



EVERYDAY DISCIPLES

All Scripture is breathed out by God
and profitable for teaching, for
reproof, for correction, and for
training in righteousness, that the
man of God may be competent,
equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17



NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 18 & 19, 2025

SHARING CHRIST, CHANGING LIVES!

Gathering, Growing, Giving, Going

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP TODAY! In the Gospel lesson for today Jesus asks, “When the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on the earth?” We are quick to answer, “Of course He will!” But we don’t know when Christ will come again, whether it will be in our lifetime or the lifetime of our children or grandchildren. And what if we fail to follow His command to “teach all nations” the Good News? That’s a scary thought, isn’t it? God did not mean for us to keep His love to ourselves. It is to be shared; a lesson to pass from generation to generation, with people near and far, so that when Christ does return, He will find faith on earth. If you are our guest, we pray that you find the Spirit of God alive and moving in our congregation. We rejoice that you joined us in that Spirit today. Please come again!

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CONNECTION CARD READING OR MEMORY WORK:

Read: 2 Timothy 3: 16 & 17, John 6: 66-69 and/or Memorize: : 2 Timothy 3: 16 - 17

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ORDER OF SERVICE

Divine Service, Setting One

HYMNS:

Handout, LSB 728,570,744,763

The color next to the number denotes which resource to use.

***Going forward, the Burgundy hymnal will be referred to as LSB ***

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 19, Anno Domini (The Year of Our LORD) 2025

✙ Preparation ✙

Welcome and Connection Cards

Stand

Opening Hymn - Handout - Word of God Speak

The sign of the cross ✙ may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

- P** In the Name of the Father and of the ✙ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

Revealing and Description of the First Window

- P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
C But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

- P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
C Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. 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. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. 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 you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the Name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

✠ Service of the Word ✠

Introit

Psalm 74:18–19, 21, 20a, 22a; antiphon: v. 2a

Remember your congregation, which you have purchased of old,
which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your heritage!

Remember this, O LORD, how the enemy scoffs,
and a foolish people reviles your Name.

Do not deliver the soul of your dove to the wild beasts;
do not forget the life of your poor forever.

Let not the downtrodden turn back in shame;
let the poor and needy praise your Name.

Have regard for the covenant;
arise, O God, defend your cause.

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Remember your congregation, which you have purchased of old,
which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your heritage!

Kyrie

LSB 152

A In peace let us pray to the LORD.

C LORD, have mercy.

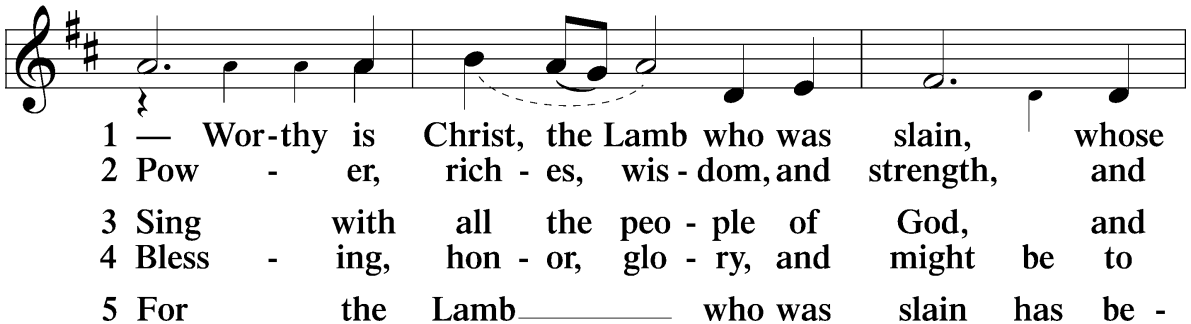
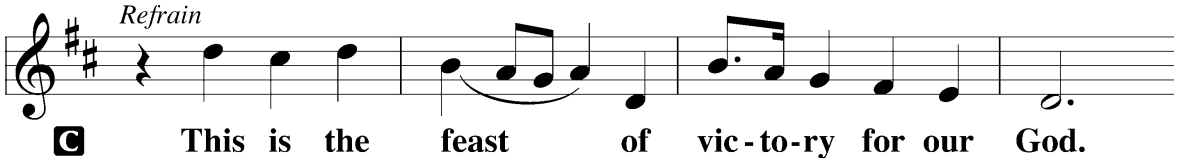
A For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the LORD.

