

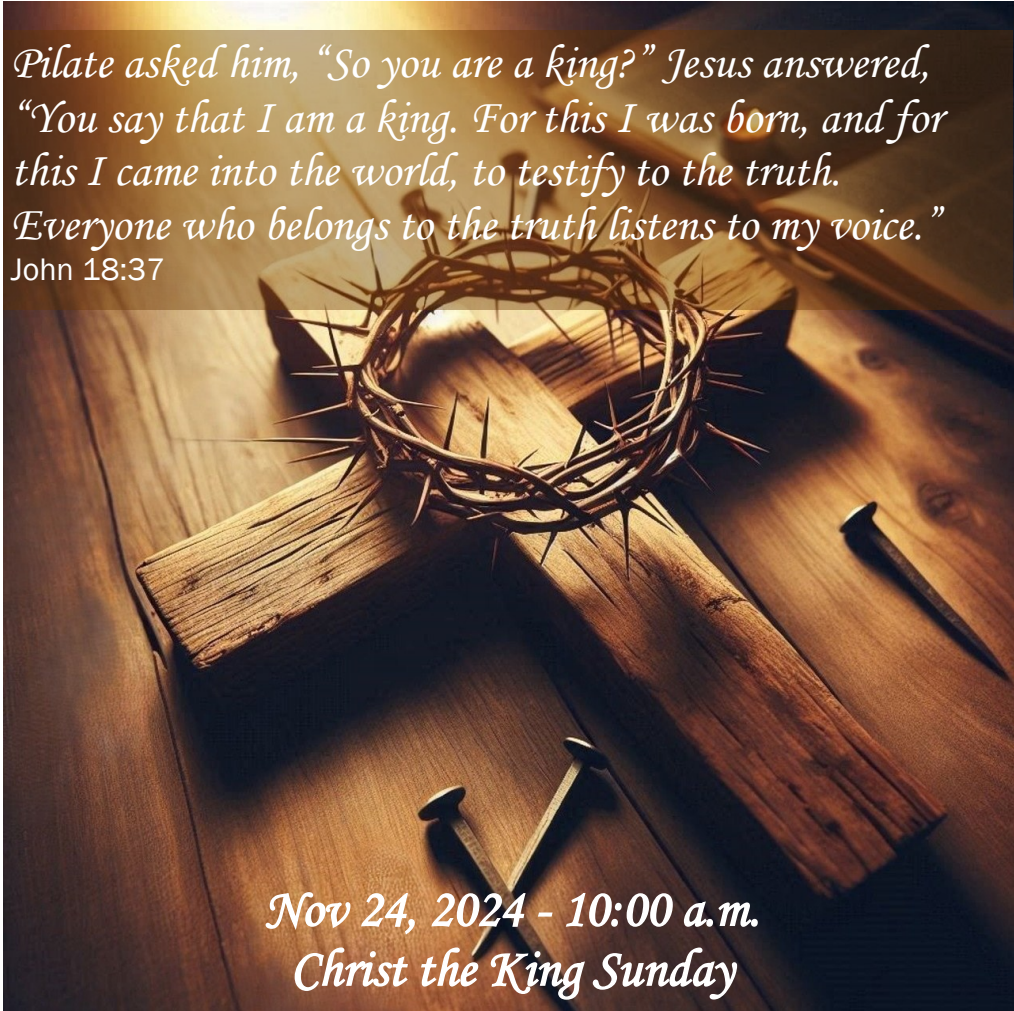


Halfway Creek

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Welcome to Worship!

Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."
John 18:37



Nov 24, 2024 - 10:00 a.m.
Christ the King Sunday

Worship Leader: Pastor Carol Garman
Worship Accompanist: Lynn Wegner

Order of Worship

(ELW—Evangelical Lutheran Worship—red hymnal; WOV –With One Voice—blue hymnal)

Prelude

Welcome

Announcements

Gathering

Confession and Forgiveness

Eternal One, robed in majesty and mercy,

we confess that sin has taken hold of us and we are complicit in its power. We are disturbed in spirit and our hearts cannot rest. Unbind us and set us free. Lead us again to the waters of rebirth, that we may live just and generous lives for the good of your world and the care of our neighbors, following in the servant way of Jesus. Amen.

