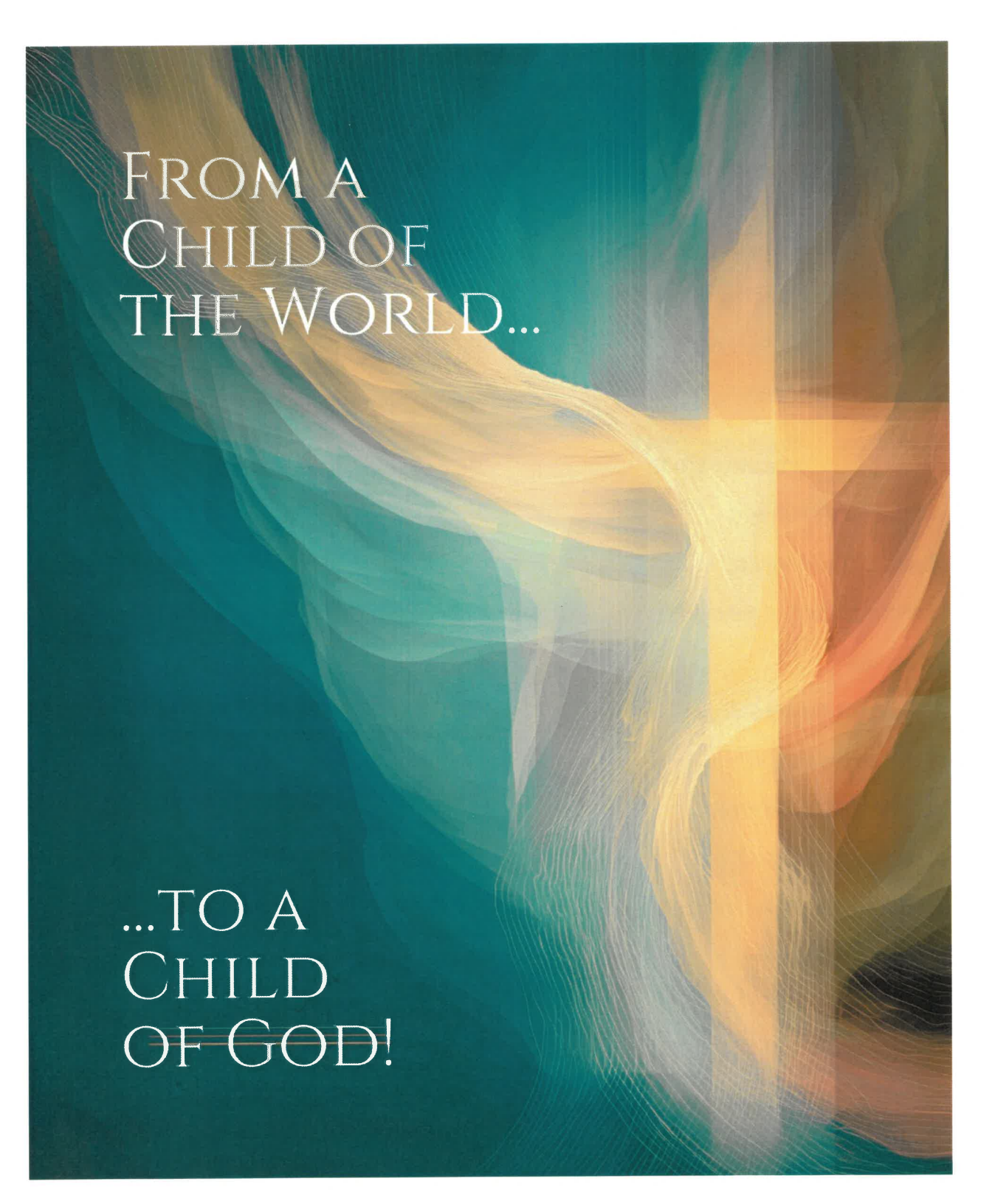




FROM A
CHILD OF
THE WORLD...

...TO A
CHILD
OF GOD!

