

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Good Stewards Together Intergenerational Sunday School.

Join us TODAY, Sunday, December 3 for
Advent Fair.
We'll gather in the back of the Fellowship
Hall at 10:15. Join us!



A huge and resounding **Thank You** to my family, my CTK family and friends! What a blessing you have all been to me the last 40 years! It has been my honor and joy to create memories for all of the children that sang in the Cherub Choir from 3 yrs. old to third grade! And to serve in some cases, three generations of families! Thank you all again for being a small neighborhood church with a HUGE HEART! I love you all my CTK FAMILY!

Mrs. "O"



How does a
weary world
rejoice?

Advent Visio Divina Bible Study

Visio Divina, latin for "divine seeing," is a method of meditation, reflection, and prayer through a process of intentional seeing. Visio Divina extends the 6th century Benedictine practice of Lectio Divina by the use of visual imagery. We'll meet in the Conference room for Bible study and to explore images from our Advent theme,

"How does a weary world rejoice?"

Tuesday, December 5: 9:30 am
First Week in Advent:
We acknowledge our weariness

Please Donate

During this Advent season, when the need is so great, please consider bringing a non-perishable food item and place it in the grocery cart. We will get your donations to the White Bear Area Food Shelf by Christmas.



Pastor Rebecca Sullivan
Music Leader Betsy Murray
LAM Bill Hughes
Reader Polly Morrison
Communion Trip Sullivan, Alex Johnson
Acolyte Jack Sullivan
Ushers Howard Juni, Mike Wallace
AV Jason Clapper, Julia Clapper
Altar Guild Connie Carlson, Peggy Keohen
Hospitality Mike Wallace, Joan Macheledt, Terry & Peggy Keohen

**Please stand as you are able.*

PRELUDE	Partita on "People Look East: 1st Mvmt," by J. Bertolozzi	Betsy Murray
CALL TO WORSHIP		Screen
CANDLE LIGHTING	"Christ Be Our Light," by B. Farrell	Betsy Murray
*CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS		Screen
*OPENING HYMN	"Now the Heavens Start to Whisper," ACS #901	Screen
*GREETING		Screen
*PRAYER OF THE DAY		Screen
SPECIAL MUSIC	"Come, Great Deliverer, Come," J. Glass	King's Choir
LESSON	1 Corinthians 1:3-9 p 926 NRSV	
PSALM	Psalms 80:1-7, 17-19 (read responsively) p 470 NRSV	Screen
*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	"Emmanuel," by B. McGee	Screen
*GOSPEL	Luke 1:1-23, p 830 NRSV	
CHILDREN & YOUTH TIME		Pastor Rebecca
SERMON		Pastor Rebecca
*HYMN OF THE DAY	"Signs and Wonders," ELW #672	Screen
*APOSTLES CREED		Screen
*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		

Leader: With hope and expectation, we offer our prayers for the church, the world, and all who await God's day of restoration.

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A brief silence.

After each petition:

Leader: . . . Merciful God,

All: receive our prayer.

Leader: Listen to these and all our prayers, O God of hosts, and restore us with your great and everlasting mercy.

All: Amen.

*PEACE		Screen
OFFERING	Partita on "People Look East: 2nd Mvmt," by J. Bertolozzi	Betsy Murray
*OFFERTORY	"Lord of All Good," by B. Beebe Tradup (sung to the tune of "Joy to the World")	Screen
*OFFERING PRAYER		Screen
*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING		
SANCTUS	"Holy, Holy, Holy," ELW p. 108 setting 1	Screen
*WORDS OF INSTITUTION		
*THE LORD'S PRAYER		Screen
DISTRIBUTION	"Lamb of God," ELW p.191 setting 8 "Comfort, Comfort Now My People," ELW #256	Screen
POST-COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER		
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*BLESSING	"I Can Celebrate You," (sung to the tune of "In the Bleak Midwinter")	Screen
*SENDING	"Isn't it Amazing," (sung to the tune of "Angels We Have Heard on High")	Screen
*SENDING OUT		
POSTLUDE	Partita on "People Look East: 3rd Mvmt," by J. Bertolozzi	Betsy Murray

Thank you for worshipping with us today!

Please join us for coffee in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.
Sunday School is available for Pre-K - Grade 5 at the same time in the Education Wing.

CTK PRAYER CONCERNS:

PRAISE & THANKSGIVING:

For the continued support of CTK's mission and ministry as we seek to bear fruit in the world.
For all preparing for Advent and Christmas.
For the nominating team as they begin their work of inviting individuals into serving the church.

THOSE GRIEVING:

For all grieving the death of loved ones.

THOSE EXPERIENCING CANCER:

For Ron Nelson, starting Cancer treatment on Monday.
For Laurie, Peggy Keohen's good friend, in her ongoing cancer battle.
For Mike Jones, receiving treatment for kidney cancer.
For Lee Boyce, cancer treatment.
For Barb, (Jan Hamstead's friend) continued prayers for recovery.
For Paul Wagener, treatment for stage 3 melanoma.
Gary Kloos (friend of Julie Ramer) multiple tumors, aggressive cancer.
Oliver, 12-year-old nephew of Julie (friend of Elida Olson), diagnosed with leukemia.
Robert Crane (nephew of Sandy Serier) receiving treatment.

OTHER HEALTH ISSUES:

For Sterling Hintz, prayers for healing and strength.
For Joel Miner, brother of Sharon Johnson, prayers for healing.
For Justin (Peggy & Terry Keohn's son) as he continues in his recovery.
For Dennis Felix, prayers for healing.
For Alana, Sue Kohler's granddaughter, prayers for strength as her disease progresses.
For Corrine Erlandson's sister Janice, for peace and pain relief.
Camden Astrup (great nephew of Beth & Scott Tradup) receiving the treatment he needs.
For Fletcher and Courtney McKinney, improvement in health.

GLOBAL CONCERNS:

For peace between Israel and Palestine. Prayers for all impacted by war between these nations.
For Armenians facing genocide in Artsakh.
For our partner congregation in Masisiwe, Tanzania.

MILITARY CONCERNS:

For all serving and especially LCpl Marine Wyatt Reeves, (Elida's grandson).