

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE
NOVEMBER 5, 2023

All Saints Sunday

INTRODUCTION

All Saints celebrates the baptized people of God, living and dead, who are the body of Christ. As November heralds the dying of the landscape, the readings and liturgy call us to remember all who have died in Christ and whose baptism is complete. At the Lord's table we gather with the faithful of every time and place, trusting that the promises of God will be fulfilled and that all tears will be wiped away in the new Jerusalem.

PRELUDE

Ancient Voices Sandra Eithun
On Wings of Song arr. Sandra Eithun

Faith Bells

CALL TO WORSHIP & CONFESSION AT THE FONT

Pastor: In the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Congregation: Amen.

P: God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

silence for confession

P: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are captive 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: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God 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.

OUR VISION

To be an inspired body of Christ.



OUR MISSION

Love God. Love Others. Serve.

INVOCATION

Pastor: Today is All Saints Sunday. We remember those who have died in the past year with a solemn toll of remembrance.



TOLL OF REMEMBRANCE *seated*

REMEMBERED ON ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

MEMBERS

Barbara Barrass
Peggy Beckwith
Gloria Blackwell
Ronald Fife
Maret Hebert
Roger Legako
Debbie Moore
Judy Morris
Will Witte

FRIENDS & FAMILY

Jeff Belt
Marian Berdal
Leonard Berdal
Brian Bibee
Loise Black
Carl Bohn
Jeffrey Brown
Cody Cannon
Judy Colebrook
Martin Connor

Jimmy Dean
Robert DeBoo
Achilleas Dounis
Randy Fagan
Nick Frank
Donald Hinkle
Jeff Holte
Gary Holtz
Pratt Hughes
Manard Hymer
Tim Keenan
Jeremy Ketterling
Vera Koger
Linda Langland
Randy Large
Sue LaVecchia
Joy Lehto
Louie Martin
Marce Matisko
Lenore Meyland
Suzanne Nicely
Bill Nixon

Susan Olson
Carol Perkins
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Ron Ramsey
Rev. Robert Case
Derrick Russian
Mark Schwarzentraub
Tiphinne Shea-Scoba
Ruth Shephard
Ruth Sittler
Bill Sittler
Darrell Sliger
Helen Smith
Tom Swayze
Wayne Varnes
Walli Weigl
Jolaina Whitmer
Marion Williams
Lucas
Michael

GREETING

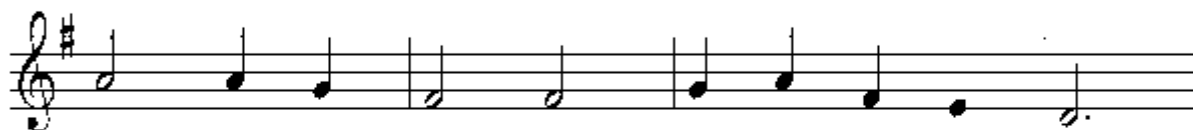
Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Congregation: And also with you.

For All the Saints



1 For all the saints who from their labors rest,
2 You were their rock, their fortress, and their might;
3 Oh, may your soldiers, faithful, true, and bold,
4 But then there breaks a yet more glorious day: the



all who by faith be-fore the world con-fessed,
you, Lord, their cap-tain in the well-fought fight;
fight as the saints who nobly fought of old
saints . . . tri-um-phant rise in bright ar-ray:



your name, O Je-sus, be for-ev-er blest,
you, in the dark-ness dread, their one true light,
and win with them the vic-tor's crown of gold,
the King of glo-ry pass-es on his way.



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

P: Let us pray.

All: Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

CHILDREN'S TALK

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PARISH NEWS

WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSONS Pew Bible page #1124

Mary Beth Hallahan, Lector

FIRST LESSON: Revelation 7:9-17

The book of Revelation is written to seven churches in western Asia Minor during a time of great oppression. Today's reading is a response to the question asked in 6:17: "Who is able to stand?" The writer gives the faithful the assurance of God's protection and a vision of victory.

⁹After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands.

¹⁰They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" ¹¹And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹²singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

¹³Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?" ¹⁴I said to him, "Sir, you are the one that knows." Then he said to me, "These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

¹⁵For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.

¹⁶They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; ¹⁷for the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

PSALM: Psalm 34:1-10, 22 Pew Bible page #497

Lector: ¹I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

Congregation: ²My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad.

L: ³O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.

C: ⁴I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.

L: ⁵Look to him, and be radiant, so your faces shall never be ashamed.

