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“WE GROW IN GOD’S WORD SO THAT WE CAN GO WITH GOD’S WORD”

New Years Day

January 2, 2022

Welcome to Northdale Lutheran! We are so glad you are joining us to proclaim what God has done and to sing his praises. Here the Lord also comes to us and strengthens us with his mighty Word. Take a moment to meet and greet those around you! Also:



- ❖ Restrooms are in the entrance and through the nursery hallway.
- ❖ Handicapped accessible restroom facilities are located through the nursery hallway and back in the preschool area.
- ❖ To help keep the sanctuary as a quiet place of worship and meditation and for your convenience, a Quiet Room is available for the whole service for young children in the back of the sanctuary. Please make use of this room if your child becomes loud in worship. ***Please do not leave children unattended in the Quiet Room. We ask that at least one adult be present while children are in this room.***
- ❖ Everything you need for worship is printed in the worship folder.



CALL TO WORSHIP

SERVICE OF WORD AND SACRAMENT

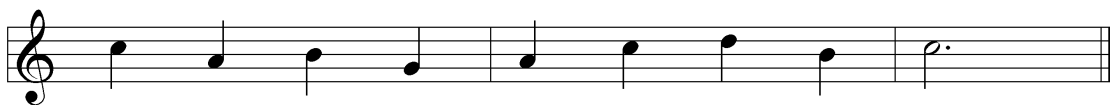
Opening Hymn, #441, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" vs 1-4



1 O God, our help in a - ges past, Our
2 Un - der the shad - ow of your throne Your
3 Be - fore the hills in or - der stood Or
4 A thou - sand a - ges in your sight Are
5 Time, like an ev - er - roll - ing stream, Soon



hope for years to come, Our shel - ter from the
saints have dwelt se - cure; Suf - fi - cient is your
earth re - ceived its frame, From ev - er - last - ing
like an eve - ning gone, Short as the watch that
bears us all a - way; We fly, for - got - ten,



storm - y blast, And our e - ter - nal home,
arm a - lone, And our de - fense is sure.
you are God, To end - less years the same.
ends the night Be - fore the ris - ing sun.
as a dream Dies at the op'n - ing day.

Please stand

Invocation

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

C: And also with you

Confession

M: Almighty God, as we gather at the beginning of this new year, we come in deep humility confessing our many sins seeking your mercy and grace.

C: Holy Gracious Lord,

We confess, in your command to be perfect, we are not.

We confess, in your command to love our neighbor, we do not.

We confess, in your command to love you above all things, we have not.

We have so often lived by our own strength, been guided by our own eyes, and lived for this world alone. We have followed the desires of our hearts, rather than being led by your Word. Wash away our wrongdoing and cleanse us from our sin. Renew a right spirit within us and restore to us the joy of your salvation.

M: Before God who knows our minds and searches our hearts. Trusting solely in the merits of Jesus Christ, do you this day confess all your sins in thought, word, and deed? If so answer, I do confess.

C: I do confess.

M: Upon your confession, be assured our Heavenly Father has sent his Son into the world to save sinners. Through Jesus's death and resurrection, you are forgiven. You are God's people and have been made heirs of heaven, an eternal kingdom that cannot be destroyed. As we enter this new year may the Lord continue to open our eyes to see God's truth, give us wisdom to walk in his commands, and strengthen us to do his will. Amen.

Be Seated

Hymn, #441, “O God, Our Help in Ages Past” vs 5-6

**Time, like an ever-rolling stream, Soon bears us all away;
We fly, forgotten, as a dream Dies at the op’ning day.**

**O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come,
Still be our guard while troubles last And our eternal home!**

Sacrament Of The Lord’s Supper

M: As we begin a new year in God’s grace, we begin with the Lord’s invitation to receive his Holy Supper. Wherein, through this eating and drinking the Lord gives us his very body and blood, once shed on the cross, to remove any and all doubt of our forgiveness in Christ. May we come forward with joy, knowing the guilt of our sin is taken away. May we go forth into this new year with confidence, here to receive the strengthening of our faith to live a God pleasing life.

Words of Institution

M: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, “Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.” Then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, “Drink from it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.”

