

**BLESSED SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH
FLORISSANT, MISSOURI**



*"EMPOWERED BY GOD'S HOLY WORD,
WE JOYFULLY SHARE THE LOVE OF JESUS WITH ALL PEOPLE;
THROUGH WORSHIP, TEACHING, FELLOWSHIP,
SERVICE AND WITNESSING."*

***THE LAST SUNDAY OF THE CHURCH YEAR
NOVEMBER 20, 2011***

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH-MISSOURI SYNOD

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The Last Sunday of the Church Year

Saturday, November 19 and Sunday, November 20, 2011

WE WELCOME YOU to our worship service this morning. We pray God's rich blessings upon you as you hear His Word and praise His holy name. We ask our members and visitors to please use the friendship pad found on the pew. Kindly hand the friendship pad to the person sitting next to you. The Ushers will collect them after the service. Thank You.

HOLY COMMUNION will be offered during our worship services this week. You are encouraged to prepare for communion by meditating on the Christian Questions and Answers located on pages 329 & 330 in the front of the hymnal.

We rejoice in this celebration of the **LORD'S** Supper as the Lord Jesus indeed comes to us in a very intimate manner, giving to us His true Body & Blood in and with the bread and wine in this sacred meal. St. Paul writes, "*A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself.*" (1 Corinthians 11:28-29) It is out of love and care for every individual that comes to the Lord's Supper that we ask those who are not instructed in the faith and/or doubt the presence of the Body and Blood of Jesus in this Sacrament to speak to the pastor before attending the Lord's Supper. Members of churches that belong to the Lutheran Church- Missouri Synod, believing and confessing as we do, are invited to partake in the Lord's Supper with us. We practice close communion and ask that ALL guests who desire to commune; kindly speak to the Pastor before the service. Please respect our position of love in this matter of pastoral care, BSLC.

THIS WORSHIP FOLDER / CHURCH BULLETIN is prepared for your convenience and contains the entire order of worship with all spoken and sung responses. However, if you are more comfortable using the hymnal, you may use the order of worship found in the front pages of Lutheran Service Book where all the melodies are shown for the sung responses of the congregation.

Greeting of Peace The people may greet one another in the name of the Lord, saying, “Peace be with you,” as a sign of reconciliation and of the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace (Matt. 5:22-24; Eph. 4:1-3).

Opening Hymn “The King of Love My Shepherd Is” #709
Stand

Confession and Absolution

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

- P In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C **Amen.**
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
C **who made heaven and earth.**
- P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
C **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**
- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as

a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

c **Amen.**

Service of the Word

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Introit

Ps. 39:4-5, 7-8, 12a; antiphon: 2 Peter 3:13 NIV



In keeping with his promise we are looking forward to a new heaven and a | new earth,*

the home of | righteousness.

O LORD, make me know my end and what is the measure | of my days;*

let me know how fleeting | I am!

Behold, you have made my days a few | handbreadths,*

and my lifetime is as nothing be- | fore you.

And now, O Lord, for what | do I wait?*

My hope | is in you.

Deliver me from all my trans- | gressions.*

Do not make me the scorn | of the fool!

Hear my prayer, O LORD, and give ear to my cry; hold not your peace | at my tears!*

For I am a sojourner with you, a guest, like all my | fathers.

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be- | ginning,

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

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Kyrie 

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- C Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.


Gloria in Excelsis 

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- P Glory be to God on High,
C and on earth peace, goodwill toward men.
We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee.
we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy
great glory. O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the
Father Almighty.
O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy
upon us.
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive
our prayer.
Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the
Father, have mercy upon us.
For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.
Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,
art most high in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

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- P The Lord be with you.
C  And with thy spirit.
- P Let us pray.
- C **Eternal God, merciful Father, You have appointed
Your Son as judge of the living and the dead.
Enable us to wait for the day of His return with our
eyes fixed on the kingdom prepared for Your own
from the foundation of the world; through Jesus
Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You
and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen.**

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

¹¹“For thus says the Lord GOD: Behold, I, I myself will search for my sheep and will seek them out. ¹²As a shepherd seeks out his flock when he is among his sheep that have been scattered, so will I seek out my sheep, and I will rescue them from all places where they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. ¹³And I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land. And I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the ravines, and in all the inhabited places of the country. ¹⁴I will feed them with good pasture, and on the mountain heights of Israel shall be their grazing land. There they shall lie down in good grazing land, and on rich pasture they shall feed on the mountains of Israel. ¹⁵I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I myself will make them lie down, declares the Lord GOD. ¹⁶I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, and the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them in justice. . . .

