

# NEW BEGINNINGS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Twenty-fifth Sunday after Pentecost – November 10<sup>th</sup>, (11:11 am)

## THE END TIMES ARE YET TO COME

Psalm 16  
Daniel 12:1-3  
Hebrews 10:11-25  
**Mark 13:1-13**

### ***The Lord Freely Feeds and Provides for Us with Everything He Has***

Those who contribute “large sums” from “out of their abundance” have done very little. They cannot purchase God’s favor with their money. But the “poor widow” with her two small coins, who “out of her poverty has put in everything she had,” entrusts herself and her life to the mercy of God (Mark 12:41-44). Such faith is not disappointed, for the Lord is faithful, and He provides for His people by His grace. Thus was the poor widow of Zarephath able to feed the prophet Elijah “for many days,” as well as herself and her household, “according to the word of the LORD that he spoke by Elijah” (1 Kings 17:15-16). He feeds us, too, by His Word, not only with daily bread for this body and life, but unto the life everlasting in Christ Jesus. “By the sacrifice of himself,” by the giving of His body and life and all that He had, He has entered “into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf” (Heb. 9:24-26). He is our great High Priest and the Temple of God, as well as the priestly food with which He feeds us.

### **WELCOME – (Ana)**

### **WORSHIP SONG – O COME TO THE ALTAR**

Are you hurting and broken within  
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin  
Jesus is calling  
Have you come to the end of yourself  
Do you thirst for a drink from the well  
Jesus is calling

***O come to the altar***

***The Father's arms are open wide***

***Forgiveness was bought with***

***The precious blood of Jesus Christ***

Leave behind your regrets and mistakes  
Come today there's no reason to wait  
Jesus is calling  
Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy  
From the ashes a new life is born

Jesus is calling

**O come to the altar**

**The Father's arms are open wide**

**Forgiveness was bought with**

**The precious blood of Jesus Christ**

*Oh what a Savior*

*Isn't he wonderful*

*Sing alleluia Christ is risen*

*Bow down before him*

*For he is Lord of all*

*Sing alleluia Christ is risen*

Bear your cross as you wait for the crown

Tell the world of the treasure you've found

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## **OPENING PRAYER and CALLING ON GOD'S NAME (Pastor)**

**P - In the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

## **NBCHOIR**

### **I WILL GIVE JUBILANT THANKS**

I will give jubilant thanks to the Lord.

I will be glad in the things He has done.

I will give jubilant thanks to the Lord.

To God the ever glorious One.

All glory and honor belong to Him,

I will rejoice and rejoice again.

I will give jubilant thanks to the Lord.

I will give jubilant thanks.

**For the beauty of the earth,**

*I will give jubilant thanks to the Lord.*

**For the glory of the skies.**

*I will bring Him all my praise.*

**For the joy which from our birth,**

*I will give jubilant thanks to the Lord.*

**Over and around us lies.**

**Christ our God to Thee we raise**

**This our hymn of grateful.**

*I will give jubilant, jubilant praise*

*JUBILANT, JUBILANT PRAISE.*

I will give jubilant thanks to the Lord.  
I will give thanks to the Lord most high.  
I will give jubilant thanks to the Lord.  
Rejoice and lift my voice to the sky.  
For God is the giver of all good things.  
I will rejoice let His praises ring.  
I will give jubilant thanks to the Lord.  
I will give jubilant thanks.

I WILL GIVE HONOR AND GLORY AND BLESSINGS  
AND JUBILANT THANKS TO THE LORD!

Words by J. PAUL WILLIAMS (ASCAP)  
Incorporating For the Beauty OF THE Earth  
Music by MICHAEL BARRET (BMI)

**THE LORD WILL BE MY SHEPHERD**

**The Lord will be my shepherd, He knows my ev'ry need.  
He renews my faith each morning with the promise of His peace.  
As I rest in a quiet meadow, or beside a clear blue stream,  
the Lord will be my shepherd, I will follow where He leads.**

*Though the shadows of darkness surround me I will never be afraid,  
for I know the Lord will protect me from the dangers I must face.  
When there's anger or trouble around me, and I want to run and hide,  
I will find Him near to calm my fear, always at my side.*

**The Lord will be my shepherd wherever I may go.  
He will fill me with His kindness, He will strengthen me with home.  
When my day at last is over, He will come and take me home.  
The Lord will be my shepherd, I will never be alone.**

