All Saints Sunday The Tomorrow River Lutheran Parish November 2, 2025

We welcome visitors into our community! May you be blessed as you join us in Worship!

GATHERING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* OPENING PRAYER

* HYMN

God Is Here!

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* CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Pastor: Blessed be the holy Trinity,

→ one God, our maker, our helper, and our keeper.

All: Amen.

Pastor: Trusting in God's mercy, let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Pastor: Merciful and loving God,

All: we are your stiff-necked people.

We trample on the needy.

We grumble about your grace to others.

We turn away from the poor.

Have mercy on us and forgive our sins.

Rejoice over us as ones who were lost and have been found.

Amen.

Pastor: Even when we are faithless, God remains faithful.

Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners.

You who were lost have been found.

In the name of ⊕ Jesus, your sins are forgiven!

All: Amen.

* PRAYER OF THE DAY

All: Merciful God, gracious and benevolent, through your Son you invite all the world to a meal of mercy. Grant that we may eagerly follow his call, and bring us with all your saints into your life of justice and joy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

GOSPEL John 11:32-44

³²When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." ³³When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. ³⁴He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." ³⁵Jesus began to weep. ³⁶So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" ³⁷But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

³⁸Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. ³⁹Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." ⁴⁰Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" ⁴¹So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. ⁴²I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." ⁴³When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" ⁴⁴The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them. "Unbind him, and let him go."

CANDLE LIGHTING FOR ALL SAINTS—

Today we remember those who have died amond us, beloved friends and family:

(Peace) Barbara Bandt, Bruce Bauman, Ernest Benn, Linda Calvey, Elvina Carlson, Andrea Driscoll-Bruley, Barbara Garske, Bill Godfrey, Casey Groshek, Dan Haas, Chris Henninger, Theresa Johnson, Jack Lozier, Wally Priewe, David Shanklin, Bert Shanklin, Chuck Trzebiatowski, Will Washington

(*Nelsonville*) Keith Becken, Sandra Becken, Jeanette Edelburg, Dan Haas, Robert Helbach, Roger & Karen Johnson, Claire Nordness, William "Bill" Parker, Barbara Pearson, Les Peterson, Anita Peterson, Dale & Paula Shulfer, Yvonne Wedell, Peggy Sue

Those who are remembering and giving thanks to God for their loved ones by lighting a candle are asked to come forward at this time; candles are in alphabetical order (last name) starting with "A" to the left. Pastor will assist you. Remain until all candles are lit.

PRAYER OF REMEMBRANCE AND GRATITUDE

WORD

* GOSPEL

Luke 19:1-10

¹ [Jesus] entered Jericho and was passing through it.² A man was there named Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was rich. ³ He was trying to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was short in stature. ⁴ So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to see him, because he was going to pass that way. ⁵ When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today." ⁶ So he hurried down and was happy to welcome him. ⁷ All who saw it began to grumble and said, "He has gone to be the guest of one who is a sinner." ⁸ Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Look, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor, and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will pay back four times as much." ⁹ Then Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he, too, is a son of Abraham. ¹⁰ For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost."

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

* HYMN OF THE DAY

Beautiful Savior

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* THE APOSTLES' CREED

All: 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 into hell. 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 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.

* PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Pastor: ...Lord, in your mercy ...
Congregation: Hear our prayer.

MEAL

* WORDS OF INSTITUTION

* THE LORD'S PRAYER

All: 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

(The distribution will be processional and the ushers will guide you. All who believe there is forgiveness of sin available in this meal that is offered by Christ Himself are welcome to come forward. Communion will be served by intinction. The pastor and assistant give the bread and wine, with these words: "The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you." Touch the wafer to the wine or juice.)

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

This Is My Father's World #824 Jesus Calls Us; o'er the Tumult #696

* BLESSING

CHURCH SERVICE SCHEDULE

SUNDAYS

Worship Service at Peace 8:30 am
NO SUNDAY SCHOOL ON NOVEMBER 2nd
Sunday School at Peace 9:00 am
Sunday School at Nelsonville 9:30 am
Worship Service at Nelsonville 10:15 am
Livestream every Sunday at 10:15 am at trchurch.org, click on Livestream

THURSDAYS

Evening Candlelight Prayer Service at Nelsonville 7:00 pm Candlelight Videos are posted online at *trchurch.org*, click on *Candlelight Services*

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