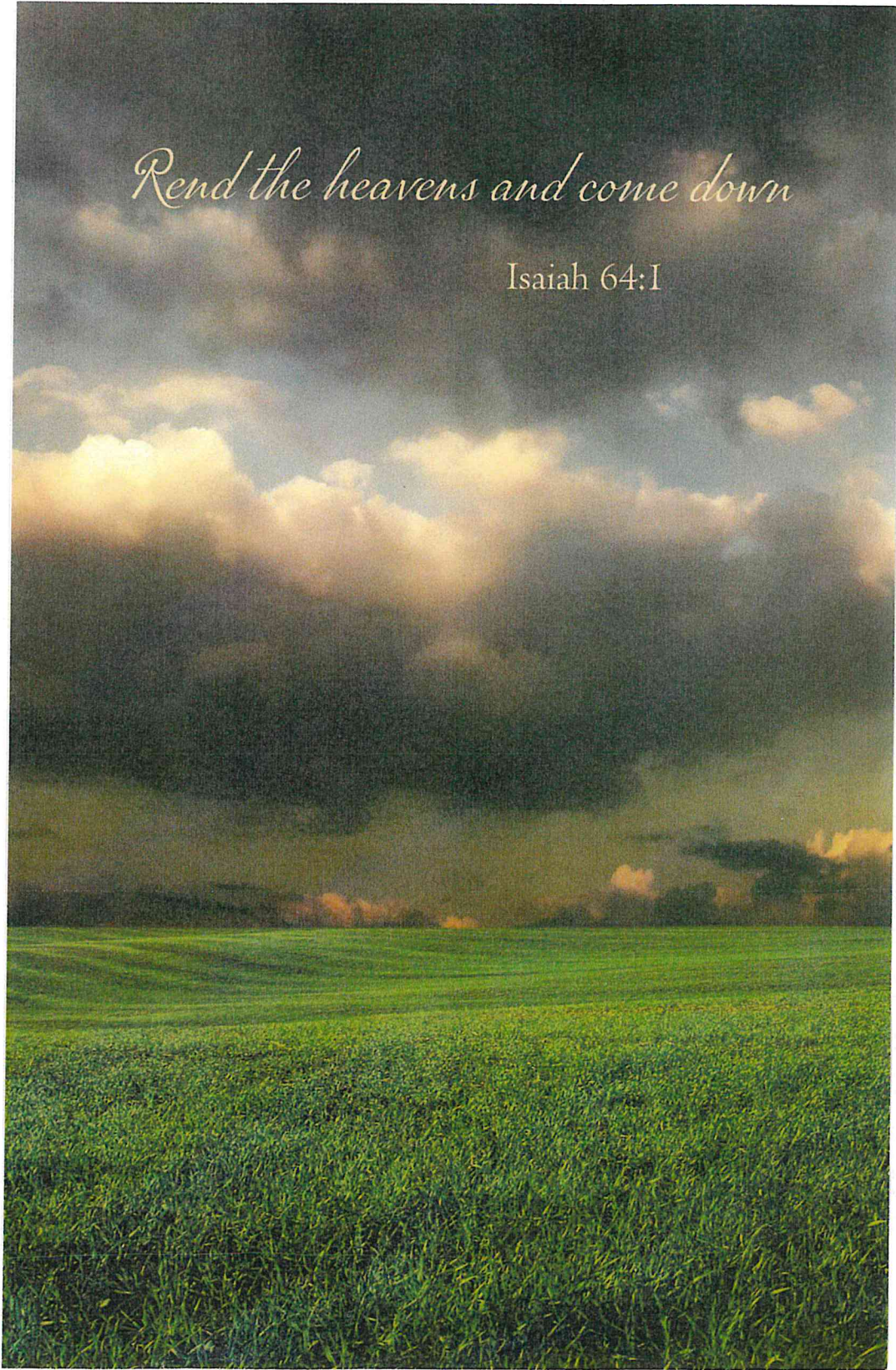


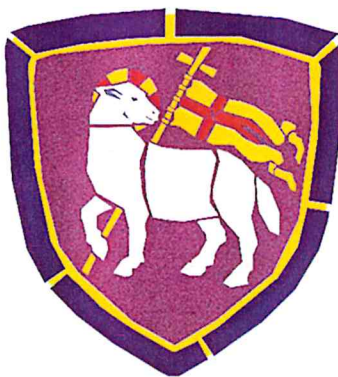
*Rend the heavens and come down*

Isaiah 64:1



**First Sunday In Advent**

**December 3, 2023  
10:00AM**



**WELCOME, FRIENDS AND GUESTS!**

A cordial welcome is extended to all who have come to worship with us this morning. May God's loving presence fill us with joy and hope as we prepare ourselves to follow Christ. If you are a guest or visitor with us, please be sure to introduce yourself to Pastor Binz or Rev. Jonathan Priest and sign our guest book. We look forward to having you worship with us again.

**SERVING YOU TODAY**

<b><i>Preacher</i></b>	<i>Rev. Jonathan Priest</i>
<b><i>Liturgist &amp; Celebrant</i></b>	<i>Rev. Curtis Binz, Senior Pastor</i>
<b><i>Assisting Elder</i></b>	<i>Alex Lew</i>
<b><i>Organist</i></b>	<i>Amy Kao</i>
<b><i>8B Teacher</i></b>	<i>Tim Dwight</i>
<b><i>Lectors</i></b>	<i>Ryan Zeng, Lauren Chan</i>
<b><i>Ushers</i></b>	<i>Tom Wedergren, Steve Wood,</i> <i>Alex Lew, Robert Bok, Patrick Man</i>
<b><i>Altar Guild</i></b>	<i>Darlene Hartman, Virginia Ferry,</i> <i>Gerda Beisel</i>

***Divine Service, Setting Four***  
***Lutheran Service Book, page 203***

**PRELUDE**

**WELCOME**

*Stand*

**OPENING HYMN**

***The King Shall Come When Morning Dawns***

***LSB 348***

- 1 The King shall come when morning dawns  
And light triumphant breaks,  
When beauty gilds the eastern hills  
And life to joy awakes.
- 2 Not as of old a little child,  
To bear and fight and die,  
But crowned with glory like the sun  
That lights the morning sky.
- 3 Oh, brighter than the rising morn  
When Christ, victorious, rose  
And left the lonesome place of death  
Despite the rage of foes.
- 4 Oh, brighter than that glorious morn  
Shall dawn upon our race  
The day when Christ in splendor comes  
And we shall see His face.
- 5 The King shall come when morning dawns  
And light and beauty brings.  
Hail, Christ the Lord! Your people pray:  
Come quickly, King of kings!

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## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their baptism.*

