



Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. - Philippians 4:6



# CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



*“Will a man rob God? Yet you rob me. But you ask “How do we rob you? In tithes and offerings. You are under a curse – the whole nation of you, because you are robbing me. Bring the whole tithe into my storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this, says the Lord Almighty, and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it.” Malachi 3:8-10*

In John 8:31-32 Jesus said *“If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples. Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.”* Disciples are believers who “hold” to Jesus’ teaching. These past months I’ve suggested the following signs or “habits” based on a book entitled *“The 7 Habits of Discipleship”* by Pastor Rick Foss. To review, they are:

- Worship weekly
- Pray daily
- Read and study the bible regularly
- Seek to live your faith in daily life
- Seek the supporting relationship of other Christians
- Grow in giving toward the goal of tithing**
- Learn to share faith with others

The sixth “habit” is *“grow in giving toward the goal of tithing”*. The passage from Malachi is a commentary on the giving practices in Israel. The Israelites had come out of slavery in Egypt and were each given a portion of land when they entered Canaan. The tribe of Levi was given no land however. God appointed them to be priests and ministers in the “tent of meeting” (worship center used prior to the construction of the Jerusalem Temple).

In Numbers 18:20-32 God gives instructions on how the Levites and their families are to be supported – through the “tithes” of the other tribes. A tenth of the grain, oil, livestock, etc. of the households of other tribes was to be offered to God each year to support Levite families. The Levites, in turn, were to take a tenth of what



The **Vision** of Calvary Lutheran Church is: “Sharing the life-changing message of Jesus Christ”

**Mission Statement:** Calvary Lutheran Church is a family of Christians, directed by the Holy Spirit, growing as disciples of Jesus through worship, Biblical study and prayer that are shared with the community and world.

### From the Pastor’s Desk *(continued)*

they received and put it in the “storehouse” of the tent (later Temple) to be used in worship. Everyone contributed equally.

In Nehemiah 10 the Jews make several covenants with God after they return from exile in Babylon. Determined to get a fresh start, these covenants included resumption of the tithing practices described in Numbers 18. Nehemiah 10 ends with the words “*we will not neglect the house of our God.*” These, plus the passage from Malachi, are the three references to tithing – giving a tenth of one’s resources – as mentioned in the Old Testament.

Interestingly the word “tithing” is used only once in the New Testament, and not in a positive way. In Matthew 23, Jesus criticizes Jewish leaders – the Pharisees - for “*giving a tenth of your spices – mint, dill and cumin*” while neglecting the more important matters of justice and mercy. These leader’s sheer act of tithing did nothing to convince Jesus their hearts were inclined toward God. More often, Jesus speaks of offering oneself to God – John’s gospel speaks often of “abiding” in the Son, and “remaining” in his word. That is what disciples of Jesus were to do.

But that word does include the Old Testament passages on tithing. Jesus did not invalidate those Old Testament passages, but he placed them again in their proper context. Tithing represents putting God first – it was not only a way of “funding” the ministry of Levites, it was a way of expressing that worship of God was of first importance, and worship of God included, as evidently the Pharisees in Jesus time had missed – taking care of other people. You can’t feed a family very well on mint, dill and cumin and none of these things were prescribed for use in Temple worship. The Pharisees were guilty of giving from the top and not sacrificially.

Disciples of Jesus recognize that giving is a matter of first importance. We don’t give “off the top” but from the “bottom up” – the very foundation of what we have at our disposal. The Israelites in the Old Testament were to give what God called “first fruits” – the finest and choicest of their harvest and herds. The Levites in turn were to do the same. Growing in giving toward a tithe is equal parts of making giving the first “line item” on our household budget as well as giving generously.

I hope you will “grow” in your giving – and I encourage you to give through this congregation because that is what the Lord first called for from Israel – support for the work of the assembly of believers – the things we do together in God’s name. But the growth Jesus seeks in his disciples is growth in faith. Faith expresses gratitude - gratitude in turn is expressed through generosity. Living generously is another way of saying “grow in giving toward the goal of tithing”. Find and support those organizations whose work is on your heart – try to identify ones that do what they do in the name of the Lord Jesus. Any organization that brings blessing to others and honor the spirit of Christ’s command to “love your neighbor as yourself” will have the simultaneous effect of bringing blessing to you.

