLUCK PICNIC at CTK OCTOBER 25TH

The Evangelism and Stewardship Committees are hosting a Reformation Picnic on October 25, 2020 following the 10:30 am Service. The Church will be providing Burgers, Hot Dogs and Brats with the grilling being done fresh by some of our own great grilling experts. We are also planning to have some good outdoor fun and games, so come ready to have a blast.

Please sign-up on both boards; one to attend (so we can purchase the right amount of meat) and the other to bring the much needed side dishes to make this a great celebration, together.



CONGRATULATIONS
to the PROUD PARENTS!



DAVID AND LABECCA WILLS
(Bronson now has a little brother!)

Thornton Godfrey Wills

Born September 3, 2020 at 10:01am
6lbs 13oz, 19.25in long



ERICK AND JEANIE NOWAK!
(Emily and Wyatt have a new little brother and
Fred and Margaret have a new grandson!)

Tyler Erickson Nowak

Born September 25, 2020 @ 5:38pm
7lbs 7oz, 19.5in long



To God be the glory for all His wonderful blessings.



AREN'T PICTURES WONDERFUL TO SEE?

That's why we would like to replace our old photographs with current ones on the CTK FAMILY OF FAITH wall of pictures. I know we don't want to admit that we are all a little older and that our appearance has changed only a little bit, but the children, now, they have changed a lot. Since our last professional photography was cancelled, we, mainly Cindy Currier, are going to set up a photo studio area in the narthex for the next few weeks to capture the new you! So please, come prepared to get your photo taken next Sunday, and the next...





THE READINGS



ISAIAH 25:6-9

⁶ On this mountain the LORD of hosts will
make for all peoples
a feast of rich food, a feast of
well-aged wine,
of rich food full of marrow, of aged
wine well refined.

⁷ And he will swallow up on this
mountain
the covering that is cast over all
peoples,
the veil that is spread over all nations.

⁸ He will swallow up death forever;
and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears

from all faces,
and the reproach of his people he will
take away from all the earth,
for the LORD has spoken.

⁹ It will be said on that day,
"Behold, this is our God; we have
waited for him, that he might
save us.
This is the LORD; we have waited for
him;
let us be glad and rejoice in his
salvation."

PHILIPPIANS 4:4-13

⁴Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will
say, Rejoice. ⁵Let your reasonableness be
known to everyone. The Lord is at hand; ⁶do
not be anxious about anything, but in
everything by prayer and supplication with
thanksgiving let your requests be made known
to God. ⁷And the peace of God, which
surpasses all understanding, will guard your
hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

⁸Finally, brothers, whatever is true,
whatever is honorable, whatever is just,
whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever
is commendable, if there is any excellence, if
there is anything worthy of praise, think about
these things. ⁹What you have learned and

received and heard and seen in me—practice
these things, and the God of peace will be
with you.

¹⁰I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at
length you have revived your concern for me.
You were indeed concerned for me, but you
had no opportunity. ¹¹Not that I am speaking
of being in need, for I have learned in
whatever situation I am to be content. ¹²I
know how to be brought low, and I know how
to abound. In any and every circumstance, I
have learned the secret of facing plenty and
hunger, abundance and need. ¹³I can do all
things through him who strengthens me.

MATTHEW 22:1-14

¹Again Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying, ²"The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son, ³and sent his servants to call those who were invited to the wedding feast, but they would not come. ⁴Again he sent other servants, saying, 'Tell those who are invited, See, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready. Come to the wedding feast.' ⁵But they paid no attention and went off, one to his farm, another to his business, ⁶while the rest seized his servants, treated them shamefully, and killed them. ⁷The king was angry, and he sent his troops and destroyed those murderers and burned their city. ⁸Then he said to his servants, 'The

wedding feast is ready, but those invited were not worthy. ⁹Go therefore to the main roads and invite to the wedding feast as many as you find.' ¹⁰And those servants went out into the roads and gathered all whom they found, both bad and good. So the wedding hall was filled with guests.

¹¹"But when the king came in to look at the guests, he saw there a man who had no wedding garment. ¹²And he said to him, 'Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding garment?' And he was speechless. ¹³Then the king said to the attendants, 'Bind him hand and foot and cast him into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.' ¹⁴For many are called, but few are chosen."

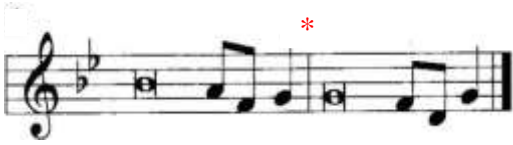
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Clothed in the Righteousness of Christ, We Partake of His Wedding Feast



By His Cross and Resurrection, the Lord has swallowed up death forever, and by His Gospel He *“will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of His people He will take away from all the earth”* (Is. 25:8). Therefore, *“let us be glad and rejoice in His salvation”* (Is. 25:9). On the Mountain of the Lord of hosts—in His Church on earth, as in the kingdom of heaven—He has made *“for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine”* (Is. 25:6). It is the royal *“wedding feast”* of the Son of God, *“and everything is ready”* (Matt. 22:1, 4). Thus, His servants are sent into the highways and bi-ways to invite and gather as many as they find, *“both good and bad,”* to fill the wedding hall with guests (Matt. 22:8–10). In Holy Baptism, He clothes them all in the *“wedding garment”* of His own perfect righteousness (Matt. 22:11). Therefore, *“do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God,”* and *“rejoice in the Lord always”* (Phil. 4:4–6).

THE INTROIT (*Is. 61:10; ANTIPHON: Ps. 146:2*)



**Rejoice
and
Sing**

I will praise the LORD as long | as I live;*
I will sing praises to my God while I have my | being.

**I will greatly rejoice | in the LORD;*
my soul shall exult | in my God,**

for he has clothed me with the garments of sal- | vation;*
he has covered me with the robe of | righteousness,

**as a bridegroom decks himself like a priest with a beautiful | headdress,*
and as a bride adorns herself | with her jewels.**

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen**

I will praise the LORD as long | as I live;*
I will sing praises to my God while I have my | being.

THE COLLECT

Almighty God, You invite us to trust in You for our salvation.
Deal with us not in the severity of Your judgment but by the
greatness of Your mercy; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our
Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one
God, now and forever.

THE GRADUAL (*Ps. 91:11, 103:1, alt.*)

**He will command his angels con- | cerning you*
to guard you in | all your ways.**

**Bless the LORD, | O my soul,*
and all that is within me, bless his | holy name!**
