



1st Sunday in Advent

November 27th, 2022

Opening Hymn: The Advent of Our King

LSB 331

Divine Service Setting Three

LSB 184

Confession and Absolution

Introit

Psalm 118:25–28; antiphon: Zechariah 9:9b, alt.



Behold, your king is com- | ing to you; *
 righteous and having sal- | vation.

Save us, we pray, | O LORD!*

O LORD, we pray, give | us success!

Blessèd is he who comes in the name | of the LORD!*

We bless you from the house | of the LORD.

The LORD is God, and he has made his light to shine up- | on us.*

Bind the festal sacrifice with cords, up to the horns of the | altar!

You are my God, and I will give | thanks to you;*

you are my God; I will ex- | tol you.



G Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost;



as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

Kyrie

LSB 186

Hymn of Praise: O Come O Come Emmanuel

LSB 357, sts. 1-2

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.



G And with thy spir - it.

P Let us pray.

Stir up Your power, O Lord, and come, that by Your protection we may be rescued from the threatening perils of our sins and saved by Your mighty deliverance; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



G A - men.

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 2:1–5

¹The word that Isaiah the son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

²It shall come to pass in the latter days
that the mountain of the house of the LORD
shall be established as the highest of the mountains,
and shall be lifted up above the hills;
and all the nations shall flow to it,

³and many peoples shall come, and say:
“Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD,
to the house of the God of Jacob,
that he may teach us his ways
and that we may walk in his paths.”
For out of Zion shall go the law,
and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.

⁴He shall judge between the nations,
and shall decide disputes for many peoples;
and they shall beat their swords into plowshares,
and their spears into pruning hooks;
nation shall not lift up sword against nation,
neither shall they learn war anymore.

⁵O house of Jacob,
come, let us walk
in the light of the LORD.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle Reading

Romans 13:8–14

⁸Owe no one anything, except to love each other, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law.

⁹The commandments, “You shall not commit adultery, You shall not murder, You shall not steal, You shall not covet,” and any other commandment, are summed up in this word: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” ¹⁰Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore love is the fulfilling of the law.

¹¹Besides this you know the time, that the hour has come for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we first believed. ¹²The night is far gone; the day is at hand. So then let us cast off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light. ¹³Let us walk properly as in the daytime, not in orgies and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and sensuality, not in quarreling and jealousy. ¹⁴But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Alleluia

LSB 190



C Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 21:1–11

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-first chapter.



C Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

¹Now when they drew near to Jerusalem and came to Bethphage, to the Mount of Olives, then Jesus sent two disciples, ²saying to them, “Go into the village in front of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her. Untie them and bring them to me. ³If anyone says anything to you, you shall say, ‘The Lord needs them,’ and he will send them at once.” ⁴This took place to fulfill what was spoken by the prophet, saying,

⁵“Say to the daughter of Zion,
‘Behold, your king is coming to you,
humble, and mounted on a donkey,
and on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden.’”

⁶The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them. ⁷They brought the donkey and the colt and put on them their cloaks, and he sat on them. ⁸Most of the crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. ⁹And the crowds that went before him and that followed him were shouting, “Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!” ¹⁰And when he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred up, saying, “Who is this?” ¹¹And the crowds said, “This is the prophet Jesus, from Nazareth of Galilee.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Sermon Hymn: Wake, Awake, for Night Is Flying

LSB 516

Sermon

Nicene Creed

Offertory

LSB 192

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

LSB 194

Preface

Sanctus

LSB 195

Lord’s Prayer

LSB 196

The Words of Our Lord

LSB 197

Pax Domini	LSB 197
Agnus Dei	LSB 198
Distribution Hymns:	
Wide Open Stand the Gates	LSB 639
Savior of the Nations, Come	LSB 332
Nunc Dimittis	LSB 199
Benedicamus & Benediction	LSB 202
Closing Hymn: Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers	LSB 515

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The Lord Comes in Meekness and Humility to Save Us Now

The Lord Jesus enters Jerusalem “humble, and mounted on a donkey,” riding on “a beast of burden” (Matt. 21:5), as He Himself bears the sins of the world in His body. Now He comes by the ministry of the Gospel to save us from sin, death, the devil and hell. Therefore, we sing, “Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!” (Matt. 21:9). For we are called “to the mountain of the LORD, to the house of the God of Jacob,” His Holy Church, “that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths” (Is. 2:3). By His Word, we “walk in the light of the LORD” (Is. 2:5). That is to live in love, which “does no wrong to a neighbor” (Rom. 13:10). We “cast off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light,” for “salvation is nearer to us now than when we first believed” (Rom. 13:11, 12). Hence, the entire Christian life is a time to wake and watch, “for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming” (Matt. 24:42).