In gratitude for your faith, and your generous hearts,

Pastor Ken Nelson



## Thanksgiving Eve Service & Pie Social

Join us for Thanksgiving Eve worship  
at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 21,  
followed by a Pie Social in Fellowship Hall.

Please bring a pie to share.

*The Calvary Crossroads* is published monthly. All news articles should be submitted to the church office by the deadline listed on the church calendar.

Electronic submissions are preferred (email: [communications@calvarylc.com](mailto:communications@calvarylc.com)).

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Printed copies are also available at the church.

# Congregation News and Events

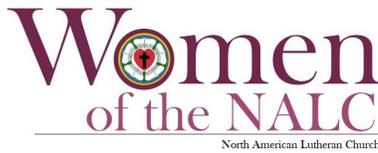


## Youth Bible Presentation

As stated in their Baptismal promise, "Parents will place in the hands of their child the Holy Scriptures and provide for their child's instruction in the Christian faith". As these children continue to grow up in faith, Calvary wants to support, encourage and equip them.

On Sunday, October 21, Pastor Ken, along with parents, presented these children with age-appropriate Bibles to help them grow in their faith:

- Three year olds:** Ben Sayas and Connor Voss
- Third graders:** Gideon Himsel and Meredith Huettl
- Sixth graders:** Josh Morris and Sam Sayas



Calvary is pleased to welcome the NALC National Women's Council for their annual meeting/retreat from November 8-10.

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You are invited to join the Council for a Prayer Breakfast on **Saturday, November 10 at 9 a.m.** in Fellowship Hall.

If you're able to attend, please sign up on the sheets posted on the glass doors in the Narthex. *Bring a friend!*



NALC Women's Council Leadership Team

Rachel Busch Jones ♦ Jacqui El Torro ♦ Pat Dittrich ♦ Marcella Nelson  
Lane Margera ♦ Jill Nesheim ♦ Jody Ford



"Because of God's Great Mercy" is the theme for this year's stewardship campaign. Our congregation proclaims God's mighty acts within our walls through worship, through Christian education for our children and youth, through the many groups that meet to learn and serve. Our congregation proclaims God's mighty acts in our community as we make a difference for good in the lives of people around us who are in need.

You should have received a letter from Pastor Ken and a pledge card for 2019 in the mail. Please call the office if you have not received your mailing. Completed pledge cards can be dropped in the offering basket or mailed to the church office **by Commitment Sunday November 18**. Additional pledge cards are available in the Narthex.



*"Happiness is not something ready made. It comes from your own actions. - Dalai Lama*

Do you have old *working* pens that you don't need anymore? Here's a chance to clean out your desk and drawers and put them to good use! **Right-to-Write** is a unique and simple program designed for people to donate pens and pencils (new or used) which are then given to children in developing countries. Donated pens and pencils are delivered to schools, orphanages and hospitals to children who need them. For more information - <https://right-to-write.org>.

If you'd like to participate, please place new and used working pens and pencils in the collection bin in the Narthex during the month of November. Questions? Please reach out to Tina Baumgartner at [baumteam5@gmail.com](mailto:baumteam5@gmail.com).

# Congregation News and Events

## All Saints—November 3-4

Each year on All Saints, Calvary has a tradition of celebrating and honoring the lives of members who have passed to eternal life the past year, as well as those who have entered into New Life through baptism. We encourage prayers for all.

### Baptisms

Ava Lynn Schlieve (10/21/18)  
Emma Louise Schlieve (10/21/18)  
Isabelle Lorraine Peters (11/3/18)

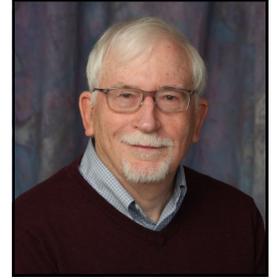
### Deaths

Ed Ramthun (11/17/17)  
Marge Kressin (4/7/18)  
George Repko (7/6/18)  
Elizabeth Gjenvick (7/29/18)  
Lee Hermann (8/15/18)  
Bill Rash (8/23/18)

## Meet Our Newest Members



Steve and Rene Lennartz



Doug Ranger



The Himsel Family

(l-r) Elijah, Ruby, Gideon, Luther, Jessica

Welcome!