Composer: Don Besig  
Lyricist: Don Besig and Nancy Price  
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**CONFESSION OF SINS**

**C - Dear God, beloved Father! Even though the world tries to tell us something different, we know from Your Word that we are sinners and that we have the tendency to walk away from You. We come before your presence to confess our sins. We see You and come to Your presence through our Good Shepherd Jesus, who took our sin, our cross and our shame. Receive our humble confession and forgive us all our sins. In Jesus' name, we pray! (*Brief silence*)**

## DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS (Pastor)

**P - Recognizing that salvation has come to you through the life and death and glorious resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and in light of your faith in Him, your sins are forgiven. Go in peace! In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

## KIDS' SONG – HE IS A LIGHT

Ooh-oh (ooh-oh)

Jesus is the one who lights our way

Ooh-oh (ooh-oh)

He gives us hope for each new day

Ooh-oh (ooh-oh)

***When the world feels dark and lonely***

***His love illuminates***

***He's the one I trust, and I will follow him***

***He is the light that***

***Breaks through the darkness***

***Follow his lead and light it up, light it up***

***Jesus will guide us***

***Through every dark time***

***Follow his lead and light it up***

***Light up the world***

*I'm gonna follow Jesus*

*Wherever he will lead me*

*I'm gonna follow Jesus all the way-ay*

*I'm gonna follow Jesus*

*Wherever he will lead me*

*I'm gonna follow Jesus all the way-ay*

**He is the light that**

**Breaks through the darkness**

**Follow his lead and light it up, light it up**

***Jesus will guide us***

***Through every dark time***

***Follow his lead and light it up***

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## KID'S MOMENT – (Pastor)

## HOLY BAPTISM OF SIA SAM, SAH SAM, QUEEN GEORGE AND ATHENIA GEORGE

### APOSTLE'S CREED

**I believe in God, the FATHER almighty, maker of heaven and earth.  
And in Jesus Christ, His 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. The third day He rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father almighty.  
From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the HOLY SPIRIT the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### WORSHIP SONG – LIVING HOPE

How great the chasm that lay between us  
How high the mountain I could not climb  
In desperation I turned to heaven  
And spoke Your name into the night  
Then through the darkness Your loving-kindness  
Tore through the shadows of my soul  
The work is finished the end is written  
Jesus Christ my living hope  
Who could imagine so great a mercy  
What heart could fathom such boundless grace  
The God of ages stepped down from glory  
To wear my sin and bear my shame  
The cross has spoken I am forgiven  
The King of kings calls me His own  
Beautiful Savior I'm Yours forever  
Jesus Christ my living hope

***Hallelujah praise the One who set me free  
Hallelujah death has lost its grip on me  
You have broken every chain***

***There's salvation in Your name***

***Jesus Christ my living hope***

Then came the morning that sealed the promise

Your buried body began to breathe

Out of the silence the Roaring Lion

Declared the grave has no claim on me

***Jesus Yours is the victory whoa***

**JESUS CHRIST MY LIVING HOPE**

**OH GOD YOU ARE MY LIVING HOPE**

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**PRAYER BEFORE READINGS** – *Dear God. We thank you for your Holy Word that guides, forgives, motivates and saves us through the work of Christ on the cross. Bless the readings we will hear today in our hearts. May we say with Samuel the Prophet, "Speak, Lord, that your servant listens" (1 Samuel 3:10). In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.*

**READING OF OLD TESTAMENT – DANIEL 12:1-3 (Rhondda)**

**"At that time shall arise Michael, the great prince who has charge of your people. And there shall be a time of trouble, such as never has been since there was a nation till that time. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone whose name shall be found written in the book.<sup>2</sup>And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt.<sup>3</sup>And those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky above; and those who turn many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever.**

**READING OF EPISTLE – HEBREWS 10:11-25 (Rhondda)**

**"And every priest stands daily at his service, offering repeatedly the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins.<sup>12</sup>But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God,<sup>13</sup> waiting from that time until his enemies should be made a footstool for his feet.<sup>14</sup>For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are being sanctified.**

**<sup>15</sup>And the Holy Spirit also bears witness to us; for after saying,<sup>16</sup>"This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my laws on their hearts, and write them on their minds,"<sup>17</sup> then he adds, "I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more."**

