



Welcome to Good Shepherd!  
November 27 in the year of our LORD 2022  
First Sunday in Advent

**PASTOR:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.  
: **And also with you.**



**PASTOR:** Let us sing our morning prayer:

**CHILDREN & ADULTS** | **God, my Father and Redeemer to You now I come in prayer. Thanks I give through Christ, my Savior, for the night spent in Your care. Keep me, Father, this day also from all sin and guilt and shame; Guard me through this day from evil; Glorify Your holy Name.**

**2 Keep me all this day from sinning; let my life please only You;  
With Your Word of Jesus' mercy lift me up to praise anew!  
Send Your Angel, strong and mighty, watching guarding as my Friend;  
Praise and peace through Christ, my Savior, now, eternally, without end.**

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**WE CONFESS OUR SIN AND RECEIVE GOD'S FORGIVENESS**

**PASTOR:** We have come into the presence of God. God created us to love and serve Him as His dear children. But we have disobeyed Him. We deserve only His wrath and punishment. So let us confess our sins to Him and ask Him for mercy.

**CHILDREN & ADULTS:** **Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against You; I do not deserve to be called Your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to Your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin and take away my guilt.**



**PASTOR:** God our heavenly Father has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ God has removed your guilt forever. You are His own dear child. Listen to what He says: I do not condemn you. Go now and leave your life of sin.

(we sing): **Jesus comes to hearts rejoicing, bringing news of sins forgiven; Jesus comes with words of gladness, leading souls redeemed to heaven. Alleluia! Alleluia! Hope to all the world is given.**



**Jesus comes on clouds triumphant when the heavens shall pass away.  
Jesus comes again in glory; Let us, then, our homage pay, Alleluia!  
Alleluia! Till the dawn of endless day.**

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RESPONSIVE PRAYER OF THE DAY

Stir up your power, O LORD, and come.  
**Lord, save us from the threatening dangers of our sins;  
You alone live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit;  
You are the one God, the living God, now and forever.**

GOD'S WORD FOR ALL

*Psalm 18, Isaiah 2:1-5, Php 4:4-7*

(Response): **Oh, dear Jesus, I am near You; let me listen to Your Voice! Let  
me ever love and fear You; Let Your Word still be my choice. Many  
hardened sinners, Lord, flee in terror at Your Word, but to all who feel sin's  
burden You give peace and words of pardon.**

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*Matthew 24:36-44*

WE PROFESS THE CHRISTIAN FAITH

**I believe in God, the Father, Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.  
I believe in Jesus, Christ, His 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 into hell. The third day He rose again  
from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right  
hand of God the Father almighty. From there He will come to judge  
the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy  
Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**



Victory Song of the Day: *SAVIOR OF THE NATIONS, COME*

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INSTRUCTION IN THE WORD

WE RETURN TO THE LORD OUR THANK-OFFERINGS

Dear friends who are visiting us today. We use these financial  
gifts in our local and worldwide ministries. You are not forced to  
give to support our Gospel ministries. We are thankful the LORD  
brought you to be part of our family of faith in His presence today.

i thank You God



PRAYERS, CONSECRATION & DISTRIBUTION OF THE HOLY SUPPER

Songs from the BLUE song books for use during the distribution:  
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The Lord draws us to receive His very Body and Blood in holy communion  
with bread and wine. This is the highest expression of spiritual unity Jesus gives.  
But even when He began it, Jesus did not give His supper to  
children, nor to every believer in Jerusalem. His Supper was  
only given to those who publicly took their stand with Jesus,  
united in what Jesus was teaching them.

If you aren't quite sure about what we teach or what the  
Bible says, please let us introduce you to one of our pastors. They look forward to  
helping people understand God's Word better and better. And yes, they would  
be delighted to give a personalized, no-strings-attached, Bible course of  
instruction if you so desire. Thank you.



Prayers and Parting Song *SPEAK, O SAVIOR* Stanzas 3 & 4 p.631 BLUE

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# WELCOME TO GOOD SHEPHERD

## **Our mission is simple and bold:**

We seek to grow in faith and knowledge of our Savior Jesus. We want  
to *make Him known to others* so they,  
too, might share in the joy Jesus won for them.

## **December Advent Worship**

Special Schedule for 2022

### **Advent Special Worship Services**

Two Thursday Evenings at 7:00 pm  
December 8 and 15

No Thursday Evening Worship on  
December 22, December 29

## **Christmas and New Year's Worship**

Christmas Eve Children's Service 7:00 pm

Christmas Day Worship / Communion 9:00 am

New Year's Eve Worship 4:00 pm  
Meal and Fellowship to follow!

New Year's Day Worship/Communion 9:00 am

**Our Extended & Growing  
Family of Faith remains in our  
prayers to God our Father**

Family of Elaine Craig,  
Dawn Spaulding's mom  
Connie Heitl  
Family of Gary Bauer  
Chris Ryun  
Dr. Roger Newman  
Lynn Ives  
Pat & Al Rozelle  
Pastor Dennis Valleau  
Frank Johanek  
Curtis Schultz  
Elmer Loechler  
Elaine Harrington  
Shirley Johnson  
Brad Roberts  
Troy Marks  
Mary Cline  
Betty Havlik  
Diane Bannerman  
Gloria Kraus, Kim Mittel-  
steadt's mom  
Dr. Cheli & DeeDee Mari-  
chal family  
Mandy Ehlke & Family  
Pastor Mike Wolff  
Sam & Becky Piper  
Jon Mittelsteadt  
Judy, DeeDee Marichal's  
sister's family  
Donna Marks  
Julie Bunt  
Pat Hunziker in IN  
Sarah Allarding's Grandma  
Forrest & Elizabeth in CA  
Junita in Hong Kong  
Kristin in USA  
Dyde -France  
Alberta Schroeder  
Janet in CA  
Dave & Jill  
Ben Holberg  
Sonia in India  
Gloria Walters in NY  
Melissa in England  
Robert in Ecuador  
Erik & Leah Alair & Family  
(Sem. student)  
Sean Jenkins in TN  
Syed Gul in Pakistan



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## OUR WEEK WITH JESUS AT A GLANCE

**11/27 SUNDAY** 9:00 am Worship with Holy Communion  
10:15 am Sunday School  
**Decorating of Church for Christmas**  
1:00 pm Cable TV Rebroadcast of ***Last Sunday's*** Service  
Solarus Ch 3 & Spectrum Ch 985

**11/28 Monday** 11:00 am *Coffee with Christ* at Grace's in WR

**12/1 Thursday** 7:00 pm Worship with Holy Communion

### **Birthdays This Week**

11/27 Renee Green

11/28 Ashley Brandl Jasmine Krahn

11/30 Gloria Walters in NY

12/2 Pete Danielsen Roxann Dashner Mary Thiele

12/3 Ron Fregien



*"Spread God's Love this Christmas"*

*Angel Tree 2022*

**All gift tags have been taken! Thank You!!**

**Please note the following:**

**\*Call Jane Gilbert (715-323-6807) or Linda Mohns (608-852-6186)  
with the # on your tag.**

**\*Suggested spending is \$40-\$50 per child.**

**\*DO NOT wrap your gifts.**

**\*Return them UNWRAPPED in the clear bag  
with the numbered tag inside by Sunday, December 5.**

*Thank You for your continued support of this project!!*