

**THE FEAST OF THE  
ASCENSION OF OUR LORD  
(OBSERVED)**



**MAY 29, 2022**

**DIVINE SERVICE SETTING ONE**

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

# Christ the King Lutheran Church

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## SUNDAY MORNING

9:00 a.m. – Divine Service

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



## 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: A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing ..... 493  
 Hymn of the Day: See, the Lord Ascends in Triumph ..... 494  
 Distribution Hymns: O God, Our Help in Ages Past ..... 733  
                           Jerusalem, My Happy Home..... 673  
                           Jesus Comes Today with Healing ..... 620  
                           Alleluia! Sing to Jesus..... 821  
 Recessional Hymn: Crown Him with Many Crowns..... 525

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

**Thomas Crowley**, awaiting heart surgery  
**David Hansen Sr.**, struggling with cancer and radiation treatments  
**Lois Scott**, Loren's mom, recovering from surgery due to a broken femur  
**Louava Wideman**, struggling with COPD  
**Jason Crowley**, nephew of Thomas Crowley, diagnosed with multiple myeloma.  
**Irene Pickering**, who fell and broke her kneecap.  
**Astrid, Ingrid Umland's** sister, whose cancer (leukemia) has returned.  
**Diane Ronchetto**, hip replacement recovery. Diane is having a hard time with the pain. Please continue to pray for her.  
**Daniel Conrad**, our missionary to Mexico.  
**Shut-ins:** Elsie Albanese, Don Krahn, Pat Krahn, Bill Nye, Harriet Ouimette, Gloria Paulus, Troy & Louava Wideman, and Irene Pickering



**Altar Flowers**  
 The flowers this week are given to  
 the Glory of God by John and Betty Mitchell  
 in celebration of Shawn's and Emma's birthday!

<b>SERVANTS for THIS WEEK</b>		<b>SERVANTS for NEXT WEEK</b>
<b>Crucifer</b>	Hayden Hinkleman	Alexander Hathaway
<b>Acolytes</b>	Emma Hansen & Aiden DeCent	Jilian Belli & Ava Belli
<b>Altar</b>	Nicole Creavy	Anna Bush
<b>Elders</b>	David Alder	Tom Crowley
<b>Finance</b>	John Hinkleman, Jr & Joe Vasquez	Steve Aimar & Judy Alder
<b>Flowers</b>	Don and Elizabeth Mitchell	LWML
<b>Ushers</b>	Loren Scott & Glenn Henderson	Loren Scott & Glenn Henderson

## EVENTS THIS WEEK

SUNDAY	9:00AM.....	Divine Service
	10:30AM.....	Adult Bible Study & Sunday School
	11:45 AM .....	Confirmation Class
WEDNESDAY	9:30AM .....	Bible Study
FRIDAY	7:30PM .....	Couples Bible Study
SATURDAY	8:30AM.....	Bible Study

### TODAY'S SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON (Pre-K through 8)



**Lesson 1:** The lesson this week is “An Angel Announces.” Mary receives an angelic announcement telling her that, despite her virginity, she will give birth to the long-awaited Savior. The child in Elizabeth’s womb leaps within her when the mother of the promised Messiah approaches. Elizabeth rejoices in the reaction and welcomes Mary to stay with her for a time. Mary’s song of praise, the Magnificat, resounds in the Church to this day.

### Follow CTK on Facebook and Instagram

If you are on social media please find our pages and follow along. All you have to do is open your phone camera and hover it over the QR codes and open up the link. If that doesn't seem to work, you can find us on both platforms by our handle name @christthekingredlands



**VBS is happening the week of  
July 11<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup>**

**from 6:00 pm-8:00 pm**

**Sign up forms are on the table in the narthex. Please take some to share with family and friends with kiddos who are the appropriate age to join us! If you are interested in volunteering, please email Gloria at [ctkchurchoffice@yahoo.com](mailto:ctkchurchoffice@yahoo.com)**

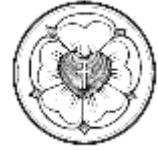
### Family of Faith Picture Wall

It is time to update our favorite wall -- the Family of Faith. It would be a kindness if the following folks would gather at the focal point in the courtyard for a quick picture so we can update our growing (and handsome) family. **Hathaway family, David Martindelcampo, Don and Lysah Mitchell, Reiman clan, Scott family (with new face Layla Sophia Christina), Ingrid Umland, Swinford crew, Ward clan, Wilson family, and the Zack crowd.** We want the wall to shine with all your friendly faces. Thanks for taking the time.