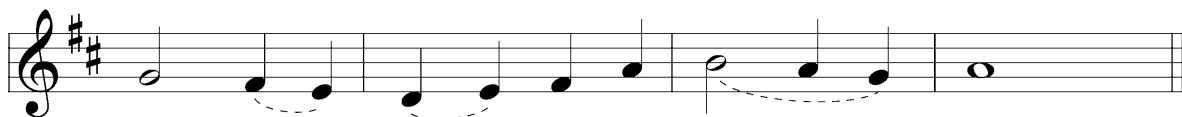
C LORD, have mercy.

- A** 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.
- A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the LORD.
- C** LORD, have mercy.
- A** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious LORD.
- C** Amen

This Is the Feast

LSB 155





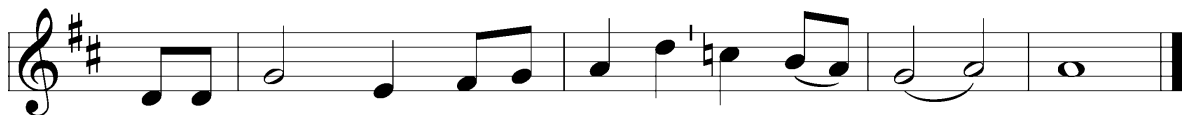
blood set us free to be peo - ple of God. *Refrain*
hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are His. *Refrain*

join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: *Stanza 4*
God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men. *Refrain*

gun His reign. Al - le - lu - ia. *Final Refrain*



Final Refrain
This is the feast of vic - to-ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The LORD be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

O LORD, almighty and everlasting God, You have commanded us to pray and have promised to hear us. Mercifully grant that Your Holy Spirit may direct and govern our hearts in all things that we may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of Your Name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our LORD, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit

(11 a.m. only) Children between the ages of 3 years old and 5th grade are invited to meet Kelly Brainard-Nichols in the Gathering Space.

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 32:22–30

²²The same night [Jacob] arose and took his two wives, his two female servants, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. ²³He took them and sent them across the stream, and everything else that he had. ²⁴And Jacob was left alone. And a man wrestled with him until the breaking of the day. ²⁵When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he touched his hip socket, and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. ²⁶Then he said, "Let me go, for the day has broken." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go unless you bless me." ²⁷And he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." ²⁸Then he said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with men, and have prevailed." ²⁹Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your Name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my Name?" And there he blessed him. ³⁰So Jacob called the name of the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life has been delivered

P/L This is the Word of the LORD.

C Thanks be to God.

Psalm

Psalm 121; antiphon: v. 1-2

- ¹I lift up my eyes to the hills.
From where does my help come?
²My help comes from the LORD,
who made heaven and earth.
³He will not let your foot be moved;
he who keeps you will not slumber.
⁴Behold, he who keeps Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep.
⁵The LORD is your keeper;
the LORD is your shade on your right hand.

⁶The sun shall not strike you by day,
nor the moon by night.

⁷The LORD will keep you from all evil;
he will keep your life.

⁸The LORD will keep
your going out and your coming in
from this time forth and forevermore.

Epistle Reading

2 Timothy 3:14—4:5

¹⁴As for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it ¹⁵and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.

¹I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingdom: ²preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching. ³For the time is coming when people will not endure sound teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions, ⁴and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths. ⁵As for you, always be sober-minded, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry.

A/L This is the Word of the LORD.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

LSB 156



Holy Gospel

Luke 18: 1 - 8

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the eighteenth chapter.

C Glory to You, O LORD.

¹[Jesus] told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart. ²He said, “In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor respected man. ³And there was a widow in that city who kept coming to him and saying, ‘Give me justice against my adversary.’ ⁴For a while he refused, but afterward he said to himself, ‘Though I neither fear God nor respect man, ⁵yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will give her justice, so that she will not beat me down by her continual coming.’” ⁶And the LORD said, “Hear what the unrighteous judge says. ⁷And will not God give justice to his elect, who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long over them? ⁸I tell you, he will give justice to them speedily. Nevertheless, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?”

