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## November 28, 2021

### FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

#### *The Lord Jesus Comes in Humility to Redeem Us*

**WELCOME!!** Welcome to all who worship here this morning. We pray this service is a blessing to you. Visitors, please sign our guest book located in the entrance area of our church. If we can be of help to you, please let us know.

**PRAYER OF THE DAY** Stir up our hearts, O Lord, to make ready the way of Your only-begotten Son, that by His coming we may be enabled to serv You with pure minds; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

8:30 a.m. SP, Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB* 184, w/o communion  
10:30 a.m. TR, Divine Service, Setting Three, *LSB* 184

#### PRAYER RESPONSE

**P** Lord, in Your mercy,  
**C** hear our prayer.

#### HYMNS

*LSB* 332 "Savior of the Nations, Come"  
*LSB* 343 "Prepare the Royal Highway"  
*LSB* 781 vv. 1-2 "We Give Thee But Thine Own"  
*LSB* 622 "Lord, Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared"  
*LSB* 341 "Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates"

#### SERMON TITLE AND TEXT

"Your King Comes to You"  
Luke 19:28-40



### IN OUR PRAYERS \*

**FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF OUR MEMBERS:** SP: Justin Everson, Doug Gerlach, Jean Gerlach, Elmer Sorensen, Jerry Boyd, David Merrill, and Chris Heismeyer. TR: Pam Hallman, Eleanor Gieseman, and Deb Pope. SP/TR: Rev. Charles Adams.

**FOR HEALTH AND HEALING OF FAMILY AND FRIENDS:** SP: Lynn Anderson, brother-in-law of Marlene Johnson and cousin of Peggy Hoffman.

**TRINITY BIRTHDAYS:** Nehvin Rana 12-02; Mindi Rana 12-04

**TRINITY ANNIVERSARIES:** none

**ST. PAUL'S BIRTHDAYS:** Jeanette Fink 11-27; Bailey Anthony 12-03

**ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARY:** Howard & Sharon Weischedel 12-01

**ST. PAUL'S/TRINITY ANNIVERSARY: Rev. Charles & Laura Adams 11-28 (40<sup>th</sup>)**

\* Please contact Nancy at [trinitywlsd@gmail.com](mailto:trinitywlsd@gmail.com) or 605-249-2570 for any updates to this bulletin prayer list. Thank you.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### • Upcoming Services and Event

*Advent services are pending.*

Caroling Sun., December 12, 2021, 4 p.m. Trinity  
Children's Service Sun., December 19, 2021, 8:30 a.m. St. Paul's;  
5:30 p.m. Trinity

Christmas Eve Fri., Dec. 24, 2021, 4 p.m. St. Paul's; 5:30 p.m. Trinity  
Christmas Day We will not have a Christmas Day service this year.

- Rev. Mark Mischnick will provide pastoral care for those in the Mitchell hospital while Pastor Adams is recovering. You may contact him via email or cellphone: [themischnicks@midco.net](mailto:themischnicks@midco.net), 605-730-0340 (mobile). For other hospitals contact Rev. Ryan Loeslie at 605-630-1896 (mobile).
- Thank you to Pastor Mischnick for serving our pulpit supply today.
- 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary greetings/Get Well wishes may be sent to:  
Rev. Charles & Laura Adams  
1430 S. Cedar Street  
Ottawa, KS 66067
- **Trinity Annual Cleaning Fund Drive:** We are thankful for the service of our custodian! Please support this service by helping replenish the cleaning fund. Please mark your donation "Trinity Cleaning Fund" and place it in the offering plate or in the provided envelopes and mail to:  
Trinity Cleaning Fund  
PO Box 6  
White Lake, SD 57383  
Thank you!

## 2021-11-28 First Sunday in Advent

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH † TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH CALENDAR — NOVEMBER 28–DECEMBER 5, 2021

|               |                                                                                                                                                                     |
|---------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Today Nov. 28 | 8:30 a.m. St. Paul's Divine Service<br>9:30 a.m. St. Paul's Sunday School<br>10:30 a.m. Trinity Divine Service                                                      |
| Wed. Dec. 1   | 2:15 p.m. Trinity Release-Time/Christmas practice<br>5:30 p.m. Trinity Wednesday School<br>5:30 p.m. Trinity Bible Study                                            |
| Sun. Dec. 5   | 8:30 a.m. St. Paul's Divine Service<br>9:30 a.m. St. Paul's Sunday School<br>10:30 a.m. Trinity Divine Service<br>5 p.m. LWML St. Paul's Dorcas at Cathy Albrecht's |
| TBD           | TBD Confirmation classes pending.                                                                                                                                   |

#### SERVING THE LORD'S CHURCH NOVEMBER 2021

|                                       |                                         |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Elder: Curt Guindon                   | Elder: David Bogenhagen                 |
| Ushers: Doug Gerlach<br>Larry Gerlach | Ushers: Ron Steffen<br>Dan Meier        |
| Acolyte:<br>Altar: Deb Haak           | Acolytes: Madison Meier<br>Taelyn Clark |

| LAST SUNDAY'S NUMBERS (Nov 21) | St. Paul's | Trinity  |
|--------------------------------|------------|----------|
| Attendance                     | 31         | 30       |
| Offering                       | \$625      | \$308.80 |

#### NEXT SUNDAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS

Dec. 5: Malachi 3:1–7b; Philippians 1:2–11; Luke 3:1–14



#### Building Healthy Families

"Count your blessings, name them one by one ..."  
God's blessings are bountiful. We recognize that when we take time to notice, name, and count them. Challenge your family members to do the same. What's on your list? **Happy Thanksgiving!**  
[www.LutheranFamilyService.org](http://www.LutheranFamilyService.org)

## FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

(28 November 2021)

Jeremiah 33:14–16; 1 Thessalonians 3:9–13;  
Luke 19:28–40 or Luke 21:25–36

### *The Lord Jesus Comes in Humility to Redeem Us*

The season of Advent focuses on the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, and this first Sunday establishes this theme for the rest of the season. The Son of God came long ago to be our Savior, "*a righteous Branch*" descended from David (Jer. 33:15). As He then came into Jerusalem, riding on a lowly donkey to sacrifice Himself for the sins of the world (Luke 19:28–40), so does He come to His Church today in the humility of Word and Sacrament to deliver the fruits of His Passion: the forgiveness of sins and eternal life. He absolves us and establishes our hearts "*blameless in holiness before our God and Father*" (1 Thess. 3:13). The same Lord Jesus, who came to Jerusalem then and who comes to us now in peace, will come again with power and great glory on the Last Day. Then there will be "*distress of nations in perplexity,*" with "*people fainting with fear.*" Yet, as we anticipate that great and terrible day, He bids us to rest securely in Him: "*Raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near*" (Luke 21:25, 26, 28).

#### LIFE QUOTE — LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

**Sunday, November 28:** "Creation is preaching a message about its Creator. He is wise. Kind. Brilliant. Powerful. Limitless. Combine those qualities with His reckless love for us found on the cross, and you have a God who can strengthen trembling hearts and weak knees. You have a Creator worth worshipping." *Rev. Mike Novotny, Time of Grace.*

#### THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT



The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until he comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with our pastor or an usher.