# THE READINGS



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## Acts 1:1-11

<sup>1</sup> In the first book, O Theophilus, I have dealt with all that Jesus began to do and teach, <sup>2</sup> until the day when he was taken up, after he had given commands through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. <sup>3</sup> He presented himself alive to them after his suffering by many proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. <sup>4</sup> And while staying with them he ordered them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the promise of the Father, which, he said, "you heard from me; <sup>5</sup> for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now."

<sup>6</sup> So when they had come together, they asked him, "Lord, will you at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?" <sup>7</sup> he said to them, "It is not for you to know times or seasons that the Father has fixed by his own authority. <sup>8</sup> But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." <sup>9</sup> And when he had said these things, as they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. <sup>10</sup> And while they were gazing into heaven as he went, behold, two men stood by them in white robes, <sup>11</sup> and said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven."

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## Ephesians 1:15-23

<sup>15</sup> For this reason, because I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, <sup>16</sup> I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, <sup>17</sup> that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, <sup>18</sup> having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, <sup>19</sup> and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might <sup>20</sup> that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, <sup>21</sup> far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. <sup>22</sup> And he put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, <sup>23</sup> which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

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## Luke 24:44-53

<sup>44</sup> Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." <sup>45</sup> Then he opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, <sup>46</sup> and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, <sup>47</sup> and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. <sup>48</sup> You are witnesses of these things. <sup>49</sup> And behold, I am sending the promise of my Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high."

<sup>50</sup> Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and lifting up his hands he blessed them. <sup>51</sup> While he blessed them, he parted from them and was carried up into heaven. <sup>52</sup> And they worshipped him and returned to Jerusalem with great joy, <sup>53</sup> and were continually in the temple blessing God.

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### THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD *Christ Ascended Is with You Always*

In His resurrection, the Lord Jesus presented Himself alive to the apostles, "*appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God*" (Acts 1:3). Then He ascended to the right hand of the Father, not orphaning His Church, but filling all things in heaven and on earth, and giving gifts to His disciples. So today, He continues to preach "*repentance for the forgiveness of sins*" (Luke 24:47) through "*the apostles whom he had chosen*" (Acts 1:2), even "*to the end of the earth*" (Acts 1:8). Jesus comes among us today by His Word and Spirit, whom He pours out upon "*the church, which is his body*" (Eph. 1:22–23). In His Church, He blesses us with forgiveness, lifts us up in His hands and seats us with Himself "*in the heavenly places*" (Eph. 1:20).

# BYE Y'ALL

MISS CHRIS + FAMILY

*Are Headed East*



PLEASE JOIN US TO CELEBRATE HER 28 YEARS OF  
MINISTRY AT CHRIST THE KING

**FRIDAY, JUNE 10TH @ 6:00PM**

CHRIST THE KING FELLOWSHIP HALL  
1505 FORD ST. REDLANDS 92373

RSVP BY MAY 26 - CTK OFFICE (909)793-8722

***God Bless Christine Chernobieff ~School Director***

***Please RSVP to the school office.***

***Your whole family is welcome!***

*In the newsletter, it was requested for adults only but that has since changed.*

*Please feel free to bring the kiddos.*

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**THE INTROIT** Ps. 110:1, 4-5; antiphon: Ps. 47:5



God has gone up | with a shout,\*  
the Lord with the sound of a | trumpet.

**The Lord says to my Lord: “Sit at my | right hand,\*  
until I make your enemies your | footstool.”**

The Lord has sworn and will not | change his mind,\*  
“You are a priest forever after the order of Mel- | chizedek.”

**The Lord is at your | right hand;\***  
**He will shatter kings on the day | of his wrath.**

**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**

God has gone up | with a shout,\*  
the Lord with the sound of a | trumpet.

### **THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Almighty God, as Your only-begotten Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, ascended into the heavens, so may we also ascend in heart and mind and continually dwell there with Him, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**THE GRADUAL** adapt. from Matt. 28:7; Heb. 2:7; Ps. 8:6

**Christ has risen | from the dead.\***

**[God the Father] has crowned him with glory and | honor,  
he has given him dominion over the works | of his hands;\***  
**he has put all things un- | der his feet.**

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