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## REMINDER:

***Daylight Saving Time ends Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup>!  
Set your clocks BACK one hour Saturday night before bed.***

## **November Worship Schedule**

**Nov 5 – 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost w/HC (All Saints' Day)**

**Nov 12 – 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost w/HC**

**Nov 19 -- Last Sunday after Pentecost w/HC**

**Nov 23 -- Thanksgiving Day w/HC – Thanksgiving (10 AM)**

**Nov 26 -- First Sunday in Advent w/HC**



# From Pastor Matthew's Desk

## "THANKSGIVING THOUGHTS"

The month of November signals the approach of our National Day of Thanksgiving. People will be traveling near and far to join family and friends around tables laden with wonderful food that we associate with this holiday: roast turkey and dressing, mashed potatoes and gravy, pecan or pumpkin pie, just to name a few. Although Thanksgiving is not a church festival, it is fitting and proper to gather in the house of the Lord to offer thanks and praise for God's blessings that are poured out upon us each and every day. Our congregation has a tradition of having a Thanksgiving worship service. For this year, it'll take place on Thursday morning, November 23, at 10 am. You're welcome to join us!

One of the Scripture lessons appointed to be read for Thanksgiving worship is (Philippians 4:6-20). Take a few moments now to read this passage from God's Word. Spend a little time digesting what God is saying to you here. You can find it at

<https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=philippians+4%3A6-20&version=ESV>.

Some interesting things to note here:

- **A Letter from Prison** – Paul the apostle wrote this letter from prison, as he makes clear in (Philippians 1:7). And yet, this little four-chapter letter (or epistle) overflows with joy and thanksgiving! That may strike us as odd. After all, when a person is in prison, it's usually not a time for giving thanks. Or is it? Read on!
- **Do Not Be Anxious** – We live at a particularly anxious point in time. Our nation and our world are going through some challenging times, and many may be wondering, "What does the future hold?" It would be very easy to be consumed by anxiety and maybe worry over lots of different things. Over against this mindset, Paul says this: "Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication *with thanksgiving* let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus" (Philippians 4:6-7). Here is something that we need to lay claim to each and every day!
- **I Can Do All Things** – How often do our outward circumstances dictate whether we are thankful or not? Hmm... maybe best not to answer that one. Paul's point here is that "I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content. I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance, and need. *I can do all things through him who strengthens me.*" (Philippians 4:11b-13) This is revolutionary! Paul's words here are really quite a turn-around from how we usually operate: If we have everything we need, then we are thankful. If we don't, then we're not. Inspired by the Holy Spirit, Paul's calls us to something higher and better: an attitude of gratitude that is not dependent on externals but flows out of God's never-failing mercy and grace in Jesus.

Maybe this has been a tough year for you with setbacks and disappointments; difficult circumstances or sorrow. Maybe everything is just out-of-balance for you right now. Maybe Thanksgiving is not going to be what you'd like it to be this year. Take heart in what the Word of God has to say to you, especially here in this passage from Philippians 4. You are God's

beloved child, so precious in his sight that He did not withhold the life of his only Son, but freely gave him up for you! If you're finding it hard to be thankful about anything else, then this is most definitely something for which to be thankful. For the child of God, Thanksgiving is not limited to only one day in November. Each and every day is an opportunity to give thanks to God whose "mercies are new every morning" (Lamentations 3:22-23).

I wish you a blessed and happy Thanksgiving, trusting as Paul did that "my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus" (Philippians 4:19). May God transform our thanksgiving into thanks-living for Jesus' sake. AMEN!

*Pastor Matthew*

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## The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod LCMS Stewardship Ministry - November 2023

### *Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart!*

Our Father in heaven has claimed us as His own. By the shedding of His Son's blood, by His death for our sins and His resurrection for our justification, God the Father has received us back into His family. By water combined with His Word, promise and name, the Holy Spirit has taken up residence in us. We belong to Father, Son and Holy Spirit. He is in us, and we are in Him. And being in Him, all things are ours. In Him, we are richly and abundantly blessed.