M: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Distribution Hymn, #71 “The Old Year Now Has Passed Away”



1 The old year now has passed a - way; We thank you,
 2 We pray you, O e - ter - nal Son, Who with the
 3 Take not your sav - ing Word a - way, Which lights and
 4 Oh, help us to for - sake all sin, A new and
 5 Where - in as Chris - tians we may live Or die in



O our God, to - day That you have kept us
 Fa - ther reigns as one, To guard and rule your
 cheers our souls each day. A - bide with us and
 ho - lier life be - gin! For - give the old year's
 peace that you can give, To rise a - gain when



through the year When dan - ger and dis - tress were near.
 Chris - ten - dom Through all the a - ges yet to come.
 keep us free From er - ror and hy - poc - ri - sy.
 sins, and bless The new year with true hap - pi - ness,
 you will come And en - ter your e - ter - nal home.

6 There shall we thank you and adore
 With all the angels evermore.
 Lord Jesus Christ, increase our faith
 To praise your name through life and death.

Text: attr. Johann Steurlein, 1546–1613; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–78, alt.

Tune: HERR JESU CHRIST, DICH ZU UNS WEND (LM) *Cantionale Germanicum*, Gochsheim, 1628.

PLEASE STAND

Communion Prayer:

M: Blessed are you, Lord, God, eternal King and gracious Father. In love you made us the crown of your creation. In mercy you planned our salvation. In grace you sent your Son to redeem us from sin. Bless us as we have received your Son's body and blood in this Sacrament. May you this new year; increase our faith, strengthen our fellowship, and deepen our longing for the day when Christ will welcome us to his eternal feast. Praise and thanks and honor and glory be to you, O God our Father, and to your Son and to the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

BE SEATED

THE WORD OF GOD*

The First Lesson: Joshua 1:5-11

As Joshua was about to lead the Israelites into the promised land, the Lord promised to go with them. As we now go into a new year, the Lord continues to go and be with his people..

No one will be able to stand against you all the days of your life. As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you. ⁶Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their ancestors to give them.

⁷“Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. ⁸Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful. ⁹Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go.”

¹⁰So Joshua ordered the officers of the people: ¹¹“Go through the camp and tell the people, ‘Get your provisions ready. Three days from now you will cross the Jordan here to go in and take possession of the land the Lord your God is giving you for your own.’”

The Second Lesson: Colossians 3:12-17

As we go into a new year, let us not forget who we are. We are the children of God through faith in Christ. May the Word of God continue to be our guide, as we live for our Savior and serve one another in love.

Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. ¹³Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. ¹⁴And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.

¹⁵Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. ¹⁶Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts. ¹⁷And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Sermon Hymn, #72 “O Lord, Our Father, Thanks and Praise” vs 1-4



1 O Lord, our Fa - ther, thanks and praise In this new
 2 Lord Je - sus Christ, our thanks and praise In this new
 3 O Ho - ly Spir - it, thanks and praise In this new
 4 Our faith - ful God, we cry to you: Still bless us



year we ren - der, For ev - 'ry e - vil had to
 year we ren - der; Your reign has kept your peo - ple
 year we ren - der, For you have led our eyes to
 with your fa - vor, Blot out all our in - iq - ui -



flee Be - fore you, our de - fend - er. Our
 free, Has shown your mer - cies ten - der. You
 see Your truth in all its splen - dor And
 ty, And hide our sins for - ev - er. Grant



life was nour - ished, we were fed With rich sup - plies
 have re - deemed us with your blood; You are our joy,
 thus en - kin - dled from a - bove With - in our hearts
 us a hap - py, good new year And, when the hour



of dai - ly bread, And peace reigned in our bor - ders.
 our on - ly good, In life and death our Sav - ior.
 true faith and love And oth - er Chris - tian vir - tues.
 of death draws near, A peace - ful, blest de - par - ture.

Text: Cyriacus Schneegass, 1546–97; tr. August Crull, 1845–1923, alt.

Tune: NUN FREUT EUCH, LIEBEN CHRISTEN (87 87 887) *Etlich Cristlich lider*, Wittenberg, 1524.

Sermon Text: Exodus 33:18-23; Exodus 34:5-7

Then Moses said, “Now show me your glory.”

