

Northdale Lutheran Church

Northdale Christian Academy

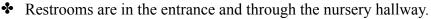
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"WE GROW IN GOD'S WORD SO THAT WE CAN GO WITH GOD'S WORD"

Saints Triumphant Sunday

November 13, 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:



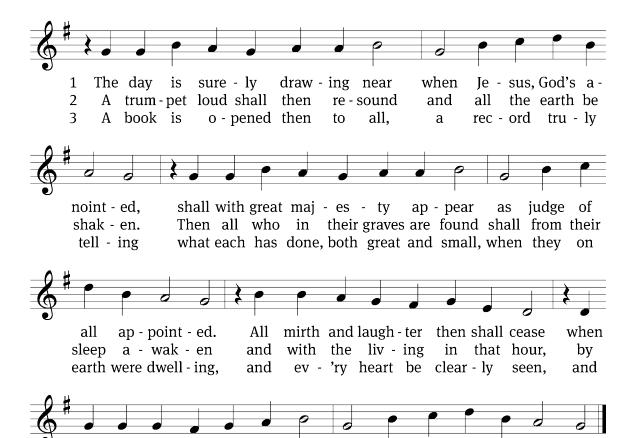


- ♣ Handicapped accessible restroom facilities are located through the nursery hallway and back in the preschool area.
- To help keep the sanctuary as a quiet place of worship and meditation and for your convenience, a Nursing Mother's Room is available in the back of the sanctuary. This is a private place for nursing mother's and infant children if needed during worship. Please ask an usher if you have need of assistance.
- Liverything you need for worship is printed in the worship folder.

Call to Worship

The Service of the Word

Opening Hymn, CW #488 "The Day Is Surely Drawing Near"



flames on flames will still in-crease, as Scrip-ture tru - ly teach-es. God's al-might-y, bound-less pow'r, be changed at his com-mand-ing. all be known as they have been in thoughts and words and ac - tions.

Text: tr. Philip A. Peter, 1832–1919, alt.; Bartholomäus Ringwaldt, 1532–1599, abr. Tune: Geistliche Lieder auffs new gebessert, Wittenberg, 1535, ed. Joseph Klug

Please Stand

Invocation

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

C(ongregtion): And also with you.

Confession of Sins

M: We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

C: Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.

M: God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.

C: Amen.

Prayer and Praise

M: In the peace of forgiveness, let us praise the Lord!

Song of Praise

My Savior paid the debt I owe and for my sin was smitten; within the Book of Life I know my name has now been written. I will not doubt, for I am free, and Satan cannot threaten me; there is no condemnation!

O Jesus Christ, do not delay,
but hasten our salvation;
we often tremble on our way
in fear and tribulation.
Your saints are waiting patiently;
come soon, Redeemer, make us free
from ev'ry evil. Amen.

Prayer of the Day

M: Almighty God and Savior, you have set the final day and hour when we shall be delivered from this world of sin and death. Keep us ever watchful for the coming of your Son that we may sit with him and all your holy ones at the marriage feast in heaven; through Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Re Seated

The Word of God

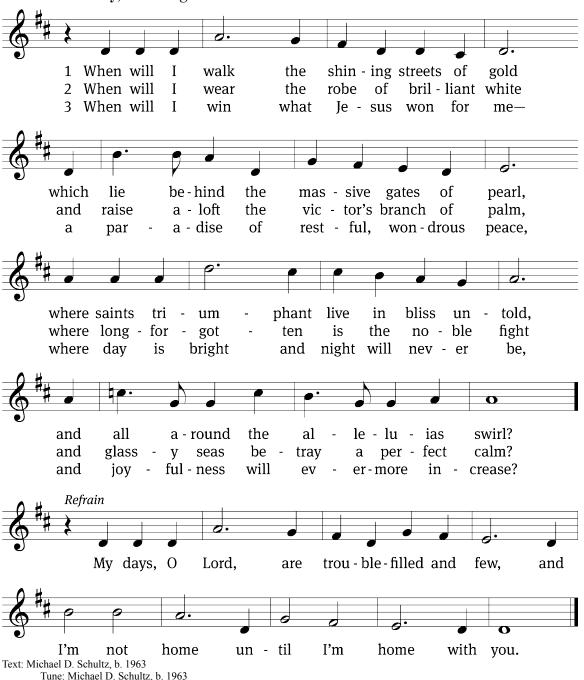


The First Lesson: 2 Thessalonians 1:5–10

Even though the church in Thessalonica was suffering much persecution and trial, the Apostle Paul encouraged them to keep preaching the Gospel of Christ. For the day is coming when Christ will return bringing retribution upon the wicked and yet salvation for his people. Everyday we hold to our faith in Christ looking forward to the eternal kingdom to come.