Our true treasure and wealth is that we belong to the most holy Trinity and everything that is His belongs also to us: righteousness, peace, eternal life. Even our temporal treasures are gifts from His fatherly, divine goodness and mercy.

We receive our treasures from Him, and thus, as good stewards of His varied grace, we manage them in such a way that they may be returned to Him. We bring them to Him, hallowed through prayers of thanksgiving and God's Holy Word, as a sacrifice. Thus all our possessions, as gifts from God, are also sacrifices to Him, from which we eat to nourish our bodies and share with our family, neighbors and fellow Christians, with the poor and even our enemies, as holy things given by our holy God. His temporal gifts are blessings to and for us, and bring blessing upon us even as they are pressed into His service for His kingdom and the souls that receive them.

Thus we place all that we have into God's hands. He never fails to remember us and pours out the fullness of His promises upon us. We give thanks for all that He has done, is doing and will continue to do. We give thanks by not taking for ourselves, but giving to all even as our heavenly Father has given to us.

As we prepare for Thanksgiving celebrations, may we all give thanks continually for all that we are and all that we have because of God's providential care. And may we be all the more diligent in bringing everything that we have received from God to Him, so that He may bless it and employ it for the good of all — even for us. For to the one who has, more will be given, and he will have an abundance.



## Operation Christmas Child

The Board of Social Ministries is sponsoring *Operation Christmas Child* again this year. In Christian love and spirit, please consider giving a shoebox to a child overseas who may not otherwise receive a gift this Christmas season.

### Here is what you do:

- **Find a Shoebox** - You can use any empty shoebox or shoebox-sized plastic container. Operation Christmas Child also has red and green preprinted boxes that are available. If wrapping your gift, be sure to wrap the box and lid separately so that it can be easily opened without ruining the wrapping. It is preferred that you secure your shoebox gifts with rubber bands vs. tape. This way gifts can be processed more efficiently at their Processing Centers.
- **Girl or Boy?** - Decide whether you will pack a box for a girl or a boy and the age category: Age groups are 2 - 4, 5 - 9, 10 - 14.
- **Fill with Gifts** - Select a medium to large "wow" item such as a soccer ball with a pump or stuffed animal, an outfit of clothing to wear, a small musical instrument (such a harmonica or woodwind recorder) then fill with other fun toys, hygiene items and school supplies.
- **Pray** - Most importantly, pray for the child who will receive your gift. You can also include a personal note and photo. If you choose to enclose a note to the child and a photo of yourself, your family, or group and your name and an address, the child may write back.
- **Follow your box Labels** - A donation of \$10 per box is critical to cover shipping and other project costs. For easiest processing you can give online using the Follow Your Box feature on the label and receive a label to follow Your Box and discover the destination of your shoebox gift. If you use a basic label, remember to **include \$10 (per box) for shipping (checks make payable to Samaritans Purse /Operation Christmas Child.**
- **Drop-Off** - Bring your filled shoebboxes to Church until **Sunday, November 12, 2023.**

### Below is a list of items to make it easier for you to purchase items to fill the shoebboxes:

Start with a quality "wow" item such as a stuffed animal, soccer ball with pump, or clothing outfit that will capture the child's attention the instant he or she opens the box. Then fill the remainder of the shoebox with other fun toys, hygiene items, and school supplies.

**Toys** - Play cars/trucks/boats, foam balls, finger puppets, dolls, kazoos, harmonicas, yo-yos, jump ropes, Slinky, Etch-A-Sketch, interactive toys that include push buttons, lights, noise (include extra batteries), plastic tools, plastic dinosaurs.

**Personal Care Items** - Comb/hairbrush, toothbrush, washcloth, bar soap (packaged or in a container), adhesive bandages (colorful ones -- do not include liquid antibiotic ointment), reusable plastic containers: cup, water bottle, (consider filling an empty container with non-liquid items such as hair bows, bracelets, markers, sunglasses, or washcloths to maximize the space).