**P** In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C** who made heaven and earth.

**P** If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

**C** But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.

**P** Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

**C** Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.

**P** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of the Word I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

## SERVICE OF THE WORD

### INTROIT

**P** Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation.

**C** To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul.

**P** O my God, in you I trust; let me not be put to shame; let not my enemies exult over me.

**C** **Indeed, none who wait for you shall be put to shame; they shall be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.**

**All: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

**P** Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation.

## KYRIE



**C** Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer - cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

## SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** **And also with you.**

**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.

**C** **Amen**

*Sit*

**OLD TESTAMENT****Isaiah 64:1-9**

Oh that you would rend the heavens and come down, that the mountains might quake at your presence—as when fire kindles brushwood and the fire causes water to boil—to make your name known to your adversaries, and that the nations might tremble at your presence! When you did awesome things that we did not look for, you came down, the mountains quaked at your presence. From of old no one has heard or perceived by the ear, no eye has seen a God besides you, who acts for those who wait for him. You meet him who joyfully works righteousness, those who remember you in your ways. Behold, you were angry, and we sinned; in our sins we have been a long time, and shall we be saved? We have all become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous deeds are like a polluted garment. We all fade like a leaf, and our iniquities, like the wind, take us away. There is no one who calls upon your name, who rouses himself to take hold of you; for you have hidden your face from us, and have made us melt in the hand of our iniquities. But now, O LORD, you are our Father; we are the clay, and you are our potter; we are all the work of your hand. Be not so terribly angry, O LORD, and remember not iniquity forever. Behold, please look, we are all your people.

