



Calvary Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

Pastor Kessler



WELCOME

In the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ, welcome to Christian worship. We are so happy and thankful you are here with us today. If you are a visitor with us, please sign our guest register by the front door and fill out a worship card given to you by an usher. If you are worshipping with us in a communion service, please note that we practice closed communion. Please read the communion statement at the end of the Order of Service. May God richly bless each and every one of you!

DIVINE SERVICE I

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Opening Hymn	<i>"Within the Father's House"</i>	LSB 410
Confession	p. 151	
Introit	See insert	
Kyrie	p. 152	
Hymn of Praise	p. 154 – Gloria in Excelsis	
Collect of the Day	See insert	
Old Testament Lesson	1 Kings 3:4-15	
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Epistle Lesson	Ephesians 1:3-14	
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Gospel Lesson	Luke 2:40-52	
Nicene Creed	p. 158	
Hymn of the Day	<i>"The Gifts Christ Freely Gives"</i>	LSB 602
Sermon		
Prayer of the Church		
Prayer Response		
P: Lord, in Your mercy,		
C: hear our prayer.		
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Communion Liturgy
Lord's Prayer
Communion Hymns

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

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"Once in Royal David's City" LSB 376
"As with Gladness Men of Old" LSB 397
"Lord Jesus Christ, Life-Giving Bread" LSB 625
"I Love Your Kingdom, Lord" LSB 651
 p. 164 *"Thank the Lord"*
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"Lord of All Hopefulness" LSB 738

Post-Comm. Canticle
Post Comm. Collect
Closing Hymn

COMMUNION: Communion is both a participation in Christ's true body and blood for the forgiveness of sins, and a statement of fellowship among those who participate. Members of our congregation, and members of a sister congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod who have properly prepared themselves are invited to attend. If you are not an LCMS member or are of another denomination or synod, please see the Pastor before communing for the first time.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Those who serve us today: Ushers: Milton Euhus, Glenn Wagner, Pat Lamaestra. Elder: Albert Claude. Organist: Betty Lou Phillips. Acolyte: Taylee Stuebs.

Those for whom we are praying: Those who are suffering: Rev. Sanderson, Shirley Haugrose, Jeff Justice, Tony Spano, Stan Foster, Suzie Disanza, Contessa Holtz, Mel Phillips, Zoiey Gaines. **Those who serve us in the Military:** Dylan MacFarlane, Michael & Jessica Pray, Jeremy Rankin, Michael Yelland, Dan Tjalsma, Jessica Cochran, Kevin Sengvanhphen, Jon Charles, Victor Greenfield, Joseph Donalbain, Tony Albright, Johnathon Fuhrman, Shane Summers, Justin & Sheamus Cooke. **Those who spread the Gospel overseas:** Rev. Dennis and Lorna Meeker. **Those who spread the Gospel on our Campuses:** LCMSU-UofA, and other campus ministries.

Voter's Meeting: January 10, 2016 after church.

This Week's Calendar

TODAY – January 3, 2016

9:00am COMMUNION SERVICE
10:30am Bible Class/Sunday School

WEDNESDAY – January 6, 2016

11:00am Bible class in Ed. Bldg

THURSDAY – January 7

9:30am Bible study (sermon study) @
Emerald Springs

SATURDAY – January 9

7:00am Bible Study (sermon study) at
Goldsborro Bakery

NEXT SUNDAY – January 10, 2016

9:00am COMMUNION SERVICE
10:30am Voter's Meeting

**THE SECOND SUNDAY after CHRISTMAS
SUNDAY
JANUARY 3, 2016**

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