**Clothing and Accessories** - Shirts and pants, Pillowcase dress (loose-fitting sundress), underwear, shoes and socks, Flip-flops, sunglasses, hat/scarf/mittens, tote bag/purse, hair bows, friendship bracelets (woven with yarn or embroidery thread).

**Craft and Activity Items** - Pencils/pens, small manual pencil sharpener, colored pencils w/case, Crayons, markers, coloring pads, coloring books, picture book, notebooks, glue stick (do not include liquid glue), small adhesive tape, watercolor set, Playdough (consider adding plastic cookie cutters as non-sharp utensils the child can use with the playdough), stickers, building blocks.

**Do Not Include** - Candy; toothpaste; gum; used or damaged items; scary or war-related items such as toy guns, knives, or military figures; chocolate or food; seeds; fruit rolls or other fruit snacks; drink mixes (powdered or liquid); liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items such as snow globes or glass containers; aerosol cans.



# THE LUTHERAN HOUR

WCCO 830 AM Radio

Heard each Sunday morning at 6:05 am

Hosted by Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler (unless otherwise noted)



**November 5**

**"Times of Mourning, Times of Blessing"**  
(Matthew 5:4)

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. John Nunes

We will all go through times of mourning, but we don't all necessarily face it the same way.

**November 12**

**"Again and Again and Again"**  
(Matthew 18:1-4)

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler  
Hearing many stories only once is not as good as hearing the same story many times. Hear again God's story of love, grace, and forgiveness.

**November 19**

**"Until that Day"**  
(1 Thessalonians 5:1-11)

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Anthony (Tony) Cook  
No one knows when Christ will return. Until that day, we live in certain uncertainty.

**November 26**

**"Loving Mercy"**  
(Matthew 25:34-40)

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Dean Nadasdy

## OCTOBER OFFICIAL ACTS



**NONE**

*"The world is full of nice people. IF you can't find one, be one."*

## Mark your Calendars! ANNUAL VOTERS MEETING

**December 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Following the Worship Service: Plan to Attend!**



### Please Note:

Remember, no Bible Study Thursday evening, November 23.

**Thanksgiving Day Service,  
November 23 will be held at 10 am.**

Bring the whole family.

We look forward to seeing you!

### **Accessible Transportation**

East Side Neighborhood Services provides transportation for people 60+ living in North, Northeast, and Southeast Minneapolis and St. Anthony Village.

We are open for medical, social and shopping trips. We are also available for small group outings. Accessible transportation available.

Not sure if you qualify or if your destination is part of our service area? Please call and check. You may be pleasantly surprised.

Cost: Suggested donations based on income.

Available: Monday through Friday, 8am - 4pm

**Call: Reservation line 612-787-4012**

## Time of Grace

Time of Grace TV program airs globally via various outlets, but you can also search topics and watch the program at [timeofgrace.org/tv-program](http://timeofgrace.org/tv-program). Each episode is a 30-minute study of God's Word with Pastor Mike Novotny. Pastor Mike Novotny has served God's people in full-time ministry since 2007 as a pastor in Madison and now Appleton, Wisconsin. He also serves as the lead speaker for the Time of Grace television program and contributes to the written resources of Time of Grace Ministry.

**Sundays KARE (NBC 11) 10:30 am**  
**[www.timeofgrace.org](http://www.timeofgrace.org)**

### Subscribe to Time of Grace

To help you stay rooted in Jesus by taking time out for God's Word every day. Subscribe to Time of Grace resources to be delivered to your email inbox daily. It's easy to subscribe to resources that'll keep you rooted in Jesus. Just select which types of resources you would like to receive, and they will be sent right to your inbox! <https://timeofgrace.org/subscribe/>



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***If you have Thrivent Insurance, don't forget Thrivent Choice Dollars!***

Call 1-800-Thrivent (1-800-847-4836). When asked for subject, say "Choice Dollars". When asked for a choice, press 1. Then answer the next question with your birth date. A Thrivent representative will answer, tell them you want to direct your choice dollars to Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, 3014 NE McKinley St, Minneapolis.