P This is the Gospel of the LORD.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

Sit

Hymn of the Day - LSB 728 - How Firm a Foundation



1 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus, Ye sol - diers of the cross.
2 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus; The trum - pet call o - bey;
3 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus; Stand in His strength a - lone.
4 Stand up, stand up for Je - sus; The strife will not be long;



Lift high His roy - al ban - ner; It must not suf - fer loss.
Stand forth in might - y con - flict In this His glo - rious day.
The arm of flesh will fail you, Ye dare not trust your own.
This day the din of bat - tle, The next the vic - tor's song.



From vic - t'ry un - to vic - t'ry His ar - my He shall lead
Let all His faith - ful serve Him A - gainst un - num - bered foes;
Put on the Gos - pel ar - mor; Each piece put on with prayer.
The sol - diers, o - ver - com - ing, Their crown of life shall see



Till ev - 'ry foe is van - quished, And Christ is Lord in - deed.
Let cour - age rise with dan - ger And strength to strength op - pose.
Where du - ty calls or dan - ger, Be nev - er want - ing there.
And with the King of Glo - ry Shall reign e - ter - nal - ly.

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Revealing and Description of the Second Window

Sermon

"The Readings"

2 Timothy 3:16-17, John 6:66-69

MEMORY VERSE: “All scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.”. For where two or three are gathered in my Name, there am I among them.”

2 Timothy 3: 16 - 17

Stand

Nicene Creed

**All: I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one LORD Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and
the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the LORD and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and
glorified, who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead**

and the life ✝ of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Church

The congregation now greets one another in the Name of the LORD, saying, “Peace be with you,” as a sign of reconciliation and of the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace (Matt. 5:22–24; Eph. 4:1–3).

(11 a.m. only) Please wave to all the worshipers online!

Pax Domini

LSB 163

P/A The peace of the LORD be with you always.

C Amen.

Revealing and Description of the Third Window

Connection Cards

Stand

Offering and Offertory

LSB 159



C What shall I ren-der to the Lord for all His ben-e-fits to



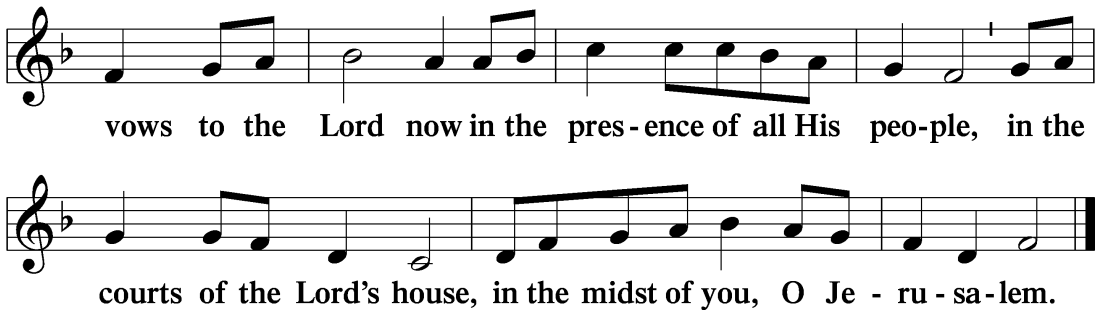
me? I will of - fer the sac-ri-fice of thanks-giv - ing and will



call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-



va - tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my



✠ Service of the Sacrament ✠

As Lutheran Christians we understand that the body and blood of Jesus is present in, with, and under the bread and wine. St. Paul exhorts in 1 Corinthians 11(:27-32) that we ought to examine ourselves and recognize the body and blood of Christ in this sacrament. We welcome all to the LORD's Table who are baptized in the Name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit and wish to participate with this understanding.

Stand

Preface

LSB 160

- P** The LORD be with you.
- C** 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 Him thanks and praise.
- P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy LORD, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our LORD, who, having created all things, took on human flesh and was born of the virgin Mary. For our sake He died on the cross and rose from the dead to put an end to death, thus fulfilling Your will and gaining for You a holy people. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all

the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious Name,
evermore praising You and singing:

Sanctus

LSB 161

G Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:
Heav-en and earth are full of Your glo - ry. Ho - san-na. Ho -
san-na. 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.