C: ⁶**This poor soul cried and was heard by the Lord and was saved from every trouble.**

L: ⁷The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him and delivers them.

C: ⁸**O taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are those who take refuge in him.**

L: ⁹O fear the Lord, you his holy ones, for those who fear him have no want.

C: ¹⁰**The young lions suffer want and hunger, but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing.**

L: ²²O Lord, you redeem the life of your servants, and those who put their trust in you will not be punished.

SECOND READING: 1 John 3:1-3 Pew Bible #1113

A saint is one who has been set apart by God for God's purposes. God, out of divine love, set us apart to be the children of God. Our holy hope is that we shall see God as God really is.

¹See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him.

²Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. ³And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: **Thanks be to God!**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION hymnal, #216, *stand*

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? Al - le -
lu - ia. You have the words of e - ter - nal life.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

GOSPEL: John 14:1-6 Pew Bible #984

Jesus prepares a place for us so that where He is, we may also be.

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to John, the 14th chapter.

Congregation: Glory to you, O Lord!

¹⁴“Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me.
²In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? ³And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also. ⁴And you know the way to the place where I am going.” ⁵Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” ⁶Jesus said to him, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.”

Pastor: The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Grace in Our Grief

Pastor Bob Stelter

HYMN OF THE DAY hymnal #669, as shown, *stand*

Rise Up, O Saints of God!



1 Rise up, O saints of God! From vain am - bi - tions turn:
2 Speak out, O saints of God! De - spair en - gulf's earth's frame:
3 Rise up, O saints of God! His king - dom's task em - brace:
4 Give heed, O saints of God! Cre - a - tion cries in pain:
5 Com - mit your hearts to seek the paths which Christ has trod



Christ rose tri - um - phant that your hearts with no - bler zeal might burn.
as heirs of God's bap - tis - mal grace, his word of hope pro - claim.
re - dress sin's cru - el con - se - quence; give jus - tice larg - er place.
stretch forth your hand of heal - ing now, with love the weak sus - tain.
and quick - ened by the Spir - it's pow'r, rise up, O saints of God!

NICENE CREED

Pastor: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us proclaim our faith.

All: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Bill Steele, Assisting Minister

Assistant: Let us turn our hearts to God, our breath and life, as we pray for the church, the world, and all who are in need.

A brief silence.

Assistant: Holy God, the church triumphant gathers around your throne to praise you. We join them in worship and remember your sustaining grace in every generation. Heal our divisions; show us unity in your presence. Hear us, O God.

Congregation: Your mercy is great.

A: Holy creator, we marvel at your creation revealed in the cycle of seasons, changing landscapes, and the rise and fall of ocean tides. Turn us from selfish consumption and open us to gentle healing of the earth so all creation thrives. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

A: Holy healer, bless the brokenhearted and all who mourn. Send your compassion to all who grieve, grant wholeness to those who are sick, and accompany the dying. Be near to all who need you. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

A: Holy comforter, we pray for this congregation, that the promise of your new life may be shared and experienced. We pray for the funeral ministry of this congregation, that families and friends seeking your love find it here. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

Here other intercessions may be offered.

A: Holy One, for the saints who now rest in your mercy, we give you thanks. We remember their witness of faithfulness and love. Praise to you for the eternal life they have been given through Jesus Christ. Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

Silence for individual prayer petitions.

Pastor: We offer our spoken prayers and those held in our hearts trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord.

Congregation: Amen.

THE PEACE

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Congregation: And also with you.

MEAL

OFFERING FOR MISSION AND MINISTRY

OFFERING ANTHEM

Litanei Franz Schubert

Collin Kasefang, solo

OFFERTORY *With One Voice, pg. 35, stand*

Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful

Let the vine-yards be fruit - ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of
bless - ing. Gath - er a har - vest from the seeds that were sown,
that we may be fed with the bread of life.
Gath-er the hopes and dreams of all; u - nite them with the prayers we
of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your pres - ence, Lord,
and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

OFFERING PRAYER

Assistant: Let us pray.

