Christ the King Free Lutheran Church November 28, 2021

OUR MISSION: CHANGED LIVES!

To EVANGELIZE the lost;

To ESTABLISH Us in Christ;

To EQUIP Us for Service!

Welcome / Announcements / Mission Moment

Opening Scripture First Advent Candle John 8:12; Isaiah 9:2, 6 & 7

Jason & Amy Steuck & family

*Worship Hymns (PP) Nothing But the Blood

(PP) Wonderful Merciful Savior

(PP) 10,000 Reasons

<u>Praise & Prayer</u> Lord's Prayer

Offering

First time guest or if you have a prayer request, please complete the Guest/Prayer card in the pew.

*Offertory (PP) The Blessing

Children's Message

Confession of Faith Apostles' Creed

Message First Christmas Promises

The Promised Seed Genesis 3:15 Pastor Matthew

*Benediction

*Closing Song (PP) Battle Belongs

^{*}Denotes congregation to stand

Welcome to worship this morning! We are a fellowship who believes the Bible is the inspired, inerrant Word of God which emphasizes a personal, living relationship with Jesus Christ.

Connecting to God's Glory:

- * Praise God for our Sunday School teachers & Staff
- * Praise God for all the blessings we receive throughout the year.
- * Praise God as we celebrate the Advent Season in anticipation of the coming of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Connecting to God's Heart:

- * Keep Pastor Timothy S. Jones and his wife, Loida, from Chula Vista, CA in your prayers this week.
- * Pray for Matthew & Ednay Abel; Zoey, Ian: Paraguay * Kids camp Dec 4-5 *For Eduardo, work and other schedules *As we come and go and minister in a variety of different settings. *Salvation and spiritual transformation as we preach God's Word. *Wisdom as we counsel and guide. *For God to send out workers into His harvest fields.
- * Pray for safety for all those traveling for the holidays.
- * Pray for all who have lost loved ones over the past year. May God comfort them during this holiday season.
- * Pray for the leadership of the church as they prepare for the Annual meeting. Pray for the Trustee nominees.
- * Pray for all those struggling with COVID and other health issues.
- * Pray for someone struggling with health concerns.
- * Pray for all the unspoken prayer concerns; those concerning spiritual, physical, financial, and any other need.
- *Cancer Patients: Judy Steuck, Marilyn Van Essen, Sharon Minet Health Concerns: Guy Hamlin, Rachel Blaue, David Brockberg, Jim Gawerecki, Merlin Westfield, Kyle Swanson, Steve Blaue Nursing & Assisted Living: Jan Swanson, Charlie Sowden, Sharon Claussen, Carol Meyer, Mary Moffitt Hospice: Military: Sam Kolle, Sam Schreader, Jesse Petersen, Aaron Halbersma, Marcus Westfield, Ethan Amdahl, Mallary Remund, Derrick Timm Mission: Kvales

Please let the church office know if you are going into the hospital or have other prayer needs

Message for next Sunday: First Christmas Promises

The Promised Blessing Genesis 12:1-3 Pastor Tim

Christ the King Announcements/Events

Family of the Week:

Philip & Laurel Berg; Hannah, Isaac

<u>Morning worship</u>, even as we begin to meet in person; will continue to be available by live stream: www.ctkpipestone.com/live and FM-transmission to the parking lot, tune to 97.7.

ATTENDANCE FROM LAST WEEK: 140

OFFERING FROM LAST WEEK:

General Offering: \$ 3,548.00 **Children's Mission:** \$ 75.25

Total Children's offering for November \$ 154.25

Building: \$ 20.00

Total Building fund for November \$ 200.00

Biblesticks: \$ 725.00

TOTAL OFFERING: \$ 4,368.25

Total general offering received for November: \$ 17,066.00

General offering needed each month to meet budget: \$ 29,450.00

Christ the King Announcements/Events

<u>Mark your calendars!! Christ the King Youth Sunday</u> is December 19, 2021 during the regular church service. This will include youth of all ages! (And a few not as youthful?) If your child/youth will not be able to participate please let Pastor Matthew know as soon as possible. Parts/tasks are being assigned.

<u>The pot blessing meals</u> will be changed to the 4th Sunday of each month due to the Omelet Breakfast sponsored by the American Legion is the 2nd Sunday of the month.

