



Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church

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Pentecost IV



I HAVE NOT COME
TO BRING PEACE,
BUT A SWORD

MATTHEW 10:34

Worship Leader: Pastor Thomas Engelbrecht
Preacher: Pastor Richard Warnecke

Prayer: O God, you watch over all things and are truly merciful and gracious. In your providence you allow us to experience difficult times. We know, dear God, that you will work all things out for good. Give us strength, patience, wisdom, and faith to carry on. Give strength so we can endure. Give patience so we will be content to wait on you as your will is fulfilled. Give wisdom to see what is important and what is not in our days. Give faith to trust your good will. In all of this, O Lord, anchor our eternal hope in your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

“Blessed Jesus, at Your Word”



1 Bless - ed Je - sus, at your Word We are gath - ered
2 All our knowl - edge, sense, and sight Lie in deep - est
3 Gra - cious Sav - ior, good and kind, Light from Light, from
4 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, Praise to you and



all to hear you. Let our hearts and souls be stirred
dark - ness shroud - ed Till your Spir - it breaks our night
God pro - ceed - ing, O - pen now our heart and mind;
ad - o - ra - tion! Grant that we your Word may trust,



Now to seek and love and fear you, By your teach - ings,
With the beams of truth un - cloud - ed. You a - lone to
Help us by your Spir - it's plead - ing. Hear the cry your
Con - fi - dent of our sal - va - tion, While we here be -



sweet and ho - ly, Drawn from earth to love you sole - ly.
God can win us; You must work all good with - in us.
peo - ple rais - es; Hear and bless our prayers and prais - es.
low must wan - der, Till we sing your prais - es yon - der.

CALL TO WORSHIP

P: We gather to worship in the name of the Father and of the Son (†) and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: Oh, how I love your law!

C: I meditate on it all day long.

P: Your commands make me wiser than my enemies,

C: For they are ever with me.

P: I have more insight than all my teachers,

C: For I meditate on your statutes.

P: How sweet are your words to my taste,

C: Sweeter than honey to my mouth!

CONFESSION OF SINS AND FORGIVENESS

P: All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting, and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. (2 Timothy 3:16,17) Yet so often we have despised God's Word and failed to gladly hear and learn it. For this and all our sins, we bow before God and humbly ask for his forgiveness.

C: Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner.

P: God gave his Word so "that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name." (John 20:31) The Scriptures testify about Jesus, who lived a perfect life for you, died on the cross to pay for all your sins, and rose again to assure you of your salvation. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son (†) and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON *Jeremiah 28: 5-9*

Then the prophet Jeremiah replied to the prophet Hananiah before the priests and all the people who were standing in the house of the LORD. He said, “Amen! May the LORD do so! May the LORD fulfill the words you have prophesied by bringing the articles of the LORD’s house and all the exiles back to this place from Babylon. Nevertheless, listen to what I have to say in your hearing and in the hearing of all the people: From early times the prophets who preceded you and me have prophesied war, disaster and plague against many countries and great kingdoms. But the prophet who prophesies peace will be recognized as one truly sent by the LORD only if his prediction comes true.”

EPISTLE LESSON *Romans 7: 1-13*

Do you not know, brothers and sisters—for I am speaking to those who know the law—that the law has authority over someone only as long as that person lives? For example, by law a married woman is bound to her husband as long as he is alive, but if her husband dies, she is released from the law that binds her to him. So then, if she has sexual relations with another man while her husband is still alive, she is called an adulteress. But if her husband dies, she is released from that law and is not an adulteress if she marries another man.

So, my brothers and sisters, you also died to the law through the body of Christ, that you might belong to another, to him who was raised from the dead, in order that we might bear fruit for God. For when we were in the realm of the flesh, the sinful passions aroused by the law were at work in us, so that we bore fruit for death. But now, by dying to what once bound us, we have been released from the law so that we serve in the new way of the Spirit, and not in the old way of the written code.