Congregation: Merciful God, 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.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

Pastor: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. By the witness of your saints you show us the hope of our calling and strengthen us to run the race set before us, that we may delight in your mercy and rejoice with them in glory. And so, with [name/s and] all the saints, with the choirs of angels and all the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS With One Voice, pg. 36

Holy, Holy, Holy

The musical score is written on six staves of music. Each staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff includes a square symbol in a box before the first note. The lyrics are: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might, heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor: Holy, mighty & merciful Lord, heaven and earth are full of your glory. In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son, who reached out to heal the sick and suffering, who preached good news to the poor, and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
*“Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.”*

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:
*“This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.”*

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

**All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever.
Amen.**

INVITATION TO THE MEAL FROM PASTOR STELTER

Lamb of God, *With One Voice*, pg. 439

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

COMMUNION *When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say*
 The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you.
and each person may respond
Amen.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN *hymnal, #423*

Shall We Gather at the River



1 Shall we gath - er at the riv - er. where bright an - gel feet have trod.
 2 On the mar - gin of the riv - er, wash - ing up its sil - ver spray.
 3 Ere we reach the shin - ing riv - er. lay we ev - 'ry bur - den down:
 4 Soon we'll reach the shin - ing riv - er. soon our pil - grim - age will cease:



with its crys - tal tide for - ev - er flow - ing by the throne of God?
 we will walk and wor - ship ev - er. all the hap - py gold - en day.
 grace our spir - its will de - liv - er, and pro - vide a robe and crown.
 soon our hap - py hearts will quiv - er with the mel - o - dy of peace.

Refrain



Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er. the beau - ti - ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er:



gath - er with the saints at the riv - er that flows by the throne of God.

COMMUNION BLESSING *stand*

Pastor: Now may the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ
 strengthen you and keep you in His grace.

Congregation: Amen.

POST COMMUNION CANTICLE

Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise

Thank - ful hearts and voic - es raise; tell ev - 'ry -
one what God has done. Let all who seek the
Lord re - joice and bear Christ's ho - ly name.
Send us with your prom - is - es, O God,
and lead us forth in joy with shouts
of thanks - giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Assistant: Let us pray,

Congregation: Almighty God, you provide the true bread from heaven, your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant that we who have received the Sacrament of his body and blood may abide in him and he in us, that we may be filled with the power of his endless life, Now and forever. Amen.

PRAYER FOR SENDING OF DEACONS Pam Brown, Nancy Dean November 5-18
Deacons come forward to receive communion kits.

Pastor: Let us pray.

Congregation: Compassionate God, as Jesus called disciples to follow him, bless those who go forth to share your word and sacrament with those who are sick and homebound. May these gifts be signs of our love and prayers, that through the sharing of the body and blood of Christ, all may know your grace and healing revealed in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SENDING

Pastor: In worship, our hope has been renewed; our faith has been rekindled; and our life has been restored

Congregation: We leave this place forgiven, that we might forgive; strengthened, that we might serve; and rooted in the love and promises of God.

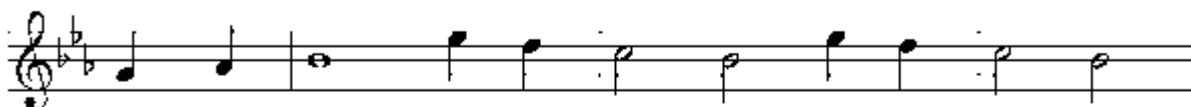
P: Almighty God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.

C: Amen.

Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones



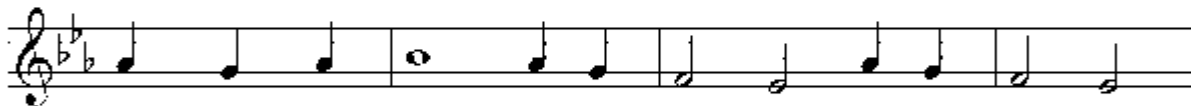
1 Ye watch-ers and ye ho-ly ones, bright ser-aphs, cher-u-
 2 O high-er than the cher-u-bim, more glo-ri-ous than the
 3 Re-spond, ye souls in end-less rest, ye pa-tri-archs and
 4 O friends, in glad-ness let us sing, su-per-nal an-thems



bim, and thrones, raise the glad strain: "Al-le-lu-ia!"
 ser-a-phim, lead their prais-es; "Al-le-lu-ia!"
 proph-ets blest: "Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!"
 ech-o-ing: "Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!"



Cry out, do-min-ions, prince-doms, pow'rs, arch-an-gels, vir-
 Thou bear-er of the e-ter-nal Word, most gra-cious, mag-
 Ye ho-ly twelve, ye mar-tyrs strong, all saints tri-um-
 to God the Fa-ther, God the Son, and God the Spir-



tues, an-gel choirs:
 ni-ly the Lord: "Al-le-lu-ia! Al-le-lu-ia!"
 phant, raise the song:
 it, Three in One:



Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia!