²⁰“Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD to them: Behold, I, I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. ²¹Because you push with side and shoulder, and thrust at all the weak with your horns, till you have scattered them abroad, ²²I will rescue my flock; they shall no longer be a prey. And I will judge between sheep and sheep. ²³And I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. ²⁴And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them. I am the LORD; I have spoken.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual

Rev. 7:14b; Ps. 84:5

C These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. Blessed are those whose strength is in you, in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

Epistle

1 Corinthians 15:20-28

²⁰But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. ²¹For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead. ²²For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive. ²³But each in his own order: Christ the firstfruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. ²⁴Then comes the end, when he delivers the kingdom to God the Father after destroying every rule and every authority and power. ²⁵For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. ²⁶The last enemy to be destroyed is death. ²⁷For “God has put all things in subjection under his feet.” But when it says, “all things are put in subjection,” it is plain that he is excepted who put all things in subjection under him. ²⁸When all things are subjected to him, then the Son himself will also be subjected to him who put all things in subjection under him, that God may be all in all.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C **Thanks be to God.**

Stand

Alleluia and Verse 🎵

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- C **Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

Holy Gospel

Matthew 25:31-46

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the Twenty-fifth chapter.
- C 🎵 **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

³¹Jesus said: “When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on his glorious throne. ³²Before him will be gathered all the nations, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. ³³And he will place the sheep on his right, but the goats on the left. ³⁴Then the King will say to those on his right, ‘Come, you who are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. ³⁵For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶I was naked and you clothed me, I was sick and you visited me, I was in prison and you came

to me.’³⁷ Then the righteous will answer him, saying, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you drink?³⁸ And when did we see you a stranger and welcome you, or naked and clothe you?’³⁹ And when did we see you sick or in prison and visit you?’⁴⁰ And the King will answer them, ‘Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.’

⁴¹ “Then he will say to those on his left, ‘Depart from me, you cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels.

⁴² For I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me no drink,⁴³ I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not clothe me, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.’⁴⁴ Then they also will answer, saying, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to you?’⁴⁵ Then he will answer them, saying, ‘Truly, I say to you, as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.’⁴⁶ And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life.”

A This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C  **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

Nicene Creed

p. 191

C **I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came
down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the
virgin Mary and was made man;**

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures

and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.

And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is
worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and
apostolic Church,

I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of
sins,

and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

Sit

Children's Message

Sermon Hymn "All Mankind Fell in Adam's Fall" #562

Sermon

Offering

Stand

Offertory 

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- © Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a
right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not
Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and
uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

Prayer of the Church

After each petition of the prayers:

P Even so,

C **Come, Lord Jesus!**

After the final petition:

P His mercy, and His love. Even so,

C **Come, Lord Jesus! Amen.**

Service of the Sacrament

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Preface

P The Lord be with you.

C  **And with thy spirit.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C  **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.

C  **It is meet and right so to do.**

P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus

p. 195

C **Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that
cometh in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.**

Lord's Prayer

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C **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 Words of Our Lord

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P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said:
"Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you.
This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
C  Amen.

Agnus Dei

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C O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

Sit

Distribution

Distribution Hymns

“Crown Him with Many Crowns”

#525

“Beautiful Savior”

#537

“Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise”

#680

Stand



Nunc Dimittis 

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- C **Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**


Thanksgiving


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- P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
C  **and His mercy endureth forever.**
- P Let us pray.
P We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
C  **Amen.**

Salutation and Benedicamus


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- P The Lord be with you.
C  **And with thy spirit.**

P Bless we the Lord.
C  **Thanks be to God.**

Benediction

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P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine upon you
and be gracious unto you.
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give
you peace.
C  **Amen, amen, amen.**

Closing Hymn “Have No Fear, Little Flock”

#735

Sit

Announcements

*After the announcements, please stand for the closing
Doxology*

Doxology

#805

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Go and Serve the Lord

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The Preacher	Pastor Matthew Roeglin
The Liturgist:	Vicar Eric Ekong
The Organist & Dir. Of Music:	Mr. Kenneth Butherus
Greeters:	E- Carol Dennett & L- Paula & Terry Bossaller
Elder Greeters:	Saturday: Brian McKenna E- Jim Steinbruegge & L- Dave McDermott
	Acolytes: Sunday 8:00 am: Cameron Helmich Sunday 10:30 am: Jacob Roeglin
Christian Education:	Sunday 9:15 a.m. Adults, Young Adults, Youth, and Sunday School Wednesday morning Bible Class 9:30 a.m.

Altar flowers - Are placed by Ray & Cheryl Ehrhard in thankfulness for God’s many blessings.

