

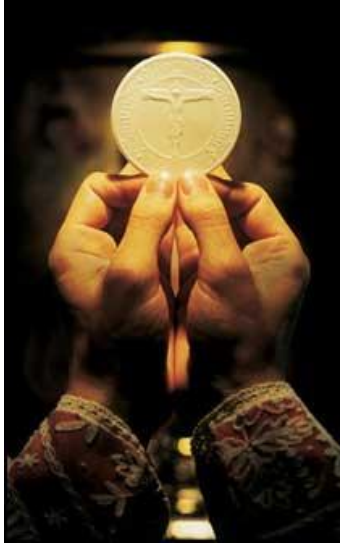
Note from Pastor Heidle

November 2018

“Thanks be to God for His Inexpressible Gift!”

Dear Friends of Immanuel,

No doubt you have heard and maybe even said something to the effect that Thanksgiving is bigger than a one day celebration—that we should be thankful every day! True! But Thanksgiving is also bigger than just being grateful for food, home, material blessing, our American lifestyle, and God’s first article gifts that we need for this body and life—our gratitude needs to also include the greater gift of salvation by God’s grace in Christ Jesus! To that end it is fitting that we take a closer look at “Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart” as we spotlight yet another “New Hymn” in our LSB hymnal.



This hymn is so familiar to some, and others may have known it for such a long time, that you

may wonder how it can be considered a new hymn! Well, it’s new to our hymnal (it has not been included in any of our previous hymnals) though this hymn was written in 1978!! And for those who may know it from a 1986 album by Don Moen, you may wonder why the author and composer is listed as Henry Smith (born 1952)—and that’s an interesting back story. Smith had trouble finding work after graduating from college and was inspired by his pastor to write a hymn referencing how Jesus made Himself poor that we might become rich. Smith began performing his song in

church where a visiting military officer learned it and took it with him to Europe. Years later, a friend played a recording of the song for Smith as a song by an “unknown composer” and Smith said, “I wrote that!” About that time it was recorded by Don Moen and the recording company sought out the composer. How it took so long to find its way into our Lutheran hymnody is a mystery.

Lets take a look at the lyrics. ...

Although it looks like one long verse, there are three sections. In the first section three phrases are repeated to make six appeals for us to *Give thanks to God!* Indeed we should be grateful and from our heart thank the Holy One because He’s given His own Son, Jesus, to be our Savior!! In the second section we find more repetition encouraging the weak to acknowledge that God makes them strong and the poor to acknowledge that God makes them rich, and all of that because of all that Jesus did for us! Please see 2 Cor. 9:15; 12:9-10; 8:9; 1 Cor. 15:57; Joel 3:10; and Eph. 6:10. The third section is a poignant repetition to simply and purely “Give thanks — give thanks.” Do that, not just because of the Thanksgiving Day holiday, but because of all that Jesus has done for you as your Savior!! And that is worth singing about every day!

Give thanks for Jesus!!

Pastor Michael K. Heidle

I believe, therefore I speak... 2 Cor.4:13

LSB 806 Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart

Give thanks with a grate-ful heart, Give thanks to the
 Ho-ly One, Give thanks be-cause He's giv-en Je-sus
 Christ His Son. Give thanks with a grate-ful heart, Give
 thanks to the Ho-ly One, Give thanks be-cause He's giv-en
 Je-sus Christ His Son. And now let the weak say "I am
 strong," Let the poor say "I am rich," Be-cause of
 what the Lord has done for us. And now let the
 weak say "I am strong," Let the poor say "I am
 rich," Be-cause of what the Lord has done for us.
 Give thanks, give thanks.

SPECIAL DATES IN NOVEMBER:

- DLS Culver's Night, **Nov. 1**
- Daylight Savings Time Ends, **Nov. 4**
- Thanksgiving Food Offering, **Nov. 4**
- DLS Veterans' Day Program, **Nov. 8**
- Veterans' Day, **Nov. 11**
- *Drummer Boy* Bazaar, **Nov. 13**
- Thanksgiving Potluck, **Nov. 18**
- Thanksgiving Eve Worship, **Nov. 21**
- Thanksgiving Day, **Nov. 22**
- Last Sunday of the Church Year, **Nov. 25**



HELP US CARE FOR YOU: *Your well-being is important to us and we want to pray for you!* When you or a family member is hospitalized, we want to serve you with prayers and visits. Unfortunately, we are no longer notified by the hospital; please call the church office when you have any medical/surgical procedure or in any time of spiritual need at **217-442-5675**. You can also call Pastor Heidle's cell phone: 217-516-0085.