¹⁹And the Lord said, “I will cause all my goodness to pass in front of you, and I will proclaim my name, the Lord, in your presence. I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion. ²⁰But,” he said, “you cannot see my face, for no one may see me and live.”

²¹Then the Lord said, “There is a place near me where you may stand on a rock. ²²When my glory passes by, I will put you in a cleft in the rock and cover you with my hand until I have passed by. ²³Then I will remove my hand and you will see my back; but my face must not be seen.”

⁵Then the Lord came down in the cloud and stood there with him and proclaimed his name, the Lord. ⁶And he passed in front of Moses, proclaiming, “The Lord, the Lord, the compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness, ⁷maintaining love to thousands, and forgiving wickedness, rebellion and sin. Yet he does not leave the guilty unpunished; he punishes the children and their children for the sin of the parents to the third and fourth generation.”

Hymn, CW #752 “In Christ Alone”

printed on pages 16 & 17 in the back of the bulletin

Offering

The members of Northdale Lutheran joyfully give our offerings to the LORD in response to the many ways he has blessed us.

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and became fully human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate. He suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Church

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God and Mary's son, in the fullness of time you came into our world to save us from sin and death:

You ushered in the day of grace so long foretold.

Beloved Son of the Father, revered by the Magi, baptized by John, you came preaching and teaching, healing and comforting, forgiving and encouraging:

You brought the light of life to those walking in darkness, and the joy of salvation to those doomed to death.

Prince of Peace, shine like a beacon for us and the people of our world. Let the good news of salvation be heard in the remotest corners of the earth. Open our own lips to speak your name to those around us who still live without faith or hope:

Arouse us and our missionaries to flood the world with the light of your gospel.

Lord of the Church, let your peace rule our hearts that we may use our gifts to serve you and each other in willing gratitude and joy. Watch over our loved ones near and far, that they may remember your love and rejoice in your salvation. Strengthen the faith of the sick and the disheartened. Give hope to those in despair and comfort those who mourn:

Be gracious to all and lead us to reflect your love in everything we say and do.

Finally, as this old year comes to a close, may we begin a new year in your grace. May you keep our eyes focused above, to the heavenly home where we will stand in the full light of your glory and with all your saints and angels sing the everlasting song of triumph.

Amen.

Blessing

M: The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace

Closing Hymn, CW #334, "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

The musical score is written on three staves in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like. The lyrics are: "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all crea-tures here be - low; Praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host; Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost!"

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; Praise him, all

crea-tures here be - low; Praise him a - bove, ye heav'n -

ly host; Praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost!

Text: Thomas Ken, 1637–1711, abr.

Tune: OLD HUNDREDTH (LM) *Trente quatre Pseaumes de David*, Geneva, 1551.

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Announcements:

Online giving is now set up and available through our membership software entitled Breeze. You can give through Breeze two ways: 1) You can give by texting “Give” to (813) 652-0408. 2). You can go to <https://northdale.breezechms.com/give/online>. You can certainly ask if you have any questions.

Thank You!

Thank you to Pastor Joel Schwartz for serving us today! Pastor Schwartz serves our sister mission congregation – Peace Lutheran in Trinity, FL. Lord’s continued blessings to him and to our brothers and sisters at Peace Lutheran.

2022 Offering Envelopes

Your 2022 offering envelopes are available on the table in the entryway. They are arranged *not by number* but alphabetically by your last name. Please pick yours up today.

Congregation Voters’ Meeting

We will be having our regular bi-annual voters’ meeting on Sunday, January 23rd after the late service. We will be giving updates on membership, finances, and ministry.

Sunday School/Bible Class

Sunday School and Bible Class will resume next week at 9:30am. Sunday School is for ages Pre-K through 8th grade, and is held in the academy building. Adult Bible Study is held in the sanctuary of church.

Bible Class – “Not So Minor”

Starting Sunday, January 9th we will be focusing on the writings of 3 of the minor prophets; Amos, Obadiah, and Jonah. We will see the history, the persons, and the purpose of these prophets of the Lord. Come and join us!