⁵All this is evidence that God's judgment is right, and as a result you will be counted worthy of the kingdom of God, for which you are suffering. ⁶God is just: He will pay back trouble to those who trouble you ⁷and give relief to you who are troubled, and to us as well. This will happen when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven in blazing fire with his powerful angels. ⁸He will punish those who do not know God and do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus. ⁹They will be punished with everlasting destruction and shut out from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of his might ¹⁰on the day he comes to be glorified in his holy people and to be marveled at among all those who have believed. This includes you, because you believed our testimony to you.

Psalm of the Day, NCA Sings "When Will I Walk"



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The Second Lesson: Luke 21:5–19

In wanting to know when the Last Day would take place, Jesus gives his disciples signs or events to look for. As this world worsens with its ever increasing wickedness, God is still in control of all things and the ultimate outcome will be eternal victory for his people. Therefore as we see all the great and many evils of this world, it is a reminder to us of the perfect and eternal kingdom that is to come.

⁵Some of his disciples were remarking about how the temple was adorned with beautiful stones and with gifts dedicated to God. But Jesus said, 6"As for what you see here, the time will come when not one stone will be left on another; every one of them will be thrown down."

⁷"Teacher," they asked, "when will these things happen? And what will be the sign that they are about to take place?"

⁸He replied: "Watch out that you are not deceived. For many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am he,' and, 'The time is near.' Do not follow them. ⁹When you hear of wars and uprisings, do not be frightened. These things must happen first, but the end will not come right away."

¹⁰Then he said to them: "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. ¹¹There will be great earthquakes, famines and pestilences in various places, and fearful events and great signs from heaven.

12"But before all this, they will seize you and persecute you. They will hand you over to synagogues and put you in prison, and you will be brought before kings and governors, and all on account of my name. ¹³And so you will bear testimony to me. ¹⁴But make up your mind not to worry beforehand how you will defend yourselves. ¹⁵For I will give you words and wisdom that none of your adversaries will be able to resist or contradict. ¹⁶You will be betrayed even by parents, brothers and sisters, relatives and friends, and they will put some of you to death. ¹⁷Everyone will hate you because of me. ¹⁸But not a hair of your head will perish. ¹⁹Stand firm, and you will win life.

Sermon Hymn, CW #883 "Behold a Host, Arrayed in White" 1 Be - hold a host, ar - rayed in white, like thou - sand bless - ed saints 3 0 in bright ar - ray, now safe - ly snow - clad moun-tains bright! With palms they stand; who is end - less day, ex - tol the Lord, who with home in this band be - fore throne of light? These are the the his Word sus - tained you on the way. The steep and saints of glo - rious fame, who from the great af - flic - tion you toiled and sowed nar - row path vou trod: the Word a the flood of Je - sus' blood are cleansed from came and in broad; re - joice and bring your fruits and sing be - fore the guilt and blame. Now gath - ered in the ho - ly place, throne of God. Swing high your palms, lift up your song, they wor - ship raise; their their voic - es in thems an ves, make it myr - iad voic - es strong! Let heav en rise where God re-sides, mid an - gels' songs of praise. ring— to Christ the King all praise and thanks be - long! n Hymnal, 1941, alt.; Hans Browson, 1694 Tame: Norwegian, 17th cent Yeer and tune - Doble, done

Sermon Text: Malachi 4

1"Surely the day is coming; it will burn like a furnace. All the arrogant and every evildoer will be stubble, and the day that is coming will set them on fire," says the Lord Almighty. "Not a root or a branch will be left to them. ²But for you who revere my name, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its rays. And you will go out and frolic like well-fed calves. ³Then you will trample on the wicked; they will be ashes under the soles of your feet on the day when I act," says the Lord Almighty.

4"Remember the law of my servant Moses, the decrees and laws I gave him at Horeb for all Israel.

⁵"See, I will send the prophet Elijah to you before that great and dreadful day of the Lord comes. ⁶He will turn the hearts of the parents to their children, and the hearts of the children to their parents; or else I will come and strike the land with total destruction."

"The Day Of The Lord"

- 1) A Day of Destruction
- 2) A Day of Deliverance

Please Stand

Hymn CW #889 "Jerusalem the Golden"



- 1 Je ru sa lem the gold en, with milk and hon ey blest—
- 2 O sweet and bless-ed coun-try, the home of God's e-lect!
- 3 The Christ is ev er with them, the day-light is se-rene;



the sight of it re - fresh - es the wea-ry and op - pressed. sweet and bless - ed coun - try that ea - ger hearts ex - pect, 0 ev - er rich and green. the pas - tures of the bless - ed are



I know not, oh, I know not what joys a - wait us there, where they who with their lead - er have con-quered in the fight There is the throne of Da - vid, and there, from care re-leased,



what ra - dian - cy of glo - ry, what bliss be-yond com - pare: for - ev - er and for - ev - er are clad in robes of white: the shout of them that tri - umph, the song of them that feast.



to sing the hymn un - end - ing with all the mar - tyr throng, in mer - cy, Je - sus, bring us to that dear land of rest To God en-throned in glo - ry the Church's voic - es blend,



a - midst the halls of Zi - on re-sound-ing full with song. where sings the host of heav-en your glo-rious name to bless. the Lamb for-ev-er bless-ed, the Light that knows no end.