DISMISSAL

Assistant: The worship is concluded, now the service begins.

Congregation: We go to love God, love others, serve.

A: Go in peace. Share the Good News.

C: Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

Come, Come, Ye Saints James Denton

Flowers on the altar are given by Vicki Adams in memory of Lisa.

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Founding Congregation of Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry ▪ Stephen Ministry Congregation

Traditional Worship, 9am ♦ Contemporary Worship, 11:11am

Dr. Bob Stelter — *Pastor*

Greg Bohlken — *Ministry Associate*

Lynn Rognsvoog — *Organist*

Collin Kasefang — *Choir Director*

Lisa Stelter — *Worship Graphics*

Members of Faith Lutheran Church — Ministers

Sandra Bohlken — *Contemporary Worship Leader*

Trace Taylor — *Sound Technician*

Tiffany Bryson — *Nursery Caregiver*

Kim Frasch — *Quiet Music Ministry*

Mary Boring — *Office Manager*

Phylis Garrison — *Publications*

Barbara Birkholz — *Financial Secretary*

Mildred Fenske — *Prayer Chain Coordinator*

Alicia & David Brondos — *Missionaries*

WELCOME! *As followers of Jesus, we rejoice in God's plan for a just, loving and peaceful world. We commit ourselves to making it a reality for all people everywhere. Just as all are welcome at the Lord's table during holy communion, all are welcome to this family of faith. People of all races, ages, social status, sexual orientations and gender identity are united here in our mission to love God, love others and serve. Please sign a Worship Card and place it in the offering plate.*

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!

INQUIRERS' CLASS today, 10:15am in the Community Room. Want to know more about Lutheranism, our ministries and considering membership? Contact Greg Bohlken at greg@faithloves.org.

Sunday Worship 9 & 11:11am

Live in the sanctuary or online at:

[YouTube.com/@FaithLutheranChurch3329/stream](https://www.youtube.com/@FaithLutheranChurch3329/stream)

COUNCIL Q & A today after both services

INQUIRER'S CLASS, 10:15AM (Community Room)

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES TODAY — 10:15AM

Adult Sunday School, led by John Woods.

Confirmation Class

Children's Sunday School grades 5 & under
Teen Sunday School grades 6-12. youth room

WEDNESDAY MUSIC REHEARSALS

HANDBELLS, 5:30pm ♦ CHANCEL CHOIR, 6:30pm

PRAISE TEAM REHEARSALS

Thursdays, 6pm & Sundays, 10:15am

Greening of the Church November 26, 12:15pm. With many hands, it should only take about an hour to prepare for Advent and the joyous Christmas season!

2024 FLOWER CHART has been posted by the library.

COLUMBARIUM NICHES are available to our members for \$1,800 and to non-members at \$2,500. Application forms are found in our *Columbarium Booklet* located in the narthex.

MARET HEBERT MEMORIAL SERVICE, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12
VISITATION, 3PM SERVICE, 4PM

Fellowship sponsored by WELCA, following the service

CELLO RECITAL, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 3PM

SHEPHERD OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY

Open Mondays: November 6, 3-5pm & 20, 3-6pm
CURRENT NEEDS

Jelly (20oz plastic bottles) • **Syrup** (24oz plastic bottles)

• **Tea bags** (20—48 count) • **Coffee** (1lb ground)

• **Monetary donations for a ham or turkey.**

Shepherd of Hope donation envelopes are in the narthex.

Contact: Renéé Stone, 865-599-7424.

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

COOKIE WALK MEETING, today, 10:15am.

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY, 1:30pm led by John Woods.

WIDOW'S GATHERING Tuesday, November 7, noon.

OUTDOOR WORSHIP & PICNIC IN THE PARK Sunday

November 12—Worship 11:11am ♦ Picnic Lunch noon.

SPIRITUALITY BOOK GROUP Tuesday, November 14, 6:30pm.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING Sunday, November 19, 12:15pm.

SALVATION ARMY VISIT Tuesday, November 28, 5pm.

We need large & extra large men's boxer briefs and women's size 8 briefs. Contact Michael Lee at 865-405-6585 or Debbie Ragucci, 865-567-1945.