***Thank you for your generous giving!***



## Daily Devotions from The Lutheran Hour Ministries

With several ways to read and listen, you can get your daily does of Scripture when you need it.

Visit **[lhm.org/dailydevotions](http://lhm.org/dailydevotions)** to subscribe for email delivery to your inbox, sign up for the podcasts, or download the app for your mobile device – all for **FREE!**



## Simply Giving Program

*Endorsed by Thrivent Federal Credit Union*

The *Simply Giving*® Program is an automated stewardship program that helps members live generously. It's a convenient, safe and simple way for individuals to make automatic payments to nonprofit organizations through electronic funds transfer (EFT) directly from checking or savings accounts. Thrivent Federal Credit Union has contracted with industry leader Vanco Payment Solutions to provide electronic payment processing services at reduced rates – so your generosity goes further.

To get started, call Vanco Payment Solutions at 800-675-7430.

## Main Street Living North

Main Street Living is an hour-long Lutheran television program that airs new episodes each Sunday morning. The Twin Cities program is broadcast **at 9 a.m.** Central time on WFTC channel 29/9-2. Each Sunday, viewers enjoy a 30-minute remastered episode of "This is the Life," a popular Lutheran Hour Ministries series from the 70s and 80s. The episode is followed by a modified Lutheran worship service—led by a different local pastor each week.

Main Street Living (Twin Cities) is endorsed by the Minnesota South District of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod; however, the program receives no funding from the District. It is totally funded by viewers and congregations of the WFTC viewing area.



### Did you know Gloria Dei’s has an eGiving provider?

You can download the Vanco Mobile app for free from the App Store or Google Play. From there, you can make a one-time donation or set up recurring giving right through the app. Just select your fund and amount, enter a payment method and complete the donation.

If you have questions or need assistance with our mobile app, you can find step-by-step instructions on our website under “GIVE.”

### SALVATION ARMY FOOD SHELF

**High demand items are** 100% juice; low sugar cereal; canned chicken, salmon or pork; low sugar canned fruit; soups (low sodium); dry or canned beans; granola bars and dried fruit; rice (white, jasmine, or brown); salad dressings; condiments and spices. Hygiene items: toothpaste; toilet tissue; shampoo; bar soap; deodorant. **NON-PERISHABLE FOODS ONLY, please.**

Food Panty



Thanks

Several food shelves in our area allow visitors to choose their food instead of taking what they’re given. This model eliminates waste and ensures guests receive only the food they truly need and will use. **No Junk Food, please,** in the Twin Cities, all the food is monitored for its nutrition value. This ensures that the food shelf visitors only receive food that is good for them. They monitor the value based on a nutrition assessment guide provided by United Way.

### **2023 Collection of Leaves and Bundled Brush**

The yard waste collection season has been extended through the end of November to accommodate late-dropping leaves. Your garbage day in the week of November 27 – December 1 is the last 2023 collection for leaves, brush and other yard trimmings. There will be no additional service after your last scheduled pickup.

Yard waste must be in compostable bags – paper (Kraft) or compostable plastic – or unbagged in a reusable container 32-38 gallons in size, at least 26 inches high, with sturdy handles. Yard waste is not allowed in City-provided containers. Set all yard waste next to your cart by 6 am on your pickup day.

**Leaves** > less than 40 pounds

**Brush** > less than 40 pounds, less than three feet long; branch size less than three inches in diameter, must be bundled with string or twine (NO tape or wire)

For information visit [minneapolis.gov/solid-waste](http://minneapolis.gov/solid-waste) or call their offices at 612-673-2917 between 8 am and 4 pm Monday – Friday.

***Don’t rake leaves into the street; it’s against the law and damages our lakes!***



# Around Our Community

## **Tommies Tonight! November 2 @ 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm**

A fundraising concert benefiting Edison activities and athletics featuring Davina and the Vagabonds and The Good, The Bad, and The Funky. Free with donations encouraged. Food truck on site. Doors open at 6 pm. Edison High School, 700 22nd Ave NE. Info: [edisonactivitycouncil.com](http://edisonactivitycouncil.com).