Sunday ~ November 2nd, 2025

Prelude

Welcome & Prayer

Opening Song

"All Creatures of Our God and King"

Responsive Reading Psalm 149

Song "Who You Say I Am"

Prayer of the Day

Readings Revelation 7:9-17
Matthew 5:1-12

Children's Moment

Song "Build My Life"

Sermon Text 1 John 3:1-3

Message

Prayer of God's People

The Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution

The Nicene Creed

Distribution Song "What a Beautiful Name"

Prayer of Blessing

Announcements

Benediction

Sending Song "Blessed Assurance" #638

Postlude

This Week at Christ Lutheran:

Sunday	9am - Worship Service 10am - Coffee Fellowship 10:15am - Sunday School
Monday	9am - Quilting 10am - Coffee Fellowship
Wednesday	6:15pm - Men's & Women's Bible Studies 7:30pm - Choir
Thursday	9am - Charis Women's Bible Study
Friday	Office Closed 7pm - All Church Game Night!
Sunday	9am - Worship 10am - 2026 Budget Info Mtg 10am - Coffee Fellowship 10:15am - Sunday School 4:15pm - ROOTS: Unleashed!

Reminder: Annual Meeting following the worship service on Nov. 16th!

Sunday Servants:

Greeter: Stacie Carlson
Reader: Shari Rennebohm
Coffee: Kevin & Mona Hawkinson
Communion Prep: Shari Rennebohm
Sound Board: Gene Snyder
Video: Reese Shanahan

Please pray for the following people:

Healing: Dolores Peterson, Millie Snyder, Mary Betterman, Ron Wipf, JoEllen Horazuk, Yvonne Breeschoten, Sue Pedersen

Sympathy: the family of Nick Wood, Jim & Konnie Kretlow (Konnie's father passed

Revelation 7:9-17

⁹ After this I looked, and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and before the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands.

¹⁰ And they cried out in a loud voice:

“Salvation belongs to our God, who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb.”

¹¹ All the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures. They fell down on their faces before the throne and worshiped God,

¹² saying:

“Amen! Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor and power and strength be to our God for ever and ever. Amen!”

¹³ Then one of the elders asked me, “These in white robes—who are they, and where did they come from?”

¹⁴ I answered, “Sir, you know.”

And he said, “These are they who have come out of the great tribulation; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. ¹⁵ Therefore,

“they are before the throne of God and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.

¹⁶ ‘Never again will they hunger; never again will they thirst. The sun will not beat down on them,’ nor any scorching heat.

¹⁷ For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd; ‘he will lead them to springs of living water.’ ‘And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.’”

Matthew 5:1-12

¹ Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to him, ² and he began to teach them.

He said:

³ “Blessed are the poor in spirit,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

⁴ Blessed are those who mourn,
for they will be comforted.

⁵ Blessed are the meek,
for they will inherit the earth.

⁶ Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

⁷ Blessed are the merciful,
for they will be shown mercy.

⁸ Blessed are the pure in heart,
for they will see God.

⁹ Blessed are the peacemakers,
for they will be called children of God.

¹⁰ Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

¹¹ “Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me. ¹² Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

150 Years of Grace

Celebrating 150 years of worshiping together!

Saturday, December 13, 2025

Dinner at 5-7pm

FREE traditional Swedish dinner



RSVP TODAY!!!



All are invited to celebrate!



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150 Years of Memories



Renee Burrows and Joan Murphy often blessed us with their piano and organ duets. Joan was our organist/pianist for many years. She is one to bring her wonderful talent and love of Jesus to every rehearsal and Sunday service. Renee has the gift of encouragement and frequently shares her gratitude with others. They make great Bible study leaders as well a musical duo. Photo from Christmas Eve 2006.

Weekly Bible Reading Guide (NT in 1 Year)

Week 44 (Nov 3 – Nov 7): John 7 – John 11

Monday – John 7

- What does Jesus say is the criterion for believing in Him? (vv. 17–19)
- Why does John include thoughts from the crowds who seem to partially believe in Jesus? (vv. 25–31; 40–52)
- Why didn't believers at the time have the Holy Spirit? (vv. 37–39)

Tuesday – John 8

- What do verses 25–30 tell us about Jesus' relationship with the Father?
- How does the truth set us free? (vv. 31–36)
- Why did the religious leaders reject Jesus? (vv. 42–47)

Wednesday – John 9

- Who are truly the “blind” people in this story? (vv. 24–41)
- Why was it so terrible to be cast out of the synagogue? (vv. 22, 34)
- Is this story a metaphor about people becoming Christians? (v. 39)

Thursday – John 10

- What is the connection between the thieves and wolves of John 10 and the Pharisees in John 9? (vv. 7–13)
- How do believers know we can trust Jesus? (vv. 3–5; 25–27)
- Did Jesus claim to be God? (vv. 30–38)

Friday – John 11

- Why did Lazarus die? (vv. 1–16)
- Should a Christian fear death? (vv. 25–26)
- How did Caiaphas prophesy? (vv. 49–53)