## Christmas & Holiday Sing-Along



Sunday, December 2, 2018  
4:00 p.m.

Join us for the second biennial "Christmas and Holiday Singalong. The sing-along is a mixture of sacred Christmas carols and holiday popular songs, offering you an opportunity to participate in, and belt out, some well-known Christmas songs.

The "Sing-along" is in two parts. The first half takes place in the sanctuary, where the audience will sing traditional Christmas carols accompanied by Calvary's Lynn Dobson pipe organ. Then the crowd will reconvene to the Fellowship Hall for refreshments and the second half, where all will sing popular holiday tunes accompanied by piano.

The program is free to the public and all are welcome!

## Calvary's Nativity Display Tradition Continues ....



In the past few years, a new tradition has emerged at Calvary - the sharing of nativity sets in a display in Fellowship Hall during much of the Advent season.

If you would like to share your nativity set(s) this year, here are the details:

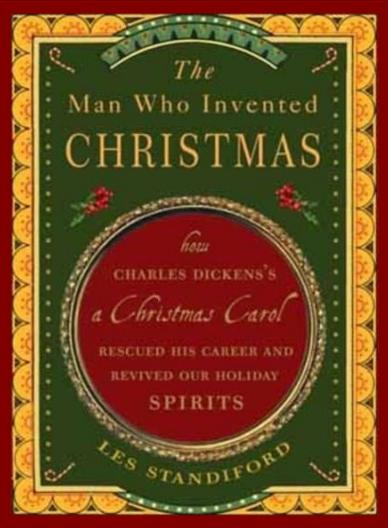
- \* Sign up on the sheet in the Narthex on the glass doors
- \* Bring your nativity set to Classroom #104 between Monday, November 19 and Tuesday, November 27. Please include your name and a description or story about your nativity set (using the info forms near the sign up sheet).
- \* If you'd like to share kid-friendly nativity sets, please do! They will be placed on the round tables in Fellowship Hall so kids can play with them.
- \* We will keep the Nativity sets on display through Sunday, December 16. You can take your set home after service on that Sunday, or we will pack them up and you can pick up from classroom #104 before Thursday, December 20.

If you have any questions, please contact Grace Gunnlaugsson at [gracemg@maccom](mailto:gracemg@maccom) or 262.369.3910.



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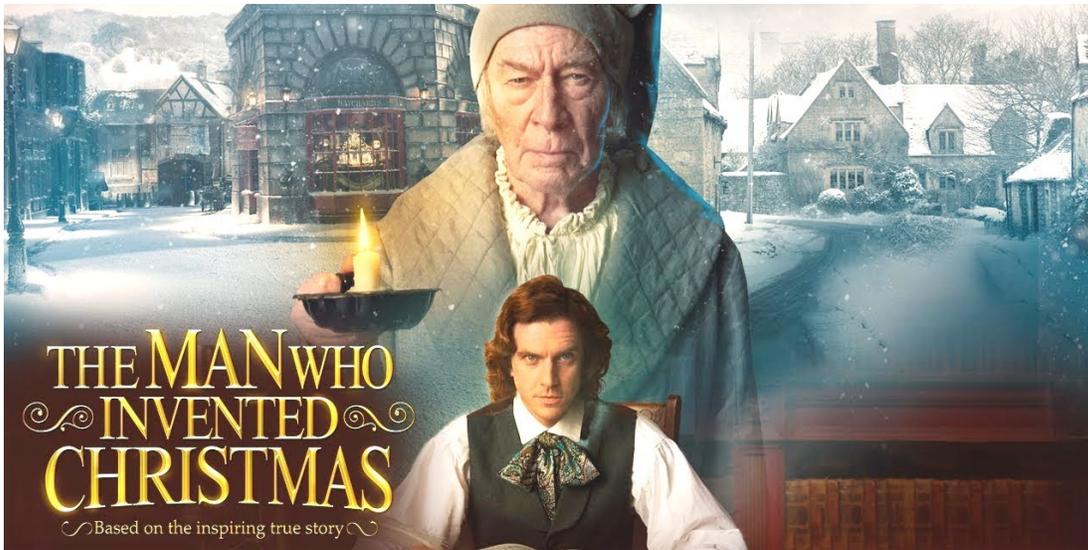
## WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB



Just before Christmas in 1843, a debt-ridden and dispirited Charles Dickens wrote a small book he hoped would keep his creditors at bay. His publisher turned it down, so Dickens used what little money he had to put out *A Christmas Carol* by himself. The book immediately caused a sensation as it breathed new life into a holiday tradition that had fallen into disfavor.

