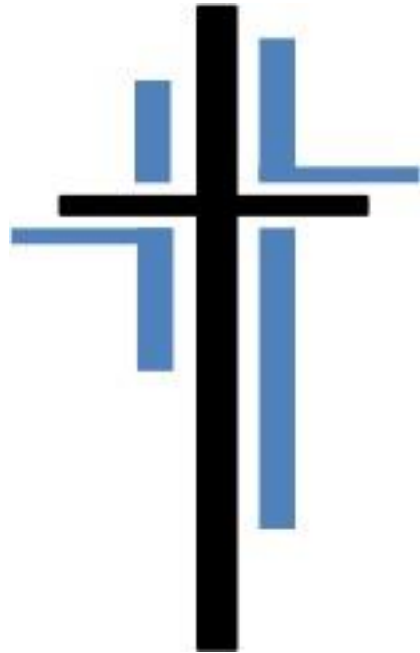


Email Blast for October 20



22nd Sunday after Pentecost

Kent Memorial Lutheran Church

184 Sunset Hill Drive
Sunrise Beach, Missouri 65079

The Rev. Edward L. Foster, Pastor

October 20, 2024

Hearing God's Call & Responding in Love,
We Share Jesus With All!

FROM PASTOR ED

There will be no Grief Group this afternoon or Bible Study this evening.

OUR 10:00 a.m. WORSHIP IS AVAILABLE VIA ZOOM:

To join a worship service, please contact the church at 573-374-5267 for assistance.

Welcome to Worship

Today's gospel starts with disciples obsessing over who will be closest to Jesus, leading to Jesus teaching his followers about God's take on importance and power. Here Jesus makes it explicit that the reversal of values in God's community is a direct challenge to the values of the dominant culture, where wielding power over others is what makes you great. When we pray "your kingdom come" we are praying for an end to tyranny and oppression. We pray this gathered around the cross, a sign of great shame transformed to be the sign of great honor and service.

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Prelude

Sunday Joy

Vanessa Hebrank

You are invited to use this time of musical offering to prepare for worship, to open yourself to God, our Father, his Son, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit, present in this place.

Confession and Forgiveness

P: Friends in Christ, as we prepare for worship this morning, let us acknowledge our need for God's help.

Silence for personal reflection

P: Let us pray:

C: We confess our lack of peace. We are unsettled and disturbed. We try to structure our world for maximum protection, yet we find our fortress of self-sufficiency penetrated daily. Lord, we need your peace. We want to know that you love us and that our sin is forgiven. We want to stretch out and rest in your loving arms. Lord, forgive the distance we have placed between you and us.

P: God is a great God! God has forgiven our sin. With Love, God brings the gifts of peace, patience, and kindness. God's Spirit helps us live confidently, knowing that our strength is in Christ. Through Jesus' death and resurrection God has set us free to know real peace.

Sharing of the Peace (We share a sign of peace with one another.)

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

Gathering Hymn

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

ELW # 789, v. 1 & 2

Liturgy *Setting 4*

ELW p. 147

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

C: And also with you.

Kyrie

Canticle of Praise: Glory to God in the highest

ELW p. 148

Prayer of the Day

All: Sovereign God, you turn your greatness into goodness for all the peoples on earth. Shape us into willing servants of your kingdom, and make us desire always and only your will, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Children's Sermon

Pastor Ed

Anthem

At the Table of the Lord

Kent Choir

First Reading

Isaiah 53:4-12

Old Testament

L: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.**Psalm 91:9-16** (congregation reads responsively)⁹Because you have made the Lord your refuge,
and the Most High your habitation,¹⁰**no evil will befall you,
nor shall affliction come near your dwelling.**¹¹For God will give the angels charge over you,
to guard you in all your ways.¹²**Upon their hands they will bear you up,
lest you strike your foot against a stone.**¹³You will tread upon the lion cub and viper;
you will trample down the lion and the serpent.¹⁴**I will deliver those who cling to me;
I will uphold them, because they know my name.**¹⁵They will call me, and I will answer them;
I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue and honor them.¹⁶**With long life will I satisfy them,
and show them my salvation.****Second Reading**

Hebrews 5:1-10

New Testament

L: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God.**Gospel Announcement**

Pastor Ed Foster

P: The gospel according to Mark, the tenth chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord.**Gospel Reading**

Mark 10:35-45

New Testament

P: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ**Sermon**

Pastor Ed Foster

Hymn of the Day*You Servants of God*

ELW # 825

Profession of Faith–Apostle’s Creed**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.****I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit.****born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.****On the third day he rose again;****he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,****and 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

P: God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

Reception of Offerings *Please fill out the red friendship pad and pass it to your neighbor.*

Offertory

Break Thou the Bread of Life

Vanessa Hebrank

Offering Prayer

P: Blessed are you, O God,

C: source of every gift of your creation. By these gifts and with our lives, help us to serve one another and all in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Holy Communion

ELW p. 152

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy...

