

Evangelical Lutheran Church of Durham

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November 16, 2014 - 10:30 AM

Holy Communion – ELW Setting 2

Welcome and Worship Announcements

Prelude - *This is a time to quietly prepare for worship.*

* Confession and Forgiveness (L=Lay Leader, C=Congregation)

L: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, the Sovereign over all the earth, the Wisdom from on high, our merciful Judge and Savior.

C: Amen.

L: Let us boldly approach the throne of grace, trusting in God's mercy and love.

Silence is kept for reflection.

L: Generous and faithful God,

C: we confess to you all the ways, known and unknown,

that we reject and undermine your steadfast love.

Though you made us your people, we treat strangers

with suspicion. Though you forgave our debts, we

collect without mercy. Yet we are quick to pass

judgment on others. Have mercy on us, O God, and

remember your promise to us, for the sake of Jesus

Christ, our Lord. Amen.

L: The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever. Through the living Word, + Jesus Christ, God forgives your every debt, your every sin, and gives you a new heart and a new spirit.

C: Amen.

* Gathering Song . . . *“Lord of Glory”* (verses 1,2,3) . . . **ELW #707**

* Greeting ELW page 120

* Kyrie (*sung*) ELW pages 120-121

* Prayer of the Day TR

First Reading **Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18** TR

Psalm 90 (*read responsively*) TR

* Gospel Proclamation (*sung*) *“Alleluia ...”* ELW page 124

* Holy Gospel **Matthew 25:14-30** TR

Children’s Sermon

Sermon *“Taking the Risk of Investing Our Gifts”*

* Hymn of the Day *“Christ, Be Our Light”* **ELW #715**

* Apostles’ Creed ELW page 127

* Prayers of Intercession - *each prayer bid ends with these words:*

P: Lord, in your mercy, **C: Hear our prayer.**

* Peace ELW page 128

Offering (*Please observe silence during the Offering & Choir Anthem*)

Choir Anthem *“Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing”*

* Offertory Song *“Doxology”* **ELW #884**

* Offering Prayer (*said by Pastor*)

* The Great Thanksgiving (*sung*) ELW page 129

* Preface for Sundays after Pentecost (*sung by Pastor*) ELW page 130

* *“Holy, Holy, Holy Lord”* (*sung*) ELW page 130

* Jesus’ Words of Institution ELW page 130

* The Lord’s Prayer ELW page 134

* *“Lamb of God”* (*sung*) ELW page 135

Invitation to Communion – *“The reign of God is at hand.*

Come, taste the joy prepared for you.”

Distribution of Bread & Fruits of the Vine (*please follow ushers*)

Hymn during Distribution *“You Are Mine”* **ELW #581**

* Communion Table Blessing (*said by Pastor after all have communed*)

* Prayer after Communion (*said by Pastor*)

Mission Announcements

* Blessing (*said by Pastor*)

* Sending Song *“Let Us Talents & Tongues Employ”* **ELW #674**

Dismissal P: Go in peace. Christ is with you. **C: Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

The Asterisk () indicates to please stand if you are able;
ELW is the red “Evangelical Lutheran Worship” in the pew rack.*

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY.

*If you would like more information about this community of faith,
please speak to Pastor Deal.*

Serving in our worship this morning:

Council Communion Assistants: Joe Hlavaty and Lynn Gaun
Acolyte & Youth Communion Assistant . . . Matthew Mueller
Greeter. Nancy Moskella
Lay Worship Assistant/Lector Ken Anderson
Head Usher Mark Harwick
Altar Guild & Communion Bread . . Betty Fox and Beth Snyder
Counters Joe Hlavaty and Lynn Gaun
Organist/ Choir Director Carolyn Williams
Parish Secretary Ann Wong
Custodians Dianna Streletz and Norma Fox

*Today's food basket on the altar is given by Ed Xander in
memory of Nancy Jean Xander.*

11/9/14 Attendance: Christian Ed: 22; Worship: 58.

CALENDAR

Care-A-Lot Preschool meets Tues., Wed., & Thurs. 9 AM - 12:30 PM

TODAY, Sunday, November 16-

7:30 AM Bake Sale at Riegelsville Fire House for Community
Holiday Dinner

9:00 AM Spark Sunday School - Preparing to Celebrate Jesus'
Birth
Adult Bible Study

10:30 AM Holy Communion

4:00 PM Training session for Code Blue Volunteers at West

Swamp Mennonite Church, 2501 Allentown Rd., Quakertown 18951

Monday, November 17 at 7 PM - Finance Committee

Wednesday, November 19 - 6:30 PM - Choir Rehearsal

Friday, November 21 at 1:30 PM - WELCA

Sunday, November 23 - Christ the King

10:30 AM Festival Service of Holy Communion

4:00 PM Ecumenical Thanksgiving worship at Christ, Springtown

Bring non-perishable food and \$\$\$ for local Food Pantries and NEW
clothing items (hats, gloves, sweatshirts, socks) Child and Adult sizes
S/M/L/ for children and youth of Martin Luther/Silver Spring School.

Sunday, November 30 - Advent Begins - Start of a new church year

Saturday, December 6 - Third Annual Free Community Holiday Dinner
at Riegelsville Firehouse - 5 dinner Seatings - 2,3,4,5,and 6 PM -
Tickets available from Joe Hlavaty.

Sunday, December 7 - Christmas Ingathering -See your November
newsletter or speak to Helen Dungan

Sunday, December 14 - Annual Congregational Budget Meeting
following worship.

12 Noon - Annual Christmas Covered Dish Dinner, sponsored by
WELCA