WE WELCOME ALL who worship today, especially guests and visitors, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Guests are invited to sign our guest register. Please include your phone number and address in the guest book located in the Narthex. Thank you for visiting.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Today’s altar flowers are provided by the Floral Fund

<u>IN RESPONSE TO GOD’S LOVE:</u>		<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Contributions</u>
11/20/22	Sunday Service	93	\$1,451.00

THE LUTHERAN HOUR: Did you know that we sponsor *The Lutheran Hour* locally? As you are getting ready for church or if you are unable to attend worship, consider tuning in to The Lutheran Hour. It can be found on KRLN 1400AM at 8:00am Sunday mornings.



MISSIONARIES: Please remember JP and Aimee Cima, the missionaries that our congregation have adopted, asking God to protect them and use them to spread His gospel.

CONGREGATIONAL SHUT-INS: Orgene Reimers, Petie Larson, Ada Pendarvis, and Edie Cook.

CONGREGATIONAL SERVICE MEMBERS: Ryan Lehmpuhl

SITTING AND STANDING IN CHURCH: It is customary to stand during the worship service when we address God directly (*Confession, Prayers, etc.*) or out of respect (*Gospel Reading, Creed, etc.*). These actions have purpose and meaning; but they are not meant to be painful or difficult. In contrast, Psalm 51:17 says, "The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise." If at any time during the service, it is too difficult or painful to stand, please remain seated. Our Lord knows your heart.

SPECIAL PRAYERS: Please call Pastor prior to the Sunday service for special prayers.

NEED A RIDE TO CHURCH? If you or another member who you know needs transportation to church on Sundays, please call Ken Davidson at 719-429-4919.



PLEASE PRAY FOR: Sick and/or Recovering:

Doug Westlund	Rod Willard
Doris Cunningham	Sharon Sandwisch (Jerry Heldt's sister)
Doug Lampson (Tricia's brother)	Miranda Beason (Gordon's Granddaughter)
Took Blanchard	Ken and Toni Davidson
Pat Schuch	
Jerry and Donna Heldt	

PRAYER CHAIN: If you have a prayer concern and would like to send it through a prayer chain, we have 2 options.

- To send the prayer through a phone prayer chain, please contact Mary Richardson at 719-269-1426.
- To send the prayer via email, please contact Carolyn Westlund at her email address 1956cew@gmail.com.

If you would like to join either prayer chain, please contact Mary or Carolyn (1956cew@gmail.com) respectively.

If you would like a Christian greeting card from St. John sent to your loved one listed on the above prayer list, please contact Mary Richardson with the address where it should be sent.

THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN -- NOVEMBER 27-- DECEMBER 4, 2022

Office Hours: Monday through Friday — 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 27, 2022

9:00 a.m. Divine Worship with Holy Communion
Reader: Dave Lehmpuhl
Communion Assistants: Rod Willard, Dave Lehmpuhl, Doug Westlund
10:15 a.m. Fellowship
10:30 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class

Monday, November 28, 2022

4:00 p.m. Children's Choir
6:30 p.m. Confirmation

Wednesday, November 30, 2022

1:30 p.m. Advent Service
6:00 p.m. Soup Supper
7:00 p.m. Advent Service

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Office Hours: Monday through Friday — 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Thursday, December 1, 2022

7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast
9:00 a.m. Quilters



Evelena Langley

Saturday, December 3, 2022

10:30 a.m. LWML Christmas Luncheon
11:00 a.m. CCHS Madrigal Singers

Sunday, December 4, 2022

9:00 a.m. Divine Worship
10:15 a.m. Fellowship
10:30 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class
11:30 a.m. Elder's Meeting



BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS: Please send all announcements for bulletins to office@StJohnCanonCity.org. Thank You.

PARISH PAPER: The December Parish Paper is now available. If you did not receive one in your email inbox, please make sure to pick up a copy in the narthex.

FOOD BANK SUNDAY: Next Sunday is FOOD BANK Sunday. Please remember to bring a can or two of food for the hungry and needy in our community.

LWML CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON: All ladies and young ladies of the congregation are invited to attend the LWML Christmas luncheon. The event will begin at 10:30 on Saturday Dec 3rd. Please sign up on the sheet posted on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall. We look forward to sharing the morning with you.

LWML: Loaves and Fishes will be the mission focus for Dec 3rd. They are in need of gloves, hand warmers for gloves, and coats. The LWML In-Gathering box is located under the mailboxes. Thank you in advance for your donations.