Revealing and Description of the Fourth Window

The Words of Our LORD

P Our LORD Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

- C** Amen. Come, LORD Jesus.

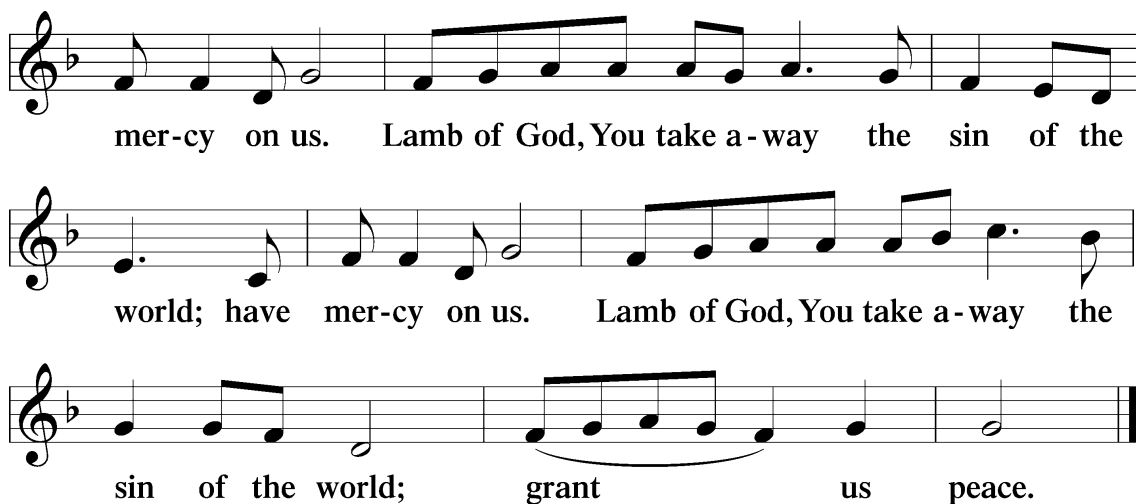
LORD's Prayer

**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.**

Agnus Dei

The first staff of music is written on a treble clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It contains two measures of music. The first measure consists of a half note G4, a half note A4, a half note B4, and a half note C5, all beamed together. The second measure consists of a half note D5, a half note E5, a half note F5, and a half note G5, all beamed together.

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Sit

The pastor and those who assist him receive the body and blood of Christ first and then distribute them to those who come to receive.

Distribution Hymn - LSB 570 - Just As I Am, without One Plea

1 Thy strong word did cleave the dark - ness; At Thy
 2 Lo, on those who dwelt in dark - ness, Dark as
 3 Thy strong Word be - speaks us righ - teous; Bright with
 4 From the cross Thy wis - dom shin - ing Break - eth

speak - ing it was done. For cre - at - ed
 night and deep as death, Broke the light of
 Thine own ho - li - ness, Glo - rious now, we
 forth in con - qu'ring might; From the cross for -



light we thank Thee, While Thine or - dered sea - sons run.
Thy sal - va - tion, Breathed Thine own life - breath - ing breath.
press toward glo - ry, And our lives our hopes con - fess.
ev - er beam - eth All Thy bright re - deem - ing light.



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



Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,
Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,
Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,
Thee who light dost send! Al - le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!
al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!
al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!
al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia with - out end!

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Distribution Hymn - LSB 744 - Amazing Grace

Stand

Communion Dismissal

Dedication of All Four Stained-Glass Windows

Thank the LORD

LSB 164



C Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what He has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - joice and proud-ly bear His name.



He re-calls His prom-is - es and leads His peo-ple forth in joy



with shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia.

Benediction

P/A The LORD bless you and keep you.

The LORD make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The LORD look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

C Amen.

Sit

Announcements

Stand

(11 a.m. only) Children are invited to come forward and assist in leading the Closing Song with percussion instruments

Closing Hymn – LSB 763 - It is Well with My Soul (When Peace, like a River)

Our elders offer a ministry of prayer. If you would like personal prayer or for them to gather others to pray with you, please speak to anyone whose name tag says "Elder" on it.