**<sup>18</sup> Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin.**

**<sup>19</sup> Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, <sup>20</sup> by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain, that is, through his flesh, <sup>21</sup> and since we have a great priest over the house of God, <sup>22</sup> let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. <sup>23</sup> Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. <sup>24</sup> And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, <sup>25</sup> not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.**

### **READING OF HOLY GOSPEL – MARK 13:1-13 (Rhondda)**

**And as he came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, “Look, Teacher, what wonderful stones and what wonderful buildings!” <sup>2</sup> And Jesus said to him, “Do you see these great buildings? There will not be left here one stone upon another that will not be thrown down.”**

**<sup>3</sup> And as he sat on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter and James and John and Andrew asked him privately, <sup>4</sup> “Tell us, when will these things be, and what will be the sign when all these things are about to be accomplished?” <sup>5</sup> And Jesus began to say to them, “See that no one leads you astray. <sup>6</sup> Many will come in my name, saying, ‘I am he!’ and they will lead many astray. <sup>7</sup> And when you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed. This must take place, but the end is not yet. <sup>8</sup> For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. These are but the beginning of the birth pains.**

**<sup>9</sup> “But be on your guard. For they will deliver you over to councils, and you will be beaten in synagogues, and you will stand before governors and kings for my sake, to bear witness before them. <sup>10</sup> And the gospel must first be proclaimed to all nations. <sup>11</sup> And when they bring you to trial and deliver you over, do not be anxious beforehand what you are to say, but say whatever is given you in that hour, for it is not you who speak, but the Holy Spirit. <sup>12</sup> And brother will deliver brother over to death, and the father his child, and children will rise against parents and have them put to death. <sup>13</sup> And you will be hated by all for my name's sake. But the one who endures to the end will be saved.**

### **WORSHIP SONG – HOPE HAS A NAME**

There is a song I know it well  
A melody that's never failed  
On mountains high in valleys low  
My soul will rest  
My confidence in You alone

***Hope has a name His name is Jesus  
My Savior's cross has set this sinner free  
Hope has a name His name is Jesus  
Oh Christ be praised I have victory***

There is a light salvation's flame  
Christ undefeated trampled the grave  
See now the cross be lifted high  
The light has come the light has won  
Behold the Christ

There'll be a day my hope complete  
Now home in glory Your face I'll see  
My pain no more my fear will cease  
I bow my life I fix my eyes  
On Christ my king

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## **SERMON – THE END TIMES ARE YET TO COME (Mark 13:1-13)**

### **WORSHIP SONG – A MIGHTY FORTRESS**

A mighty fortress is our God  
A bulwark never failing  
Our helper He amid the flood  
Of mortal ills prevailing  
For still our ancient foe  
Doth seek to work us woe  
His craft and pow'r are great  
And armed with cruel hate  
On earth is not his equal

If we in our own strength confide  
Our striving would be losing  
Were not the right Man on our side  
The Man of God's own choosing  
You ask who that may be



Christ Jesus it is He  
The Lord of Hosts His name  
From age to age the same  
And He must win the battle  
And tho' this world with devils filled  
Should threaten to undo us  
We will not fear for God hath willed  
His truth to triumph thru us  
And tho' this world with devils filled  
Should threaten to undo us  
We will not fear for God hath willed  
His truth to triumph thru us  
*(oh oh oh oh oh oh oh oh)*

**A Mighty Fortress is our God  
(His kingdom is forever)  
HIS KINGDOM IS FOREVER**

If we in our own strength confide  
Our striving would be losing

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## **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH – (Prayer)**

## **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH – REMEMBRANCE DAY – (Prayer)**

## **LORD'S PRAYER (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.**

## **BENEDICTION (Pastor)**

**P – The LORD bless you and keep you.**

**The LORD make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The LORD look upon you with favor and give you peace. Amen.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **CLOSING SONG – FOUND IN YOU**

*Ah ah ah ah ah ah*

We're reaching out to welcome You God  
Fill this place again with Your song  
Flood our thoughts with wonder and awe  
Give us a greater glimpse of a never changing God

***All we want and all we need is found in You***

***Found in You***

***Jesus ev'ry victory is found in You***

***Found in You***

*(Ah) ah ah ah ah ah*

Open wide our hearts now to Yours  
Ev'ry fear bow down to Your love  
That we would see like never before  
Give us a greater glimpse of a never changing God

*And in Your presence there is freedom*

*In Your presence we are made whole*

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