Offertory Prayer
P: Let us pray. Merciful God,
C: we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us – our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayers of the Church

Lord's Prayer (LBW p.76)

Benediction

Hymn *O Word of God Incarnate* LBW 231

Sending
P: Go in peace; serve your neighbor.
C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

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<u>This Week</u>

Nov 8	9:00	FLC Worship
	9:45	PV Sunday School & Coffee
	10:00	FLC Sunday School & Coffee
	10:30	PV Worship
	4:30	FLC Worship
Nov 11	3:30	FLC Confirmation Classes
	5:00	FLC Bell Practice
Nov 15	9:00	FLC Worship/Lord's Supper
	9:45	PV Sunday School & Coffee
	10:00	FLC Sunday School
	10:30	FLC Soup and Sandwich Lunch
	10:30	PV Worship/Lord's Supper
	1:00	FLC Chance Auction ends
	2:00	Spruce Court
	3:00	Wheatcrest Hills
	4:30	FLC Worship/Lord's Supper

Chance Auction Donation: Anything from baked goods, baskets, quilts, opportunities like pontoon rides, etc. Contact Vonnie Zuehlke

FLC Soup and Sandwich Luncheon | Nov 15 @ 10:30-1:00
Soup, sandwich, dessert bar. Mac and Cheese available for the kids. Free will offering. Chance auction and lefse for sale.

Food Pantry Item for November is Soup.

Fill a Bowl Supper| Nov 22 @ 5:30
Soup supper, fun, fellowship and take home a soup bowl.
Talk to a JAWS member or Kari by Nov 13 to purchase tickets

JH Girls Bible Study | Wednesday, Nov 25 @ 10:00

Family Bingo Bash | Sunday, Nov 29 @ 10:00
There's no Sunday school so bring the whole family to join for some bingo in the fellowship hall. Donations for prizes are greatly appreciated! It could be toys, coloring books, cards, baked goods, candy, flowers, etc.

Advent Wreath Making Class | Monday, Nov 30 @ 5:30

Today we welcome **Jax Richard Erickson,** son of James and Morgan Erickson. His sponsors are Hillarey and Clayton Warner and Addison and Chance Olson. May God bless and keep him as he grows in faith.

	Readers	Ushers	Comm Assts	Coffee
11.8	Jenna Peters	Luke & Tena Kraft Family		Sara Raabe
11.15	Roger Tom	Kurt & Shana Zuehlke	Kelley Beck Michelle Peters	Tyler & Darah Melroe
11.22	Tom Farber	Brian & Lori Rabenberg		Jameson & Carly Peters Family

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Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness (LBW p. 56)
P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
C: Amen
P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
C: Amen.
P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
P: Most merciful God,

C: We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

P: Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
C: Amen.

Baptism of Jax Richard Erickson

C: We welcome you into the Lord's family. We receive you as a fellow member of the body of Christ, child of the same heavenly Father, and a worker with us in the kingdom of God.

Hymn *Borning Cry* WOV 770

Apostolic Greeting
P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
C: And also with you!

Kyrie (LBW pp. 57-58)
P: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.
C: Lord, have mercy.

P: For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.
C: Lord, have mercy.

P: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the
unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.
C: Lord, have mercy.

P: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.
C: Lord, have mercy.

P: Help, save, comfort, and defend us gracious Lord.
C: Amen.

Hymn of Praise *Lord God Heavenly King* **(p. 59)**

Prayer of the Day
P: The Lord be with you.
C: And also with you.
P: Let us pray:
C: Lord, when the day of wrath comes we have no hope except your grace. Make us so to watch for the last days that the consummation of our hope may be the joy of the marriage feast of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Responsive Psalm Psalm 70

[1]Make haste, O God, to deliver me! O Lord, make haste to help me!
[2]Let them be put to shame and confusion who seek my life! Let them be turned back and brought to dishonor who delight in my hurt!
[3]Let them turn back because of their shame who say, "Aha, Aha!"
[4]May all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you! May those who love your salvation say evermore, "God is great!"
[5]But I am poor and needy; hasten to me, O God! You are my help and my deliverer; O Lord, do not delay!

Children's Sermon

First Reading: Amos 5:18-24

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Alleluia

The Holy Gospel according to Saint Matthew in the twenty fifth chapter:
C: Glory to you O Lord

Gospel: Matthew 25:1-13

[1]{Jesus said to the disciples,} "Then the kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins who took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. [2]Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. [3]For when the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them, [4]but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps. [5]As the bridegroom was delayed, they all became drowsy and slept. [6]But at midnight there was a cry, 'Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.' [7]Then all those virgins rose and trimmed their lamps. [8]And the foolish said to the wise, 'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.' [9]But the wise answered, saying, 'Since there will not be enough for us and for you, go rather to the dealers and buy for yourselves.' [10]And while they were going to buy, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the marriage feast, and the door was shut. [11]Afterward the other virgins came also, saying, 'Lord, lord, open to us.' [12]But he answered, 'Truly, I say to you, I do not know you.' [13]Watch therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour."

The Gospel of the Lord.
C: Praise to You O Christ

Sermon Pastor Jesse Carson

Hymn *Give Me Jesus* WOV 777

Offering

Offertory *Create in me a clean heart* (LBW p. 75)