

STOCKHOLM LUTHERAN CHURCH

November 26, 2017

Christ the King Sunday

“Service of the Word”

GATHERING

* Hymn and page numbers refer to the red hymnal (“Worship”)*

GATHERING MUSIC Barb Froemming

WELCOME

GATHERING SONG “The King of Love” (v. 1-3) # 502

GREETING (From Second Corinthians 13, verse 13)

P: The peace of Jesus Christ, who was raised from the dead, be with you all.

C: And also with you.

RESPONSIVE READING (From Deuteronomy Ch. 8, 11, 26)

P: You are the treasured people of the LORD.

C: A people holy to the LORD our God.

P: Keep the words of the LORD in your heart; teach them to your children.

C: Talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise.

P: One does not live by bread alone,

C: But by every word that comes from the mouth of the LORD.

PRAYER OF THE DAY P: Let us pray,

All: O God of power and might, your Son shows us the way of service, and in him we inherit the riches of your grace. Give us the wisdom to know what is right and the strength to serve the world you have made, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

WORD OF GOD

FIRST BIBLE READING Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

PSALM Psalm 95:1-7a

SECOND BIBLE READING Ephesians 1:15-23

SONG OF THE WORD “Lord, Let My Heart” # 512

GOSPEL VERSE **C: Praise the Lord! Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Alleluia!** (Mark 11:9)

GOSPEL BIBLE READING

Matthew 25:31-46

CHILDREN’S TIME

SERMON

Rev. Mark Little

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S GOODNESS AND LOVE

SONG: “Beautiful Savior” (v. 1,2,4) # 838

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SHARING GOD’S PEACE WITH ONE ANOTHER

OFFERING—GIVING OUR LIVES TO GOD

OFFERING SONG “Jesus, Name Above” (v. 1,3) TOSB # 115

OFFERING PRAYER P: Let us pray. God of glory,

C: With great joy we worship you and lay before you these gifts, which you have first given us. Let our lives serve you only, and lead us always to our dearest treasure, Jesus Christ, the bright and morning Star. Amen.

PRAYERS (P: Lord...mercy; **C: Hear our prayer.**)

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BENEDICTION

SENDING SONG “Jesus Shall Reign” (v. 1,2,4) # 434

DISMISSAL P: Go in Peace, share the Good News!

C: Thanks be to God!

SENDING MUSIC Barb Froemming

Welcome to all who gather here for Worship this morning! We give a special welcome to you if you are a guest with us today. Please worship with us again soon! If you are in search of a new church home, please contact Pastor Mark.

PRAYER CONCERNS – Bruce Carlson, Landon Halonen, Dan Howell, Mike Huro, Roger Jensen, Peggy Mahlstedt, Helen Mattson (currently at Harmony River, Hutchinson), Kerry Schmiesing, and those serving in the armed forces as we pray for peace.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Dec. 3--5:00 pm. Advent “Preparation for Christmas” Gathering.

Dec. 10--3:30 pm. Christmas Caroling (all ages of singers). See below for details.

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Oct 2017 Financials

Operating Income	\$ 8,399.00
Operating Expense	\$ 15,711.27
Transferred from Savings	\$ 5,400.00
YTD Transfers	\$ 36,800.00
Care Fund	\$ 744.00
Pastor’s Discretionary Fund	\$ 689.00
Improvement fund	\$ 26,363.25 - \$17,666.26
	(\$7,000 towards windows,
	\$8,166.26 insurance
	check, \$2,500 Deductible)
	= \$8,696.99 Available
	balance

CHRISTMAS DECORATING Everyone is invited to stay after worship TODAY to assist with Christmas decorating of the church! Some food will be here for all who join in! Please consider helping with this important, meaningful task.