

THEN THEY WILL SEE  
'THE SON OF MAN  
COMING IN CLOUDS'  
WITH GREAT POWER  
AND GLORY.



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**LAST SUNDAY OF THE CHURCH YEAR**

**NOVEMBER 24, 2024**

**OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH**

*LUTHERAN CHURCH-MISSOURI SYNOD*

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*Worship Service:* Sundays at **9:00 a.m.**

**WELCOME TO ALL** guests and visitors. It is great to have you here with us to receive the gifts of God in this place. If you have any questions, please speak with an usher. We look forward to seeing you again!

**COMMUNION:** The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is being offered to our confirmed communicants today and is administered in accordance with the Holy Scriptures and the Lutheran Confessions. It is celebrated in the confidence that we truly receive, under the bread and wine, the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, through which we further truly receive the forgiveness of sins. Besides individually receiving Christ's gift of forgiveness in this Sacrament, all those who commune here make a confession of their unity in the faith as it is believed and taught in our Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod and in this congregation. Therefore, if you are not a confirmed communicant member, in good standing, of a Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod congregation, we kindly ask that you respect our beliefs and refrain from coming to the altar to receive the Sacrament until you have had an opportunity to speak with the Pastor.

**Those serving in November**

**Pastor:** Rev. Michael Manz

**Usher(s):** Ron & Julie Dlouhy

**Greeter(s):** Marilyn Jessen

**Fellowship:** Tom & Raylene Tisdale

**Elder:** Jary Boger

**Media:** Doug Woebeking

**Altar Guild:** Julie Dlouhy

**Piano:** Ophie Hart

**Organ:** Joy McGinley

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**PASTOR MANZ' OFFICE HOURS THIS WEEK:**

Monday, Day Off

Tuesday, 9:00a-2:00p

Wednesday, 8:00a - 1:00p

Thursday, 9:00a - 2:00p

Friday, 9:00a - 2:00p

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*Wake, Awake for Night is Flying*.....LSB 516

*Stand on last stanza*

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*Sit*

### OLD TESTAMENT READING

*Isaiah 51:4–6*

“Give attention to me, my people,  
and give ear to me, my nation;  
for a law will go out from me,  
and I will set my justice for a light to the peoples.  
My righteousness draws near,  
my salvation has gone out,  
and my arms will judge the peoples;  
the coastlands hope for me,  
and for my arm they wait.  
Lift up your eyes to the heavens,  
and look at the earth beneath;  
for the heavens vanish like smoke,  
the earth will wear out like a garment,  
and they who dwell in it will die in like manner;  
but my salvation will be forever,  
and my righteousness will never be dismayed.”

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God**

But you, beloved, build yourselves up in your most holy faith; pray in the Holy Spirit; keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ that leads to eternal life. And have mercy on those who doubt; save others by snatching them out of the fire; to others show mercy with fear, hating even the garment stained by the flesh.

Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God**

*Stand*

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**HOLY GOSPEL**

*Mark 13:24-37*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the thirteenth chapter.

**C** **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

[Jesus said:] “In those days, after that tribulation, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, and the stars will be falling from heaven, and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in clouds with great power and glory. And then he will send out the angels and gather his elect from the four winds, from the ends of the earth to the ends of heaven.

“From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and puts out its leaves, you know that summer is near. So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that he is near, at the very gates. Truly, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things take place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

“But concerning that day or that hour, no one knows, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. Be on guard, keep awake. For you do not know when the time will come. It is like a man going on a journey, when he leaves home and puts his servants in charge, each with his work, and commands the

doorkeeper to stay awake. Therefore stay awake—for you do not know when the master of the house will come, in the evening, or at midnight, or when the cock crows, or in the morning— lest he come suddenly and find you asleep. And what I say to you I say to all: Stay awake.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

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*Sit*

**SERMON HYMN**

*The Clouds of Judgment Gather*..... **LSB 513**

**SERMON**

*Stand*

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*Stand*

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Sit

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*Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me*.....LSB 715  
*Thy Strong Word*.....LSB 578  
*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*.....LSB 549

Stand

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**CLOSING HYMN**

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**OSL Education Opportunities:**

**Sunday School:** Sundays @ 10:30-11:30am, leaders – *Anna Harkin, Doug Woebeking, Hanna Boger*

**Adult Bible Class:** Sundays @ 10:30-11:30am, leader – *Pastor Manz*

**Wednesday Bible Study:** 1-2:30pm, leader – *Pastor Manz*

**Adult Confirmation and Refresher** – Fridays @ 5:45–7:00 pm – *Pastor Manz*

**OSL West (3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs of the month):** 10:15-11am, leader – *Pastor Manz*

**Please note:** During the season of Advent, December 1-24, there will not be Bible Study on Wednesdays. We will have mid-week Advent services on Wednesdays, and they will start at 7:00pm (December 4, 11, and 18).



