



Messiah Lutheran Church

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Messiah Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 11am – 2pm

November 2 @ 10:30am: 21st Sunday after Pentecost; Holy Communion; All Saints Sunday

Worship Leader: Pastor John Mayer Dut

Coffee in the Peace Chapel (9:45am) before the Worship Service; No Sunday School this Sunday.

The service is broadcast live at 10:30am and posted on the Messiah YouTube channel.

Prayers for Healing and On-Going Health Concerns:

We pray for comfort and healing for all those who are suffering in body, mind or spirit; give them courage and hope in their time of need.



UPCOMING @ MESSIAH

Sunday School: during the Service after the Children's message (no Sunday School on November 2)

Bible Studies (in person in the Peace Chapel or via Zoom):

† **Weekly** on Wednesday at 7pm – Zoom ID: 885 6495 2469 & Passcode: 518446

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88564952469?pwd=yAY3S5UwbKXH7MLDyTJxTLN0lpkcrZ.1>

† **Monthly** - third Tuesday @ 7pm (next November 18) – Zoom ID: 859 1940 4343; Passcode: 210248;

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85919404343?pwd=t0A2kA5mg58xSGnD5lQpzOSeNfuNjR.1>

Coffee & Conversation: Join us on the first and third Thursdays (next November 6) @ 10am in the Fellowship Hall.

Confirmation Classes: Contact Pastor John (306.961.0877)

Men's Breakfast Group: Contact Merv 306.960.8346.

Senior Homes Worship Services (monthly): Mont St. Joseph Home (first Wednesday); Points West Living (first Thursday); Good Shepherd Villas (second Tuesday). Pineview Terrance (fourth Wednesday).

If you would like to volunteer to assist with services, please notify a member of council or Pastor John.

Financial Stewardship at Messiah: If you are away or not regularly attending Sunday Services, offerings can be brought to the Messiah office (phone 306.763.7374) OR donate electronically weekly/monthly (preauthorized deposit) OR etransfer to messiah@sasktel.net (no password needed). Contact Cheryl at 306.961.2967.

Thank you for your faithful support of ministry at Messiah.

Remembrance Day Supper

Tuesday, November 11 @ 5pm in the Fellowship Hall
 – Bangers & Mash; Free Will Offering.

Welcome any volunteers, please contact Merv Bender – 306.960.8346



REMEMBRANCE DAY
Left We Forget

Around the Community, the Saskatchewan Synod & beyond ...



45th Anniversary Celebration Banquet & Fundraiser:
 Sunday, November 2, 5:30pm; Western Development Museum, Saskatoon (\$50 ticket includes a day pass to Boomtown). Contact congregational representative, Cheryl @ 306.961.2967 if you would like to purchase a ticket(s). Those interested in joining the Mass choir - contact Deborah Buck dbuck@sasktel.net. Rehearsal is Thursday, October 30 @ 7pm at Augustana Lutheran, 1201 Broadway Ave South.



Rose Garden Hospice
BRUNCH WITH SANTA 2025
 November 22 from 9:30am – 1pm
 Prince Albert Exhibition Hall

This Festive Fundraiser includes a Full Brunch, Live & Silent Auction, Christmas Marketplace, Decorated Trees for Sale, Cozy Beverage Corner, Live Caroling, Visit with Santa (free photos), Cookie Decorating, Christmas Card Crafting, Santa's little shoppers (Gifts for kids to purchase with free giftwrapping!)

Tickets available at rosegardenhospice.ca



For more information or to register, go to: kinasao.ca.

- November 22: **Christmas at Camp**
- **Twinkle Tour** open November 22-23; December 6-7 and 31 (6:30-8:30pm); check the Kinasao website for other dates that may be announced.
- December 5-7: **Advent Retreat**



Dear Church... A first video message from ELCIC National Bishop Larry Kochendorfer ... in what he hopes to be a regular feature providing a glimpse into his ministry as National Bishop and that of the work of the National Office. In the video, Bishop Larry asks you to mark your calendar for November 30 and plan to attend a church-wide 'town hall' event currently titled, '*Rooted in Faith, Conversations from Across the Church*'. Check out the video at www.youtube.com/watch?v=L7xVrN5_C24

GATHERING & WELCOME

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Introduction: All Saints Sunday occurs as the landscape heralds the dying of plants and the quiet of winter rest. In like manner, we are called to rejoice in all the saints. While we revere those who have gone before us in faith and remember them in love, we are reminded that in holy baptism God unites all the faithful into the one holy catholic and apostolic church: the church on earth and the church in heaven. The history of the Reformation is made up of many saints: Martin Luther, Philip Melancthon, Jan Hus, John Calvin, John Knox. Who are today's saints? Who are the saints sitting here this morning among us? When am I (can I be?) a saint??