## **Fall women's gathering**

Day retreat dedicated to empowering women, spreading love, and making a positive impact in the community. **Saturday, November 4, 9 am-4 pm**, First Lutheran Church, 1555 40th Avenue NE. Learn about women's prison ministry, mental health and overcoming loneliness. Experience the power of fair trade and sustainable fashion, supporting artisans and their communities around the world. Bishop Ann Svennungsen will preside over worship.

## **Surviving the Holidays Seminar | Saturday, November 11 from 2:00 to 4:30 pm**

You are invited to attend the annual "Surviving the Holidays" seminar.

Through this experience, you'll discover:

- What emotions to expect during the coming days
- How to prepare for the holidays
- How to manage relationships and holiday socials
- How the holidays can help you to heal

There is no charge to attend, although donations are accepted. To help plan, you are encourage to preregister. To register, contact St. Matthew's church office 763-788-9427.

St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 4101 Washington Street NE, Columbia Heights

## **FREE Community Dinner at St. Timothy's; November 14<sup>th</sup> @ 5 pm – 6:30 pm**

Join St. Timothy's on Tuesday, November 14, from 5 pm to 6:30 pm (or until the food is gone) for their drive through community dinner. All are welcome! Please spread the word! St. Timothy's Lutheran Church is located at 825 51st Avenue NE, in Columbia Heights.

## **SpongeBob the Musical**

St. Anthony Village High School presents SpongeBob the Musical. Plunge into this stunning all-singing, all-dancing, dynamic stage show. When the citizens of Bikini Bottom discover that a volcano will soon erupt and destroy their humble home, SpongeBob and his friends must come together to save the fate of their undersea world. **Friday, November 17 and Saturday, November 18 at 7 pm and Sunday, November 19, 2 pm**. St. Anthony Village High School, O.D. Tingham Auditorium, 3303 33rd Ave. NE. Free parking available at SAVHS, enter at Door 16. Tickets available at door: General admission is \$10; seniors and students are \$5.

## **Fall Street Sweeping | Mid-October to mid-November**

Cars must be moved so crews can clear debris and leaves from the streets. Signs will be posted at least 24 hours before towing begins. Signs will specify the day of the week that parking is banned and read "No Parking 7 am to 4:30 pm."

**Don't get Towed!** Find out when your street is scheduled for sweeping: check the schedule at [minneapolismn.gov/streetsweeping](http://minneapolismn.gov/streetsweeping). If you have questions about street sweeping, call 311.





# Holiday Craft Shows, Luncheons and Markets

## “Peppermint Twist” Luncheon & Fashion Show - November 4 @ 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Holy Cross Rosary Guild’s annual charity benefit “Peppermint Twist” featuring a luncheon and fashion show will take place **Saturday, November 4**, at Holy Cross Kolbe Center, 1630 4th Street NE  
**11:15:** social; **noon:** turkey dinner, fashion show and prizes. Tickets \$25. Call Lori at 612-859-9608 or Pat at 612-963-3355.

### Salem Covenant Church Arts & Crafts Fair

Saturday, November 4 from 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Salem Covenant Church, 2655 5th Street NW, New Brighton

## Messiah Lutheran Church Bazaar – November 4 | 9 AM – 2 PM

2848 County Road H2, Mounds View

*Proceeds to Mission Projects*

All are Welcome!

## Holiday Market: Scandinavian Treats and Crafts

**Saturday, November 11, 9 am-2 pm.**

Fill your bags and your bellies with traditional Scandinavian homemade foods, purchase beautiful handmade items. You can even grab a tasty lunch at the lunch counter. All proceeds go to local and global charities. First Lutheran Church, 1555 40th Avenue NE.

## Sauerkraut Supper and Quilt Raffle

A Tradition for over 75years! Meals include Sauerkraut, Pork Roast, Rutabagas, Potatoes & More. Event includes a quilt raffle. A portion of the proceeds from this year’s event will be donated to **My Very Own Bed**, a non-profit located in NE Minneapolis that is dedicated to supplying children transitioning to permanent housing their very own bed—a place to sleep, dream, and recharge.