Holy, Holy, Holy

ELW p. 153

Words of Institution

The 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.

Distribution

Holy Communion is the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ given with bread and wine, instituted by Christ himself for us to eat and drink. Communion is open to all who believe that Jesus Christ is our savior. Children who do not commune may come forward for a blessing. You may commune in place using a communion kit, if preferred.

Communion Hymns

All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly

ELW # 461

When Our Song Says Peace

ELW # 709

On Eagle's Wings

ELW # 787

Post-Communion Prayer

Benediction

Announcements

Sending Hymn

O, Master, Let Me Walk With You

ELW # 818, v. 1 & 3

The Dismissal

P: Hearing God’s call and responding in love,

C: we share Jesus with all!

Postlude

Lord, Speak to Me

Vanessa Hebrank

Fellowship Time

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

WORSHIP LEADERS

PastorEd Foster
Organist/Pianist Vanessa Hebrank
Choir Director.....Tracy Garrett
Choir Accompanist..... Tracey Atzeni
Handbells Director..... Toni Wagner

Altar Guild.....Ingrid Niemann
Greeters/UshersMike and Judy Ward
LiturgistTracy Garrett
Lector.....Steve Atzeni
Sound & Zoom Technician..... Al Mohling
Coffee Fellowship.....Al & Cindy Mohling

COMING THIS WEEK

October 20-27

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| Sunday | 8:30 a.m. | Choir Rehearsal |
| | 9:15 a.m. | Sunday School & Bible Study for all ages |
| | 10:00 a.m. | Worship with Holy Communion (live-streamed) |
| | 11:00 a.m. | Fellowship (coffee & donuts) |
| Monday | 10:20 a.m. | Westside Senior Center Volunteering |
| Wednesday | 10:20 a.m. | Westside Senior Center Volunteering |
| | 6:00 p.m. | Evening Bible Study |
| Thursday | 10:00 a.m. | Men’s Bible Study |
| | 10:20 a.m. | Westside Senior Center Volunteering |
| Friday | 10:20 a.m. | Westside Senior Center Volunteering |
| Sunday | | REFORMATION SUNDAY |
| | 8:30 a.m. | Choir Rehearsal |
| | 9:15 a.m. | Sunday School & Bible Study for all ages |
| | 9:20 a.m. | Handbells Rehearsal |
| | 10:00 a.m. | Worship with Holy Communion (live-streamed) |
| | 11:00 a.m. | Fellowship (coffee & donuts) |

† *Prayer Concerns* †

OUR MEMBERS

Maxine Williams
Liz
Donald Brumm
Marsha Gust

Geri Riley
Stan Field
Pat Embich
Jim Gilbert

Joel Hellman
Gene Page

OUR FAMILY & FRIENDS

Doug Jones
Bob McMickell
Sal Caudill
Patrick Parkhurst
Mary Beth Fair
Kevin Hayes
Linda Moore
Kenny Mullins

Cindy Holm
Kirk McLaughlin
Stacy Carey
Ryan Dillman
Trudy Hamilton
Dianne Steingrubey
Wayne Jackson
Gil Wilde

Tamara McClain
Jeanne Hines
Mike Holmes
Steve Hughes
Tom Simmons
Vicki Sawyer
Marcille Bohling

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Julie (Ziehl) Anderson
Evan Beaupre
Michelle Becker
Jessica Birdsong
Cindy Campbell
Shirley Clark
Evelyn Clements
Chuck Cuthbertson
Ron Ferguson
Stacey Fleck
Al Gann
Ken Gerardy

Carla Glusing
Ruth Goddard & family
Gary Hansen
Bryan Hastings
CF Huff
Teresa Joslin
Linda Kimberling
Ed Krueger
Blanch Lacroix
Jennifer Pedersen
Jodi (Ziehl) Redmond
Ron Roberts

Marcia Robbins
Pat & Shirley Rogers
Michele Schafer
Dave Shaver
Karen Thompson
Karen Tischnor
Theresa White
Bernie Wiegel
Jerry Williams
Larry Wilson

REMEMBERING THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Christopher Babcock
Eric Blomberg
Ben Brammeier
Shade Bullock
Salathiel (Sal) Caudill
Dylan Craig

Aaron Davis
Tanner Glodt
Kristine Hubbard
Jason Ites
Jason Judge
Adam Kralina

Matt Lee
Jordan Lindeman
Glenn Maddock
Tristan Morgan
Adam Peterson
Trent Simmons

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR OCTOBER 20

WELCOME TO KENT MEMORIAL Thank you for worshipping with us this morning. Communion is open to all who believe that Jesus Christ is our Savior. We invite you to stay for coffee and fellowship (and donuts!) after the service. If you are visiting for the first time or searching for a church home, please include your address and phone number on the Red Friendship Pad and let us know. First time here? Please introduce yourself to Pastor Ed at the end of the service.