**Lector:** This is the Word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God.

**EPISTLE****1 Corinthians 1:3-9**

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus, that in every way you were enriched in him in all speech and all knowledge—even as the testimony about Christ was confirmed among you—so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift, as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ, who will sustain you to the end, guiltless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Lector:** This is the Word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

## ALLELUIA AND VERSE



## HOLY GOSPEL

**Mark 11:1-10**

**Lector:** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 11th chapter.

**People:** **Glory to You, O Lord.**

When they drew near to Jerusalem, to Bethphage and Bethany, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples and said to them, "Go into the village in front of you, and immediately as you enter it you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever sat. Untie it and bring it. If anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' say, 'The Lord has need of it and will send it back here immediately.'" And they went away and found a colt tied at a door outside in the street, and they untied it. And some of those standing there said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" And they told them what Jesus had said, and they let them go. And they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it, and he sat on it. And many spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. And those who went before and those who followed were shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David! Hosanna in the highest!"

**Lector:** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**People:** **Praise to You, O Christ.**

*Sit*

**SERMON HYMN      *What Child Is This***

***LSB 370***

- 1    What child is this, who, laid to rest,  
      On Mary's lap is sleeping?  
      Whom angels greet with anthems sweet  
      While shepherds watch are keeping?  
      This, this is Christ the king,  
      Whom shepherds guard and angels sing;  
      Haste, haste to bring Him laud,  
      The babe, the son of Mary!
- 2    Why lies He in such mean estate  
      Where ox and ass are feeding?  
      Good Christian, fear; for sinners here  
      The silent Word is pleading.  
      Nails, spear shall pierce Him through,  
      The cross be borne for me, for you;  
      Hail, hail the Word made flesh,  
      The babe, the son of Mary!
- 3    So bring Him incense, gold, and myrrh;  
      Come, peasant, king, to own Him.  
      The King of kings salvation brings;  
      Let loving hearts enthrone Him.  
      Raise, raise the song on high,  
      The virgin sings her lullaby;  
      Joy, joy, for Christ is born,  
      The babe, the son of Mary!

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**SERMON**

**“Waiting for The Christ”  
Text: Mark 11:1-10**

*Stand*

**NICENE CREED**

**All:      I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven  
            and earth and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of  
God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of  
God, Light of Light, Very God of Very God, begotten,**

not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into Heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the Prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen

#### **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

*After each petition:*

**[P]** Lord, in your mercy,  
**[C]** Hear our prayer.

*Sit*

#### **TITHES AND OFFERING**

Please fill out a **Welcome-Worship Registration Card** (in the pew rack) and place it in the offering plate. Please read and fill out the Communion Registration side of this card if you will be partaking of the Lord's Supper.

#### **MUSICAL OFFERING**

**PIANO:** Sofie Lee, 2nd Grade student plays  
*Bourree and Musette*  
*The Organ Grinder*

**GRADE 8B SINGS** *In Christ Alone*

*Stand*

## SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

### PREFACE

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**C** We lift them to the Lord.

**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

**P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. Therefore with angels and arch-angels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

### SANCTUS



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth a - dored;



Heav'n and earth with full ac-claim shout the glo-ry of Your name.



Sing ho - san-na in the high-est, sing ho-san - na to the Lord;



### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

- [P]** Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.
- [P]** In Your righteous judgment You condemned the sin of Adam and Eve, who ate the forbidden fruit, and You justly barred them and all their children from the tree of life. Yet, in Your great mercy, You promised salvation by a second Adam, Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, and made His cross a life-giving tree for all who trust in Him.
- [P]** We give You thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross and receive the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in His body and blood.
- [P]** Hear us as we pray in His name and as He has taught us:

### LORD'S PRAYER

- [C]** Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

### THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

- [P]** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."
- [P]** In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

## PAX DOMINI

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.  
**C** Amen.