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- P Pastor or Presiding minister; sole pastor, Liturgist
- C Congregation
- L Leader or Lector; an Elder, one of the Readers, or another lay person
- A Assisting minister; an Elder, Commissioned Minister or other trained worship leader
- A/L First worship leader/Second worship leader
- All: Pastor or Leader and the congregation speak together
- △ Doxological verse; the congregation stands in praise and honor of the Holy Trinity
- ✠ The pastor makes the sign of the cross; individual worshipers may also as fits personal preference; this is a kinesthetic reminder of grace

GENERAL INFORMATION

CALENDAR OF EVENTS October 19 - 26, 2025
(at church unless noted)

- Sunday: Worship/Communion, 8 AM & 11 AM
Sunday School, 9:30 AM
Worship Team Meeting, 12:30 PM
Prayer Shawls, 12:30 PM
Christmas Musical Rehearsal, 12:30 PM
❖ Dedication of Stained-glass Windows at each service
- Monday: Women’s Bible Study, 1 PM
- Tuesday: Bible Study, 9:30 AM
Basics of the Faith, 7 PM
- Saturday: Worship/Communion, 5:30 PM
- Sunday: Worship/Communion, 8 AM & 11 AM
Sunday School, 9:30 AM - ***Packing Operation Christmas Child boxes

SERVING IN NOVEMBER

This week we will be working on the servers' schedule for the month of November. If you plan to be away from worship on any weekend, please let us know so that we do not schedule you to serve. Thank you.

ANOTHER WAY TO GIVE

If you prefer the convenience of offering your gift via your smartphone there is a way to do that. Go to the Apple Store or Google Play and search for "Vanco Mobile Faith Engagement" (the half purple V) to download for free. Then enter Good Shepherd; next tap *Donate Now*. 3. Choose a fund and a preset amount or enter another amount. You can make a one-time donation or set up recurring giving right through the app. Select *Add* to add another fund or move forward to the payment information. 4. Scan or enter your card or bank account information. 5. Review your donation summary then select *Complete Donation*. Or if you prefer to have your gift automatically withdrawn from your checking or savings account, check that box on the right side of your connection card, "Automating My Giving" or contact the church office and we will provide you with the form you will need to complete in order for us to set that up.

HEARING LOOP

Good Shepherd is equipped with a hearing loop in both the Worship Space and the Gathering Space. If you don't have a hearing aid but need hearing assistance, we have system devices that you can use. Please see the folks at the tech board and they will supply you with one.

THANKS TO THOSE SERVING JESUS

We thank Andy & Amanda Reding and Michael & Stephanie Cheney for working out a means for us to share worship with you this week. We also thank Lisa Serron, Linda Beniveгна, Lisa Brahm, Hugh Shipley, Glenn Banke, Doc Tessendorf, Sandy Voigt, Jacki Scheib, Stephanie Cheney for their work in the office and building. We also thank all who serve at worship this weekend. There are many "angels" in our congregation and community who go about living out their vocations as the Body of Christ. We know they do this not to be recognized, but because God has called and led them to do what they do. God bless you all and thank you to all!

We thank Doc Tessendorf for his work in the sacristy.

SERVING ON OCTOBER 25 & 26

SATURDAY EVENING: Kathy Chapman, Lisa Serron

EARLY CHURCH: Bill Fuge, Matt Meyers, Brian Edwards, Vince & Tracy Romano, Deborah Adams, Leslie Smith, Fred Salvagni

LATE CHURCH: Jenny Tessendorf, Sandy Voigt, Bob Smtih, Andy & Amanda Reding, Marcus Battaglia, Addy & Easton Modzel, Tammy Beattie, Jill Persson Katherine Costigan, Kathey Drennan, Hugh Shipley, Sandy Smith

WHAT'S HAPPENING

ELECTION DAY BAKE SALE



Calling all bakers! Election day is Nov. 4 and we would like to have baked goods to sell to the voters. Can you help? We ask that you bring them to church by Wednesday, Nov. 3. Sign up on your connection card or the Wittenberg Door to let us know that you can bake and if you can help at the sale. The funds from the sale are used to purchase food for our Christmas Baskets.

