

**FIFTH SUNDAY  
AFTER THE EPIPHANY**



**FEBRUARY 7, 2021**

**DIVINE SERVICE SETTING THREE**

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**CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH, REDLANDS, CA**

# Christ the King Lutheran Church

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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: O God of God, O Light of Light .....	810
Hymn of the Day: Hail to the Lord's Anointed .....	398
Distribution Hymns: Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness .....	849
Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness .....	636
Recessional Hymn: Lift High the Cross .....	837

## **PRAYER CONCERNS**

**Ingrid Umland and the Umland family**, Bill went to God's heavenly home

**Ingrid Umland**, recovering from Covid

**Pastor Smith**, recovering from back surgery

**Dwayne Danielson**, recovering from eye surgery

**Connie Johnson**, fell and tore a ligament in her leg

**Diane Ronchetto**, experiencing severe hip pain

**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 on the altar today are given in thanksgiving and to the glory of God by Loren and Ruth Scott in celebration of Sierra's 20<sup>th</sup> birthday. Happy Birthday!



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 also available on our website at:

<https://www.ctrkredlands.org/sermons-online/sermon-manuscripts/>

Acolytes	SERVANTS for THIS WEEK	SERVANTS for NEXT WEEK
<b>8:00am</b>	Dustin Hogue	Jilian Belli & Ava Belli
<b>10:30am</b>	Brooke Cleary & Emma Hansen	Samuel Lombardo & William Lombardo
<b>Altar</b>	Margaret Nowak	Bernice David
<b>Elders</b>	J.B. Bell	Vic Haynes
<b>Finance</b>	Cindy Hanson & Judy Alder	Robert Arnold & Steve Aimar
<b>Flowers</b>	Loren & Ruth Scott	Delores Koller
<b>Ushers</b>	Loren Scott    Steve Aimar	Loren Scott    Steve Aimar

## EVENTS THIS WEEK

SUNDAY	8:00AM .....	Divine Service
	9:00AM .....	Adult Bible Study & Sunday School
	10:30AM .....	Divine Service
	Following.....	Jr. Confirmation Class
TUESDAY	7:00PM .....	School Board Meeting
WEDNESDAY	9:30AM .....	Adult Bible Study
SATURDAY	8:30AM .....	Adult Bible Study



### **PLEASE WELCOME OUR GUEST PREACHER REV. DANIEL HOLM**

Rev. Daniel Holm from Grace Lutheran Church in Rialto, is our guest preacher today and will also be leading our Adult Bible Study following the Divine Service.

### **DAILY LECTIONARY READINGS – LSB pg. 303**

<b>5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY</b>		<b>Feb 7</b>	Job 4:1-21 John 2:1-12	<b>Feb 8</b>	Job 5:1-27 John 2:13-25
<b>Feb 9</b>	Job 6:1-13 John 3:1-21	<b>Feb 10</b>	Job 6:14-30 John 3:22—4:6	<b>Feb 11</b>	Job 7:1-21 John 4:7-26
<b>Feb 12</b>	Job 8:1-22 John 4:27-45	<b>Feb 13</b>	Job 9:1-35 John 4:46-54	<b>Have a Blessed Week</b>	



### **CURRENT CTK CHURCH DIRECTORIES ARE AVAILABLE**

Please pick-up a copy of the current church directory on the coffee table in the narthex. Contact Cindy Carrier with any changes or corrections. Thank you.



### **LUTHERANISM IN THE PUBLIC SQUARE**

Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's topics include: Christian Nationalism, The Equality Act, Donor Conception, Media Coverage of Religion and more. You can listen at your convenience at [issuesetc.org](http://issuesetc.org), the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.



### **LWML SCHEDULE CHANGES FOR YOUR CALENDAR**

**Lutheran  
Women  
in Mission**

BINGO Night has been changed to Saturday, May 22, 2021. In addition, the March Potluck Lunch has been canceled and Spring Fling will be rescheduled for a summer date that will be announced at a later time.



*Relief for Human Need Worldwide*

California - Arizona - Nevada Regional Location and  
The Pacific Southwest District LWML

# Backpack Bonanza

## February 2021

### LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF SCHOOL KITS SHOPPING LIST

(Please only new items)

- Backpack
- Colored Pencils
- Colored Markers
- Non-Spiral Notebooks (70pg)
- Rulers in centimeters (at least one side)
- Small Glue Sticks
- #2 Pencils with erasers (unsharpened)
- Ballpoint pens in black or blue (no gel ink)
- Pencil sharpeners
- Erasers (2 ½")
- Construction Paper (9"x12")
- Copy Paper (8.5"x11")
- Assorted Size Balls
- Socks

Please leave your donations in the narthex by Sunday, February 28.

Please **do not** put items in the back pack.

Thank you for participating. 😊

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# THE READINGS

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## ISAIAH 40:21-31

- <sup>21</sup> Do you not know? Do you not hear?  
Has it not been told you from the  
beginning?  
Have you not understood from the  
foundations of the earth?
- <sup>22</sup> It is he who sits above the circle of the  
earth,  
and its inhabitants are like  
grasshoppers;  
who stretches out the heavens like a  
curtain,  
and spreads them like a tent to  
dwell in;
- <sup>23</sup> who brings princes to nothing,  
and makes the rulers of the earth as  
emptiness.
- <sup>24</sup> Scarcely are they planted, scarcely sown,  
scarcely has their stem taken root in  
the earth,  
when he blows on them, and they  
wither,  
and the tempest carries them off like  
stubble.
- <sup>25</sup> To whom then will you compare me,  
that I should be like him? says the  
Holy One.
- <sup>26</sup> Lift up your eyes on high and see:  
who created these?

