



PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

LORD'S PRAYER

PARTING SONG

*We Have Hope*

BLESSING

POSTLUDE

*Lift Up Your Heads*

Ewald Weiss

**Worship Leaders**

Preaching

Pastor Rory Philstrom

Presiding

Pastor Maria Anderson-Lippert

Children's Message

Brittany McDonald

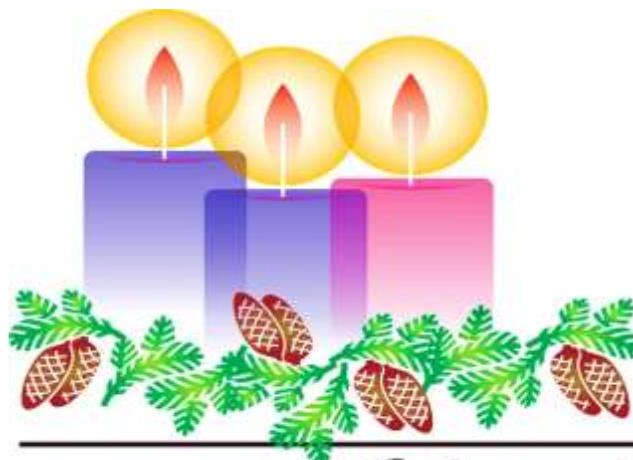
Organist/Music Director

Bjorn Gustafson

**There will be no Digital Coffee Hour today since there is Drive-In Church. It will return next weekend.**

**In your prayers this week, please remember:**

- **Continuing Prayers:** Laurie Youmans (sister-in-law of Pam Jaye & Karen Youmans), Lois Torvik, Steve Casperson, Jim Knutson, Jaden Hanson (relative of Lorie Aljoe), Pastor Dave Valen, Char Weidenbach, Miriam Hecht, John Peterson (brother of Jim Stoll), Laura Grondin (Shirley Smith's daughter), Tom Turrso (friend of Jim Stoll's), Sadie Peterson (granddaughter of Sig Backlin), Nora Williquette (Mary Schoenleber's sister), Al Rode (Jodi Haddox's brother-in-law), Jim Rausenberger, Phyllis Rose, Kim Reed (Marilyn Akimoto's nephew), and Ted & Marilon Anderson (friends of Bev Larson)
- **Nannette Eklund** and all who are homebound
- **Rev. Philip and Lou-Marie Knutson, South Africa; Rev. Dorcas Wang, China and Peace Center for the Blind in Jerusalem**
- **Bishop W.M. Rakuba, Central Dioceses, Evangelical Lutheran Church of Southern Africa**



THIRD SUNDAY OF *Advent*

**December’s Gift of Love is ELCA World Hunger**

God richly provides for daily bread — the earth can produce enough food for everyone. Yet, many of our sisters and brothers still go hungry. By providing immediate relief to those who are hungry, we meet basic needs and recognize the universal human right to food. But ending hunger is about more than food. Go to <https://www.elca.org/Our-Work/Relief-and-Development/ELCA-World-Hunger> for more info.

**Puzzles**

**Puzzling** over how you will wile away cold, dark winter hours? Perhaps piecing together the colors and intricacies of peaceful landscapes will add some cheer to otherwise seemingly long days. CTK is adding a **“Jigsaw Puzzle Swap”** to our spiritual well-being “care center”. There is a Puzzle Swap Spot in front the CTK library desk. To help us get started, drop off your used puzzle(s) in the Return [box]. (If you would like your puzzle back please write your name and phone # in the lid) Wait a few days so boxes can “rest”. We will wipe them down and move them to the Pickup [table]. After that, pick-up a puzzle, enjoy, return it and pickup another. You are also welcome to stop into the library and check out a book. When you enter the church, please remember to mask up, use the sanitizer provided and sign in.