CAMP-IN-DAIGUA MERCHANDISE AVAILABLE TO ORDER

Starting this weekend, we will have Camp-in-Daigua SWAG (Shirts, Wearables, And Gifts) available for pre-order. Our first order will go out November 15th and will be ready around Dec. 1st. Please call/text Cathie Geske at 585-369-5696 form more details, or talk to her after service. Thanks for supporting our new outreach ministry!



PRAYER SHAWLS FOR LITTLE LAMBS

Do you like to knit or crochet? Are you willing to make a prayer shawl for a Little Lamb? Please contact Jill Persson (persson_jill@hotmail.com) or call the office. We will provide the yarn. Prayer shawls are given to the children at graduation each year and are greatly appreciated by the children and their parents.

BASICS OF THE FAITH

Tuesdays, 7 p.m. October 7th to November 18th

What do Christians believe, and why? What do Lutherans believe? What Christian practices matter that 'we do it that way', and which don't? Whether it is a refresher, wanting to be a member of Good Shepherd, or a way to be more familiar with the basics, the Basics of the Faith Class is for you. There is no obligation upon completion. Each participant will receive Luther's Small Catechism (Book of Learning about the faith). To be a part of the class come at class time or contact Pastor Steve Geske: call, voice and text: (585) 465-0620.

KIDS' WORSHIP

We are seeking those called to serve in kids' worship and ask anyone interested to contact Cathie Geske, mrspastor1977@yahoo.com, or Jill Persson, persson_jill@hotmail.com.



SAVE THE DATE: LITTLE LAMBS THIRD ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE DEC.13/14 & 20/21

The "Little Lambs Boutique" will be in the Gathering Space the weekends of Dec.13 & 14 and 21 & 22 to support the Roxann Muller Scholarship Fund! You won't want to miss it!

CHRISTMAS MUSICAL IS COMING!

This year will be a series of 3 short acts with musical interludes. If you are interested in participating in this year's production, rehearsals will be held each Sunday after late worship, approximately 12:30. If you have questions, please contact either Cindy Hemingway (schemingway@hotmail.com) or Stephanie Cheney (the88keys4me@gmail.com).

Want to save the date? The musical will be presented on Saturday, December 6 at 5:30 and Sunday, December 7 during late worship at 11.

COME AND SEE- BE A LITTLE LAMB VOLUNTEER THIS YEAR!

Volunteers are welcome to sign up to help in MANY ways this year, in Little Lambs! Pick up a volunteer form at the Host Station- fill it out- return it to "Miss Kelly's" mailbox or drop it off at the office! There are SO many ways you can be a Little Lamb supporter this year!

STAINED GLASS WINDOW PROJECT UPDATE!

Our stained-glass windows have been installed and **will be dedicated this weekend, Oct. 18 & 19** at each of the services. We thank Pastor Dan Hofmann, Barbara Jauch, Debbie Chappelle and Pastor Don & Roxann Muller for all their work. To date \$18,210 has been received to fund this \$25,000 project. If you feel called to give, there are envelopes on the Ushers' Table for your gift.



CHRISTMAS BAZAAR – IT'S COMING SOONER THAN YOU THINK!

There are pallets in the basement for your donations. Please remember that we cannot accept: accept TV's, computers or computer equipment, exercise equipment and items for babies

that might have a recall such as cribs & car seats. For this sale, because we need the space to set up table for the café, we will not be accepting large furniture.

****Please note:** If you bring something for the sale and leave it in the hall, PLEASE put a note on it that it is for the sale and we will be sure it gets down to the pallets. Thank you.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD (OCC) IS BACK!

What is OCC? It is an amazing opportunity to spread the love of Jesus to children around the world! **We will be creating 120 “shoe boxes”** this year with items from the approved list to be delivered just after Thanksgiving. **RIGHT NOW WE ARE FOCUSING ON PENCIL SHARPENERS, , ZIPPER PENCIL CASES, GLUE STICKS**—if this is something you can assist with—you can drop your items in the OCC box in the coat room—right next to the CCIA box-or reach out to Tammy Beattie (585-402-4980) or Jared Reding at: RedingJaredm@gmail.com



When we have finished packing the boxes we will need to ship them. And as we all know, shipping is expensive. If you would be able to “sponsor” a box (that is, pay for shipping - \$10/box), that would be a wonderful gift! Sign up on your connection card to let us know we can count on you. Look for our chart and video coming out soon! Thank you for your support as we witness to the world as instructed by our Lord Jesus: (2 Corinthians 5:20) *“So we are Christ’s ambassadors; God is making his appeal through us. We speak for Christ when we plead, “Come back to God!”*

SUPPORT

A THOUGHT FROM THE PRAYER TEAM

“Everyday Disciples, Sharing Christ, Changing Lives!”