<u>The nominating committee</u> will begin their assignment to fill the ballot for the Trustee positions on the church board. Let one of the committee members; Dawn Sutherland, Denis Parsley, Alan Warner, Jerry Remund, and Philip Berg know in the next few weeks if you would like to be on the ballot. If asked, please, before you make your decision, we ask that you pray about this and ask God to be a part of your decision making process. Bill VanderPlaats is completing his second term, Marcine Olsen is completing an unexpired term and David Sutherland is completing his first term.

Youth Youth

Nogales Mission trip meeting following the worship service today.

<u>The Youth Group Christmas Party</u> will be on Wednesday Dec 22 at 6:30. There will be Christmas music, games, and the baking and decorating of many cookies! Ugly Sweaters highly encouraged.

LSS Meals program is in need of volunteer drivers in Pipestone. Pick up meals for delivery at the Pipestone Senior Center around 11AM Monday- Friday. People interested in volunteering can contact Sarah at 507.215.1848 or by email Sarah.Anderson@lssmn.org.

<u>Blessing Boxes:</u> Pastor Christopher and Becky Amen are now overseeing the Blessing Boxes on Main St. and 7th St. for our community. If you would like to support this project, please drop items off to 103 4th St SE. An ongoing need and request is for toiletries and baby care items, with the winter months coming we are looking to stock hats, gloves, socks, as well as food items. You may always stock these blessing boxes yourselves too. Questions or contact the Amens at 507-562-4851 (home).

Mission Moment

Missionary of the Month: Matthew & Ednay Abel; Zoey, Ian Paraguay

Matthew and Ednay Abel have been serving in Paraguay since January 2019. They were commissioned as AFLC missionaries in 2015. Matthew recently completed his seminary degree through distance learning and Ednay trained in physical therapy.

Matthew and Ednay are in now settled in central Paraguay and concentrating on church planting. Pray for them as they build relationships in their town, and as they assist with a nearby Bioble camp ministry.



Children's offering Loving Care for an Orphan



In the Bible there's a story of an orphan girl named Hadassah. After her parents died, her cousin took her in. She grew up to become queen—we know her as Esther—and God used her to save the Jewish people. "Who knows whether you have come to the kingdom for such a time as this?" (Esther 4:14). Samaritan's Purse partners with orphanages and children's homes in more than 20 countries to care for orphans and show them that they are precious to God. Your \$35 gift

will help us provide food, housing, healthcare, education, and other necessities, as we demonstrate the love of Jesus.

Public Access Channel 3 on **Wednesdays** at 3:00 PM & 8:00 PM Radio Ministry KLOH 1050 AM **Sundays** at 7:30 AM Web Page: www.ctkpipestone.com

Check for Information on Facebook: Christ the King Free Lutheran

First Christmas Promises

November 21, 2021

The Promised Seed Genesis 3:15

Pastor Matthew

To hear message: ctkpipestone.com after Tuesday & click on Media: Sermons

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Key word: _____

2. _____the _____line

Key word:

3. _____ your _____ time

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Children Missions offering will be used for **Loving Care for an Orphan** through Samaritan's Purse.

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<u>Church Office Hours</u>: Tuesday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

<u>Pastor Tim Johnson:</u> Tuesday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

<u>Pastor Matthew Pillman</u>: Monday - Thursday 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

<u>Intern Sam Willard:</u> Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

OPPORTUNITES To Connect

Today: 9:00 AM All Ages Sunday School / Confirmation

10:00 AM Fellowship Time

10:30 AM Worship & Livestream

11:45 AM Nogales Mission Trip Meeting

4-H Banquet

Monday:

Tuesday: 7:00 PM Family Ministry Meets

Wednesday: 6:30 PM Youth Group

8:00 PM Choir Meets

Thursday:

Friday: 8:00 AM Men's Bible Study @ Finnian's

Saturday:

Sunday: 9:00 AM All Ages Sunday School / Confirmation

10:00 AM Fellowship Time

10:30 AM Worship & Livestream

11:45 AM Private Event in Fellowship Hall

"The light of the advent candles reminds us of Jesus' words from John 8:12: "Jesus said, I am the light of the world, whoever follows Me, will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

"The Prophecy Candle reminds us of how God spoke through His prophets to tell His people and the world, that God would send a Messiah who would redeem a fallen world; a Savior who would bring peace to those who trust in Him."

"Isaiah 9:2, 6&7 "The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shone. For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the increase of his government and of peace there will be no end, on the throne of David and over his kingdom, to establish it and to uphold it with justice and with righteousness from this time forth and forevermore. The zeal of the LORD of hosts will do this".

