

**Anthorn Community Methodist Church**

**Christ the King Sunday**

**Lay Pastor Shirley Nelson**

**November 24, 2024 10:00 AM**

Today's Message

Kathy Hodgdon

**God Calls Us to Respond**

Prelude and Lighting of Altar Candles

**We Gather in God's Presence**

Welcome and Announcements

**Opening Song "Come Ye Thankful People Come" UMH #694**

**Call to Worship** Liturgist: Roger Hladik

L: Come, let us celebrate the goodness of God.

**P: God has blessed us with God's great love.**

L: Let us come to this time, letting go of our worries.

**P: Let us come to this time praising God.**

L: Come, now is the time to worship.

**P: We come rejoicing, for God is so good to us. AMEN.**

**Opening Prayer**

**Lord of bounty and blessing, we come to you this day in gratitude for all that we have been given. We are grateful for the blessings and for the opportunities to be of service to others in your holy Name. Bless each of us here, that we may become truly blessings to others. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. AMEN.**

**We Hear God's Word**

First Reading Romans 10: 11-15

**Psalm 121 (responsively) UMH #844**

**Hymn of Preparation "Just a Closer Walk with Thee" TFWS #2158**

Children's Sermon Shirley Nelson

Second Reading Daniel 6: 17-23

**PRAYERS OF THE PASTOR AND PEOPLE (Joys and Concerns)**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Giving of our Tithes and Offerings**

**\*Doxology #95,**

**Prayer of Dedication**

**All: With gratitude for all the blessings you have poured into our lives, Lord Jesus, we come bringing these our gifts that they may be used in service to those in need. Bless these gifts and those who have given them, that they may truly be a blessing in your holy name. AMEN.**

**Closing Hymn**

**Closing song with video**

Ministers.....EVERYONE!  
Lay Pastor.....Shirley Nelson  
Liturgist.....Roger Hladik  
Organist/Pianist.....Eileen Van Meeteren

**IN THE CIRCLE OF OUR CONCERN:**

**OUR COUNTRY, OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN, our church, our community leaders, our president, our farmers, Bobby Lewis, Tom & Cindy Herrick, Fran & Keith Determann, Ed and Carol Davis, Brad Harbaugh, Alta Patterson, Trisha Theisen, Keith Allman, Eleanore Lewis, Rick Gubbels, Lana Kropf, Tracy Lewis, Roger Nelson, Peggy Hansen, Brittany Miller, Bettina Perkins, Barb Madsen, Elwanda Sheriff, Becky & Dan Marshall, Linda Christensen, Gary Beeson, Joyce Gothier, and Sympathy to the family of Roberta Houlsworth. Remember our Nursing Home Residents!**

**Please let us know if anyone should be added or removed from this list.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**November 24: Hanging of the Greens following worship. A simple lunch will be served for everyone. Join us for food, fellowship and fun.**

**November 24: Rock Branch Soup Supper, 4-6:30pm, Free will donations for The Community Basket and Women Aware.**

**November 28:** Free Thanksgiving Meal, 12pm to 1:30pm, Salem Luthern Church, Correctionville (712) 375-5351. Please phone RSVP by Monday the 25<sup>th</sup>, to Nancy 373-5273 or Karen 375-5269.

**November 28:** Happy Thanksgiving!

**December 1:** First Sunday of Advent

**December 24:** Christmas Eve Services. 6:00 p.m.

**December 25:** Merry Christmas!

**REMEMBER:** Please save stamps for Eleanore. There is a basket on the table in the Fellowship Hall.

**Mission Project:** There is a tote in the fellowship hall for gloves, mittens and scarves for the Warming Shelter.

**Nov. Readers:**

**Nov. Children Sermon:**

**Weekly Birthdays and Anniversaries:** Brenda Wolfe (25), Emily Bohle (26), LeAnn Birk (28).

Nov./Dec. Upper Room Devotionals are on the table in the Fellowship Hall.

**Anthon Military:** To our men and women in uniform.... past, present and future, God Bless You and Thank You!

**If you have a loved one connected to the service, please let us know.**

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