With warmth, wit and an infusion of Christmas cheer, Les Standiford whisks us back to Victorian England, its most beloved storyteller, and the birth of the Christmas we know best. *The Man Who Invented Christmas* is a rich and satisfying read for Scrooges and sentimentalists alike.

All the women of Calvary are invited to come to **Room 110 at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, November 12** for good conversation about a man whose life was closely tied to his writing.



**Monday Morning Movie  
November 19  
9:00 a.m.  
in the Media Room**

We'll begin at 9:00 a.m. with a little fellowship over coffee and snacks followed by this heartwarming movie.

Join us for a great start to your Monday!

## Men's Ministries

### Weekly Wednesday Breakfast



Join the men of Calvary on **Wednesday's at 7 a.m.** at Maxim's, 18025 W Capitol Dr, Brookfield, for breakfast and fellowship.

**Come when you can  
and bring a friend!**

### Monthly Thursday Gathering



The next meeting of the Men's Ministry group is on **Thursday, November 29 starting at 6 p.m.** with dinner at 6:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall and devotion/discussion time at 7 p.m. Come and join us, share some stories, food and beverages with your Calvary friends.

**All men are welcome!**

# Mission and Outreach

## MISSION OF THE MONTH



Samaritan's Purse is an evangelical Christian humanitarian aid organization that provides aid to people in physical need as a key part of Christian missionary work. The organization's president is Franklin Graham, son of Christian evangelist Billy Graham. The name of the organization is based on the New Testament Parable of the

Good Samaritan, in which Jesus uses a parable to teach people one form of the Golden Rule; "love your neighbor as yourself".

The story of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:30-37) gives a clear picture of God's desire for us to help those in desperate need wherever we find them. After describing how the Samaritan rescued a hurting man whom others had passed by, Jesus told His hearers, "Go and do likewise." For over 40 years, Samaritan's Purse has done our utmost to follow Christ's command by going to the aid of the world's poor, sick, and suffering. We are an effective means of reaching hurting people in countries around the world with food, medicine, and other assistance in the Name of Jesus Christ. This, in turn, earns us a hearing for the Gospel, the Good News of eternal life through Jesus Christ.

Calvary also supports the Operation Christmas Child (more information on next page) which blesses children around the world with gift-filled shoeboxes that become opportunities to share the Good News of Jesus Christ. Support to Samaritan's Purse most needed areas include personnel, materials, supporting services, buildings, and equipment—to fulfill our mission of relief and evangelism worldwide.

Use your weekly offering envelopes or a white pew envelope to contribute and note "Mission of the Month" on your check and/or envelope.

## DECORATE THE MITTEN TREE!



Our mittens-gloves-hats-scarves tree will be in the Narthex until December 16. Please help to decorate the tree with warm items for all ages.

Your donations will be delivered to **B.A.S.I.C.S.** (Brothers and Sisters In Christ Serving) for distribution in Milwaukee.

Let's all join together to help keep our Milwaukee neighbors warm this winter.



**Soup** Soup items are requested for the next Food Sunday with collection on **November 17 & 18**. **Cream soups and CHICKEN NOODLE** are especially needed. Other items of need are rice, peanut butter, canned meats, fruits or vegetables, and cereals.

If you prefer to make a monetary contribution, please mark your envelope or check with the notation "Food Pantry". Your continued support is greatly appreciated - thank you!



# Community Outreach



## Operation Christmas Child Packing Party Sunday, November 18 11:00 a.m.

money for shipping.

All Calvary members along with family and friends are invited to help pack boxes for children in need around the world. The boxes will be provided this year but we need everyone's help in supplying the gifts to fill them, as well as

**Please pick up a pamphlet from the kiosk next to the Welcome Desk with all the information you'll need to put together your Christmas box.** Also we encourage the "wow" gift to be a group play item such as a tennis ball, other bouncy ball, or fold up Frisbee. Remember, it needs to fit in a container that is the size of a shoe box. <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/>



St. Vincent de Paul Society  
At the Heart of Giving.