**Saturday, November 4– Dine-In Seating 5 pm**

Take-Out pick-up from 5:30 – 6:30 pm

Grace Lutheran Church of Northeast Minneapolis

At Grace Center for Community Life

1500 Sixth Street NE (Sixth Street side-door #2 OR Fifth Street side-door #3)

2 Blocks North of Broadway on Fifth Street

OR 2 Blocks East of University on 15<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Adults \$20 | Children ages 12 and under \$12 | Family (two adults max) \$50

**Call 612-788-2444 or go to [gracenempls.org/supper](http://gracenempls.org/supper) to reserve tickets. Tell Your Friends!**

## *St. Maron Lebanese bake sale & country store*

St. Maron Maronite Catholic Church’s annual Lebanese Bake Sale & Country Store will take place **Saturday, November 11, 11 am-6 pm and Sunday, November 12, 9 am-1 pm** at 602 University Avenue NE. Enjoy authentic Lebanese cuisine of sumboosick, baklava, macaroon cookies, mishtah, meat pies, spinach pies and zaatar bread (manoushe) plus other baked goodies. There will be treasures and bargains galore at the Country Store.

Visit [www.stmaron.com](http://www.stmaron.com) or call 612-379-2758 for more information.

## You say Pierogi, we say Pyrohy!

Pyrohy (Pierogi) for sale at St. Constantine Ukrainian Catholic Church. Their dough is gently mixed each Friday and rolled by hand. Inside each doughy pouch, you'll find our hand-prepared fillings of fresh *potato*, *cheese* or *sauerkraut*. The hand-made pyrohy are all-natural, with no additives or preservatives. Made fresh every other Friday by dedicated volunteers, and either sold or frozen right away!

This fundraiser directly supports the ongoing upkeep of their beautiful church in the heart of Northeast Minneapolis!

### **All items are TO-GO Only!**

They have frozen pyrohy for sale every week and fresh pyrohy for sale every other week. Check out their FaceBook page for any schedule changes!

- Pyrohy (Potato or Sauerkraut): \$12/dozen
- Side of Caramelized Onions: \$1 per container (max 1 per dozen)
- Beef or Vegetarian Borscht: \$6/16oz. (Selection varies seasonally with limited availability at times)

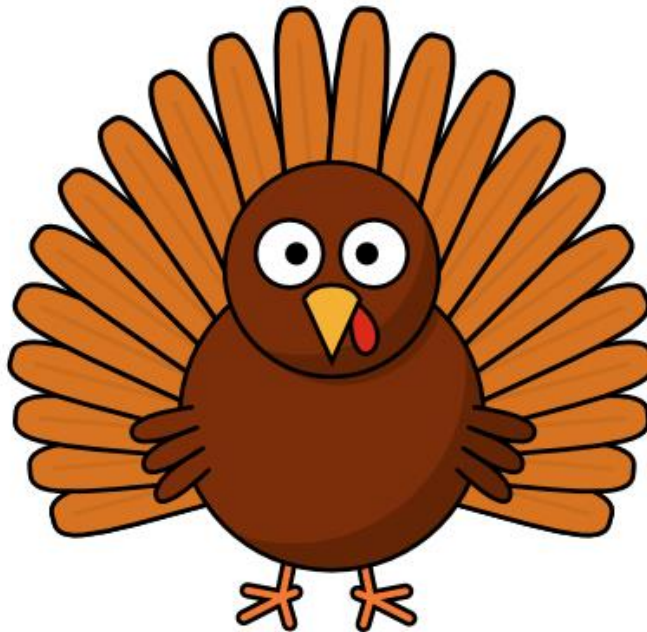
Please call and leave a voicemail at 612-378-9833. In your message, include **your name, phone number, quantity and variety of pyrohy, quantity of any side items, and pickup time of 11:30 am, 12:00 pm, or 12:30 pm.**

If you miss the order cut-off, you can order in-person on Friday (subject to availability).


