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# Christ Lutheran Church Experiencing Christ's Love

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### Order of Service Nov. 27

**Welcome and Announcements** 

Opening Hymn

**Confession & Absolution** 

Hymn of Praise: "In Christ Alone"

by Mercy Me

**Prayer of the Day** 

Scripture Readings:

1st Reading: Acts 18:1-8

Gospel: John 6:1-15

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Message Hymn

Message: We Use and Grow Our

Gifts Together

**Hymn of Offering** 

**Prayers of the Congregation** 

Lord's Prayer

Celebration of Holy Communion

**Video During Communion:** 

"Amazing Love, You Are My King" by Newsboys

Hymn of Thanksgiving

**Blessing** 

**Closing Hymn** 

**Dismissal** 

**Aloha!** We welcome you to worship today in Jesus' name. We pray that your worship will draw you closer to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. If you don't currently have a church home, we invite you to explore becoming a part of our family in Christ. If you're ready for more information or have questions, please contact us. We look forward to connecting with you.

**Restrooms** are located on the outside of the Fellowship Hall, which is across the lanai to your right as you leave the Sanctuary.

We believe that Christ comes to us in the sacrament of **Holy Communion** by means of His body and blood, in, with and under the elements. If this is how you also believe, then please join us in receiving the Sacrament. If you're not receiving Communion, we welcome you to come forward for a blessing and indicate by crossing your arms over your chest. **Mahalo and Welcome!** 

The MID-WEEK BIBLE STUDY meets on Wednesdays in the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 a.m. and is studying Romans. Please contact Bert Hamersma at (808) 985-7212 if you have any questions or are interested in attending.



MEN'S FELLOWSHIP BIBLE STUDY meets at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday mornings in the Fellowship Hall, studying "Stuff They Didn't Teach Me in Sunday School." Contact Dan Kunert if you have any questions at (808) 959-9953. All are welcome!

**STEPHEN MINISTERS** receive extensive training to provide confidential, one-to-one, Christian care. They are here to listen,



encourage and pray with you. You can also schedule regular ongoing visits with a Stephen Minister. For more information, you may contact the church office or speak with Pastor Mark.

A WORD ABOUT THE OFFERING: Our offering plate is available on the back table. You can also give online by using this QR or by texting the word "Give" to 808-320-1225. After an initial set-up, this method will provide quick access to the secure giving site anytime. Mahalo for your faithful support and generosity!



**MISSION STATEMENT**: To know, grow in, serve and share Christ through experiencing His unconditional love.

**VISION STATEMENT:** The family of believers at Christ Lutheran Church understands and supports our mission by participating in our ministry efforts through education, development, assistance and outreach.

Pastor Mark Zier can be reached at (253) 307-4541 or by email at mziero1@aol.com.

Services are posted to our Facebook account at Christ Lutheran Church Hilo.

Recordings of the services as well as the bulletin are also available at www.ChristHilo.org under the MESSAGES tab.



COUNSELING: As a ministry of Christ Lutheran Church, Beth Zier, M.A., is available for scheduling counseling appointments. If you, or someone you know, would like more information about counseling fees

and/or would like to schedule an appointment, please contact Beth at (253) 732-8671 or bethie112@comcast.net

#### **COVID Care**



When Hawaii County is in the high-risk category, to show our love for one another, we ask that everyone voluntarily wear a mask, especially while indoors and maintain physical distancing at all times. When there is lower risk, masks are optional. Thank you.

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## Happy Birthday!

Hayley Erin Barte - Dec. 1 Bernadette Seto - Dec. 4

#### MID-WEEKADVENT ADVENTURES

Will start Wednesday, November 30th. Soup Supper at 5:00 until 5:30 p.m. then move into the sanctuary for songs and a Bible study on the second coming of Christ.

Discover your giftedness by taking the inventory by going to everygift.org. Enter ChristHilo as your congregation code.

**Read ahead:** In order to help you prepare for next week's service, here is the scripture passage and title for the message next Sunday. Take some time to read ahead and invite the Holy Spirit to start bringing God's Word to life for you.

> "Questíoníng God" Luke 1:26-38

# November LWML Money raised:

Mites \$37.00 Love \$10.00 Missions \$25.00 Sale of quilts \$1,030

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Mahalo nui loa to everyone who purchased guilts or some of Millie's creations, which earned over \$,1000 for the church general fund. LWML also raised \$1,030 for various charities that will be announced in the December newsletter. Thank you for your awesome support!! Helpers always welcome the third Saturday of the month from 9 a.m to 11:30 a.m.

# First Sunday in Advent

The advent wreath is a circle with no beginning or end, a symbol of love and rebirth. One candle for each of the four weeks in advent and a Christ Candle for Christmas. Candles reflect starlight and that Jesus is our hope and light of the world. The first to be lit is the Prophet's or Hope candle.



#### **Parsonage Open House**

Pastor Mark and Beth welcome you to come see the beautiful new kitchen recently remodeled after services on Dec.4th. There will also be pictures from before and during this major renovation by our congregation.

## **Christmas is Coming!**

Poinsettias will again be accepted for the chancel area beginning today and any Sunday after. If you want your plant returned, please put your name on the bottom of the plant(s).

