# Welcome to All Saints Lutheran Church

Our mission is....

"to bring people the good news of God's love in Jesus Christ."

# Christ the King Sunday November 23, 2025 9:00am + 11:00am



The nursery is open for care of children 6 months to 3 years old during both services and Education Hour. Busy Bags and Children's bulletins are available in the sanctuary for children attending service. Members, Friends & Guests please sign the burgundy welcome pad and pass it to those sitting next to you. When all have signed please pass it back and welcome guests after worship.

First time guests please fill out a Welcome Card and place in the offering plate.

\* (Denotes when congregation is invited to stand.)

(BOLD PRINT: ALL will respond.)

#### **GATHERING**

PRELUDE SANCTUARY CHOIR (11AM)

THE KING OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS

WELCOME

#### \*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the (+) Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Baptized into Christ, let us confess our sin.

Merciful God, you free us to love others, but we have neglected our neighbors and followed our own way. You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace, but we have turned away from the abundant life you offer. You surround us with patience, kindness, and generosity, but we have grown weary in doing what is right. In your mercy, forgive us. Do not give up on us. Heal us, break our bonds, and show us the path of life. Amen.

You belong to Christ Jesus, and you are God's children through faith. In the cross of (+) Christ, and through the power of the Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven. Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation. **Amen.** 

#### \*GATHERING HYMN: # 434

JESUS SHALL REIGN

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun does its successive journeys run; his kingdom stretch from shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.

To him shall endless prayer be made, and praises throng to crown his head; his name like sweet perfume shall rise with ev'ry morning sacrifice.

People and realms of ev'ry tongue dwell on his love with sweetest song; and infant voices shall proclaim their early blessings on his name.

Blessings abound where'er he reigns: the prisoners leap to lose their chains, the weary find eternal rest, and all who suffer want are blest.

Let ev'ry creature rise and bring peculiar honors to our king; angels descend with songs again, and earth repeat the loud amen.

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The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you**.

Let us pray. O God, our true life, to serve you is freedom, and to know you is unending joy. We worship you, we glorify you, we give thanks to you for your great glory.

<sup>\*</sup> Prayer of the Day

Abide with us, reign in us, and make this world into a fit habitation for your divine majesty, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

#### THE WORD

Colossians 1:11-20 LESSON

Word of God. Word of Life. Thanks be to God!

#### \* GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



\* HOLY GOSPEL LUKE 23:33-43

The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the 23<sup>rd</sup> chapter. Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel is read.

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.** 

SERMON

"ALL THINGS IN HEAVEN AND ON EARTH" PASTOR DAN HOEGER

#### \*HYMN OF THE DAY: #416

AT THE NAME OF JESUS

At the name of Jesus ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess him king of glory now. It is God's good pleasure we should call him Lord, who from the beginning was the mighty Word.

At his voice creation sprang at once to sight, all the angel faces, all the hosts of light, thrones and dominations, stars upon their way, all the heav'nly orders in their great array.

Humbled for a season, to receive a name from the lips of sinners unto whom he came, faithfully he bore it spotless to the last; brought it back victorious when from death he passed.

In your hearts enthrone him; there let him subdue all that is not holy, all that is not true. Crown him as your captain in temptations' hour; let his will enfold you in its light and pow'r.

Christians, this Lord Jesus shall return again on the clouds of glory, with his angel train; for all wreaths of empire meet upon his brow, and our hearts confess him king of glory now.

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\* THE APOSTLES' CREED (9AM)

People of God, what do you believe?

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM (11AM)

FRONT OF HYMNAL, P. 227

We rejoice on the baptism of Faith Lynn Shela Garcia child of Christopher Garcia and Erika Hallenbeck.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Hear us, O God . . . (sing) Your mercy is great.

\* SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you always. And also with you.

#### THE MEAL

COLLECTION OF OFFERING

SANCTUARY CHOIR (9AM)

THE KING OF LOVE MY SHEPHERD IS

\* RESPONSE: HYMN # 439 SOON AND VERY SOON

Soon and very soon we are going to see the king. x3 Hallelujah hallelujah, we're going to see the king. Hallelujah hallelujah, hallelujah!

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#### \*OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray for God's blessing upon our offerings. God of all creation, all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.** 

#### \* Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give God thanks and praise.

It is our duty and delight . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

(p. 108) Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of your glory, hosanna in the highest! Blest is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: "Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.

Do this for the remembrance of me."

Again, after supper, he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

#### \*LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:



#### INVITATION TO COMMUNION: ALL ARE WELCOME

The bread is gluten free and non-alcoholic juice is available.

If you would prefer to commune from the Common Cup, it is available at the center station. After receiving communion, you are welcome to pray at the altar, individually or with a pastor.

#### LAMB OF GOD

FRONT OF HYMNAL, P. 112

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Hymn # 496

ONE BREAD, ONE BODY

Refrain: One bread, one body, one Lord of all, one cup of blessing which we bless.

And we, though many, throughout the earth, we are one body in this one Lord.

Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more. *Refrain*Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all. *Refrain*Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to one, for all. *Refrain* 

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PIANO SOLO (9AM)

JEFF YODER

#### TABLE BLESSING

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. Amen.