What shall we say, then? Is the law sinful? Certainly not! Nevertheless, I would not have known what sin was had it not been for the law. For I would not have known what coveting really was if the law had not said, “You shall not covet.” But sin, seizing the opportunity afforded by the commandment, produced in me every kind of coveting. For apart from the law, sin was dead. Once I was alive apart from the law; but when the commandment came, sin sprang to life and I died. I found that the very commandment that was intended to bring life actually brought death. For sin, seizing the opportunity afforded by the commandment, deceived me, and through the commandment put me to death. So then, the law is holy, and the commandment is holy, righteous and good.

Did that which is good, then, become death to me? By no means! Nevertheless, in order that sin might be recognized as sin, it used what is good to bring about my death, so that through the commandment sin might become utterly sinful.

“The Law of God Is Good and Wise”



1 The law of God is good and wise; It sets his
2 The law is good, but since the fall Its ho - li -
3 Its light of ho - li - ness im - parts The knowl - edge
4 To Je - sus we for ref - uge flee, Who from the



will be - fore our eyes, Shows us the way of right - eous -
ness con-demns us all; It dooms us for our sins to
of our sin - ful hearts That we may see our lost es -
curse has set us free, And hum - bly wor - ship at his



ness, But dooms to death when we trans - gress.
die And has no pow'r to jus - ti - fy.
tate And seek re - lief be - fore too late.
throne, Saved by his grace through faith a - lone.

SERMON TEXT *Matthew 10: 34-38*

“Do not suppose that I have come to bring peace to the earth. I did not come to bring peace, but a sword. For I have come to turn

“a man against his father,
a daughter against her mother,
a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law—
a man’s enemies will be the members of his own household.’

“Anyone who loves their father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; anyone who loves their son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me. Whoever does not take up their cross and follow me is not worthy of me.”

- SERMON THEME** **JESUS IS THE GREAT DIVIDE!**
- I. Jesus Divides Families**
 - II. Jesus Demands Undivided Loyalty**
 - III. Christian and Cross Cannot Be Divided**

PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

THE BLESSING

P: The grace of our Lord (†) Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: Amen.

“My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness”

**My heart is filled with thankfulness
To him who bore my pain,
Who plumbed the depths of my disgrace
And gave me life again,
Who crushed my curse of sinfulness
And clothed me in his light
And wrote his law of righteousness
With pow'r upon my heart.**

**My heart is filled with thankfulness
To him who walks beside,
Who floods my weaknesses with strength
And causes fears to fly,
Whose ev'ry promise is enough
For ev'ry step I take,
Sustaining me with arms of love
And crowning me with grace.**

**My heart is filled with thankfulness
To him who reigns above,
Whose wisdom is my perfect peace,
Whose ev'ry thought is love.**

For ev'ry day I have on earth
Is given by the King,
So I will give my life, my all,
To love and follow him.

SILENT PRAYER

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This Week at Christ Lutheran

- Sunday:** Worship Services 8:00 & 10:30 am
Bible Information Class 9:10 am
Teen Bible Class 9:10 am
Women's Bible Study 1:30 pm
- Tuesday:** Early Risers Bible Class (at church & online) 8:00 am
Bible Information Class 7:00 pm
Open Gym - Adult Volleyball 8:00-10:00 pm
- Wednesday:** Prayer Partners 10:00 am & 3:00 pm
Worship Service 12:00 pm
Bible Information Class 1:00 pm
- Thursday:** Enduring Word Bible Study (at church & online) 9:00 am
Online Erin Youth Confirmation Class 4:00 pm
Open Gym - Adult Basketball 8:00-10:00 pm
- Saturday:** **Independence Day**
Bible Information Class 3:30 pm
Outdoor Worship Service 5:00 pm
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Teen Bible Class 9:10 am

Announcements

Our July Newsletter is available online on our church website. Please contact the church office if you'd like to receive a digital copy by email or a hard copy mailed to you.

Pastor Engelbrecht received a call to serve as the pastor at Christ Our Redeemer in Aurora, CO. Pray for Pastor Engelbrecht that the Lord would guide him where best to serve, either to remain here at Christ or to move to a new beginning. Your comments and concerns for him and his family will be greatly appreciated.