Payments via Cash, Check, or Credit Card are accepted

Orders can be placed and picked up on the second floor of the Parish Hall located at 314 6th Ave NE, Minneapolis, MN 55413

Please enter the Parish Hall from the parking lot entrance, located on 4th St NE, between 5th & 6th Aves NE.



# November 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<b>1</b> 11 am GDLC Service and Bible Study w/Fellowship  6 – 7:30 pm Royal Family Bible Study	<b>2</b> 5:30 pm GDLC “Knowing the Bible” Bible Study	<b>3</b> 5 – 8 pm Living Word Music Rehearsal	<b>4</b> 10 am - 12 pm Living Word Worship & Fellowship  6 – 8 pm Living Word Prayer Night
<b>5</b> <b>All Saints Day Observed</b> <b>10 am Worship w/HC</b> 10:30 am Royal Family Sunday School 11:45 am Royal Family Worship  2 – 4 pm Financial Peace University  6 pm NA <b><i>Daylight Savings Time Ends!</i></b>	<b>6</b> <b>Pastor’s Day Off</b>  5:30 pm Beginners AIAnon 7 pm AIAnon	<b>7</b> <b>ELECTION DAY</b> Find your polling place <a href="https://vote.minneapolis.mn.gov/voters/where-to-vote/">https://vote.minneapolis.mn.gov/voters/where-to-vote/</a>  6 – 8 pm Financial Peace University	<b>8</b> <b>11 am GDLC</b> <b>Service and Bible</b> <b>Study w/Fellowship</b>  6 – 7:30 pm Royal Family Bible Study	<b>9</b> <b>5:30 pm GDLC</b> <b>“Knowing the</b> <b>Bible” Bible</b> <b>Study</b>	<b>10</b> <b>VETERANS DAY</b>  5 – 8 pm Living Word Music Rehearsal	<b>11</b> 10 am - 12 pm Living Word Worship & Fellowship  6 – 8 pm Living Word Prayer Night
<b>12</b> <b>24<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</b> <b>10 am Worship w/HC</b> 10:30 am Royal Family Sunday School 11:45 am Royal Family Worship  2 – 4 pm Financial Peace University  6 pm NA <b>Last Day for Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box Collection</b>	<b>13</b> <b>Pastor’s Day Off</b>  5:30 pm Beginners AIAnon 7 pm AIAnon	<b>14</b>  6 – 8 pm Financial Peace University	<b>15</b>  <b>11 am GDLC</b> <b>Service and Bible</b> <b>Study w/Fellowship</b>  6 – 7:30 pm Royal Family Bible Study	<b>16</b>  <b>5:30 pm GDLC</b> <b>“Knowing the</b> <b>Bible” Bible</b> <b>Study</b>	<b>17</b>  5 – 8 pm Living Word Music Rehearsal	<b>18</b> 10 am - 12 pm Living Word Worship & Fellowship  4 – 5 pm Living Word Board Meeting 6 – 8 pm Living Word Prayer Night
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# November Special Occasions



<b><u>Happy Birthday</u></b>	<b><u>Happy Anniversary</u></b>
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2<sup>nd</sup> Daniel Harris  
 14<sup>th</sup> Betty Hietala  
 17<sup>th</sup> Chris Hadrath

2<sup>nd</sup> David and Danielle Ohnstad

## **NOVEMBER SERVANTS**

**ELDERS: Karmon Christopherson**

**Please sign up of Ushering and Altar Care on the sign-up sheets on the front Lobby bulletin board. Thank you!**

### **Counters**

5<sup>th</sup> Al, Pam and Aaron Morelli  
 12<sup>th</sup> Dale Raschke and Wade Billmeyer  
 19<sup>th</sup> Sandy Westling and Tom Harris  
 23<sup>rd</sup> Shirley Holzinger and Verlayne Sather  
 26<sup>th</sup> Pat Scott and Shirley Slagle