He who brings out their host by  
number,  
calling them all by name,  
by the greatness of his might,  
and because he is strong in power  
not one is missing.

- <sup>27</sup> Why do you say, O Jacob,  
and speak, O Israel,  
"My way is hidden from the LORD,  
and my right is disregarded by my  
God"?
- <sup>28</sup> Have you not known? Have you not  
heard?  
The LORD is the everlasting God,  
the Creator of the ends of the earth.  
He does not faint or grow weary;  
his understanding is unsearchable.
- <sup>29</sup> He gives power to the faint,  
and to him who has no might he  
increases strength.
- <sup>30</sup> Even youths shall faint and be weary,  
and young men shall fall exhausted;
- <sup>31</sup> but they who wait for the LORD shall  
renew their strength;  
they shall mount up with wings like  
eagles;  
they shall run and not be weary;  
they shall walk and not faint.

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## 1CORINTHIANS 9:16-27

<sup>16</sup>If I preach the gospel, that gives me no  
ground for boasting. For necessity is laid upon  
me. Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel!  
<sup>17</sup>For if I do this of my own will, I have a  
reward, but if not of my own will, I am still  
entrusted with a stewardship. <sup>18</sup>What then is

my reward? That in my preaching I may  
present the gospel free of charge, so as not to  
make full use of my right in the gospel.  
<sup>19</sup>For though I am free from all, I have  
made myself a servant to all, that I might win  
more of them. <sup>20</sup>To the Jews I became as a

Jew, in order to win Jews. To those under the law I became as one under the law (though not being myself under the law) that I might win those under the law. <sup>21</sup>To those outside the law I became as one outside the law (not being outside the law of God but under the law of Christ) that I might win those outside the law. <sup>22</sup>To the weak I became weak, that I might win the weak. I have become all things to all people, that by all means I might save some. <sup>23</sup>I do it all for the sake of the gospel, that I

may share with them in its blessings. <sup>24</sup>Do you not know that in a race all the runners compete, but only one receives the prize? So run that you may obtain it. <sup>25</sup>Every athlete exercises self-control in all things. They do it to receive a perishable wreath, but we an imperishable. <sup>26</sup>So I do not run aimlessly; I do not box as one beating the air. <sup>27</sup>But I discipline my body and keep it under control, lest after preaching to others I myself should be disqualified.

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### **MARK 1:29-39**

<sup>29</sup>Immediately [Jesus] left the synagogue and entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. <sup>30</sup>Now Simon's mother-in-law lay ill with a fever, and immediately they told him about her. <sup>31</sup>And he came and took her by the hand and lifted her up, and the fever left her, and she began to serve them.

<sup>32</sup>That evening at sundown they brought to him all who were sick or oppressed by demons. <sup>33</sup>And the whole city was gathered together at the door. <sup>34</sup>And he healed many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons. And he would not permit

the demons to speak, because they knew him.

<sup>35</sup>And rising very early in the morning, while it was still dark, he departed and went out to a desolate place, and there he prayed.

<sup>36</sup>And Simon and those who were with him searched for him, <sup>37</sup>and they found him and said to him, "Everyone is looking for you."

<sup>38</sup>And he said to them, "Let us go on to the next towns, that I may preach there also, for that is why I came out." <sup>39</sup>And he went throughout all Galilee, preaching in their synagogues and casting out demons.

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## THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

### *The Son of God, Christ Jesus, Makes Us a New Creation*

The Lord alone "*is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth*" (Is. 40:28). He "*sits above the circle of the earth*" and "*stretches out the heavens like a curtain*" (Is. 40:22). Yet, His almighty power is demonstrated chiefly by His mercy and compassion. "*He gives power to the faint, and to him who has no might He increases strength*" (Is. 40:29). The only-begotten Son of the Father, the very Word by whom all things were made, becomes flesh and takes all the poverty and weakness of our sin and death upon Himself, bearing it in His Body to the Cross. As He dies for us there, He also raises us up, a new creation, in His Resurrection from the dead. Thus, by the preaching of this Word, He heals "*many who were sick with various diseases,*" and He casts out "*many demons*" (Mark 1:34, 39). His preaching continues through those whom He has sent, who are "*entrusted with a stewardship*" to "*preach the Gospel*" (1 Cor. 9:16–17). Thus we are set free by the Word of Christ, and we exercise our freedom in loving service to others.

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**THE INTROIT** (*Ps. 13:3-5; antiphon: Ps. 13:6*)



I will sing | to the Lord, \*  
because he has dealt bountifully | with me.

**Consider and answer me, O | Lord my God; \*  
light up my eyes, lest I sleep the | sleep of death,**

lest my enemy say, “I have prevailed | over him.”\*  
lest my foes rejoice because I am | shaken.

**But I have trusted in your | steadfast love; \*  
my heart shall rejoice in your sal- | vation.**

**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 sing | to the Lord, \*  
because he has dealt bountifully | with me.

**THE COLLECT**

O Lord, keep Your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of Your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by Your mighty power; 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. 117:1-2a; Ps. 96:8*)

**Praise the Lord, all | nations! \***

**Extol him, all | peoples!**

**For great is his steadfast | love toward us, \***

**And the faithfulness of the Lord endures for- | ever.**

**Ascribe to the Lord the glory | due his name; \***

**Bring an offering, and come in- | to his courts!**