Beverly Nornberg died recently. Her Christian funeral was held on Saturday, June 27 at Highland Memorial Park. A committal service was also conducted for Marvin Rademan, a former member of our congregation. Pray that their families will be strengthened and comforted through the resurrection promise of our Savior, "Because I live, you will live also."

Youth Confirmation: Our youth confirmation class was examined online via Zoom at the end of May. The rite of confirmation was held for the confirmands and their families on Saturday, June 27 at 2:00 pm. Our 2020 youth confirmands are Brendan Damon, Cassidy Davis, Rachel Druckrey, Braden Ehlke, Emily Fladhammer, Janae Fralick, Mateo Haeuser, Evan Kauffeld, Alexander Koeppen, Caleb Kuphall, Wesley Lindee, Julia Neuman, Sophia Nowak, and Aiden Zirbel. (Allison Nitz was confirmed at Christ the Lord in Brookfield.) Please pray that these young people remain "faithful even to the point of death" and so receive from Christ "the crown of life" (Revelation 2:10). Encourage them in their faith, and continue to support the Christian Education of our youth.

Adult Open Gym Volleyball & Basketball: Starting Tuesday, June 30, we are offering adult open gym **volleyball on Tuesday nights** from 8:00-10:00 pm. Starting Thursday, July 2, we are offering adult open gym **basketball on Thursday nights** from 8:00-10:00 pm. All adults are welcome to come and play both sports, regardless of skill level. We will utilize one or two courts depending on the number of players. For your safety, we will perform temperature checks upon arrival. You will also be asked to sign a waiver. This is a play at your own risk type event. Questions? Contact Pastor Engelbrecht.

Independence Day: July 4 falls on a Saturday this year. We plan to have our 5:00 pm service outside that day. We will meet close to the preschool entrance to the church, which is in the lower parking lot area at the southeast corner of our building. We will have some folding chairs. You could also bring along lawn chairs and it would be appreciated. We hope to congregate close to the building that evening because of traffic noise. We will maintain social distancing. If it rains, we will move into the sanctuary. The other weekend services on Sunday and Wednesday will be conducted as usual in the sanctuary.

Piecemakers (an Outreach Sewing Ministry): All “We Need(le) You” ladies and all who enjoy sewing are invited to an introductory meeting to discuss this new group. Piecemakers is a different option, especially for quilters, to sew as a group at Christ Lutheran church. We will meet on Tuesday, July 14 at 10:00 am in the Grand Hall to share ideas and be inspired by the possibilities for service. “Piecemakers” is a start-up ministry. Help us to get started by donating fabric, all types of sewing supplies (scissors, pins, thread etc.), and sewing machines. All supplies can be dropped off at the church office. For any questions contact Ellen Tarczewski via text or call 262-965-4421 (leave a message and your call will be returned). Thank you and God’s blessings on our new endeavor.

The Daytime Fellowship Group will be holding their annual picnic at Pastor & Sibylle Krause’s home on Thursday, July 16 at noon. Please sign up to attend and bring a dish to share on the signup sheet in the gathering area, or contact the church office to signup. Everyone is welcome!

Sports Camps: We are planning a soccer camp for July 20 -23, and a basketball camp on July 27-29. Both camps will be for boys and girls entering grades 1 - 5. **Visit the church website** for more information about these camps and share the news with families in our community. We are also planning more outreach camps for August. We are looking for volunteers for these camps. Teens and adult interested in helping with registration, coaching, and other tasks, please contact Tim Mueller 262-894-0237.

Scrapbooking & Card Making: We will be meeting Saturday, July 25 starting at 9:00 am. We will meet in the new lower level confirmation classroom in the addition. Please park in the lower level parking lot and enter through the new lower level doors. All are welcome to join in the fun! Questions? Call Deb Heuer 262-993-3005.