### **Candles**

5<sup>th</sup>  
 12<sup>th</sup>  
 19<sup>th</sup>  
 23<sup>rd</sup>  
 26<sup>th</sup>

### **Flowers**

5<sup>th</sup>  
 12<sup>th</sup>  
 19<sup>th</sup>  
 23<sup>rd</sup>  
 26<sup>th</sup>

***If you sign up for flowers and/or candles after the newsletter is published, please let the Office know. We want to make sure that flowers are ordered and you are properly acknowledged in the bulletin notes. Thank You!***





THE LUTHERAN CHURCH—MISSOURI SYNOD

# Pray For Us Calendar

## THE LORD'S PRAYER — NOVEMBER 1-13

This month, The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) gives thanks for God's abundant grace we have received through Jesus Christ's sacrificial death and resurrection. In all things we give thanks for His love and mercy.

*Give thanks as you pray:*

- 1.** Give thanks for the saints who have gone before us. Ask Him to empower Christians to follow their example of faith and good works.
- 2.** Give thanks for the saints on earth. Pray that His Church might continue in the true faith and proclaim the saving Good News.
- 3.** Thank God that He is our heavenly Father. Rejoice that God invites us to believe that He is our true Father and we are His true children.
- 4.** Thank God that His name is holy. Rejoice that all can trust in the Lord, for His Word is truth.

- 5.** Thank God for His Kingdom. Pray that the Lord of the Harvest would provide workers for the harvest field.
- 6.** Thank God for His will. Pray that His will is done. Not ours.
- 7.** Thank God that His will is done on earth as it is in heaven. Pray that God would keep us firm in His Word and faith until we die.
- 8.** Thank God for daily bread. Pray for all those who are hungry today.
- 9.** Thank God for forgiveness. Repent. Rejoice that your sins are forgiven by Christ.

**10.** Thank God for forgiveness. Pray for the strength to forgive those who have sinned against you.

**11.** Thank God that He leads us out of temptation. Ask God to lead you in paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

**12.** Thank God that He delivers us from evil. Rejoice that Jesus has won the victory over sin, death and the power of the devil.

**13.** Thank God that He hears our prayers for Jesus' sake. Rejoice that God promises to hear our prayers as a loving Father.



# NOVEMBER *Pray For Us Calendar*

## THE TEN COMMANDMENTS AND THE APOSTLES' CREED — NOVEMBER 14-30

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*Give thanks as you pray:*

**14.** *Thank God that He is the God who saves. Pray that all might fear, love and trust in Him alone.*

**15.** *Thank God that His name is trustworthy. Call upon Him in every trouble, pray, praise and give thanks.*

**16.** *Thank God for Sabbath rest. Hold His Word sacred. Gladly hear and learn it.*

**17.** *Thank God for your parents. Thank Him for all those in authority. Pray for the strength to obey.*

**18.** *Thank God for your neighbor, that you might help in any need.*

**19.** *Thank God for Christian marriage. May all learn to love as Christ loves His Church.*

**20.** *Thank God for what He has provided for you. May all learn the secret of being content.*

**21.** *Thank God for the people in your life. May we speak well of them and explain everything in the kindest way.*

**22.** *Thank God for your home. Rejoice and be content in what He has provided for you.*

**23.** *Thank God for the people God has provided in your life.*

**24.** *Thank God for the Ten Commandments. Pray for strength to rejoice in His will and to walk in His ways to the glory of His holy name.*

**25.** *Thank God for creation.*

**26.** *Thank God for His Son Jesus Christ.*

**27.** *Thank God for the suffering, death and resurrection of Christ. Rejoice that Christ's death has purchased and won you from all sins, from death and from the power of the devil.*

**28.** *Thank God for the promise of Christ's return. The Church prays, Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.*



**29.** *Thank God for the Holy Spirit, who calls, gathers, enlightens and sanctifies the whole Christian church on earth and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith.*

**30.** *Thank God for St. Andrew, apostle. St. Andrew, Peter's brother, heard John's cry to "Behold the Lamb of God" and followed Jesus.*

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