Remembrance of All Saints

Let us remember all the saints before God.

We praise and bless you, O holy Trinity. You have taught your church that it is an ageless communion of saints. We thank you for gathering those who faithfully waited in hope for the redemption you promised, and now for adding us who celebrate the love of Christ for the redemption of the world. Prepare a place for us among those who are already with you. Help us remember them as an encouragement to saintly living, exciting us to love, in anticipation of an eternal reunion. With them we praise and bless you, O holy Trinity. **Amen.**

Jesus says, Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, **and you will find rest for your souls.** For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light. **And you will find rest for your souls.**

OPENING HYMN: ELW#774 'What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine'

GREETING

Beloved of God, called to be saints: Grace, mercy, and peace be with you all. **And also with you.**

KYRIE (ELW p.184)

Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way, Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

For peace in the world, for the health of the church, for the unity of all; for this holy house, for all who worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord

Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way, Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

That we may live out your impassioned response to the hungry and the poor; that we may live out truth and justice and grace, let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord

Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way, Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

For peace in our hearts, for peace in our homes, for friends and family; for life and for love, for our work and our play, let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord

Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way, Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

For your Spirit to guide; that you center our lives in the water and the Word; that you nourish our souls with your body and blood, let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord

Kyrie eleison, on our world and on our way, Kyrie eleison, ev'ry day.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. **Merciful God, gracious and benevolent, through your Son you invite all the world to a meal of mercy. Grant that we may eagerly follow his call, and bring us with all your saints into your life of justice and joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

Children's Message

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

FIRST READING: Isaiah 1:10-18

Isaiah announces God's displeasure with the offerings and sacrifices of a people who are without compassion. He urges them instead to do justice and defend the oppressed. Indeed, if they repent, God promises that they will be made as clean as new-fallen snow.

¹⁰ Hear the word of the Lord, you rulers of Sodom! Listen to the teaching of our God, you people of Gomorrah! ¹¹ What to me is the multitude of your sacrifices? says the Lord; I have had enough of burnt offerings of rams and the fat of fed beasts; I do not delight in the blood of bulls or of lambs or of goats. ¹² When you come to appear before me, who asked this from your hand? Trample my courts no more! ¹³ Bringing offerings is futile; incense is an abomination to me. New moon and Sabbath and calling of convocation—I cannot endure solemn assemblies with iniquity. ¹⁴ Your new moons and your appointed festivals my soul hates; they have become a burden to me; I am weary of bearing them. ¹⁵ When you stretch out your hands, I will hide my eyes from you; even though you make many prayers, I will not listen; your hands are full of blood. ¹⁶ Wash yourselves; make yourselves clean; remove your evil deeds from before my eyes; cease to do evil; ¹⁷ learn to do good; seek justice; rescue the oppressed; defend the orphan; plead for the widow. ¹⁸ Come now, let us argue it out, says the Lord: If your sins are like scarlet, will they become like snow? If they are red like crimson, will they become like wool?

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 32:1-7

¹ Happy are they whose transgressions are forgiven, and whose sin is put away!

² **Happy are they to whom the Lord imputes no guilt, and in whose spirit there is no guile!**

³ While I held my tongue, my bones withered away, because of my groaning all day long.

⁴ **For your hand was heavy upon me day and night; my moisture was dried up as in the heat of summer.**

⁵ Then I acknowledged my sin to you, and did not conceal my guilt. I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord." Then you forgave me the guilt of my sin.

⁶ **Therefore all the faithful will make their prayers to you in time of trouble; when the great waters overflow, they shall not reach them.**

⁷ You are my hiding-place; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with shouts of deliverance.