Quarterly Campus Work Day

We will be having our Quarterly Campus Work Day on Saturday, January 8, 2022. We have a list of projects that need to be completed including new landscaping around the Church air conditioners, weeding around the existing landscaping and playgrounds, replacing fans in the library and VPK room, hanging blinds for Mr. Haring, changing filters on air handlers, cleaning out the sacristy, hanging a white board for Mrs. Guse, and fixing some desks with missing screws. We will start work at 8:00 am and work until people go home. Brings some tools, a willingness to work, and a smile, and we will see you there.

Mission Festival – One Africa Team

On January 23, 2022 - Missionary John Roebke will be here to share his experiences of serving as the Director of Communications for One Africa Team. Missionary Roebke and his wife Nancy have been living in Malawi since June 2017 and currently reside in the city of Lilongwe.

Missionary Roebke serves as One Africa Team's liaison to the LCMC Kenya, a church body that WELS has enjoyed fellowship with since 2017. Missionary Roebke works closely with the Publications committee of the Lutheran Church of Central Africa – Malawi Synod to produce and distribute books and tracts. In addition, he is responsible for coordinating publications efforts across Africa with the WELS Multi-Language Publications Committee (MLP).

As a member of One Africa Team, Missionary Roebke oversees the social media and communications ministry for WELS missions in Africa. He manages a missions blog called “WELS Friends of Africa.” Visit www.oneafricateam.com to sign up for weekly updates. You can also follow WELS Africa missions on Facebook at “One Africa Team.”

There will be no Sunday School or Adult Bible Study on this Mission Sunday. All are encouraged to attend the One Africa Team presentation during the 9:30am hour.

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Hymn, CW #752 "In Christ Alone"



1 In Christ a - lone my hope is found.
 2 In Christ a - lone— who took on flesh,
 3 There in the ground his bod - y lay,
 4 No guilt in life, no fear in death,



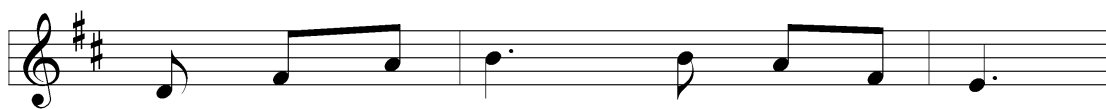
He is my light, my strength, my song;
 Full - ness of God in help - less babe.
 Light of the world by dark - ness slain;
 This is the pow'r of Christ in me;



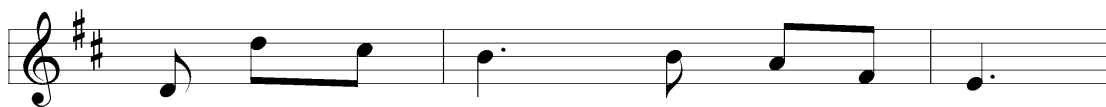
This cor - ner - stone, this sol - id ground,
 This gift of love and right - eous - ness,
 Then burst - ing forth in glo - rious day
 From life's first cry to fi - nal breath,



Firm through the fierc - est drought and storm.
 Scorned by the ones he came to save.
 Up from the grave he rose a - gain!
 Je - sus com - mands my des - tin - y.



What heights of love, what depths of peace,
Till on that cross, as Je - sus died,
And as he stands in vic - tor - y,
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man



When fears are stilled, when striv - ings cease!
The wrath of God was sat - is - fied;
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me.
Can ev - er pluck me from his hand;

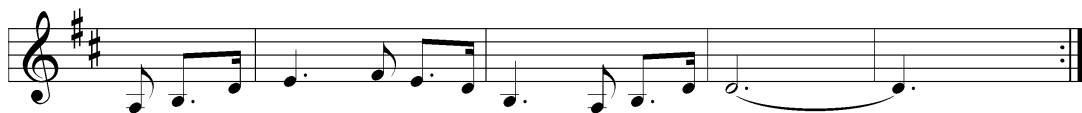


My Com - for - ter, my all in all,
For ev - 'ry sin on him was laid.
For I am his and he is mine—
Till he re - turns or calls me home,



(Fine)

Here in the love of Christ I stand.
Here in the death of Christ I live.
Bought with the pre - cious blood of Christ.
Here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.



Kids Pages