## AGNUS DEI

1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
You take the sin of the world a - way;  
You take the sin of the world a - way;  
O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,  
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,  
Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.  
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

*Sit*

## DISTRIBUTION

Regarding our Holy Communion practices this morning:

- We ask that you who are communicant Lutherans prepare to receive the Lord's Supper by reading the Communion Registration side of our Welcome-Worship Registration Card. If communing, please sign both sides of the card and either hand it to an usher when you go up to commune or place it in the collection plate during the Offering.
- The consecrated wine may be received by common cup (the chalice) or individual chalices. **White grape juice is provided in the chalices in the inner circle of the tray for those who are unable to consume wine.**
- If you are unable to come to the altar rail for Communion, please let the usher know, and Pastor will bring communion to you in your pew.

**DISTRIBUTION HYMN**     *Beautiful Savior*

**LSB 537**

- 1 Beautiful Savior,  
King of creation,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Truly I'd love Thee,  
Truly I'd serve Thee,  
Light of my soul, my joy, my crown.
- 2 Fair are the meadows,  
Fair are the woodlands,  
Robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;  
Jesus is fairer,  
Jesus is purer,  
He makes our sorr'wing spirit sing.
- 3 Fair is the sunshine,  
Fair is the moonlight,  
Bright the sparkling stars on high;  
Jesus shines brighter,  
Jesus shines purer  
Than all the angels in the sky.
- 4 Beautiful Savior,  
Lord of the nations,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor,  
Praise, adoration  
Now and forevermore be Thine!

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*Stand*

## NUNC DIMITTIS

**C** 1 O Lord, now let Your ser - vant De -  
2 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, All

part in heav'n - ly peace, For I have seen the  
glo - ry to the Son, All glo - ry to the

glo - ry Of Your re - deem - ing grace:  
Spir - it, For - ev - er Three - in - One;

A light to lead the Gen - tiles Un -  
For as in the be - gin - ning, Is

to Your ho - ly hill, The glo - ry of Your  
now, shall ev - er be, God's tri - une name re -

peo - ple, Your cho - sen Is - ra - el.  
sound - ing Through all e - ter - ni - ty.

## POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

- P** Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

### BENEDICAMUS AND BENEDICTION

**P** Let us bless the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

**C** Amen.

### CLOSING HYMN

*Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus*

*LSB 338*

- 1 Come, Thou long-expected Jesus,  
Born to set Thy people free;  
From our fears and sins release us;  
Let us find our rest in Thee.  
Israel's strength and consolation,  
Hope of all the earth Thou art,  
Dear desire of ev'ry nation,  
Joy of ev'ry longing heart.
- 2 Born Thy people to deliver;  
Born a child and yet a king!  
Born to reign in us forever,  
Now Thy gracious kingdom bring.  
By Thine own eternal Spirit  
Rule in all our hearts alone;  
By Thine all-sufficient merit  
Raise us to Thy glorious throne.

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*Sit*

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### POSTLUDE

**PARISH EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES****Wednesday Morning Bible Study  
In-Person and On-Line**

Pastor Binz is leading an in-person and on-line Bible Study on Wednesday mornings, starting at 11:00AM in the church library. If you would be interested in joining the class on-line, please contact Pastor Binz, [pastorcbinz@wplsfc.com](mailto:pastorcbinz@wplsfc.com) so that he can provide you with the link for joining the class.

**Sundays, 9:00AM**

**Bible Study** - Led by Pastor Binz at 9:00 a.m. in the Church Fellowship Hall.

**Children's Sunday School** -All children in grades K-8 are invited to join us each week as we learn more about God through His Word, the Holy Bible. Each Sunday children first gather in the Church Sanctuary at 9:00 a.m. and then go to the Church Library. At 9:55 a.m. all children are picked up at the Church Library. If you have questions please contact Edward and Rebecca Chan at [outreach@wplsfc.com](mailto:outreach@wplsfc.com)

**ON THE TABLE IN THE NARTHEX:**

- *Portals of Prayer* for October-December
- December PortaLight
- Current issue of the *Lutheran Witness*
- Bulletin for today—regular size print and large size print

Please help yourself to any or all of the above listed items.