Gathering, Growing, Giving, Going

Have you ever 'lost sight' of Jesus ? Life gets busy and distractions happen... You may go a day ... or more, without a thought of Him passing your way. Mary and Joseph temporarily lost Jesus ...they traveled an entire day, towards home, before they missed Him. It isn't that they lost their love for Him or their faith. They just lost *Him*. Mary and Joseph went back to the temple, where they were last with him, to look for him. Each of us can do the the same thing by going back to the last place we deeply felt his presence. He is right there waiting for you to reach out.

“...and return to the Lord your God, you and your children, and obey his voice in all that I command you today, with all your heart and with all your soul.” Deuteronomy 30:2

For a better understanding read the surrounding verses

****Check out the prayer resources in the prayer room. Prayer Shawls are available should you desire to have one or wish to gift one to someone you know**

CCIA UPDATE



As you may recall, I offered to do the shopping for you and I will continue to do so. Just put your gift in an envelope in Tammy Beattie’s mailbox marked “CCIA”. Or, you can certainly shop yourself! **Items running low at the food pantry are: Pasta (anything type except for spaghetti), Cereal, Canned veggies and fruit.**

Your food donations can be placed in the wooden box labeled CCIA under the Mission counter in the coat room. Thanks in advance for being a good servant!

COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS

FAMILY PROMISE UPDATE

Upcoming Events:

- **Rotary Casino Night – Saturday Nov. 1 @** Rotary Club of Canandaigua. See the flyer posed on the bulletin board. If you have questions contact JoAnne VanBuren at: Joannevanburen1@gmail.com



Looking ahead – Holiday Angels – Stay tuned for more information coming later this fall. We can make the holidays brighter again this year!

SERVING OUR LORD THIS WEEKEND, OCT. 18 & 19

SERVING OUR LORD SATURDAY EVENING

ELDER
A/V
ALTAR CARE

Karyl Hammond
Mark Carlson
Debbie Chappelle

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SERVING OUR LORD AT 8 AM

ELDER
A/V TEAM
LECTOR
ALTAR CARE
COMMUNION ASSISTANT

Richard Landholm
Jim McGuire
Deborah Adams
Lisa Serron
Sudy Landholm

USHER
GREETERS

Melanie McGuire
Greg Trost

SERVING OUR LORD AT 11 AM

ELDER
ASSISTING MINISTER
SERVICE SHEPHERD
A/V TEAM
LECTOR
ACOLTYE
ALTAR CARE
KID’S WORSHIP
COMMUNION ASSISTANT
USHERS
GREETER
HOST
OPENERS & CLOSERS

Tammy Beattie
Cindy Hemingway
Jill Persson
Andy & Amanda Reding
Marcus Battaglia
Ian Reding
Sandy Pittenger
Kelly Brainard-Nichols
Bob Smith
Dave Pittenger
Ron & Kathy Chapman
John & JoAnn Pilecki
Greg Trost/Hugh Shipley

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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Oct. 25 & 26, 2025

Saturday	5:30 PM	Worship/Holy Communion
Sunday	8 AM	Worship/Holy Communion
	11 AM	Worship/Holy Communion

THE PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK

October 18 & 19, 2025

Connected to Good Shepherd directly: Bill & Judy Ballway, Gary Paradise, Steve Hemingway, Jean Bucher, Terry Henninger, Steve & Barb Schneider, Joe Benivegna, Brian & Bev Edwards & Family, Bev Carlson, Maryanna Chard, Jim Wicker, Marlene Pawlukewicz, Bill Fuge, Fran Beswick, Dorothy Castle, Leon & Theresa Pfuntner, Bart & Deborah Adams, Sharon Ridley, Karen Schumacher, Kathey Drennan, Donna Allhusen, Jonathan Allhusen, Karen Lenz, Tierney Bristol, Mary Ann Menge, Delores Furnum, Pam Rood, Shirley Perryman

