



**SECOND SUNDAY OF  
END TIME  
Last Judgment  
November 8, 2009**

**Alleluia. Watch therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. Alleluia!**  
(Sung by soloist)

Greetings and WELCOME to  
**Brooklyn Lutheran Church.**

VISITORS please sign the guest book.  
**Come and worship with us again soon!**

Available from an usher:

- **Bibles** to follow along with the Scripture Readings.
- **Large print hymnal** is available.
- **Quiet bags** for small children.

Please return to ushers.

**Prayer Before Worship:** Bless us, O Lord, with a reverent sense of Your presence, that we may be at peace and may worship You with all our mind and spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

**HYMNS: Morning Hymn 208 (Pre-sermon) 22 (Close)**

**ORDER OF SERVICE:** Morning Praise: Page 45

**PRAYER FOR THE DAY—Spoken by all together.**

Lord God Almighty, so rule and govern our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may always look forward to the end of this present evil age and to the day of Your righteous judgment. Keep us steadfast in true and living faith and present us all at last holy and blameless before You; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, Who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

**First Lesson: Malachi 4:1-3 (Page 1491)**

What dread, what horror there is stored up for those who despise God's gracious Word! But what joy there is for those who fear the Lord and await the Sun of Righteousness, whose rays bestow the healing that only righteousness can give..

**Psalm of the Day: Psalm 31 (Page 77)**

[Soloist will sing the verses, congregation the refrain and Glory.]  
That God still delivers His own and remains faithful to His promises is the strength of those who bear the cross.

The following are the lyrics of the anthem the choir sang last Sunday for Reformation observance. Service to God starts with listening to Him—hearing Him speak to us in His Word!

Inspired by His Word of grace, we are moved to live lives to God's glory. The Vision Task Force's presentation this morning seeks to implement and channel the energy of our people for the Gospel in the best ways possible to bring blessing to Brooklyn Lutheran Church and God's Kingdom.

Make the following words your prayer! Then make a choice in how you will serve the Lord and your neighbor in and through Brooklyn Lutheran Church!

**SPEAK, O LORD**

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You  
To receive the food of Your Holy Word.  
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us.  
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness,  
That the light of Christ might be seen today  
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.

Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us  
All Your purposes for Your glory.  
Teach us, Lord, full obedience,  
Holy reverence, true humility;  
Test our thoughts and our attitudes  
In the radiance of Your purity.

Cause our faith to rise; Cause our eyes to see  
Your majestic love and authority.  
Words of pow'r that can never fail  
Let their truth prevail, truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;  
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us  
Truth unchanged from the dawn of time  
That will echo down through eternity.  
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises,  
And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.

Speak, O Lord, 'til Your church is built  
And the earth is filled with Your glory.  
And the earth is filled with Your glory.

**Second Lesson: Hebrews 9:24-28 (1872)**

The key to our certainty of heaven is in the hands of our Great High Priest. How do we know that death and judgment will be blessed and happy for us? We know with certainty because it was for our blessedness that Christ came in the first place; it was for our eternal happiness that He has entered into His glory to effectually intercede for us with His blood.

**SERMON: Mark 13:1-8, 24-32 (Page 1577)**

**Good News About Judgment Day**

- ✘ It's Good We Don't Know When It Will Be.
- ✘ It's Good To Know God Is In Control.
- ✘ It's Good God Has Provided For Us To Be Prepared.

**WEEK AT A GLANCE**

**Meditation Theme for the week:**

**"The Road To Heaven Passes Through Jesus."**

Today's Offering Counters: L. Heeb! & B. Larson

Today's Sunday School Lesson: "**Joseph Is Sold By His Brothers**"

Today 10:00 Worship: Ushers—R. Stelter, A. Boyd  
Abbreviated Worship—  
Vision Task Force Presentation

7:00 Elders

Mon. Wise Penny Work Day  
7:00 Church Council

Wed 7:00 Choir

Thurs 7:00 Sunday School Teachers

Fri. 9:30 Bible Class  
7:00 Play "King Arthur's Calamity" at West

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**Next Sun. - 6:30am Time of Grace, TV ch 9**

**8:45 Sunday School\***

**8:55 Adult Sunday School\***

**\*Lesson: "Joseph In Potiphar's House & Prison"**

**8:55 Adult Class: Amos, Obadiah**

**10:00 Worship—Remembrance Service**

Ushers: G. & C. Schimenz

**Reception Following**

7:00 West Board of Regents

Next Sunday, there will be a door collection for Reformation Brass.

Next Sunday, **SAINTS TRIUMPHANT SUNDAY**, our **Service** at 10:00 will be a remembrance of the 63 who were buried from this church and have passed before us into the glory of heaven. A reception will follow the Service. You and your family are all invited. Isaiah 51:11 – *The Ransomed.....Will Enter Zion With Singing.* **Reformation Brass** will be here to enrich our worship, and **Rev. Arnold Lemke**, of Christian Life Ministries, will be our guest speaker to address matters of life and death.

These next two Sundays we anticipate two **groups of seven MLC students** worshipping with us before going the Vikings' game with Pastor. Greet them! Meet them! Pray for them and their classmates that they stay devoted to their studies for the preaching or teaching ministry and upon graduation receive calls to work in the Lord's harvest while there still is time to reach souls!

**Thank you to everyone** who helped to make the **Harvest Party** a success. Starting this month we have 3 full classes and only 4 spaces open in our Tuesday/Thursday afternoon. We have had quite a few new students recently, including **Mahawa and Abraham, whose family is Muslim**. Please keep them and all the children in your prayers as they grow and learn about God's love for us.

**Reformation Fellowship fund Raiser** last Sunday netted \$375. This is designated for a new church phone system. Another nearly \$150 would be matched by Thrivent dollar for dollar. If you would still like to give a gift, please submit to Pastor or Jan today, as we must get the match request in.

**West Lutheran Blood Drive**  
**Monday, November 16** 9:00AM-2:00PM  
Call the school office for an appointment time.

Remember to drink lots of fluids & eat a good breakfast on the day of the drive. Bring your photo ID.

**Tradition Retirement Community**, off 85th Avenue on Tessman Farm Road is offering the following: (register 763-416-7740)

11/12(Th) 1pm—Make and Take **Christmas Gift Tags** (\$5 for class)

11/13(Fri) 2:30pm—**Historical Society** presentation on Brooklyn Park

11/17(Tu) 2pm—"The **Ebay Craze**" Have an item you think might be of value beyond the normal garage sale price? Learn how to market it this simple way.

12/1(Tu) noon-4pm **55+ Driver Improvement** Program(refresher) Save 10% on car insurance! (register 1-888-234-1294) 8 hour course required before "refresher!" BLC will offer this to our members and community on Tuesdays, February 2 & 9, 6-10pm. And also, 3 year refresher course Thursday, February 25, 6-10pm.

**Poinsettias!** Our estimated order is in so now we have to fill it out. Our decorators would like red and some white poinsettias for decorating this year. There is a sign up sheet with a handy payment envelope on the table in the Commons area.

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**Last Sunday** Worship Attendance: 72  
Sunday School Attendance: 7  
Adult Bible Class: 13; Adult Sunday School: 8  
Offering: \$2726.15;  
Needed for Budget Week - **\$2,565**  
Offerings YTD: \$105,196;  
(Budget: \$110,295 ) short:-\$5100



*Brooklyn Evangelical  
Lutheran Church*

**Our Mission:**

*We exist to use the  
Gospel of Christ to  
win the lost and to  
nurture  
believers, all to the  
glory of God.*



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