November 25 - Ron Dlouhy

November 27 - Carolyn &

November 26 - William McKinney

Donald Little

November 27 - Darin Tisdale

November 28 - Bryleigh Boger

**Special Voters' Meeting**

Date: Tuesday, December 3, 2024

Time: 7:00 pm

Place: Church sanctuary

**Topics:**

- 1) Electrical upgrades
- 2) Select Insurance provider
- 3) Election of Church President

***This Week at Our Savior***

Day	Date	Time	Description
Sunday	24	9:00a 10:00a 10:30a	Worship Service Fellowship Bible Study & Sunday School
Monday	25		
Tuesday	26		
Wednesday	27	1:00p 7:00p	Bible Study w/Pastor Manz Thanksgiving Eve Service
Thursday	28		<b>OFFICE CLOSED FOR THANKSGIVING</b>
Friday	29		
Saturday	30		
Sunday	Dec 1	9:00a 10:00a 10:30a	Worship Service – 1 <sup>ST</sup> Sunday of Advent Fellowship Bible Study & Sunday School <b>MITEBOX SUNDAY</b>

## Upcoming Dates of Interest

- Wednesday, November 27 @7:00p - Thanksgiving Eve Service
- Thursday, November 28 - Office Closed for Thanksgiving
- Tuesday, December 3 @7:00p - Special Voter's Meeting
- December 5 @9:00a - Care & Share Meeting
- Thursday, December 19 - Deadline for Chronicler Articles
- Tuesday, December 24 @ 7:00p - Christmas Eve Service
- Tuesday, December 31 @ 7:00p - New Year's Eve Service

**STEWARDSHIP COMMITMENT.** If you were unable to present your stewardship commitment forms during the November 10 service, it's not too late! You may still submit your forms by giving them to Donita, placing them in her mailbox (Huegel), or dropping them by the church office. Mickey will soon begin organizing your Service Opportunities responses, and we don't want anyone to be left off the list for the coming year. If you have questions, contact Donita at (319) 330-5626.

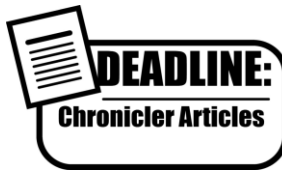
### **We need your help!**

**Looking ahead, we need volunteers for December for Fellowship, and Altar Guild. Are you the one who can fill one of these spots? If so, please sign up on the appropriate form on the bulletin board beside the mailboxes. Your help will be greatly appreciated**

**Thank you!**







With the Christmas holiday coming up, it is very important to get your articles and/or pictures into me on time. The deadline for December is **December 19**. You don't have to wait until the end of the month to submit what you might have to share. Once a Chronicler is published, I start working on the next month.

Thank you!  
Mickey

### Needs at Berg

Used clothing - bottoms for boys or girls

- Sweatpants – 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> grade
- Leggings – Size small to adult size
- Shorts – 50-60# sizes
  
- Also needed are boxes of Band-Aids.

You may leave your donation at the church, and we will deliver them to Berg.

Thank you!

### A Note of Thanksgiving

Bret Doerring, Marva's son, stopped by the office today and wanted me to share with all of you how thankful he and sister, Marci, are for the wonderful care and fellowship that is shown to their mom. It gives them peace of mind to know she is able to get to worship on Sunday and to other activities at the church as they might arise.

Thank you to all for the love and support you show to Marva, and through that, to her children.



It is that time of year again where the members of OSL get the privilege to sponsor families from the St. Nicks Christmas Club as we have done since 2009. This will be the 15<sup>th</sup> year that we been donating to so many that are in need. One year we were able to help 58 children. This year we will be taking donations November 3<sup>rd</sup> and the 10<sup>th</sup>. This will allow us time to be ready when the book is available for adopting families to start shopping. We are always looking for cheerful elves to help with the shopping. What would you have to buy you ask? Each child gets an outfit, socks, under garments or diapers, and an item from their wish list. Also, anyone that is in need of a winter coat, boots, mittens, hats we always purchase as I feel this is a necessity. There is no set dollar amount for you to spend on a child as each child's needs are different. If this is something you would be interested in please contact me. It is a good feeling knowing that you helped out a family that may not have had much this holiday season. LWML would like to thank each and every one of you for your support towards our missionary projects.

Mary Ervin



“Gloria In Excelsis!”  
An Advent & Christmas Concert

December 8 at 2:00pm

Trinity Lutheran Church  
206 1<sup>st</sup> Ave South  
State Center, IA 50247

See a flyer about this on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

## Remember in your prayers.....

- Jane Allen, who is fighting breast cancer.
- Valerie McDonald, Carol Twedt's sister, is undergoing chemo and radiation for breast cancer following surgery.
- Thoughts and prayers for Janna Putz, sister-in-law of Steve and Janet Hartz. She is fighting Acute Leukemia and kidney cancer.
- Jeromy Van Baale, son of Carol Twedt, is in recovery and rehab. Thank you for all the prayers.
- Nancy Janssen, at Newton Healthcare Center for medical attention
- Stephanie Wellik, brain cancer.
- Jan Vos & wife, Machel, son-in-law of Carol Twedt, recovering at home, but still having significant issues. (stroke).
- The Ministry of The Pregnancy Center of Central Iowa.
- The suffering of those impacted by various conflicts around the world.
- Prayers for people who have been affected by recent hurricanes.
- Now that we are into the Fall season, may we offer prayers for the farmers for a productive harvest season and for everyone to stay alert as they travel on or in their farm equipment on highways.

### Our Missionaries

Rev. James and Angela Sharp, Uruguay  
Carl & ChenHsi Li Hanson, Korea.  
Dr. Stephen & Maggie Oliver, Taiwan



*In case of hospitalization or desire for a pastor visit, please contact  
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Please let Mickey know if you have an addition or update to the Prayers for the congregation. Thank you.