

## Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church

December 20, 2020  
Fourth Sunday of Advent

Pastor Jordan Gackle

Lighting of the 4th Candle on the Advent Wreath

Blessing: Blessed are you, O Lord our God, ruler of the universe. In your Son, Emmanuel, you have shown us your light and saved us from the power of sin. Bless us as we light the candles on this wreath. Increase our longing for your presence, that at the celebration of your Son's birth his spirit might dwell anew in our midst for he is our light and our salvation. Blessed be God forever.

Announcements ..... (see opposite page)

**S:** Brief Order for Confession & Forgiveness..... pg. 56

**S:** Hymn of Praise ..... "Go Tell It On The Mountain" #70, LBW

**S:** Prayer of the Day:

Stir up your power, Lord Christ, and come. With your abundant grace and might, free us from the sin that would obstruct your mercy, that willingly we may bear your redeeming love to all the world, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

1<sup>st</sup> Bible Reading ..... 2 Samuel 7:1-11, 16

Psalm Reading ..... Psalm 89:1-4, 19-26, pg. 256

2<sup>nd</sup> Bible Reading ..... Romans 16:25-27

**S:** Gospel Reading ..... Luke 1:26-38

### **Kids Christmas Program**

Hymn of the Day ..... "Joy to The World" #39, LBW

**S:** Nicene Creed ..... pg. 64

**S:** Prayers of the Church

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**S:** Words of Institution

**S:** The Lord's Prayer ..... pg. 71

Holy Communion

**S:** Benediction Blessing

Postlude ..... "O Come All Ye Faithful," Rosa

Welcome to Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church, LCMC.  
Thank you for worshipping with us today. Please come again.

### Announcements:

- Communion: we will have communion Sunday morning, Dec 20, and Christmas Eve.
- Thank you to the Cook family for the beautiful tree in our Church entry!

### Prayer Concerns and Requests:

Prayers for the family of **Randi Kreutsberg**, who passed away last week; **Wayne Heinrich** preparing for an upcoming surgery; **Tony and Janelle Johanneson** recovering from COVID-19; **Steve Powers**, recovering from hamstring surgery; **Michelle Ascherman**, recovering from surgery; **Cheryl Wieland**, who broke her leg; Beth Andry's sister, **Nancy**; **Lane Froehlich**; **Mike Boruvka**; **Cory Nitschke**; **Jerry Lagodinski**; **Steve Lambert** battling cancer; **Helen Seefeldt**; **Myron Lodoen** and family, and **Dotty Ellingson**.

Pray for Missionary, Jessica Kusler.

Pray for shut-in: Bernie Anderson

Pray for ALL in need of God's strength, comfort, healing and peace.

Pray for our church, our schools, our community and country.

Pray for peace for ourselves, our homes, our country, and world.

**Alleluia. Here I am, the servant of the Lord; let it be with me according to your word. Alleluia. (Luke 1:38)**