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are given by Joan & Don Wilken in honor of our children's birthdays (10/30).

CARE CORE for October is Melba Bangert, 573-386-5030; for November is Karen Ringsdorf, 217-248-8969.

PACK GOODY BAGS TODAY Join us to pack goodie bags for Hurricane Deck this morning following worship in the fellowship hall.

THANK YOU to those who helped with the quilts and those that contributed and help with the health care kits for Lutheran World Relief. They were dropped off Wednesday. –Cindy Mohling, Sally Burke & Joan Wilken

PLEASE BE SURE THE CHURCH IS LOCKED UP If you unlock the church, please be sure to lock it up again. Security is the concern of all of us.

IVORIES AND HARMONIES, today. Come for an afternoon of inspirational music featuring local musicians, including some folks from Kent. Sunday, October 20, 2:00 p.m., First Baptist Church, Old Hwy 5, Camdenton. Admission is free.

TRUNK OR TREAT - Join the fun of our annual Trunk or Treat. On Thursday, October 31, you are all invited to gather in the church parking lot with trunks and truck beds decorated for Halloween. From 5:00-7:00 p.m., we will hand out candy and enjoy the children, families, and costumes. Plan on candy for at least 250 children. You can dress in a costume if you would like, but you don't have to do so. If the weather is bad that evening, we will set up in the Fellowship Hall. Then afterwards, we'll enjoy hot soup and warm fellowship inside. A sign-up sheet is in the fellowship hall to sign up for a soup (or dessert). If you can't join us, we welcome donated bags of candy for the others to hand out. Thanks, Cindy Mohling.

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY is November 3. During worship we place a white rose on the altar in memory of those who died since the last All Saints Sunday. If you would like your loved one to be remembered on this day, please contact the church office by Tuesday, October 29.

KENT MEMORIAL'S ANNUAL MEETING IS NOVEMBER 10 The 2024 Annual Meeting will be held after worship, followed by a potluck brunch/lunch. We will vote on the 2025 budget, our new council members and a change to the Kent By-Laws. The agenda, minutes from the 2023 meeting, the proposed 2025 budget and the proposed change to our constitution will be emailed to members and be available to pick up by October 27.

SYMPHONY OF THE MAGIC DRAGON IN CONCERT Come hear wonderful music from four string ensembles on Monday, November 4, 7pm, here at Kent Memorial. For more information, ask Sally Burke.

LAKE JAZZ BAND IN CONCERT AT KENT On Saturday, November 9, at 7pm, the Lake Jazz Band will entertain with lots of swing, jazz and Latin big band tunes.

COMMUNITY FOR CHRIST PANTRY The CFC food pantry has been especially busy! We totally understand that food costs have gone up for everyone, and now in our community (soon the end of our tourist season) the need for our food pantry has more than doubled. We would greatly appreciate any food/paper/cleaning items that can be donated. Here is a list that might help:

- Canned Fruit & Veggies
- Canned Tuna & Chicken
- Boxed Meals, Potatoes, Dressing
- Soups / Beans / Canned Tomatoes

- Cereal (hot or cold)
- Taco / Chili Seasoning
- Cleaning supplies
- Shampoo for family
- Body Wash for family
- Deodorant for Men & Women
- Can Openers (for the homeless)
- Bring your donations to church and put them in the big blue box in the narthex outside of Pastor's office.

SAVE THE DATE!!! Saturday, November 30 The members of Our Savior's in Jefferson City, would like to invite you and your congregation to a Retirement Celebration for Pastor Scott and Debbie Musselman, Saturday, November 30, from 2 -5 pm, at Our Savior's, 1529 Southwest Blvd! More details to follow.

Season 4 of "Soup on Sunday" kicks off on November 3rd

What is "Soup on Sunday" you ask? Each weekend throughout the fall and winter, Kathy Fair puts together a pot of soup, portions it out & makes it available for you to take home after church on Sunday. (Hence the catchy "Soup on Sunday" title...) A Thrivent Action Team will buy a lot of groceries & Kathy will make that \$250 stretch as far as she can, but she asks that we help out by giving \$1 per serving. The first two years, she made 12 servings of soup each week. Last season she made 16 servings each week.

Kathy is taking soup suggestions and favorite recipes. What sounds good to you? Those of you who don't take your bulletins home with you - **please grab a pencil and jot down on the back of your bulletin what kind of soup you'd like to have.** When you hand your bulletin back to the ushers at the end of the service, Kathy will collect them and get ready to make some soup!