Prayer requests: we are certainly pleased to pray for your (non-member) family and friends alongside our Immanuel members. Please keep us informed of their needs.

CULVER'S NIGHT is **Nov. 1** from 5 – 8 pm. Watch for the yellow Culver's slips; you must bring one with you. Give your slip to the cashier when you pay for your meal, and Culver's will donate 20% of your purchase to Danville Lutheran School!



CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS! As a reminder we will *Fall Back* one hour when Daylight Savings Time ends on **Nov. 4**. Set your clocks back one hour before you go to bed on Saturday night – you'll get an extra hour of sleep and still make it to church on time!

TIME, TALENTS, AND TREASURES: At the end of the year approaches think hard at how you can use these 3 T's: **Time** - Attend worship on a regular basis. It is great to be in the house of the Lord! **Talent** - Use your God-given talents to help at the extra holiday services. Help by making food or visiting people during the holidays. **Treasures** - As 2018 comes to a close, think about giving a little extra to help the mission of Immanuel Lutheran Church. You could give a little extra for general budget, the school windows, pick an ornament off the capital funds tree or give to the Food Pantry or any other organization.

What if you woke up today with only the things you thanked God for yesterday?

A MESSAGE FROM PROPERTIES: *"Thank you to Dan Van Hovel, Paul Van Hovel, Jerry Kennett, and Roger Seibert for putting on a new roof on the mower shed and the small shed that is behind the mower shed. Your help not only with this, but with everything you do is very much appreciated!"*

GOD IS NIGH: The earliest official reference to using "Taps" at a military funeral is described in an 1891 manual. During the Civil War, a Union soldier "was buried at a time when the battery occupied an advanced position concealed in the woods." Because it wasn't safe to fire the customary three volleys over the grave, Captain John Tidball decided the sounding of "Taps" would be an appropriate substitute ceremony. Previously, "Taps" signaled the end of a soldier's work day, but it has since come to honor the end of his or her earthly life. Horace Trim's lyrics remind us of God's constant presence:

Day is done, gone the sun
From the lakes, from the hills, from the sky
All is well, safely rest
God is nigh.

Thanks and praise for our days
'neath the sun, 'neath the stars, 'neath the sky
As we go, this we know
God is nigh.



YEAR END GIVING: Per IRS regulations, all donations have to be received in the church office no later than December 31 to be considered a 2018 donation. If they are received after that time, they will be put on the 2019 giving statements.

CID GATEPOST: The *e-GatePost* is the electronic newsletter of our Central Illinois District. You can sign up to receive this informational newsletter right in your email! Visit www.cidlcm.org or call the church office. The e-GatePost contains inspiring articles, district news, official notices, and upcoming events. *Sign up now!*

RECYCLING PILL BOTTLES: The Women's Guild continues to sponsor an ongoing project to support Matthew 25 Ministries, which collects empty pill bottles to send to developing countries to safely distribute medications. *We have had a great response to this mission and we want to thank all of you for your donations!!*

AMAZON SMILE: As you begin your holiday shopping, remember that you can Christmas shop and support Immanuel! Online shoppers: please use *Amazon Smile*!! Go to: smile.amazon.com/ch/37-0806907 to choose Immanuel Lutheran Church as your choice charity; then shop and Amazon will donate a portion of your purchase price to Immanuel. It's a simple and automatic way for you to support Immanuel every time you shop, at no additional cost to you! What a generous gift to our church!!

FROM THE CENTRAL IL DISTRICT: Here is a story about Kendra. Your mission dollars were at work within our district to help her!

When she attended Illinois State, Kendra Yagow was one busy young lady. Majoring in Communications with an eye on television, she spent a great deal of time at the TV-10 campus station. She was also a musician, in the ISU marching band and the women's choir.

Kendra remembers her freshman experience: a whirlwind of classes, many diverse people, a whole bunch of things going on! It all made for a "hodgepodge" of uncertainty.

Yet amidst everything, there was something familiar. Beyond familiar, it was firm and solid. It was church.

On Kendra's first Sunday worshipping at Wittenberg Lutheran Center, she knew she was truly at home. Christ was there, serving her with His Gospel and Sacraments. Wittenberg had been one of the main reasons Kendra had chosen to attend ISU. And now she had a home away from home. So does every Christian, where Christ and His Word are. Kendra met other students who, like her, had attended a National Youth Gathering. But, mainly, they all had Christ in common.

Things became unsettled when campus pastor Damon Jirovek went home to be with the Lord. For the next year or so, Kendra and her campus ministry family did their part to keep things going at Wittenberg. She learned a lot about serving, through experience.