SECOND READING: 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12

This letter attributed to Paul begins with a typical salutation, blessing, and words of praise for what God is accomplishing among the recipients. By remaining faithful and growing spiritually during hardship, the Thessalonian Christians have become witnesses to the glory of God.

¹ Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: ² Grace to you and peace from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. ³ We must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly and the love of every one of you for one another is increasing. ⁴ Therefore we ourselves boast of you among the churches of God for your steadfastness and faith during all your persecutions and the afflictions that you are enduring. ¹¹ To this end we always pray for you, asking that our God will make you worthy of his call and will fulfill by his power every good resolve and work of faith, ¹² so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (ELWp.188)

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia. Alleluia, alleluia.

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GOSPEL: Luke 19:1-10

The holy gospel according to John, the 19th Chapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

¹ [Jesus] entered Jericho and was passing through it. ² A man was there named Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was rich. ³ He was trying to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was short in stature. ⁴ So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to see him, because he was going to pass that way. ⁵ When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today." ⁶ So he hurried down and was happy to welcome him. ⁷ All who saw it began to grumble and said, "He has gone to be

the guest of one who is a sinner.”⁸ Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, “Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor, and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will pay back four times as much.”⁹ Then Jesus said to him, “Today salvation has come to this house, because he, too, is a son of Abraham.”¹⁰ For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost.”

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon: Pastor John

HYMN OF THE DAY: ELW#638 ‘Blessed Assurance’

APOSTLES’ CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Gathered with one voice, we offer our prayers for the church, the world, and all who are in need. Hear us, O God.

Your mercy is great.

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God who brings grace and peace, we pray for those who are unhoused and in need of shelter, suffering and in need of comfort, and sick and in need of relief (*especially*) **Ken, Annette & Dennis, Tash Family, Daryl, Larissa/Taylor & family, Len, Dick, Treasa, Diana, Leon, Sheila, Wayne, Glen, Pearl, Stanley, Michelle, Trudy, Rose, Barb, Rose, Sheila, Sharon, Ray, Knute, Jean, Audrey,** and all those we name aloud or silent in our hearts. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

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God who welcomes us home, *as we light this candle* we remember your saints:

Ervin & Myrtle Bauer, George & Kerna Haugen, Edward Schmidt, Julia Schmidt, Bennie & Clara Tunem, Howard Dubray, Alexej Felix, Karl Wagner, Jim & Judith Haight, Alfred & Elsie Bender, Ken Finnestad, Ed & Trudy Bowen, Devon Schmid, Darlene Schmid, Alan & Violet Haight, Cliff Johnson, Betty & Mars Bolinger, Evelyn & Pat Ormiston, Irene & John Edworthy, Norman Bragg, Mildred Gore, Awol Mamour, Athou Nykang.

Let us trust in the peace and promise of the resurrection. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

We offer these and all our prayers to you, O God, trusting in your grace and unyielding love; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen.**

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.** *We share a sign of Peace.*

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

OFFERING SONG: ACS#1025 ‘If We Live, We Live to the Lord’ (refrain only)

If we live, we live to the Lord. If we die, we die to the Lord.

So then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord’s.

OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray. God of healing and hope, you bless those who are hungry, promising to fill them with good things. Fulfill that promise through us and these your gifts. Nourish us with the abundance of your feast and unite us into the blessed body of Jesus Christ our Savior, now and forever. Amen.

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn: (ELW p.190) **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of pow'r and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory, full of your glory. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.**

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Lord's Prayer (ELW p.191)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Invitation to Communion: There is a place for you at the table of God. Come, receive the food that does not perish, a taste of life eternal.

Music During Communion: Instrumental

Prayer after Communion: Let us pray. **God of field and flower, wheat and grape, you have nourished us with the bread of heaven that gives life to the world. Strengthened by the body and blood of your Son, send us out to gather your good gifts for all who hunger and thirst, and embolden us to love and serve in Christ's name. Amen.**

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

BLESSING

The love of God the Sovereign strengthen you, God the Son save you, and God the Holy Spirit anoint you for the work ahead. The holy Trinity bless you ✝ and grant you a faithful and courageous heart now and forever. (sung) **Amen. Amen. Amen.**

SENDING SONG: ACS#991 'Go to the World'

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Share the harvest. **Thanks be to God.**

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