**LARGE PRINT BULLETINS** are available. If you know of someone who could use one, please ask an usher for a large print bulletin—the order of service, words to the hymns, and the announcements are printed in these bulletins.

**ASSISTED HEARING DEVICES** are now available for your use during the Worship Service. If you would like to use one of these hearing devices, please see an Usher to check one out! There are two choices for the earpiece: an Ear-Bud or an Ear-Cuff. Following the Service PLEASE return the Hearing Aid to the ushers.



**ADVENT DEVOTIONAL BOOKLETS** are available on the table in the Narthex. Be sure to pick up one for use during Advent.

## Midweek Advent Services Continue in December



In Advent we prepare for the “advent,” or coming of the Lord our Savior. He first came in the flesh at Christmas, the fulfillment of all the prophecies of the Old Testament. More than that, however, He comes to us today in His Word and Sacraments. Then, as at His first coming, we gather now in patient anticipation of His final coming in the day of the resurrection of all flesh.

This Advent we are reminded that Christ is born in us spiritually today and every day. He enters into us daily to strengthen and support us, save us and renew us. We are changed by his presence within us as we become more and more like him in the living of our lives.

We continue to gather for Midweek Advent Services on Wednesdays, December 6, 13, and 20 at 7:00PM. Join us at 6:00PM for a congregational dinner and fellowship prior to each Service.

Advent Midweek 2 - December 6, 2023  
*This Is My Son: Ishmael*

Advent Midweek 3 - December 13, 2023  
*This Is My Son: Absalom*

Advent Midweek 4 - December 20, 2023  
*This Is My Son: Jesus*

**Congregational Advent Dinner at 6PM is provided by Dan Holt.** All are welcome to a light dinner of soup, salad, bread and dessert. You only need to bring your appetite!



## Altar Flower Donations

The Altar Guild is again planning to purchase poinsettias to help decorate the Church during this Christmas Season. If you would like to help by donating to the flower fund, please complete this form and return it to the Church Office by Sunday, December 17. The suggested minimum donation is \$15.00. Please make the check payable to Altar Guild—West Portal Lutheran Church.

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Name of person(s) donating flowers

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Name of person(s) honored or remembered



## *Christmas Services*

Join with us and invite family and friends to worship the Lord at any of our Christmas Services.

### **CHRISTMAS EVE—SUNDAY**

12/24/23 10:00AM Divine Service-Lord's Supper  
5:00PM Candlelight Service

### **CHRISTMAS DAY –MONDAY**

12/25/23 10:00AM Divine Service-Lord's Supper

### **SATURDAY**

12/30/23 NO WORSHIP SERVICE THIS SATURDAY

### **NEW YEAR'S EVE—SUNDAY**

12/31/23 10:00AM Divine Service-Lord's Supper

### **MONDAY**

1/1/24 NEW YEAR'S DAY NO SERVICE



### **Walk For Life West Coast Pre-Walk Gathering!**

**WHEN:** Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup> 2023, 10:30am

**SPEAKER:** **The Reverend Ray (& Aubrey) Hulett!**

*(Reverend Ray Hulett was born in Long Beach, CA. He spent 13 years in the Philippines, where his parents were missionaries. He's a graduate of USC, worked in telecommunications, graduated from Concordia Theological Seminary-Fort Wayne. Ray met Aubrey (born & raised in Orange County) & were married in July of 2012. Their children are Arthur, Ruth, Albert, & Regina. Ray & Aubrey also have 6 children who preceded Arthur, but were taken to Jesus from the womb where they wait with them for the Resurrection. Their family serves at Hope Lutheran Church, Fremont, where they are very excited serve people with the good news of our Savior!)*

**TOPIC:** **"Confessing Life in the Midst of Loss"**

**WHERE:** **West Portal Lutheran Church & School Parish Hall**

**200 Sloat Boulevard, San Francisco, CA 94132**

**Host:** The Rev. Curtis Binz

**10:30 am** Pre-Walk Gathering

**11:15 am** Refreshments & Break

**11:30 am** Walk to West Portal/Sloat/St Francis Circle Muni Station

**11:45 am** Muni Train to Civic Center Station

**12:00 pm** Walk to **Civic Center Plaza**, the corner of Larkin St. & Grove St. (A LCMS representative will be standing at this corner with a LCMS "feather flag" to direct people to exactly where our group will be standing).