St. Vincent de Paul Society of Milwaukee is an organization dedicated to the elimination of hunger and poverty in our community.

## SOCK COLLECTION

Thank you! **More than 350 pairs of socks** were collected and delivered to St. Vincent de Paul Society on Monday, October 22nd. These were distributed to guests who participate in their meal program.



Our Sunday School children are contributing to Heifer International through the weekly NOISY OFFERINGS collection.

All are invited to drop their loose change in the weekly collection basket. It will be deposited into the collection bottle on the altar and sent to Heifer International next spring. Thanks for your generosity towards this important program.



# Youth and Family

## YOUTH GROUP

**Monthly Youth Group Meetings: Sunday, November 18**

ALL Youth, Grades 3-12, will be meeting on the Third Sunday of the month at church, from 5:00 to 6:30pm. Dinner will be provided, and we will eat as a large group. Then, we will learn about the Bible topic of the month and we will then split into two groups for the rest of the night. (elementary youth, and Middle/High School youth). In these separate groups, we will have time for Highs and Lows, Bible Study Discussion, and, of course, Games! Friends are welcome and encouraged to join us. So mark the calendar!

## Trunk or Treat Sunday, October 28



We didn't let the rain keep us from having a frighteningly good time this year. We had some fantastic and creative costumes this year worn by children and adults alike.

Thank you to everyone who participated. Whether you passed out candy or collected it, thanks for making Trunk or Treat such a blast!



# Congregation News

## November Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthdays	DATE	DATE	Anniversaries	DATE	# of YEARS
Bonier, Laurence	1	Schmidt, Craig	15	Bermel, Kathryn and (Robert)	1 31
Kalupa, James	1	Hirth, Gael	17	Vollmar, Jonathan and Susan	1 19
Kershek, Sheila	2	Louison, Darlene	17	Brutus, John and Dawn	4 39
Lau, Mary	3	Baumgartner, Richard	18	Rose, Harold and Shelby	11 50
Wizner, Susan	3	Lindner, Brad	19	Foley, John and Diane	16 49
Bonier, Susan	4	Branston, Robert	21	Kretschmann, Ernest and Laurie	21 47
Ramthun, Edwin	5	Tatera, Collette	22	Speth, Diane and (Paul)	23 49
Reinemann, Jean	6	Dieck, Pat	23		
Klade, Kent	7	Kretschmann, Laurie	23		
Evert, Lesly	8	Warber, Jacklyn	23		
Nelson, Else-Marie	8	Bzdusek, Terry	24		
Burnside, Matthew	9	Davis, Brian	25		
Piek, Amanda	10	Haggadone, Lisa	26		
Burnside, Mark	12	Johnson, Bonnie	26		
Pierce, Karen	12	Mayer, Allison	26		
Wise, Dorothy	12	Steffens, Ruth	30		
Knuth, Emma	14	Steiner, William	30		
Langelin, Peggy	14				
Lukasik, Charles	14				

Happy Anniversary

## It's About Our Family

**Sympathy to:** Family and friends of Dean Schmelzer on the death of his brother, Daniel.

**Blessings** to the Schlieve family on the baptism of Ava Marie and Emma Louise on October 21; and to the Peters family on the baptism of Isabelle Lorraine on November 3.

### Prayers

*Please check the weekly bulletin for those people needing our urgent prayers. If you have any prayer requests, please call or email the church office. We ask for continued prayers for:*

**Long-Term Prayer List:** Diane Foley; Lowell Sonderman; Donna Polizzi, Marge Skarie; Mickey Rash; Betty Shaefer (friend of Donna Schroeder); Casey Clark (grandson of Judy Kestly); and Barb Dewey (mother of Sallie Schulz).