Connected to Good Shepherd by family or friendship: Pat Gunn, Mark Gunn, Tashi Benivegna, Kerri Eames, Ruthee Krop, family & friends of Benivegna’; Bob & Barbara Muller, Barbara Skillman, Ruth Boselli & Wendy Carrier, family & friend of Mullers, Bill Rifenburg, Deb Reding, Larry Almeter & Jak, friends & family of Andy & Amanda Reding; Wes Utter, Steve Cochrane, Charlene Johnson, Cheryl, family & friends of Don & Gayle Hendershot; Connie Pruden, John

Dlugos & Violet, daughter & friends of the Bart & Deborah Adams; **Alex**, grandson of Ken & Barbara Barnes; **Donna & Jonathan Allhusen**, daughter & son of Mary; **Marsha Johnson, Theresa Pulver** family & friends of Terry & Linda Savage; **Lin S., Mike L., & Kathy Fox**, friends & family of Sandy Voigt; **Joyce Willard**, aunt of Charlotte Chrysler; **Jackson Coston**, great-great grandson of Kathey Drennan; **John & Sandy Beatty, Allison Sacheli & Kitty Braddon**, friends of Bill Fuge; **Dawn Lucas**, daughter of Bill & Judy Ballway; **Sara Romano**, s-i-l of Vince and Tracy Romano; **Chris Shepherd**, friend of Jill Persson; **Erin Smith Bernard & Chris Wyant**, daughter & friend of Bob & Sandy Smith; **Paige Bianchi**, s-i-l of Mike & Stephanie Cheney; **Blain Tiller, Mark Carey, Gerry Beattie, Teresa Carey**, family of Tammy Beattie; **Sydnee, Dale Tomlin, Ben Cramer**, friends & family of Pete & Kerri Ellison; **Bev Wicher**, wife of Rev. Dr. Chris Wicher (Eastern District President Emeritus); **Stan Klimeczko**, brother of Mike; **Ernie Cratsley, Theresa Thompson, Arlene Lead**, family and friend of Leon & Theresa Pfuntner; **Derek Pittenger**, son of Dave & Sandy; **Lorna Frennette & Lalia Nichols**, aunt & mother of Cliff & Kelly Nichols; **Garrison Ball**, son of Rev. Mark (St. Paul, Hilton) and Leslie Ball; **GH**, friend of many; **Chelsea Ellis**, daughter/step-daughter of John & Cindy Marino; **Mike Tigue & Linda Chapman**, friend & family of Chapmans; **Joe Lewis**, father of Jay Powell; **Ronda Stiles**, friend of Leon & Theresa Pfuntner; **Sue Wagner & Mathais**, friends of Gary & Colleen Paradise; **Brian Torres**, friend of Richard & Sudy Landholm; **Anne Flannery & Emmett**, cousin & friend of Annie Roxburgh; **Bob Bassage**, brother of Bev Edwards; **Charles Bucher**, brother of Jean Bucher; **Nora Swatly**, sister-in-law of Fred Salvagni; **Lucy Stanley**, aunt of Cindy Hemingway; **Kathy Harris**, friend of Nola Trost; **Kian**, friend of Hannah Battaglia; **Annie McGee**, friend of Greg Quinn; **Alan Vossler**, friend of Steve & Cindy Hemingway; **Phyllis Granger**, friend of Zagata's and Hemingway's; Pat Kropp, mother of Cathie Geske; Ben Edwards, son of Brian & Bev Edwards; Judy Brainard, mother of Kelly Brainard-Nichols

In our prayers today we remember: **STEVE COCHRANE**, brother-in-law of Gayle & Don Hendershot; **ROY BLYTHE**, friend of Bill Fuge; **MARY PERSSON**, mother of Jill

FOR THE FAMILIES OF:

- **JIM MORRIS & THE MOTHER OF DAN NEVIN**, friends of Greg Quinn, who died this past week.
- **SUSAN K. JOHNSON**, friend of Jill Persson, who died this past week.