Let us pray. O God, through this feast you have strengthened us and called us to be your servants. Send us to do good and to share our possessions with all in need, through Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

#### THE SENDING

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

\*BENEDICTION
Almighty God, Father, (+) Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever. Amen.

#### \* SENDING HYMN # 855

#### **CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS**

Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne; hark, how the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own.

Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee, and hail him as thy matchless king through all eternity.

Crown him the virgin's Son, the God incarnate born, whose arm those crimson trophies won which now his brow adorn; fruit of the mystic rose, yet of that rose the stem, the root whence mercy ever flows, the babe of Bethlehem.

Crown him the Lord of love – behold his hands and side, rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified.

No angels in the sky can fully bear that sight, but downward bend their burning eyes at mysteries so bright.

Crown him the Lord of life, who triumphed o'er the grave and rose victorious in the strife for those he came to save. His glories now we sing, who died and rose on high, who died, eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.

Crown him the Lord of years, the potentate of time, creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime.
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For thou hast died for me; thy praise and glory shall not fail throughout eternity.

19th Century hymn, Public Domain. Text: Frances Havergal. Music: William Havergal.

\*DISMISSAL LED BY YOUTH
Go in peace. Serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.

**POSTLUDE** 

Altar Flowers: Roger Murphy In Loving Memory of Sandy Murphy

Eternal Light: Don & Nancy Ekstrom In Honor of their Son Erik's Birthday

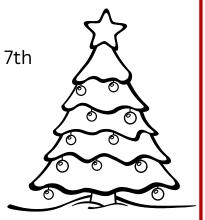
# 2025 All Saints Angel Tree

Angels can be chosen today, November 30th and December 7th

All gifts MUST be back to the church in their GIFT BAGS with ANGELS ATTACHED by SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14th by 11am!

Boys and girls bikes sizes 16" & 20" are also needed!

For other volunteer opportunities contact the All Saints Angel Tree Lady ~ Pat Dilk. Sign up to help be a tree sitter, wrapper & sorting people, delivery, and/or shoppers/runners for last minute things.



#### THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP

Wednesday November 26th at 6:30pm

Come to this beautiful service with the whole family. Join us in worship that includes Holden Evening Prayer and Holy Communion. Coffee, cider, and pie will be available in the Fellowship Hall after service.



#### **Advent Wreath Volunteers: 11am Service**

As we prepare for Advent, we're inviting individuals, families, and groups to help light the Advent wreath and share the accompanying liturgy during worship services. No experience is needed! If you'd like to participate, please contact Courtney Krueger at ckrueger@allsaintsphoenix.org.

Education Hour Attendance		
November 16, 2025		
Godly Play Sunday School	17	
Confirmation	14	
High School Bible Study	6	
Adult Education	18	
Total:	55	

Worship Attendance				
November 16, 2025				
9:00am	213	YouTube	93	
11:00am	55	Facebook	8	
Total: 369				

# **Mission Support Relief Offering**

Sunday November 30<sup>th</sup> Supports: Envoy Senior Transportation

All Saints Budget				
Through October 31, 2025				
	Budgeted	Actual		
Income	\$1,022,110	\$935,449		
Expenses	\$1,042,332	\$1,060,442		
Deficit	(\$20,222)	(\$124,993)		

SAVE THE DATE: Lessons & Carols December 14th at 9:00am & 11:00am.

Sanctuary Choir, Bell Choir, Instrumentalists, and Guest String Quartet!

#### THINK - BELIEVE - DO: PRAYER IN ADVENT

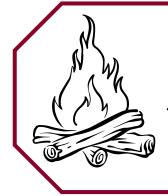
### TUESDAYS @ 1PM STARTING DECEMBER 2<sup>ND</sup>

This Advent, Courtney Krueger invites you to a thoughtful and engaging class that weaves together elements of the T.B.D. Confirmation curriculum and a creative exploration of prayer. Together, we'll experiment with different ways to pray - seeking practices that nurture our spirits and deepen our connection with God. Sign up in the church office to join us.

No
Education
Hour Today
We will return
next week.

### **ASLC Endowment Seminar**

The ASLC Endowment Committee is hosting an Education Hour presentation called "Growing Our Endowment with Your Support" led by Thrivent on **December 7 at 10:10am**. Please join us for this informational event on how you can help ASLC now and into the future. No products will be sold.



### Advent Around the Fire

# Wednesdays During Advent from 6:00pm - 7:30pm

Join us for The Word Made Flesh series for Advent. Dinner will be served at 6pm and we will close with s'mores.

December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, and 17<sup>th</sup>

# NUTCRACKER SWEETS SALE

Will take place on Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>. A time for you to purchase gifts and goodies for friends and family or add delicious cookies and candies to your Christmas platter.

# Hanging of the Greens

Saturday,
November 29<sup>th</sup>
at 9:00am
Volunteers are needed
to help decorate our
Sanctuary and Narthex
in preparation for
Christmas!

# Thank You for Giving So Faithfully - The Lord Has Been Good!

Your support for this year's stewardship challenge was inspiring. We've received 100+ household pledge cards to shape our 2026 programs. You can still bring your 2026 pledge to the office anytime.



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