

## Announcements

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**WAYS TO GIVE AT ZION** – did you know there are many ways to give financially to Zion? Along with your offering envelope with cheque or cash inside, there are other ways to give at Zion. We accept e-transfer (sent to [zion.office@sasktel.net](mailto:zion.office@sasktel.net) – it is set up for auto-deposit) and we can set up monthly withdrawals from your bank account. You can also donate to Zion through [canadahelps.ca](http://canadahelps.ca).

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**FUTURE PLANNING EVENT PART ONE** – Join us for a forward planning meeting on Sunday, November 27<sup>th</sup>. Supper will be at 5:30 with the meeting to follow immediately after.

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**Do you have a loved one in the hospital who would like a visit from Pastor Ron?** Call Kaylyn in the office (306.653.2442) to notify us of any changes or updates.

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**Are you eager to show a nativity set you love?** Please bring one, or more, boxed and labeled to Zion by November 25<sup>th</sup>. The display will be in place through the Sundays of Advent. For further information, contact Margaret Fast, 306-242-7631

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**STEWARDSHIP PLEDGE CARDS** are available at the back of the sanctuary. There is also a PDF available on the website. When you have filled out your pledge card, it can be placed in the locked white box at the back of the sanctuary.

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**Naomi Bible Study will meet Monday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm.**

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**The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist is hiring an Office Assistant** for 12 hours a week (3-4 hours a day). See ad on bulletin at the back of the Narthex for all of the information.

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People in Saskatoon are hungry! Food Bank has diminished supplies. We can help with donations to our Food Bank box in the narthex or gifts of money given either directly to the Food Bank or through your Zion offering. Designate your gifts for the Food Bank and the church office will forward it directly. Check the bulletin board for the most needed items.

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OFFICE HOURS: Mon – Fri 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

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YouTube: search Zion Lutheran Church, Saskatoon

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**WELCOME VISITORS!** If you would like more information about us, please fill out a communion card (found in the pew) and give it to an usher. Communing members of Zion are encouraged to fill out a communion card each time they commune. **We invite all who are baptized in the Christian faith to commune.** If you do not commune, we invite you to come forward to receive our Lord's Blessing from our Pastor. If you wish to receive communion in your pew, please notify your usher. Grape juice (in the middle of the tray) and red wine are available. Gluten free wafers are available upon request.

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We are designating the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month as our Birthday Celebration during coffee hour. If it is your birthday month, please join us for coffee after the service so we can celebrate with you.

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**WEDNESDAY MORNING PRAYER** meets weekly at 9:30 am in person in the chapel and on Zoom. Contact Kaylyn in the office ([zion.office@sasktel.net](mailto:zion.office@sasktel.net) or 306.653.2442) or Pastor Ron (306.229.5982) to ask for the Zoom link

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**Sunday School** meets at 9:30 Sunday mornings; it is parent-led.

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**Today's music for organ is composed by Tate Pumphrey, an organist who recently moved here from Ontario. Tate's compositions will be performed today by organists, including Diane Bestvater, at Christ Church Anglican at 2 pm. Admission by donation.**

## ORDER OF SERVICE

### GATHERING

Prelude: "Pavane" – Tate Pumphrey

Invocation & Welcome

**Confession & Absolution**

**Gathering Hymn: "Through the Night of Doubt and Sorrow" – ELW #327**

Kyrie – ELW pg. 165

**Prayer of the Day:** (see front of bulletin)

### WORD

**First Lesson:** Malachi 4:1-2a

**Psalm 98**

**Second Lesson:** 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Gospel Acclamation: ELW pg.171

**Gospel Lesson:** Luke 21:5-19

**Homily**

**Hymn of the Day: "Canticle of the Turning" – ELW #723**

**Apostles' Creed** – ELW pg. 105

**Prayers of Intercession** (P: Lord, in your mercy  
C: Hear our prayer)

### MEAL

The Peace

**Offering: "O Day of Peace" – ELW #711**

Holy Lord – ELW pg. 173

**The Lord's Prayer (contemporary version)**

Lamb of God – ELW pg. 174

**Communion: "Prayer"; "Lux in Tenebris (Light in the Darkness)"**

Communion Blessing

### SENDING

**Blessings & Announcements**

**Sending Song: "We are Called" – ELW #720**

*"Go in peace. Be a blessing to the world."*

**"Thanks be to God!"**

Postlude: "Jubilate Deo" – Tate Pumphrey

## SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

### **Malachi 4:1-2a**

See, the day is coming, burning like an oven, when all the arrogant and all evildoers will be stubble; the day that comes shall burn them up, says the LORD of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. But for you who revere my name the sun of righteousness shall rise, with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall.

### **2 Thessalonians 3:6-13**

Now we command you, beloved, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to keep away from believers who are living in idleness and not according to the tradition that they received from us. For you yourselves know how you ought to imitate us; we were not idle when we were with you, and we did not eat anyone's bread without paying for it; but with toil and labour we worked night and day, so that we might not burden any of you. This was not because we do not have that right, but in order to give you an example to imitate. For even when we were with you, we gave you this command: Anyone unwilling to work should not eat. For we hear that some of you are living in idleness, mere busybodies, not doing any work. Now such persons we command and exhort in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living. Brothers and sisters, do not be weary in doing what is right.

### **Luke 21:5-19**

When some were speaking about the temple, how it was adorned with beautiful stones and gifts dedicated to God, he said, 'As for these things that you see, the days will come when not one stone will be left upon another; all will be thrown down.'

They asked him, 'Teacher, when will this be, and what will be the sign that this is about to take place?' And he said, 'Beware that you are not led astray; for many will come in my name and say, "I am he!" and, "The time is near!" Do not go after them.

'When you hear of wars and insurrections, do not be terrified; for these things must take place first, but the end will not follow immediately.' Then he said to them, 'Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be great earthquakes, and in various places famines and plagues; and there will be dreadful portents and great signs from heaven.

'But before all this occurs, they will arrest you and persecute you; they will hand you over to synagogues and prisons, and you will be brought before kings and governors because of my name. This will give you an opportunity to testify. So make up your minds not to prepare your defence in advance; for I will give you words and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to withstand or contradict. You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, by relatives and friends; and they will put some of you to death. You will be hated by all because of my name. But not a hair of your head will perish. By your endurance you will gain your souls.

**In Our Prayers:** Derwin Hall, Andrea Nostbakken, Nandari Swamy, Weldeyesus family, Mallory Jess, Cecelia Jurgens, Betty McManus, Aaron Froese, Glenn Wood, Borgny Lokken, Samhara & Saraq, Thor Kliev, Ivar Moen, Don Peterson, Louise Dahlen, Mary Kamineski, Linda and Steven, Jennifer Finstad, Bereket and family, Alice Olson, Paul Nostbakken, Gloria Hamp, Kaye Senum, Maxine Olson, Ione Tysseland, Patti Pfeifer, Keri Schaffel, Neil Shantz, Ron & Doreen Boldt, Dick Hall, Paul Hanse, Clara Davidson

Twenty Third Sunday After Pentecost

November 13, 2022

10:30 am

Evangelical Lutheran Worship

Prayer of the Day: O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without you nothing is strong, nothing is holy. Embrace us with your mercy, that with you as our ruler and guide, we may live through what is temporary without losing what is eternal, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.



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