



*Pastor Greg Anderson  
Time after Pentecost  
November 12, 2023*

## PRELUDE

## SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

### CALL TO WORSHIP

L: O God, you are the hope of all the ends of the earth.

**P: The God of the spirits of all flesh.**

L: Hear our humble intercession for all races and families on earth.

**P: That you will turn all hearts to yourself.**

L: Remove from our minds hatred, prejudice, and contempt.

**P: For those who are not of our own race or color, class or creed.**

L: Departing from everything that estranges and divides.

**P: We may by you be brought into unity of spirit, in bond of peace.**

## GATHERING HYMN

GREETING

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KYRIE

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HYMN OF PRAISE..

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## PRAYER OF THE DAY

**O God, keep our whole country under your protection. Wipe out sin from this land; lift it up from the depth of sorrow, o Lord, our shining light. Save us from deep grief and misfortune, Lord of all nations. Bless us with your wisdom, so that the poor may not be**

**oppressed and the rich may not be oppressors. Make this a nation having no ruler except God, a nation having no authority but that of LOVE. Amen.**

## CHILDREN'S SERMON

HISTORY OF VETERAN'S DAY – Veteran's Day originated as "Armistice Day" on November 11, 1919, the first anniversary of the end of WW1. This day is the anniversary of the signing of the Armistice, which ended WW1 hostilities between the allied nations and Germany in 1918. Veteran's Day pays tribute to all American veterans-living or deceased, but especially gives thanks to living veterans who served their country honorably during war or peacetime. Besides United States, Great Britain, France, Australia, and Canada commemorate veterans on this day. At 5:00 AM on November 11, 1918 in Compiegne, France, the Armistice was signed. Six hours later at 11:00 AM, the guns of Europe fell silent. It is common to observe 2 minutes of silence on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of the 11<sup>th</sup> month at 11:00 AM.

November 11, 2023 is the 105<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of WW1.

RECOGNITION OF VETERANS: Don Barstad, Ken Carlson, Craig Douglas, Richard Hess, Duane Kaster, Charles Olson, DuWayne Peterson, Dave Skelton, Bill Utley

**PRAYER: Righteous God, you rule the nations, guard brave men and women in military service. Give them compassion for those**

**who confront them as enemies. Keep our children from hate that hardens or from scorekeeping with human lives. Thought for a season they must be people of war, let them live for peace, as eager for agreement as for victory. Encourage them as they encourage one another, and never let hard duty separate them from loyalty to your Son our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen**

#### VETERANS LITANY

L: Let us give thanks to God for the land of our birth with all its chartered liberties. For all the wonder of our country's story.

**P: We give you thanks, O God**

L: For leaders in nation and state, and for those who in days past and in these present times have labored for the commonwealth

**P: We give you thanks, O God.**

L: For those who in all times and places have been true and brave, and in the world's common ways have lived upright lives and ministered to their fellows.

**P: We give you thanks, O God.**

L: For those who served their country in its hour of need, and especially for those who gave even their lives in that service.

**P: We give you thanks, O God.**

**HYMN: "America the Beautiful"**

**Insert**

**FIRST READING**

**Celebrate Insert**

**R: The Word of the Lord    C: Thanks be to God**

PSALM	Celebrate Insert
SECOND READING:	Celebrate Insert
R: The Word of the Lord <b>C: Thanks be to God</b>	
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	WOV pg. 31
<b>Alleluia, Lord to whom shall w go.....</b>	
GOSPEL INTRODUCTION	WOV pg. 32
<b>Glory to you O Lord</b>	
GOSPEL	Celebrate Insert
GOSPEL RESPONSE	WOV pg. 32
<b>C: Praise to you O Christ</b>	
SERMON	
APOSTLES CREED	WOV pg. 33
PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION	Celebrate Insert
THE PEACE	WOV pg. 34
OFFERING	WOV pg. 34
OFFERATORY RESPONSE <b>Create in me.....</b>	
OFFERATORY PRAYER	WOV pg. 35
THE LORDS PRAYER	WOV pg. 39

BLESSING

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CLOSING HYMN

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DISMISSAL

p. Go in Peace... **C: Thanks be to God**

**THE AMEN!!!**

**POSTLUDE**

**We would like to extend thanks to all veterans on this Veteran's Day. We appreciate the sacrifices that you and your families have made in defense of our country. We can never thank you enough for all that you have don**

**Thank you to those who helped with today's service ~**

**Pastor ~ Greg Anderson**

**Musician ~ Diane Boback**

**Reader ~ Kari Fallos**

**Ushers ~ Yvonne and Roger Trowbridge**

### **Prayer Concerns**

Elsie Lehtinen, Barb Swanson, Kim and Joy Norman, Charlotte and Ken Carlson, Louise Ellingson, Glorene Clark, Bill Utley, Susan Ray  
(Paula Skelton's Sister)

## Contributions

2023 Total budget \$ 81,000

Contributions needed weekly per 2023 budget \$ 1,465.00

Given Sunday November 5, 2023 ~ \$790.05

## ~Calendar~

Tuesday 8:30 Bandage Rolling

Wednesday Quilting  
Bulletin Announcement Deadline

Next Sunday 10:30 Worship/"Give Thanks Service"  
Sunday School  
11:30 Coffee an'

Next Sunday, November 19, 2019

**Pastor Greg Anderson**

Reader~ Pam Peterson

Organist ~ Beth Getman

Ushers ~ Pam and DuWayne Peterson

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Mark your calendars for December 11, 2023. The WELCA Christmas Dinner and Silent Auction will take place Here at Our Saviors. Social hour begins at 5:00 PM and Dinner at 6:00 PM. More details to follow.**

**Please remember the needs of our Area Food Shelf. There is a posting on the Narthex Bulletin Board as well as information which is included in our November EYEOPENER. The November EYEOPENER is located on the table in the Narthex.**

### **SNOW SHOVELING:**

**11/16-11/22      Barrett Honkola**

**11/23-11/29      Jon Knapper**

***God wants full custody—  
Not just a weekend visit.***

***GOD BLESS AMERICA***