"Approximately 750 years before the birth of Christ, God spoke through His Prophet Isaiah about the coming Messiah. God tells us the kind of Savior to expect as He describes His many titles and offices. Also, God reminds the world of the spiritual condition – darkness, the world into which we are born. Jesus is the light, provided by God to the world – known and seen in the life of Believers."

Nothing but the Blood

Verse 1

What can wash away my sin?

Nothing but the blood of Jesus;

What can make me whole again?

Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

O! precious is the flow

That makes me white as snow;

No other fount I know, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Verse 2

For my pardon this I see

Nothing but the blood of Jesus;

For my cleansing this my plea

Nothing but the blood of Jesus;

O! precious is the flow

That makes me white as snow;

No other fount I know, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Verse 3

Nothing can for sin atone

Nothing but the blood of Jesus;

Naught of good that I have done

Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

O! precious is the flow

That makes me white as snow;

No other fount I know, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Verse 4

This is all my hope and peace
Nothing but the blood of Jesus;
This is all my righteousness
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
O! precious is the flow
That makes me white as snow;
No other fount I know, Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

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Wonderful Merciful Savior

Verse 1

Wonderful merciful Savior Precious Redeemer and Friend
Who would have thought that a Lamb
Could rescue the souls of men Oh You rescue the souls of men

Verse 2

Counselor Comforter Keeper Spirit we long to embrace
You offer hope when our hearts
Have hopelessly lost the way Oh we hopelessly lost the way

Chorus

You are the One that we praise You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace Our hearts always hunger for
Oh our hearts always hunger for

Verse 3

Almighty infinite Father Faithfully loving Your own

Here in our weakness You find us

Falling before Your throne Oh we're falling before Your throne

Chorus

You are the One that we praise You are the One we adore
You give the healing and grace Our hearts always hunger for
Oh our hearts always hunger for

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10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)

Chorus

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

Verse 1

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes
CHORUS

Verse 2

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger Your name is great and Your heart is kind For all Your goodness I will keep on singing Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find CHORUS

Verse 3

And on that day when my strength is failing The end draws near and my time has come Still my soul will sing Your praise unending Ten thousand years and then forevermore

CHORUS

CHORUS

CHORUS

Worship Your holy name
Lord I'll worship Your holy name
Ending
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name

The Blessing

Verse

The Lord bless you, And keep you

Make his face shine upon you, And be gracious to you

The Lord turn His Face toward you, And give you peace

Verse

The Lord bless you, And keep you

Make his face shine upon you, And be gracious to you

The Lord turn His Face toward you, And give you peace

Chorus

Amen, Amen, Amen

Verse

The Lord bless you, And keep you

Make his face shine upon you, And be gracious to you

The Lord turn His Face toward you, And give you peace

Chorus

Amen, Amen, Amen

Bridge

May his favor Be upon you And a thousand generations

And your family And your children And their children And their children

Bridge

May his presence Go before you And behind you

And beside you All around you And within you He is with you

Bridge

In the morning In the evening In your coming And your going
In your weeping And rejoicing He is for you He is for you

Verse

The Lord bless you, And keep you

Make his face shine upon you, And be gracious to you

The Lord turn His Face toward you, And give you peace

He is for you He is for you

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty Maker of Heaven and Earth And 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, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven; And is seated on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From where He shall 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.

Battle Belongs

Verse 1

When all I see is the battle You see my victory
When all I see is a mountain You see a mountain moved
And as I walk through the shadow Your love surrounds me
There's nothing to fear now For I am safe with You
(Chorus) So when I fight I'll fight on my knees With my hands lifted high
O God the battle belongs to You And every fear I lay at Your feet
I'll sing through the night O God the battle belongs to You

Verse 2

And if You are for me Who can be against me
For Jesus there's nothing Impossible for You
When all I see are the ashes You see the beauty
When all I see is a cross God You see the empty tomb
(Chorus) So when I fight I'll fight on my knees With my hands lifted high
O God the battle belongs to You And every fear I lay at Your feet
I'll sing through the night O God the battle belongs to You

Bridge

- (An) Almighty Fortress You go before us Nothing can stand against
 The power of our God You shine in the shadows
 You win every battle Nothing can stand against
 The power of our God
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Chorus

So when I fight I'll fight on my knees With my hands lifted high O God the battle belongs to You And every fear I lay at Your feet I'll sing through the night O God the battle belongs to You

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