After graduating in 2009, Kendra was a television news reporter and anchor at WEEK, Peoria; WSIE, Evansville, Indiana; and WGEM, Quincy. In 2011 she married Stephen Whittle. They have a little girl, Harper. Having served for a time as a Communications Specialist at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Kendra now works in public relations at Barnes Hospital and St. Louis Children's Hospital.

The Lord used your congregation's gifts to the CID to put Wittenberg Lutheran Center in place and maintain its ministry, for folks like Kendra. Thank you!

DIRECTORY UPDATES: Please note the following correction in your copy of our church phone directory: **Ellyn Smith's** street address is correct, but the city is Danville, IL 61832, not Mahomet as printed. We will continue to update new or corrected contact information in the newsletter each month as it becomes available. Please contact Kim in the church office if your information changes or is listed incorrectly. *Thank you!*

THANKSGIVING POTLUCK: Join us on **Nov. 18 at 5:30 pm!** Thanksgiving is a time to spend with family... with our church family, too. That's why we're once again having our Immanuel Thanksgiving Potluck on the Sunday before Thanksgiving. At 5:30 pm, show up at the gym with a side dish and/or dessert and be ready to gobble, gobble, gobble! The turkey will be provided. Speaking of turkey, we're looking for a couple. Please consider donating a turkey or money to buy one. Or if you want to give your culinary skills a whirl and make a practice turkey before the big day, we would love that too. Baked, roasted or fried – all deliciousness is welcome. Volunteers to set up would be welcome Saturday afternoon. For details or to offer up volunteer time or a turkey, please contact Tom or Mary Ellen Fricke:

Tom: 474-2457 • tomfricke@hotmail.com

Mary Ellen: 497-7196 • maryellenfricke@gmail.com

CHANGE IN SPECIAL SERVICES TIMES:

We are going to try a slight change in our Midweek Service times for Thanksgiving and Advent. I know what you're thinking: *Change? We're Lutheran, we don't change!* Well, we have changed over the years. As you may know, our current Midweek Chapel Service has moved their time up to 5:00 pm weekly. They like the earlier time. While we can't go that early and allow time for people coming from work or attending the pre-service meals, we're going to experiment having our Thanksgiving Eve and Midweek Advent Services at 6:30 pm. We'll see how this goes, and then decided this spring whether to continue the new time for Lenten services. Feel free to share any thoughts or comments you have with me. *-Tom Fricke, Worship Chairman*

COME, YE THANKFUL PEOPLE, COME!

Plan to join us on Wednesday, **Nov. 21** at 6:30 pm for our Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service with Communion (*please note the new time*). We have so much to be thankful for, and it's good to come together with one another to praise our Lord and thank Him for all His blessings. Take a break from those Thanksgiving dinner preparations to come to church to sing "Now Thank We All Our God."



PRAY FOR ALL PEOPLE.

ASK GOD TO HELP THEM...
AND GIVE THANKS FOR THEM.

1 TIMOTHY 2:1 NLT

It's time to start thinking about Christmas!

While we don't want to get ahead of Thanksgiving, there are some early Christmas notes to keep in mind in November. First, thank you to those that ordered *poinsettias* to help decorate our altar for Christmas. If



you didn't get an order turned in, you could still call Kim in the office by Monday, **Nov. 5**. We will *deck the halls* of the church and sanctuary for Christmas on **Dec. 1**, at 9 am. We'll have coffee, cocoa and goodies available (and feel free to bring something of your own if you like). Many hands make easy work as we prepare for our Lord's birth this Advent and Christmas season. Please join us!

GIFT (SCRIP) CARDS: The November Scrip order is due to the church office by 1 pm on **Nov. 12**. You can pick up your cards after church on **Nov. 18** or in the church office the following week. Scrip is a great way to raise money for the everyday expenses of our church home. Each vendor gives us a percentage of the face value of the card which is our *profit*; it can vary anywhere from 1.5% to 14%. These cards make perfect Christmas gifts or stocking stuffers! Order blanks are on the table in the chapel hallway. There are vendors available that are not listed on the order form. You can see a full list of vendors on the information bulletin board or on their website: www.shopwithscrip.com. Write the name of the vendor, denomination of the gift card, number of cards wanted, and total amount on a blank line of the order form. Most of the local fast food/chain restaurants (with varying rates of profit to the church), plus Meijer, Wal-Mart, and Big R have cards available *every Sunday* in the chapel hallway and in the church office during the week.