**Bible Reading for next week:**

*4th Sunday of Advent*

**2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16 Psalm 89:1-4, 19-26  
Romans 16:25-27 Luke 1:26-38**

**January Newsletter Deadline**

**Monday, December 14**

Email newsletter articles [jvevea@ctkb.org](mailto:jvevea@ctkb.org) or leave a hard copy in the church office.

**Devotional Booklets**

If anyone would like a devotional booklet – we can either leave some on the bench outside the office with your name on it (call the office) or you can find them in our Little Free Library at the end of the driveway on Fremont.

**Christmas is Coming!**

Looking for a few great gift ideas? How about a mug and a canister of cocoa mix, a bag of coffee, or box of tea. Put together a gift basket with olive oil and your favorite pasta and sauce. Maybe a chocolate lovers gift bag with cocoa and a variety of chocolate bars. Call the office if you are interested in purchasing anything and they will set you up.

~ Chris and Jim, the coffee people

**Advent Midweek**

Need a little space to breathe in the midst of this season? Join us for Advent Midweek worship this season via Zoom for a time to pause and rest along the pathway we are making together as we prepare for the promise of Christ's coming among us. We will gather at **7pm** for no more than 20 minutes as we rest in readings, singing, perhaps some silence or a meditation. Being together on Zoom will allow us to interact with one another, see each other's faces, and participate in worship in ways we haven't been able to during our global pandemic. We know that there are some in our community who do not use zoom. For those who cannot attend worship "in person," you can worship with us via Facebook live or our YouTube Channel. We pray this space will be a blessing for you each week.

**BRIGHTEN THE NIGHT - Outdoor Fellowship**

**Sun. Dec. 20th, 5pm**

*Looking for a way to celebrate the season with your church community, while being safe? Come to "Brighten the Night," a simple, joyous outdoor gathering where we can fellowship with others, enjoy the outdoor lights and decorations on our church building, gather around a bonfire, enjoy a special carol presentation, and sing Silent Night by candle-light as we enter the week of Christmas, a week that will be unlike so many others. Even in the midst of pandemic, we are com-munity to one another, so pack a thermos of cocoa, cider, or coffee, wear your mask AND warm clothes, and spend an hour with others to celebrate the Prince of Peace, "risen with healing in his wings." (Subject to change due to the pandemic restrictions)*

**Virtual Christmas Pageant**

**Please have your videos turned into Brittany by Tuesday, Dec. 15. Thank you!**



CHRIST THE KING

## ORNAMENT SHARING

We would love for you all to be present in our Christmas Eve worship video by sharing an ornament with our CTK Christmas Tree.

**Between now and December 14th, drop off or send an ornament to the church office that we can hang on a tree at CTK. It will appear in our Christmas Eve pre-recorded worship service.** (We will be collecting them at drive-in worship on Dec. 13th, too!)

This ornament can be one you make, one you usually hang on your tree at home, one you buy just for this purpose - it's up to you!

Label your ornament so it can be returned to you after December 20th.

Contact Pr. Maria with questions.

### Digital Schedule!

#### Sundays

9:30am – Sunday Worship Posted on YouTube, Facebook, and [www.ctkb.org/services/](http://www.ctkb.org/services/)

11am - Digital Coffee Hour on Zoom

<https://zoom.us/j/93941598230?pwd=cjh3RVlxSkp4NDgxMTN3T3FYbGpBdz09>

#### Daily

10am - Digital Devotional on Facebook Live (Monday-Thursday)

Written Devotionals via email or at [www.ctkb.org/devotional/](http://www.ctkb.org/devotional/)

#### Tuesdays

2pm - Community Announcements via Constant Contact

#### Wednesdays

10:30am - Bible Study on Zoom SEE PASSWORD & LINK ON CONSTANT CONTACT EMAIL

<https://zoom.us/j/92285260487?pwd=aUdj2JuRkt5cnhGTTZtMnpFci82dz09>

7pm Advent Midweek on Zoom

<https://zoom.us/j/98529994002?pwd=a2hiZjZfb3c2NkplUWRDZTkrZ1lBdz09>