

THIS WEEK AT CHRIST LUTHERAN: Nov. 22 - Nov. 29

SUN. 9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Holy Communion
After worship **COMMITMENT SUNDAY/LASAGNA DINNER**
5:30 p.m. Confirmation Class
6:00 p.m. Junior Choir
7:00 p.m. Book Club (Doris Gaertner's home)

TUES. 7:00 p.m. Worship Comm. (conference room)

WED. 9:30 a.m. Newsletter Mailing (conference room)
7:30 p.m. Thanksgiving Eve Service

THURS. Happy Thanksgiving (church office closed)

FRI. (church office closed)

SAT. 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study
9:00 a.m. Hanging of the Greens & Chrismon Tree Decorating
5:00 p.m. Holy Communion

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Family Promise Families Arrive

TIME AND TALENTS

TODAY

LECTOR: Zach Johnson
CANTOR: Kevin Carpenter
USHER: Ryan Smarsh
ACOLYTES: Alex Cseh
Matthew Gottshall
ASSISTS: Marilyn Culler, Chris Owens
Roberta Ekleberry
GREETERS: Anita & Mark Principe
ALTAR: Marlene Packer, Carol
Meiners, Shirley Mitchell
FELLOW : Elsie & Beth Kral
COUNTER: Rob Johnson

NEXT SUNDAY, Nov. 29

Shirley Mitchell
Allen Kacenjar
Tony Toy
Ericka Hallgren
Nikki Worcester
Doris Klement, Sandy Roth
Russ Roth
Pat & Bob Miller
Marlene Packer, Carol
Meiners, Shirley Mitchell
Elsie & Beth Kral
Chuck Heindricks

Welcome!

**Sunday, November 22, 2009
10:30 a.m.**



Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?"
Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

John 18:37



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- ✠ Welcome **Rev. Mark Brauer** and thank you for presiding at worship this morning.
- ✠ Please pray for Marilyn Bommer (Avon Oaks) and Jeannine Rockas (hospice at home).
- ✠ *Praise God*, is a song composed by Elsie Kral. Thank you to Elsie for sharing this song with the Junior Choir this morning. The pictures you see hanging in the sanctuary were drawn and painted by the Junior Choir to illustrate the verses of the song – all the things we praise God for!
- ✠ Registrations for the **LYO (Lutheran Youth Organization) Winter Gathering** on Jan. 9-10, 2010 are *due TODAY*. A \$25 non-refundable deposit is due along with the registration. We need to register as a group by Dec. 1 to get the discounted rate of \$75 per person. Make checks payable to **NEOS LYO**. Please give your deposit and registration to Sue.
- ✠ Commitment Sunday/Lasagna Dinner, **TODAY**, after worship. We plan to recap our 2009 accomplishments and enjoy the fellowship of other members of our Christ Lutheran Family.
- ✠ Join us for Thanksgiving Eve Worship on Wed., Nov. 25, at 7:30 p.m. The Church Office **will be closed** Thursday, Nov. 26 and Friday, Nov. 27.
- ✠ Hanging of the Greens & Chrismon Tree Decorating, Saturday, Nov. 28. Decorating will begin at 9:00 a.m. for the holiday season. All ages are welcome! Bring your elbow grease and energy!
- ✠ Christ Lutheran will host Family Promise families on Nov. 29-Dec 5. If you are interested in volunteering during the Family Promise week, contact Mike Muir (sales@impactmkt.com) or Chuck Heindrichs (ChuckHeindrichs@oh.rr.com).
- ✠ Who would like to join me (Sue Schlessman) in a one hour weekly time of reflection during Advent? The date and time of meeting will depend on the participants. I am tentatively thinking of Saturday mornings at 7:30 a.m. We will be using **Advent Reflections, While We Wait** which provides individual daily conversation with scripture as well as a weekly group meeting. Talk to me or email me at saschless@centurytel.net if you are interested.



WORSHIP

Prelude	Randi Smarsh
Confession	Page 94
<i>Crown Him With Many Crowns</i>	ELW 855
Greeting & Kyrie	Page 98
<i>Glory to God</i>	Page 99
Prayer of the Day	Insert
Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14	Insert
PSALM 93	Insert
Revelation 1:4b-8	Insert
Gospel Acclamation	
John 18:33-37	Insert
<i>Praise God</i>	Junior Choir
Children's Sermon	
Sermon	
<i>All Hail The Power of ...</i>	ELW 634
Apostles' Creed	Page 105
Prayers	
Sharing of the Peace	
Offering	
<i>I've Got Peace Like A River</i>	Bell Choir
<i>Let the Vineyards...</i>	ELW 184
Great Thanksgiving	Page 107
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Communion Hymn:	ELW 838
<i>Let Your Servant</i>	Page 113
Prayer	
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<i>Soon And Very Soon</i>	ELW 439

Sacrament of Holy Communion is celebrated today. All baptized Christians who believe that with the bread and wine we receive the body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of sins, life and salvation are invited to come forward and commune. Families are invited to come forward together and children will be blessed.