



New Life Lutheran Church  
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*"Disciples of Jesus Growing Disciples of Jesus"*

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**New Life Lutheran Church**

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**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS** [Leader-fine print, **Congregation-Bold Print**]

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God,  
who redeems us in Christ Jesus,  
whose steadfast love endures forever.

**Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Most merciful God,

**we confess that we have sinned against you  
and our neighbors.**

**We have ignored voices  
that call for your justice.**

**We have neglected actions  
that witness to your righteousness.**

**We have spoken and acted  
in ways that disrupt your beloved community.**

**We truly repent of things we have done  
and left undone.**

**For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us.**

**Restore our troubled spirits,  
so that we may live in newness,  
follow the way of the Spirit,  
and build up the body of Christ.**

**Amen.**

Rejoice and be glad!

God hears the prayers of all who cry out,  
and restores us to life through the death  
and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Therefore, I declare to you the forgiveness of all your sins,  
in the name of the Father,  
and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

**OPENING HYMN**      *For All the Saints*      **LBW # 174**      **(versus 1 & 2)**

**REMEMBERING & CELEBRATING THE SAINTS** (Insert)

**OPENING HYMN**      *For All the Saints*      **LBW # 174**      **(versus 4 & 8)**

### **GREETING**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY** (In unison)

**Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**

**Amen.**

**First Reading: Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18**

<sup>1</sup>In the first year of King Belshazzar of Babylon, Daniel had a dream and visions of his head as he lay in bed. Then he wrote down the dream: <sup>2</sup>I, Daniel, saw in my vision by night the four winds of heaven stirring up the great sea, <sup>3</sup>and four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another.

<sup>15</sup>As for me, Daniel, my spirit was troubled within me, and the visions of my head terrified me. <sup>16</sup>I approached one of the attendants to ask him the truth concerning all this. So he said that he would disclose to me the interpretation of the matter: <sup>17</sup>“As for these four great beasts, four kings shall arise out of the earth. <sup>18</sup>But the holy ones of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever—forever and ever.”



**Psalm: Psalm 149** [Leader-fine print, **Congregation-Bold Print**]

<sup>1</sup>Hallelujah! Sing to the LORD a new song,  
God's praise in the assembly of the faithful.

<sup>2</sup>**Let Israel rejoice in their maker;  
let the children of Zion be joyful in their ruler.**

<sup>3</sup>Let them praise their maker's name with dancing;  
let them sing praise with tambourine and harp.

<sup>4</sup>**For the LORD takes pleasure in the people  
and adorns the poor with victory.**

<sup>5</sup>Let the faithful rejoice in triumph;  
let them sing for joy on their beds.

<sup>6</sup>**Let the praises of God be in their throat  
and a two-edged sword in their hand,**

<sup>7</sup>to wreak vengeance on the nations  
and punishment on the peoples,

<sup>8</sup>**to bind their kings in chains  
and their nobles with links of iron,**

<sup>9</sup>to inflict on them the judgment decreed;  
this is glory for all God's faithful ones. Hallelujah!

**Second Reading: Ephesians 1:11-23**

<sup>11</sup>In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, <sup>12</sup>so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. <sup>13</sup>In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; <sup>14</sup>this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God's own people, to the praise of his glory.

<sup>15</sup>I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason <sup>16</sup>I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. <sup>17</sup>I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, <sup>18</sup>so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, <sup>19</sup>and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. <sup>20</sup>God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, <sup>21</sup>far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. <sup>22</sup>And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, <sup>23</sup>which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

## **Gospel: Luke 6:20-31**

<sup>20</sup>Then [Jesus] looked up at his disciples and said:

“Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. <sup>21</sup>“Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. “Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.

<sup>22</sup>“Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. <sup>23</sup>Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

<sup>24</sup>“But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. <sup>25</sup>“Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. “Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. <sup>26</sup>“Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.

<sup>27</sup>“But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, <sup>28</sup>bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. <sup>29</sup>If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. <sup>30</sup>Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. <sup>31</sup>Do to others as you would have them do to you.”

## **CHILDRENS SERMON**

## **SERMON**

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

*The Church's One Foundation*

**LBW # 369**

**OFFERING** (Offering will be received during the hymn of the day)

You can use the QR code to give online

**OFFERTORY PRAYER** (In unison)

**We give you thanks, most gracious God, that you have fed us with the bread of heaven and given us a foretaste of Paradise. Enliven us to be your body in the world and to serve those who are in need; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**



## **APOSTLES' CREED** (In unison)

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.**

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.**

**He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again.**

**He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## **THE PRAYERS**

### **HOLY COMMUNION**

#### **THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER** (In unison)

**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.**

### **THE DISTRIBUTION**

### **SENDING HYMN**

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

**LBW # 526**

## **BENEDICTION**

The God of peace,  
who creates all things and calls them good,  
who makes us alive in Jesus,  
and who breathes on us the Spirit of hope,  
bless you now and forever.

**Amen.**

## **DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Be a blessing in the world.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE PARISH**

### **November 6th - All Saints Sunday & Daylight Savings Ends**

8:45 am Worship at Little Bethany

9:00 am Coffee Hour

10:00 am Worship at New Life

### **November 7th - 8:30 am Tai Ji Quan**

### **November 9th - 5:30 pm Confirmation**

6:30 pm NLLC Council meeting

7:00 pm Confirmation

### **November 10th - 8:30 am Tai Ji Quan**

10:30 am American Legion Auxiliary meeting

12:00 pm Bible Study

### **November 13th - Harvest Festival/Veteran Recognition Sunday**

9:00 am Coffee Hour

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Worship at New Life with Sunday School singing &  
Noisy offering

11:00 am Harvest festival meal

12:00 pm Turkey Trot

## **Harvest Festival Sunday**

Sunday November 13th we will hold a joint worship with Little Bethany at 10:00 am at New Life for our annual Harvest Festival Sunday. Other important things happening during this worship service are: we will recognize our veterans in honor of Veterans day, Sunday school will be singing, Noisy offering will be taken, and WELCA will be having their annual Thank offering (This is a special offering is given to the Women of the ELCA to be used church wide where ever it may be needed most).

Please join us following worship for lunch provided in the fellowship hall.

## **Youth Turkey Trot**

Grades 6-12

November 13th

We will eat together during the Harvest festival meal at 11:00 am

The Trot will begin at 12:00 pm

Youth grades 6-12 will walk around town to gather non-perishable food items to be donated to local food shelves in time for Thanksgiving. Feel free to leave any items for donation on your front steps!

## **Save the Cook Dinner**

November 20th 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

We will be serving a baked potato bar and need volunteers to donate items or work shifts.

Make sure to sign up on Jessica's door for your shift to work and/or topping to contribute!

This is a great opportunity to get service hours.

## **Annual Meeting at Little Bethany**

Sunday November 20th at 11:00 am

*Please note the worship and Sunday school time changes for this Sunday:*

8:45 am Worship at New Life

8:45 am Sunday School at New Life

10:00 am Coffee at New Life

10:00 am Worship at Little Bethany

11:00 am Annual meeting at Little Bethany with Potluck