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# Calendar

## NOVEMBER 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>28</b> <b>Reformation Sunday</b> <b>9:00 AM</b> Worship <b>10:00 AM</b> Sunday School Choir <b>10:30 AM</b> Contemporary Musicians <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Sunday School, Confirmation, HS & Adult Education <b>11:45 AM - 12:15 PM</b> Trunk or Treat	<b>29</b> Off: Pastor Ken	<b>30</b> <b>9:30 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>6:00 PM</b> Celebration Ringers <b>7:00 PM</b> Families Anon <b>7:30 PM</b> Non-Smoking AA	<b>31</b> <b>Reformation Day</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>12:30 PM</b> Bible Study <b>7:00 PM</b> Alleluia Choir	<b>1</b> <b>All Saints Day</b> <b>9:00 AM</b> Crossroads Assembly <b>9:00 AM - 12:30 PM</b> Quilters <b>5:45 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Divorce Care <b>6:30 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Financial Peace	<b>2</b> Off: Kyle <b>10:00 AM</b> Mission & Outreach Committee <b>12:00 PM</b> AI Anon	<b>3</b> <b>4:00 PM</b> Isabelle Peters Baptism <b>5:00 PM</b> Worship - Drawn to the Word
<b>4</b> <b>Daylight-Saving Time Ends</b> <b>8:00 AM</b> Youth & Family Committee <b>9:00 AM</b> Worship - Drawn to the Word <b>10:00 AM</b> Sunday School Choir <b>10:30 AM</b> Contemporary Musicians <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Sunday School, Confirmation, HS & Adult Education	<b>5</b> Off: Pastor Ken <b>7:00 PM</b> Church Life Committee	<b>6</b> Pastor Ken at Continuing Ed <b>9:30 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>6:00 PM</b> Celebration Ringers <b>7:00 PM</b> Families Anon <b>7:30 PM</b> Non-Smoking AA	<b>7</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>9:00 AM</b> Amazing Grace Adult Study <b>12:30 PM</b> Bible Study <b>7:00 PM</b> Alleluia Choir	<b>8</b> <b>9:30 AM</b> Calvary Knitting Group <b>2:00 PM</b> Foster Small Group <b>5:45 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Divorce Care <b>6:30 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Financial Peace	<b>9</b> Off: Kyle <b>7:00 AM - 9:00 PM</b> WNALC Retreat - Youth Room <b>12:00 PM</b> AI Anon	<b>10</b> <b>7:00 AM - 5:00 PM</b> WNALC Retreat - Youth Room <b>8:00 AM - 12:00 PM</b> WNALC Prayer Breakfast - Fellowship Hall <b>5:00 PM</b> Worship
<b>11</b> Celebration Sunday <b>9:00 AM</b> Worship <b>10:00 AM</b> Sunday School Choir <b>10:30 AM</b> Contemporary Musicians <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Sunday School, Confirmation, HS & Adult Education	<b>12</b> Off: Pastor Ken Serenity Inn Meal Program <b>1:00 PM</b> Women's Book Group <b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Women's Bible Study - Anxious for Nothing <b>7:00 PM</b> Christian Clowns	<b>13</b> <b>CROSSROADS DEADLINE</b> <b>9:30 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Women's Bible Study - Anxious for Nothing <b>1:00 PM</b> Rebekah Circle <b>1:00 PM - 2:00 PM</b> Women's Bible Study - Anxious for Nothing <b>6:00 PM</b> Celebration Ringers <b>7:00 PM</b> Deacon Meeting <b>7:00 PM</b> Families Anon <b>7:30 PM</b> Non-Smoking AA	<b>14</b> <b>COUNCIL REPORTS DUE</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>8:30 AM</b> Exec Meeting <b>12:30 PM</b> Bible Study <b>1:45 PM</b> Visitation Committee <b>7:00 PM</b> Alleluia Choir	<b>15</b> <b>9:00 AM - 12:30 PM</b> Quilters <b>12:00 PM</b> Endowment Committee <b>4:00 PM - 6:00 PM</b> POTS Support Group <b>6:30 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Financial Peace	<b>16</b> Off: Kyle <b>8:30 AM</b> Exec Meeting <b>12:00 PM</b> AI Anon <b>6:30 PM</b> PJ's and Prayers	<b>17</b> <b>5:00 PM</b> Worship
<b>18</b> Commitment Sunday <b>FOOD SUNDAY</b> <b>9:00 AM</b> Worship <b>10:00 AM</b> Sunday School Choir <b>10:30 AM</b> Contemporary Musicians <b>10:30 AM - 11:30 AM</b> Sunday School, Confirmation, HS & Adult Education <b>11:00 AM</b> Operations Christmas Child Packing <b>5:00 PM - 6:30 PM</b> Youth Group	<b>19</b> Off: Pastor Ken <b>9:00 AM</b> Monday Morning Movie	<b>20</b> <b>9:30 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>6:00 PM</b> Celebration Ringers <b>7:00 PM</b> Council Meeting <b>7:00 PM</b> Families Anon <b>7:30 PM</b> Non-Smoking AA	<b>21</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>12:30 PM</b> Bible Study <b>6:30 PM</b> Evangelism Committee <b>6:30 PM</b> Thanksgiving Eve Worship & Pie Social	<b>22</b> Office Closed <b>Thanksgiving Day</b>	<b>23</b> Off: Kyle <b>12:00 PM</b> AI Anon	<b>24</b> <b>5:00 PM</b> Worship
<b>25</b> <b>9:00 AM</b> Worship <b>10:30 AM</b> Church Decorating	<b>26</b> Off: Pastor Ken <b>4:00 PM</b> Meal Program	<b>27</b> <b>9:30 AM</b> Staff Meeting <b>6:00 PM</b> Celebration Ringers <b>7:00 PM</b> Christian Ed Committee <b>7:00 PM</b> Families Anon <b>7:30 PM</b> Non-Smoking AA	<b>28</b> <b>7:00 AM</b> Men's Breakfast <b>12:30 PM</b> Bible Study <b>7:00 PM</b> Alleluia Choir	<b>29</b> <b>9:00 AM</b> Crossroads Assembly <b>5:45 PM - 7:30 PM</b> Divorce Care <b>6:00 PM</b> Men's Ministry Gathering <b>6:30 PM - 8:00 PM</b> Financial Peace	<b>30</b> Off: Kyle <b>12:00 PM</b> AI Anon	<b>1</b> <i>Name Tag Weekend</i> <b>5:00 PM</b> Worship