BLESSED SAVIOR'S CALENDAR
November 20– November 27, 2011

TODAY: 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. **Worship Services**
Sunday with Holy Communion
9:15 a.m. **Sunday School & Bible Classes**
Nov. 20 9:15 a.m. **Youth Confirmation Classes**

MONDAY:
Nov. 21

TUESDAY: 7:00 p.m. **Choir Rehearsal**
Nov. 22

WEDNESDAY: 9:30 a.m. **Adult Bible Study**
Nov. 23 6:30 p.m. **Adult Bible Study (McKenna)**

THURSDAY 9:00 a.m. **Thanksgiving Day Worship Service with**
Nov. 24 **Holy Communion**

FRIDAY: **Office Closed**
Nov. 25

SATURDAY: 7:00 a.m. **MOBS Bible Study @ Denny's**
9:00 a.m. Hanging of the Green's
12:30 p.m. **F.Hall in use – Radford's**
Nov. 26 6:00 p.m. **Worship Service**

NEXT 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. **Worship Services**
SUNDAY 9:15 a.m. **Sunday School & Bible Classes**
Nov. 27 9:15 a.m. **Youth Confirmation Classes**

November 26th at 9:00 a.m. Hanging of the Greens -
Please sign up in fellowship hall for the area you would like to help decorate. Thank You.



Adorn the Church - 20 Poinsettias have been reserved from the greenhouse. If you would like to order a Poinsettia, please pick up an order form located in fellowship hall. Orders will be taken through December 4th.

CALLING ALL CHILDREN!



CHRISTMAS REHEARSALS

All children ages 0 – youth groups are encouraged to participate.

Saturday, Nov. 19th from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 26th – **NO** Practice

Dec. 3 (TBD due to Breakfast in Bethlehem)

Dec. 10th & 17th from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. (possibly lunch break from 12-12:30, and then practice from 12:30 – 1:30).



Sunday, Dec. 18th – Performance Day

5:30 p.m. – parents drop off kids and enjoy hors d'oeuvres as kids get ready.

6:00-7:00 p.m. – Children's Christmas Service

7:00 p.m. – Dinner, dessert and Christmas carols. (We are looking into providing child care, so that the kids can play and be supervised and parents can also enjoy themselves.)

If you should have any questions, please feel free to call Sandy Radford or Becky Daengsurisri.



Breakfast in Bethlehem - Sat., Dec. 3rd
10 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Come and enjoy breakfast, a picture of you and/or your family in the manger, crafts, Bethlehem Bingo and the story of our Savior's birth. If anyone would like to help serve or bring muffins, pastries or breads to the breakfast, please sign up on the sheet in Fellowship Hall. There is also a sign-up sheet if you plan to attend or would like to help. All ages are invited.

REMINDER

Voter's Assembly - Dec. 4th after late service.

We will be voting on the church budget and leadership at the December meeting. If you would like to review the church budget, copies are available on the table in fellowship hall. If you cannot attend the meeting, please keep Blessed Savior in your prayers.

The Prayer: *Lord Jesus, I pray that You would continue to bless our church with programs and ministries that grow and succeed. I also pray that You would allow us never to lose sight of the source of this sufficiency—You and You alone. Make and keep us humble servants, O Lord. In Jesus name. Amen.*



SCRIP FOR YOUR HOLIDAY SHOPPING

Cabelas offering 13% goes to Blessed Savior, Bath & Body Workes 18 %, Sears 7%, J.C. Penneys 7%

During the holidays, SCRIP raises the contribution going to the organization. The contribution is given to Blessed Savior the day they are purchased. During the holidays is a good time to buy your SCRIP cards even though they won't be used until next year. Remember when you use SCRIP cards you are giving to Blessed Savior. Any questions, call Patti Henneman.



You are Invited to

LIGHTS CHRISTMAS PARTY
Thursday, December 8th at
6:30 PM

We are inviting all the ladies of the congregation to join us to celebrate the birth of our Lord. We will be presenting a special Happy Birthday Jesus Cake and we will all light candles around it. We will also exchange tree ornaments with each other.

Cake and punch provided. Please bring one appetizer with you to share.

Ladies may bring your daughter or granddaughter. Babysitting will be provided for the younger children.

Nov. 20

Last Sunday of the Church Year

1 Corinthians 15:20-28: In this great resurrection chapter of the Bible St. Paul affirms that because of the resurrection of Jesus we are changed people who seek to use all we are and have to give a bold witness to the hope we have in Christ. The life, death and resurrection of Jesus have changed all of human history and we are privileged to be His agents who proclaim this change in a world darkened by sin!