Offering

Jesus said, "Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (Luke 12:34) The members of Northdale Lutheran joyfully give our offerings to the LORD in response to the many ways he has blessed us. 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.

If electronic giving isn't for you, you are invited to drop off or mail your offerings to the church

Prayer of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom
and the power
and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Blessing

M: Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord with gladness.

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.

Final Hymn, CW #884, "Lord, When Your Glory I Shall See"



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All of our services are live streamed & can be viewed through the live streaming link located on our church website www.NorthdaleLutheran.org. We also email out daily devotions. If you would like to receive these daily devotions, please email the office at office@northdalelutheran.org and let us know. You can also become a friend on Facebook.

Announcements:

Blessings Schwartz Family!

There is a card box on the entryway table for anyone who would like to give a gift or gift card to thank Bethany Schwartz for her service to our academy. The card box will be out for the next 3 weeks as they prepare to move their family to Wisconsin in early December. We also wish Pastor Schwartz continued blessings as he begins a new ministry at St. John's Lutheran in Wauwatosa, WI!

Thanksgiving Eve Worship & Pie Social

We will be having our Thanksgiving Worship on Wednesday, November 23rd at 6:30pm. There will be a pie social following the service!..... so bring your favorite pie or thanksgiving desert to share, as we enjoy a night of thanksgiving together.

It's A Northdale Thanksgiving!

The Guses will be hosting a Thanksgiving Dinner here at church on Thanksgiving Day at 12:00pm, for anyone who does not have family or a place to go. The Guses will be providing the turkey, but a sign-up sheet is on the back table for all the rest of the goodies and fix'ns! We will also have the big TVs out for the football games in the background. Come and enjoy a Thanksgiving Day together!

Food Drive

The Women of Northdale will be hosting a food drive through the month of November. Watch for details about where you can drop off your non perishable food and items.

Church BBQ / Bake Sale

It's time to Gather! After late service today, the grill will be going for a luncheon and the Women of Northdale will be hosting a Bake Sale. Make sure to stick around, meet members and friends, let the kids play, all as we seek to strengthen the bonds of our Northdale family. Mark it on your calendar now! It is not an all afternoon event, just to get together for 1 hour or so.

Mens Night Out

All men are invited to join together on Wednesday, November 16th at 6:00 PM. We will meet at Glory Day's, 14457 North Dale Mabry Hwy. Come enjoy dinner and time together.

Hurricane Relief

If you would like to donate to the hurricane relief and recovery efforts to our churches and their communities, the best way is through our church body's Committee for Aid and Relief. The website is Wels.net/cargift. Every dollar given is directly distributed as needed for water, food, fuel, tarps, clothing, hygiene and basic supplies. The WELS Committee for Aid and Relief has been serving our churches and people affected by tornados, hurricanes, earthquakes, floods, and other natural disasters for many years. It is a great blessing of our church body in rebuilding churches, servicing communities, and restoring lives.

Communicating Christ - A Bible Information Class

Come and find out *What* we believe and *Why*! Communicating Christ is held on Tuesday nights at 7:00pm - 8:00pm, we will going through the foundations of the Christian faith and what makes us Northdale Lutheran Church. This course is designed for new members wanting to know what we teach and believe, for current members to renew their doctrines of faith, and for anyone simply wanting to know what we believe and teach. Talk with Pastor Guse for more information.

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Serving Today

Music: 8:30 - Daniel Roemhildt

10:30 - Daniel Roemhildt

Ushers: 8:30 - Nick & Parker Koren

10:30 - David & Emily Mosakowski

Serving Next Week

Music: 8:30 - Dane Mattes

10:30 - Dane Mattes

Ushers: 8:30 - Nick & Parker Koren

10:30 -

Attendance Last Week

8:00 a.m.—53

10:30 a.m.—47

Total: 100

2022-2023 Year to Date Offerings Through September 2022

General Offering Received: \$ 57,279.55 General Offering Budgeted: \$ 60,863.04

Ahead or (Short) Year to Date: (-3583.29)

Average Weekly Offerings Received (13 weeks): \$ 4,406

Average Weekly Offerings Budgeted (52 weeks): \$5,000