

Word of God Lutheran Church
Grow • Build • Serve



Our Mission:
With God's help we are called to be a
multi-generational traditional church, grounded in
the Bible and focused on service in the community
and mission outreach.

All Saints' Sunday
November 5, 2023

ORDER OF SERVICE

November 5, 2023

All Saints' Sunday

Advent • Christmas • Epiphany • Lent • Easter • Pentecost
Please refer to the green Lutheran Book of Worship for service.

ENTRANCE RITE

Announcements

Prelude

Call to worship chime

- * Brief Order of Confession and Forgiveness WOV 10
- * Entrance Hymn "**For All the Saints**"LBW 174 v.1-4
- * Greeting and Kyrie..... LBW 78
- * Hymn of Praise LBW 81
- * The Lord be with you LBW 82
- * Prayer of the Day

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

- First Reading Revelation 7:9-17
- Psalm (*Read Responsively*)Psalm 34:1-10, 22
- Second Reading 1 John 3:1-3
- * Alleluia Verse LBW 83
- * Gospel Matthew 5:1-12

Children's Sermon

Sermon

- * Hymn of the Day "**For All Your Saints, O Lord**"LBW 176
- * Nicene Creed LBW 84

All Saints' Remembrance

- * Prayers LBW 85
- * Share the Peace LBW 86

SHARING OF THE SACRAMENTAL MEAL

Offering

- Offertory LBW 86
- * Offertory Prayer LBW 87
- * Great Thanksgiving LBW 88
- * Holy, Holy, Holy LBW 89
- * Words of Institution LBW 89
- * The Lord's Prayer (sing)..... LBW 91
- * "Lamb of God" LBW 92

† Communion

- * Blessing LBW 92
- * Canticle "Thank the Lord" LBW 92
- * Prayer, Benediction, and Dismissal LBW 94
- * Closing Hymn "**For All the Saints**"LBW 174 v.5-8
- * Sending

* Please stand as able

† All who are baptized and believe that Jesus is truly present in the bread and wine are invited to receive communion and assurance of God's forgiveness. *Children who have not been instructed in the sacrament should fold their hands to receive a blessing.*

NOTE: Page numbers are in the front of the hymnal, followed by the Hymn numbers.
LBW is the green Lutheran Book of Worship. WOV is the blue With One Voice Hymnal.

Revelation 7:9-17

⁹ After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, ¹⁰ and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" ¹¹ And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹² saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." ¹³ Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" ¹⁴ I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. ¹⁵ "Therefore they are before the throne of God and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence. ¹⁶ They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat. ¹⁷ For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Psalms 34:1-10, 22

34 I will bless the Lord at all times;
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

**² My soul makes its boast in the Lord;
let the humble hear and be glad.**

³ Oh, magnify the Lord with me,
and let us exalt his name together!

**⁴ I sought the Lord, and he answered me
and delivered me from all my fears.**

⁵ Those who look to him are radiant,
and their faces shall never be ashamed.

**⁶ This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him
and saved him out of all his troubles.**

⁷ The angel of the Lord encamps
around those who fear him, and delivers them.

**⁸ Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good!
Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- If you are physically unable to come to the altar, **communion** will be brought to you at your seat. Please let your usher know so he /she can tell the Pastor where you are seated.
- *Mark your calendars, **Hanging of the Greens** on Saturday, December 2, at 2 pm. All are invited to help decorate the church for the Christmas season. The Fellowship Team will provide light refreshments. Hope to see you there!*
- **Children's Christmas Craft Party** Saturday, December 2, at 11:00 am in the fellowship hall. Please **RSVP** on the bulletin tear-off to Karyn Cummins at karyncummins@hotmail.com.
- The Fish STIX team will be packing **OCC shoeboxes** on Friday November 10 at 7:00 pm. If you have extra items you would like to donate, please have them at the church by Wednesday, November 8.
- **Men's Movie and a Message** will meet Thursday, November 9, at 6:00 pm in the fellowship hall. Please **RSVP** on the bulletin tear-off or to Vince Compagno at vince@vmcise.com.
- *Reminder, **Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes** will be collected next Sunday, November 12.*
- **Discovery Class Brunch** following service on Sunday, November 12. Please **RSVP** to Vince Compagno at vince@vmcise.com or sign up on the bulletin tear-off.
- **Midweek Advent services** begin Wednesday, December 6, at 7:00 pm. A soup supper will be held before service at 6:00 pm in the fellowship hall.
- Our next **RLC Warehouse** service opportunity is Wednesday, November 8, at 9:00 AM, and the **RLC Mobile Food Pantry** will be Thursday, November 9, at 9:00 AM. Please sign up on the bulletin tear-off or contact Sue Burnett at suegburnett@att.net for more information.
- The next **Midwest Food Bank** distribution will be Tuesday, November 14 (8 AM - 12 PM & 6 PM - 8 PM); Wednesday, November 15 (8 AM - 1:30 PM); and Thursday, November 16 (8 AM - 12 PM). Lunch is provided each day to all volunteers. Contact Joe Bowler at ltcbowler@gmail.com or sign up on the bulletin tear-off.
- *Unless otherwise indicated, the **weekly announcement submission** deadline for the Sunday bulletin is the previous **Monday** at 11:00 AM. Please send all announcements to woglutheran@gmail.com.*

September 2023 Report

All donations will be applied to the General, Building, Scholarship, or Fish STIX funds.

Average Weekly Worship Attendance: 152

Monthly Giving: \$28,061

Monthly Benevolence: \$2,806

Interested in giving online?

Visit http://woglutheran.org/online_giving

Upcoming Events
Please Mark Your Calendars!

- Sunday, November 5**
- *All Saints' Sunday*
 - **Sunday School, 9:00 AM**
 - **Discovery Class, 9:00 AM**
 - **Worship Service, 10:15 AM**
 - **Children's Choir, 11:30 AM**
 - **Choir Practice, 11:45 AM**
- Monday, November 6** - **Faithful Hands Ministry, 10:00 AM**
- Wednesday, November 8**
- **Real Life Center Senior Bag Program, 9:00 AM**
 - **Bible Study *New Testament Timeline*, 7:00 PM**
- Thursday, November 9**
- **Real Life Center Mobile Food Pantry, 9:00 AM**
 - **Assemble Bulletins, 1:00 AM**
 - **Men's Movie & a Message, 6:00 PM**
- Friday, November 10** - **Fish STIX *Friday Night Fun Night*, 7:00 PM**
- Sunday, November 12**
- *OCC Shoeboxes Collected*
 - **Sunday School, 9:00 AM**
 - **Choir Practice, 9:25 AM**
 - **Worship Service, 10:15 AM**
 - **Discovery Class Brunch, 11:30 AM**
 - **Children's Choir, 11:30 AM**
 - **Worship & Music Team meeting, 11:45 AM**
- Monday, November 14** - **Midwest Food Bank Distribution, 8:00 AM**
- Wednesday, November 15** - **Midwest Food Bank Distribution, 8:00 AM**
- Thursday, November 16**
- **Midwest Food Bank Distribution, 8:00 AM**
 - **Assemble Bulletins, 1:00 AM**
 - **Fish STIX, 7:00 PM**
 - **Service Committee Meeting, 7:00 PM**
- Sunday, November 19**
- *Children's Sunday School Combined, 9:00 AM*
 - **Worship Service, 10:15 AM**
 - **Children's Choir, 11:30 AM**
 - **Choir Practice, 11:45 AM**
- Monday, November 20** - **Faithful Hands Ministry, 10:00 AM**
- Wednesday, November 22** - **Assemble Bulletins, 1:00 PM**

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