A MESSAGE FROM THE FOOD PANTRY:

Thank you for your continued donations! They are a tremendous help to our efforts to keep the food pantry going! Thanksgiving will be here before we know it, and we have much to be thankful for. That's not the case for all; many local people are hungry. We are having a food collection on **Nov. 4** in thankfulness for our abundant blessings to share with those less fortunate. Please bring some food items to share with them. Non-perishable items are appreciated; such as: canned sweet potatoes, stuffing, and canned vegetables. Staple items that we like to include in every basket are: peanut butter and jelly, spaghetti noodles & sauce, breakfast cereal, canned fruits and soups. Monetary donations are appreciated to purchase nutritious, perishable items such as milk, cheese, butter, eggs, lunchmeat, and bread. *Thank you!*



CAPITAL FUND DRIVE COMMITTEE:

Our current project is the replacement of the school windows. *Praise God and thank you for your donations!* All the windows on the east side of the building are scheduled to be replaced during Christmas break; Arrow Glass has offered to include the tinted windows at no extra cost! There is a cost breakdown for the windows along with drawings of each type of window on the *Capital Fund bulletin board*. We are now working to raise the money for the windows on the west side of the building. If you or a group of members would like to sponsor a window by raising the money for it, please contact Jo Van Hovel or Wayne Mann. Prior generations worked and sacrificed to build the school/church building, and it is up to us to preserve and improve our church home. The parsonage driveway has been repaved. Our Phase 2 pledge drive (a two-year program) started in June 2017, and it's not too late to pledge/donate to the Capital Fund Drive. All donations from small to large are equally appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact Jo Van Hovel.

STEAK FRY: We sold 178 tickets and fed 168 people even though the weather was rainy. Our profit is just under \$3,000 with possible donations to be received later. *Thanks* to everyone who volunteered to help, made a dessert, sold tickets to the public, and bought a ticket for this event. Every one of you helped make this another successful event. The profits have been earmarked for the replacement of the school windows and the repaving of the parsonage driveway. *Thanks from the Steak Fry and Capital Fund Committees!!* The recap meeting was held with lots of positive feedback and some ideas how to improve it for next year. If you have any improvement suggestions, call Jo Van Hovel.

Here's What's Happening in Sunday School!

Sunday School in November follows the exodus of the children of Israel in "Miraculous H2O! Water from the Rock" from Exodus 17. God pours out His generous love for us by sustaining our life through abundant blessings now and forever. Our November Bible verse is: "*Cast all your anxieties on Him, because He cares for you.*" (1 Peter 5:7) The Children's Christmas Service is Sunday, **Dec. 23**, at our 9:30 am service. We would like as many children as possible to participate by singing, reading, playing instruments, and being a Nativity participant. Please talk to Mrs. Heidle or Mrs. Pratt if your child would like to be involved, even if they are not regular in SS attendance. Practices for this service will begin in November during Sunday School.



WOMEN'S GUILD: November is a busy, but exciting month for Women's Guild. There are lots of opportunities for fun and fellowship, so get involved! Our regular meeting will happen a week earlier than usual on **Nov. 6** at 6:30 pm. We will get a sneak peek at some of the great items that will be available at the Drummer Boy Bazaar. On **Nov. 8** at 1 pm, please volunteer to come help spruce up the kitchen for the Bazaar. We will be washing trays, filling salt/pepper, and shining up the serving line. Hope to see you there. The November Ingathering is food items for our Immanuel food pantry, as they prepare for Thanksgiving baskets. The Guild Board will meet **Nov. 1** at 9 am. The Guild has purchased the following items to help with our Immanuel events and the DLS lunch program: 2 large frying pans, 2 large Rubbermaid trash cans, and 2 stainless serving carts. **Nov. 4** is Mite Sunday!



Drummer Boy Bazaar

The Bazaar is coming up on **Nov. 13** and preparations are underway. The meal is just \$8 for adults and \$3 for children 12 years old and younger and includes a pulled pork sandwich, coleslaw, baked beans, chips, drink, and your choice of a homemade dessert.

THE KITCHEN COMMITTEE: Donations of plastic containers are needed. Cool Whip (8/16 oz.), cottage cheese (16/24 oz.). Please put your donations in a bag, label them "Bazaar", and put them in the multipurpose room.

TICKETS are available. Get your ticket and pick some up to sell to your family, friends, and coworkers!

SILENT AUCTION: If you are willing to donate to the Silent Auction, please contact Janet Terry.

BAZAAR WAIT STAFF: There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the hall for waiting tables. Wait staff are needed from 10:45 am – 1:30 pm. Questions? Call Jo Van Hovel at 431-1426.