## Serving At Worship

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ACOLYTES	Drawn to the Word	Josh Morris Megan Sayas	Scott Anderson Jacklyn Warber	Preston Meyer Sam Sayas
ALTAR GUILD	Norene Giuliani	RoJean Holler Ruth Young	Marty Altmin Jan Chesner	Rene Lennartz Steve Lennartz
ASSISTING MINISTER	Drawn to the Word	Lee Tyne	Larry Bonier	Scott Langelin
CHILDREN'S SERMON	Drawn to the Word	Megan Schatz	Larry Bonier	Natalie Anderson
DEACONS	[Sat] Cindy Rooks [Sun] Larry Bonier, Rich Baumgartner, Al Rodriguez	[Sat] Cindy Rooks [Sun] Sheila Kershek, Rich Baumgartner, Darlene Louison	[Sat] Jeanette Kalupa [Sun] Rhonda Rodriguez, Al Rodriguez, Judy Sayas	[Sat] Mary Ellen Thiede [Sun] Pastor Jerry Wittmus, Larry Bonier, Judy Sayas
GREETERS	[Sat] Kay Marshall, Mark & Lydia Trudell, Marcella Nelson [Sun] John & Mary Lau, Pat Dieck	[Sat] Bruce & Ruth Steffens [Sun] Annie Bermel, Janet Zastrow	[Sat] Ed & Kay Marshall [Sun] Bob & Mary Smith	[Sat] Ray & Jan Chesner [Sun] Wayne & Bonnie Johnson
LECTORS	Drawn to the Word	Grace Gunnlaugsson	Larry Bonier	Jon Sayas
PPT	Drawn to the Word	[Sat] Lydia Trudell [Sun] Johanna Nelson	[Sat] Lydia Trudell [Sun] Chris Spangenberg	[Sat] Sue Rowe [Sun] Sallie Schulz
USHERS	Jim Brostowitz Gordy Gunnlaugsson Grace Gunnlaugsson Bob Smith	Larry Bonier Brad Meyer Jon Sayas Andy Schatz	Rich Baumgartner Jim Brostowitz Gordy Gunnlaugsson Bob Smith	Peggy Langelin Scott Langelin Jan Lukasik Chuck Lukasik
MUG BEARER	Chuck Lukasik	Tom Thiede	Alex Baumgarten	Peggy Langelin
ALTAR FLOWERS	Vollmar Family	Giuliani Family Marilyn Hermann	Julie Matthes	Lukasik Family
HOSPITALITY	Drawn to the Word	Larry Bonier	Stewardship Committee	Janet Zastrow