**12:15 pm** Arrive

**12:30 pm** Main Event

**Speakers:** Lila Rose (a writer, speaker, investigative reporter & activist. Lila founded & serves as president of **Live Action**, a human rights nonprofit with the largest digital footprint for the global pro-life movement.) Kaya Jones (a Canadian-born singer, songwriter, & producer. She shares her abortion experience & journey of healing.).....Kimberly Henkel (the Founder and Executive Director of **Springs of Love & Springs in the Desert**.) Rev. Clenard Childress (One of most respected leaders in the entire pro-life movement, & especially for the African-American community.

**1:30 pm** Walk for Life The walk begins!



**LET US PRAY TO THE LORD GOD** for those who are ill, home-bound, or recovering from recent hospitalization: Vincent Ammann, Beatrice Priest's father; Elfriede Bonfert; Paul Brase; Charlene Bruggemann-Wong; William Chen; Angie Cheung, Helen Bok's sister-in-law; Bill Eves, Virginia Ferry's cousin; Jimmy Fong, Evelyn Fong's father; Karen Goeglien, Bob Bok's cousin; Ted Jones; Carolyn Landgrebe, Margaret Finley's sister; Jan Lundquist; Susie Marzolf; George Mogyorossy, Gilbert Mogyorossy's father; Aiden Oachs, Rich & Terry Hesselroth's step-grandson; Sigrid Rogge; Art Spleiss, Ruth Stresow; Lisa Westermann; Cheryl Wong; Marilyn Wong; Franklin Yee.

## CALENDAR

### SUNDAY (12/3)

9:00AM Bible Class  
10:00AM Worship-Lord's Supper  
11:15AM Altar Guild Meeting  
11:15AM Choir Practice

### WEDNESDAY (12/6)

6:00PM Light Dinner  
7:00PM Midweek Advent Service

### SATURDAY (12/9)

10:00AM WPL School PTL Christmas  
Faire  
5:00PM Worship-Lord's Supper

### NEXT WEEK:

### SUNDAY (12/10)

9:00AM Bible Class  
10:00AM Worship-Lord's Supper  
11:15AM Choir Practice

### MONDAY (12/11)

6:30PM Girl Scout Adult Leader Meeting

### WEDNESDAY (12/13)

11:00AM Midweek Bible Class  
6:00PM Light Dinner  
7:00PM Midweek Advent Service

### SATURDAY (12/16)

5:00PM Worship-Lord's Supper

## Year-End Reminder

**THANK YOU** for your tithes and offerings for the Lord's Kingdom work. Your contributions are appreciated, including gifts of stocks, bonds or corporate matching funds. Remember that contributing securities that have risen in value provides you with a larger tax deduction and avoids capital gains tax. If you wish to donate stock or other securities, or request matching funds from your employer, please contact Howard Scully, our church and school accountant, at 415-661-0242 ext. 225, or by email at [howard.scully@wplsfc.com](mailto:howard.scully@wplsfc.com).

### Our Stewardship of Worship Last Week

Sunday, 10:00AM Service

In Person.....63

On-Line.....30

**Total.....93**

Communed Sunday .....54

Sunday Bible Class.....18

Wednesday Bible Class .....11

**1 Corinthians 1:9 – “God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.”** The faithfulness of God is our great comfort. He has made promises to us, and He will keep them. He is kind and loving toward us and will not break faith with us. This gives us the confidence to step out in faith, to leave fear behind. So, when it comes to following the Lord’s commandments for our daily lives, we know His will is best for us because He is faithful.



**Worship Services**

Saturday, 5:00PM

Sunday, 10:00AM

**Bible Classes**

Wednesday, 11:00AM

Sunday, 9:00AM

**Sunday School**

Sunday, 9:00AM

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*Music Director*

12/3/23  
10:00AM