Gathering Song

“Blessing, Honor, and Glory”

ELW 433

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and ever-living God, you anointed your beloved Son to be priest and sovereign forever. Grant that all the people of the earth, now divided by the power of sin, may be united by the glorious and gentle rule of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Reading

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

Gospel Acclamation

“Alleluia”

setting 10

Gospel

John 18:33-37

Sermon

Hymn of the Day

“Crown Him with Many Crowns” v. 1,3,5

ELW 855

Apostles’ Creed

Prayers of Intercession

Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

Peace

Offertory Song

“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”

ELW 885

Offering Prayer

Words of Institution

Lord’s Prayer

ELW pg. 191

Communion

Communion Hymn

“You Are My King (Amazing Love)”

see insert

Prayer after Communion

Blessing of the Hunters

Blessing

Sending Song

“Thine the Amen” v. 1, 4, 5

ELW 826

Dismissal & Postlude

Announcements

Birthdays this week: Marjorie Lee, Steve Lee, Zach Gordon, Coleton Lee, Gavin Bramwell, Rylan Hendrickson, Jill Noel, Chesney Plomedahl

Giving at HCLC: We appreciate all the ways you help to meet our needs and the needs of others! To give through PayPal, please use the QR code on the back page of the bulletin.

Noisy Offering : November Noisy offering is for the Wafer Food Panty. So far you have donated \$168.94. Let's keep making some noise.

In addition to the noisy offering, we are collaborating with Holmen FAA to support the local Food Pantries and Wafer with a **food drive**. Please continue to bring in non-perishable food items through the end of November, we need just 34 items to reach our goal!!

Upcoming

Poinsettia orders due today!

Tonight at 6 PM; Hymns & Pies at Holmen Lutheran Church

Nov 27-29: Office Closed.

Happy Thanksgiving!

Dec 1 at 10 AM; First Sunday of Advent (Note: Sunday School and Confirmation can help decorate the church between 8:30—9 AM followed by Sunday School music practice at 9:15 AM)

Dec 8 at 10 AM; Second Sunday of Advent—Multi-generational Program led by the worship team, Sunday School. (kids will practice at 9:15 AM)

Confirmation & Sunday School

Sunday School & Confirmation will meet December 1 at 830 AM to decorate the church and 9:15 for class/practice.

In Our Prayers:

We pray for friends and family of those we have lost this past year: Ron Hanson, Rod Sutherland, Curt Nedoba, Judy Campbell, Mike Nedoba, Raymond Lee, Marie Jezova

We pray for Perry Voshage, Owen Gilbertson, Adisyn Rhyme, Kannon Happel, Marjorie Lee, Jean Latham, Bob Loper, Joan Vaughn, Bridget Ferk, Thelma Severson, Lisa Herrera Evans, Katie Wier, Phoebe Kitzke, Gayle Kuespert, Beulah Sanders, Cary Heyer, Eric Erdman, Dawson Reed, Jenny Lee, Mary Dokkebakken, Karla Johnson, Alice Fonfara, the Coats family.

Preparing for Advent: We are covering our Christmas tree in ELCA Good Gifts ornaments. Our goal is to collect \$525 to be donated to the Good Gifts program. Check out the information in the gathering space or talk to Bette Pedretti.

Caring Tree: Tags are now on the tree. If you'd like to purchase an item for the caring tree, please take a tag and complete the clipboard next to the tree. Gifts are due back at church on December 8. Thank you!!

*Christmas Eve Worship Services at
HCLC will be December 24 at
2 PM and 4 PM.*

Welcome to Worship!

Thank you for being here today. We want you to feel at home when you are here at HCLC, so please remember:

As you participate

Bolded words on the screen are for you to speak.

Even though the pastor indicates when to stand up or sit down, that is not mandatory. We do not judge when it's done differently. Move around as you need to and please worship as *your* body demands it.

Offering

The offering is our way of showing that when we come to the table we bring ourselves as well as all we have been given by God to be blessed for service in God's world.

The offering plate is placed at the entrance of the sanctuary and may be passed around as well.

The cake pan is for our Noisy Offering. Each month we choose a cause to support.

Offerings can also be made through our website or by using this QR code. Thank you for the many ways you support HCLC and our mission.



Holy Communion

All are welcome to the table today when communion is offered. It is not our table, but Jesus is the host. So, in this place **all** are welcome to Jesus' table.

Pre-packaged communion kits, regular and **gluten-free**, are available for communing in your seats or bringing them with you as you come forward.

Communion in the front aisle will be baked bread and both wine and juice (the wine is red, juice is clear).

Kids

We welcome kids to participate fully in any part of the service! There will be a Children's Message and coloring page, you may pass the offering plate or noisy offering. We have activity bags as you enter church

An **AED is available** in case of an emergency. It is located just outside the sanctuary doors.

Please join us for coffee and fellowship each week after service.

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