# WELCOME

## ADVENT | CHRISTMAS | EPIPHANY | LENT | EASTER | TRINITY

**To our visitors** We are glad you have joined us to share in the gifts of our gracious Lord as we worship Him together in spirit and truth by receiving His Word and Sacraments. We invite you to pick up information and our Wittenberg Way newsletter at our welcome desk. If you have questions concerning the Christian faith or the Lutheran tradition, please let us know as our pastor would love to speak with you.

Children are welcome in our services Grace is a church family and we believe like any family we learn by doing things together. Bulletins are available for children that coincide with the liturgical calendar and scripture readings. We encourage parents to guide their children throughout the service, helping them to the learn the language of the faith through the liturgy. A nursery with sound is located in the hallway outside the sanctuary to the right just before the glass door to the courtyard.

Holy Communion Our fellowship in the Lord's Supper follows the Lutheran tradition grounded in the teaching of Holy Scripture. As one baptized into the Name of our Triune God and confessing the real presence of Christ's body and blood in the Supper for the forgiveness of sins you are warmly invited to join us around the table for Holy Communion. If you are not communing but wish to be blessed, then simply cross your arms at the rail and you will be blessed by the celebrant.

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**Please silence cell phones** and be mindful of those preparing for worship.

**Restrooms** are in the hallway outside the sanctuary.

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### AS WE GATHER

John 10:14: "I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me." What does it mean to know the Lord? It starts with being known by the Lord: He claims us as His own and calls us by name. Then, once we are His, we learn to know Him, and in knowing Him, we learn to imitate Him. That is how the Christian life of good works and generosity grows from the Lord's grace.

### Collect:

O God, through the humiliation of Your Son You raised up the fallen world. Grant to Your faithful people, rescued from the peril of everlasting death, perpetual gladness and eternal joys; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### John 10:11-16

<sup>11</sup> I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. <sup>12</sup> He who is a hired hand and not a shepherd, who does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and flees, and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. <sup>13</sup> He flees because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep. <sup>14</sup> I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, <sup>15</sup> just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep. <sup>16</sup> And I have other sheep that are not of this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd.

#### DIVINE SERVICE SETTING III Jesu. Jov of Man's Desirina JS Bach The King of Love My Shepherd Is 709 Confession & Absolution (kneel) 184 Kyrie 186 **Gloria in Excelsis** 187 **Salutation and Collect** 189 Reading Ezekiel 34:11-16 Gradual 1 Peter 2:21-25 Reading Alleluia Gospel John 10:11-16 Anthem Parish Choir Loving Shepherd of the Sheep arr. L. Lenel Sermon "Pastorized" John 10:11-16 Nicene Creed 191 **Prayer of the Church** Offertory Hymn I Am Jesus' Little Lamb 740 Preface 194 Sanctus 195 196 Lord's Prayer (spoken) The Words of Our Lord (spoken) 197 Memorial Acclamation Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. Pax Domini 197 **Agnus Dei** 198 **Eucharist** Psalm 23 Have No Fear, Little Flock 735 **Nunc Dimittis** 199 201 **Thanksgiving Salutation and Benedicamus** 201 **Benediction** 202 Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us 711 Trumpet Tune John Stanley

\* bold indicates standing

### **WORSHIP ASSISTANTS**

**Pastor** Rev. Brian Thomas **Director of Music** Dale Sorenson

### **SERVING TODAY AT 8 AM**

Elder Steve Hollman
Altar Guild Jack & Judy George
Crucifer Spencer Huntley
Lector Mark Jordan
Usher Heath Russert

### **SERVING TODAY AT 10:30 AM**

Elder Jeremy Fullam
Altar Guild Cindy Hansen
Crucifer Andersen Lee
Lector Jeremy Fullam
Cantor Richard Segarra
Usher Harold Nichols

### **SERVING 4/21 AT 8 AM**

Elder Jason Huntley
Altar Guild Huntley Family
Crucifer Spencer Huntley
Lector Jason Huntley
Usher Harold Nichols

### **SERVING 4/21 AT 10:30 AM**

**Elder** Ted Nilsen

**Altar Guild** 

Crucifer Bennett Lee
Lector Daryl Svensson
Cantor Randy Houts
Usher Daryl Svensson

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** 9:30 – 10:15 AM St. Mark Classroom, Nursery, & Den

SUNDAY CHOIR PRACTICE 9:20—10:10

Music Room

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WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY 10:00 am St. Mark Classroom

SATURDAY BIBLE STUDY 8:00 am

St. Mark Classroom

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

APRIL WITTENBERG WAY IS AVAILABLE TODAY AND ONLINE ON OUR WEBSITE. Pick up one to take home.

**COFFEE FELLOWSHIP** There is a new sign-up sheet to help with the refreshments before and after the services. Please sign up to bring something to share or to clean up afterwards.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** If you would like to offer your time and talent to GLC, we need ushers at both services, Altar Guild members for the 10:30 service (training provided), and part-time office help. If you are interested, please see Pr. Brian or Gretchen Jordan in the church office.



Join us after the service for "Elevated" Appetizers and fellowship!

#### PRAYERS FOR STRENGTH AND HEALING

Dave, Bill, Phil, Mike, John, Heidi, Edward, Daniel, Nancy, Jan, Barbara, Karen, and Kelley

#### **PRAYERS AWAITING A CHILD OF GOD**

Jordan Gruetzmacher, Rachel Hawthorne, Teagan LeYanna

#### PRAYERS FOR OUR MISSIONARIES & SEMINARIANS

Rev. Dr. John Bombaro, Rev. Dr. Tardelli Voss, and Vicar Rowan Turner

#### PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY MEMBERS

Rev. Mario Ancira, Micah Burge, Tajy George, Daniel Fohey, Nathan Farish, Matthew Morgan, Jeff & Jordan Gruetzmacher

### PRAYERS FOR THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND

Joyce Rochester

# GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY

April 14, 2024 8:00 and 10:30 AM



Proclaiming the Good News of God's grace in Jesus Christ