



THE LAST SUNDAY OF END TIME--

## CHRIST THE KING

*November 20, 2016*

**WORSHIP FOCUS:** The Church Year ends with the lasting song of triumph for Christ our King. The promise is sure: We will live with him in his kingdom, rejoicing in his goodness and resting in his eternal peace.

**WORSHIP PRAYER:** Dear Jesus, at your name every knee in heaven and earth shall bow, and every tongue confess that you are Lord. Keep me strong in faith as I eagerly anticipate your return. Amen.

**ORDER OF WORSHIP:**

*Service of Word and Sacrament*  
(CW p. 26)

**PSALM:**

Psalm 98 (See Insert)

**HYMNS:**

227 392 311 727 (See Insert)

*"Beautiful Savior"* violin solo

**SERMON:**

**"JESUS RULES!"**

**BROOKLYN LUTHERAN CHURCH** 

*Using the Gospel to nurture the found and reach the lost - all to the glory of God.*

**W***elcome!* We are a member of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (WELS). We believe the Bible is God's errorless Word that tells us how Jesus Christ has saved us and empowers us to offer our lives to God's glory.

**If you have come as a stranger**, we welcome you as our guest. If you would like to be kept up to date or would like more information about our church, sign our Guest Register in the entry.

**A Word about Our Worship**—You can find today's service printed in the front of the hymnal. Much of the service is also projected on the front wall. Bibles and large print hymnals are also available on request from the ushers.

**We are celebrating the Lord's Supper this morning.** We recognize that Jesus' body and blood are present in this sacrament (1 Corinthians 11:27-29). We also recognize Holy Communion as an expression of complete unity with everything that we and the Bible teach (1 Corinthians 10:17). *If you have already established communing fellowship with us* and would like to receive the Lord's Supper, please make sure you are properly prepared. "Personal Preparation for Holy Communion" (page 156 of the hymnal) is a great way to do that. *If you have not yet established communing fellowship with us*, we would like to give you the chance to do so. Please speak with our pastor after worship about establishing a communing fellowship with us.

**We love having children worship with us.** We also understand that children can get restless and you may need to leave the service. You will find a rocking chair and small-children books and toys in the library area of our Commons. There are also changing stations in both washrooms and quiet bags for young children in the back of the chapel.

**Washrooms** are located down the hallway to the right as you exit the chapel.

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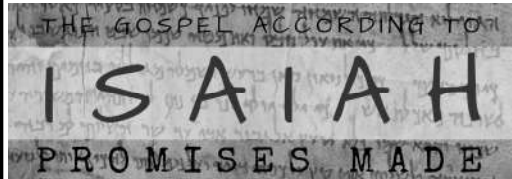
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**COMING SERMON SERIES: -**



The prophet Isaiah has been called the Fifth Evangelist because of the gospel content of his book. During the four weeks leading up to Christmas, the season of Advent, we look at the LORD's good news promises to his people regarding the coming Messiah.

11/27 - Keep Watch!

12/04 - Repent!

12/11 - Be Strong!

**GOD'S WORD FOR TODAY:**

**FIRST LESSON**

**Genesis 49:8-12** (*Pew Bible, Pages 82-83*)

The throne of Judah would be toppled and its kings punished at the hands of Judah's enemies. But the rule of great David's greater Son will be marked by vengeance on his enemies, the eternal establishment of his rule, and unending prosperity. This is Jesus – our Lord, our Savior, our King.

**PSALM OF THE DAY**

**Psalms 98** (See Insert)

*Spoken by All*

**SECOND LESSON**

**Colossians 1:13-20** (*Pew Bible, Page 1832*)

Our Savior-King has rescued us from the kingdom of darkness and brought us into his kingdom of light.

**VERSE OF THE DAY**

**Revelation 22:13** (*Pew Bible, Page 1939*)

Alleluia. I am the Alpha and Omega, the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End. Alleluia.

**GOSPEL**

**Luke 23:35-43** (*Pew Bible, Page 1641*)

Even in the midst of suffering for the sins of the world, the promise comes to the repentant heart that longs to be remembered in his kingdom: "...you will be with me in paradise." See our king: suffering, dying, forgiving, redeeming.

**SERMON TEXT**

*(Based on the Second Lesson)*

**SERMON**

**"JESUS RULES!"**

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## BLESSINGS FROM THE WEEK

### *Attendance:*

Sunday School—5  
Sunday Bible Class—19  
Worship—81  
Tuesday Bible Class—9

*Tithes & Offerings: \$1,379.00*

### SERVING IN THE LORD

#### **November Offering Counters:**

L. Gens, K. Graen

#### **Ushers:**

Today: G. Schimenz  
Next Sunday: L. Gens, R. Wyman

#### **Organist:**

Today: Janice Budach  
Next Sunday: Janice Budach

## CALENDAR WEEK

<i>Today</i>	Sunday School	<b>8:45 am</b>
	Bible Class	<b>9:00 am</b>
	Worship	<b>10:00 am</b>
	Voter's Meeting	<b>11:15 am</b>
<i>Monday</i>	Catechism	<b>3:00 pm</b>
<i>Tuesday</i>	Bible Class	<b>3:15 pm</b>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<b>Worship</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
<i>Thursday</i>	Thanksgiving Day	
<i>Sunday</i>	Sunday School	<b>8:45 am</b>
	Bible Class	<b>9:00 am</b>
	Worship	<b>10:00 am</b>
	Wise Penny Work Day	

**THANK YOU** to everyone that donated to LWMS. We collected \$231.

**THANK YOU** to Dave and Brenda Glodowski for the flowers on the altar today in remembrance of their wedding anniversary.

**SPECIAL VOTER'S MEETING** is scheduled for today after the service. A proposal of adding a weekday service on Thursday nights will be voted on.

**THANKSGIVING SERVICE** will be held on Wednesday, November 23, at 7:00 pm. There are placemats available by the bulletin board. Please feel free to take some for your Thanksgiving use.



**CHURCH CHRISTMAS DECORATING** will be moved to Friday, December 2 at 5:00 with a supper at 6:00. We welcome all to join us and you can come any time you are available.

**MEDITATIONS** new copies are located on the table by the bulletin board. Feel free to take one...or two.

**TOY DRIVE** We will be collecting toys for our local CEAP program. We will be collecting thru Dec. 11. More information by the collection barrel.

### **WEST LUTHERAN EVENTS**

(See the bulletin board for details.)