FIRST WEDNESDAY DINNER & ACTIVITIES
December 6

<https://tinyurl.com/FirstWed120623>



- **YOUTH 3RD SUNDAYS OF THE MONTH** We'll meet with youth groups at Peace Lutheran Church on **November 19** for activities and fun! **Noon-2pm: 3rd-5th grades** (pack lunch) **3-4:30pm: 6-12th grades.**
- **CANDY MAKING TIME!** Sunday, 11/26, Noon-3pm. Youth & adults gather to make candy & sell at the Cookie Walk. Bring candy recipes, ingredients & supplies.
- **COOKIE WALK YOUTH CANDY SELLERS NEEDED** – join us **Saturday, 12/2, 8am-Noon.**
- **FIRST WEDNESDAY YOUTH GROUP** December 6. Sign up online, meet in the Youth Room, 5:15pm & eat dinner together

OAK RIDGE CIVIC MUSIC ASSOCIATION presents
Oak Ridge Symphony's "*Beethoven—Tradition & Innovation*"
Saturday, November 11, 7:30pm
Tickets are available at: www.orcma.org

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

9am Traditional

Altar Guild	Marj West
Assisting Minister	Bill Steele
Lector	Mary Beth Hallahan
Communion Ministers	Allison Pressley, Loni Peters, Carol & Randy Schaefer
Greeter	Jane Dakolios
Ushers	Jim Hallahan, Steve Dean
Offering Stewards	Gary Dakolios, George Herbold



Giving: 10.29.2023

Offerings last Sunday: **10,749**
Offerings Year to Date: **502,461**
Walk by Faith as of Sept. 30: **754,327**

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PEACE: Protection for all armed forces, especially: Jacob Cole, Andrew Chovancek, Nathan Goodall, Tyler Hitter, H.M., Anthony Hu, Julianne LeFevre-Kerr, Chase Linell, Alex Primka, Christine Russ, Alex Serrano, Sam Thompson, Mitchell Yount, Greg Zager.

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WEEK OF NOVEMBER 5-12, 2023

Sunday, November 5 All Saints Sunday

9:00am Traditional Worship *Sanctuary*
10:00am Fellowship *The Cup*
10:15am Council Q & A Session
Cookie Walk Meeting
Inquirer's Class
Adult Sunday School
Confirmation Class
Teen Sunday School *Grades 6-12* Children's
Sunday School *5th Grades & under*
Praise Team Rehearsal
11:11am Contemporary Worship
12:15pm Council Q & A Session
5:00pm AL-ANON meeting *Zoom*

Monday, November 6

9:00am Sons of Norway
Noon Via de Cristo Reunion Group *library*
3-5pm Food Pantry open

Tuesday, November 7

Noon Widows Group
1:30pm Bible Study Small Group *The Cup*
6:00pm AL-ANON meeting *zoom*
7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous *The Cup*

Wednesday, November 8

11:00am Alanon meeting
4:00pm Staff meeting
5:30pm Bell Choir Rehearsal
6:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, November 9

6:00pm Praise Team Rehearsal
7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous *The Cup*

Friday, November 10

9:30am Cole Center Caregiver Community
2pm-10pm Oak Ridge Symphony Rehearsal
7:00pm Narcotics Anonymous Group *The Cup*

Saturday, November 11

5pm-7pm Oak Ridge Symphony Rehearsal
7:30pm Oak Ridge Symphony Performance
11:00am AL-ANON meeting *Zoom*

Sunday, November 12 24th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00am Annual Worship in the Park
Traditional Worship *Sanctuary*
10:00am Fellowship *The Cup*
Children's Sunday School *5th Grades & under*
Teen Sunday School *Grades 6-12*
Adult Sunday School
Praise Team Rehearsal
11:11am Contemporary Worship in the Park
12:pm Picnic in the Park
3:00pm Visitation for Maret Hebert
4:00pm Memorial Service for Maret Hebert
Reception to follow in *The Cup*
5:00pm AL-ANON meeting *Zoom*

PREPARING FOR NEXT WEEK

Monday: Psalm 128; Joshua 4:1-24; 1 Thessalonians 2:13-20. • **Tuesday:** Psalm 128; Joshua 6:1-16, 20; Acts 13:1-12
Wednesday: Psalm 128; Joshua 10:12-14; Matthew 15:1-9 • **Thursday:** Psalm 78:1-7; Joshua 5:10-12; Revelation 8:6-9:12.
Friday: Psalm 78:1-7; Joshua 8:30-35; Revelation 9:13-21. • **Saturday:** Psalm 78:1-7; Joshua 8:30-35; Revelation 9:13-21.
24th Sunday of Pentecost: Amos 5:18-24; Psalm 70; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Matthew 25:4-13.