Our Addition Dedication is planned for Sunday, August 23. With joyful hearts and glad songs we want to share the building’s completion with the congregation and the community. We are forming a dedication committee to help plan food, fellowship, setup needs, service folder, and promoting the dedication. If you would like to serve on the committee, be a part of one of the teams, or have questions please sign up on the sheet in the gathering area or contact Katie Neuman (kneuman@christpewaukee.org or 262-691-0720 ext. 260) or Pastor Krause (pastorkrause@christpewaukee.org or 262-691-0720 ext. 210). If you would like to serve on the committee but unsure where, we will help find the right fit.

Golf Outing: Join us for our annual golf outing on Sunday, August 30 at Wanaki Golf Course followed by a cookout at the home of Brad & Cary Tessmann. Sign up on the golf outing sheets in the gathering area for tee times, and non-golfers can sign up for just the cookout. You may also sign up to help by bringing a food item to the cookout. (You may also contact the church office to sign up.) We hope you can join us!

Bible Classes

Bible Information Class: Review the fundamental teachings of the Christian faith as revealed in the Bible. This is an excellent class for anyone interested in becoming a member of our church and a good refresher course for members. Class meets weekly on Saturdays at 3:30 pm, Sundays at 9:10 am, Tuesdays at 7:00 pm, and Wednesdays at 1:00 pm. Please contact Pastor Warnecke if you have any questions.

Women's Bible Study will meet on Sunday, June 28 at 1:30 pm in the conference room. The next meeting will be July 12.

Teen Bible Class meets after the early service at 9:10 am on Sunday. Weather permitting we will meet outside. Teens, please meet by the canopy at the entry to the church.

Early Risers Bible Class meets on Tuesdays at 8:00 am. We will meet in the new Grand Hall at church. For those who prefer not to gather yet, you can join us online with Zoom. (Members, look for a Zoom invitation by email.) We will pick up where we left off on our study of Moses' life in Exodus.

Prayer Partners will meet on Wednesdays, July 1 & 15 at 10:00 am and 3:00 pm in the conference room. They study the Book of Psalms and pray for individuals who have requested intercessions.

Enduring Word Bible Class meets on Thursdays at 9:00 am in the new Grand Hall at church. The class will also be available through Zoom at the same time. Join us for our study on the book of 2 Corinthians. (Members, look for a Zoom invitation by email.)

Three-year Daily Bible Reading Program

Here are the daily readings for the next two weeks:

June 28	Acts 13:44-52	July 3	Acts 15:35-16:5	July 8	Acts 18:1-17
29	Acts 14:1-12	4	Acts 16:6-15	9	Acts 18:18-28
30	Acts 14:13-28	5	Acts 16:16-40	10	Acts 19:1-20
July 1	Acts 15:1-12	6	Acts 17:1-15	11	Acts 19:21-41
2	Acts 15:13-34	7	Acts 17:16-34	12	Acts 20:1-16



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TUITION ASSISTANCE

Attention, Parents of Grade School Children!

Our congregation supports all members who seek full-time Christian education for their children. That is why Christ Lutheran Church offers to pay the difference between member and non-member tuition at any of our sister WELS congregations on the grade school level. In order to receive this benefit all interested families are asked to **make a formal request to our pastor(s) by August 15** each school year with a form provided through our church office. An acknowledgement that your request has been received will be given. **Requests not made by that date will be denied** for that school year. If you are a parent of a grade school age child and do intend to make use of our tuition reimbursement program for the next school year, please be sure to fill out and submit the request form on time. Copies of the request forms can be found in the gathering area or in the church office. If you have any questions, contact Pastor Gerbing at 262-691-0720, ext. 220.

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If we can be of service to you, please feel free to contact one of the people listed below:

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<u>General Fund 2020</u>	<u>2019-2021 Building on Faith</u>	<u>Furnish the Task</u>
Last Week: \$23,480	Last Week: \$7,836	Last Week: \$805
Fund to Date: \$588,433	Appeal to Date: \$1,146,660	Appeal to Date: \$119,885
Membership: 1545	Church Attendance: 327	Education: 49