COUNTRY STORE – SWEET SHOPPE: These two booths have been combined. We appreciate your donations of homemade candy, breads, pies, cookies, and cakes. Please bring them on **Nov. 12**. Rosemary Burmeister and Susan DeMoss are the contact persons.

ATTIC TREASURES: Donations are needed for Attic Treasures (no clothes or books). Please bring your donations to the multipurpose room. Nancy Purviance and Rosemary Hilton are the contact persons.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPE: The Christmas Shoppe is a new attraction for our bazaar. We need donations of **new** homemade Christmas items. This is a booth that was done many years ago and we are planning to bring it back. Contact Dianne Seibert.

ARTS AND CRAFTS: This booth is replacing the former Stitch 'n Sew Booth and will include sewn items as well as craft items.

Bazaar Day is very busy and exciting. If you would like to participate, call any of the contact people.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING NOTES:

- Kim Davis presented an idea of developing a decorative, permanent historical display of the history of Immanuel Lutheran Church for our 125th Anniversary in 2021.
- **DLS Report:** 96 total students currently enrolled at Danville Lutheran School.
- **Fall Voters' Meeting:** planned for Oct. 28, 2018
- **Long Term legacy giving** discussion. Selected individuals will move forward with proposal to the BOD.
- **Finance:** Balance sheet and Income/Expense statement reviewed.
- **Missions:** 39 baskets given and 148 individuals served.
- **Properties:** Contacted Andersons about a lightning rod for the church. Area around shed cleaned. Brick wall around the north side of the canopy has been removed along with the concrete pad for the old air conditioner. Dan VanHovel will be rebuilding the wall. Board approved facilities can be used by outsiders with a Release of Responsibility Rider. Discussed digital bell system will take recommendations to the Voters' Meeting.
- **Stewardship:** no report
- **Evangelism:** Potluck for unchurched families of DLS
- **Parish Education:** Rally Day, Sept. 23 with luncheon afterwards.
- **Elders:** Possibly moving Elders' meeting to Monday evening.
- **Pastor's report:** Discussed New Members' Potluck.

PARISH EDUCATION NEWS: Our "Coffee to Go" outreach continues each Wednesday morning as a group of volunteers offer coffee and baked goodies to school families from 7-8:30am as they drop off students. *Are you an early riser who would like to help? Are you able to help by baking bread or muffins occasionally?* We would welcome your helping hands-talk to Annie Clark or Diana Pratt. **Monical's Day** to support Parish Ed programs is Tuesday, **Nov. 27**. Our next Parish Ed meeting is **Nov. 1**, at 6:30 pm.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES: We are beginning an all new instruction class for those interested in learning more about our Lutheran faith; you're invited to join us Tuesday evenings at 5:30 pm. A new class for Youth is beginning soon (likely on Sunday afternoons)—please speak with Pastor for more info!

If we don't teach our children to follow Christ, the world will teach them not to.

DANVILLE LUTHERAN School News

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- **Nov. 1** – Culver’s Night from 5 – 8 pm
- **Nov. 7** – All School Chapel at Trinity at 8:45 am
- **Nov. 8** – Veterans’ Celebration Program at Trinity
- **Nov. 12** – JV/V Basketball games at Trinity
- **Nov. 19** – Varsity Basketball game at Trinity
- **Nov. 21** – Early Dismissal (no aftercare)
- **Nov. 22 & 23** – No school – *Happy Thanksgiving!*
- **Nov. 26** - JV/V Basketball games at Trinity

CULVER’S NIGHT is coming up soon on **Nov. 1** from 5 – 8 pm. We invite you to dine with us! DLS will receive 20% of the proceeds from your order! The yellow slips, which you must bring with you, are available now! *Please come!*

THE DLS VETERANS’ DAY PROGRAM and Chili Supper is at Trinity in their gym on **Nov. 8** with dinner served from 5 – 6:15 pm followed by the program at 6:30 pm. Please come; the students have worked hard to make it a great program! You do not need to purchase tickets in advance; please consider a free will donation (collected at the dinner) to help cover the cost of the meal. *Hope to see you there!*

SAVE THE DATE! Our K-8 Christmas Program is **Dec. 13** at 6:30 pm and our Preschool Christmas Program is **Dec. 18** at 6:30 pm; both at Immanuel.

BASKETBALL SEASON IS HERE! The Danville Lutheran School Basketball season in coop with Danville Christian Academy and the local Homefires Association are excited to launch our 2018-2019 basketball season. We open our season on Monday, **Nov. 12** at 6:00, at the Trinity gym. All veterans will receive free admission to this game. The local American Legion color guard will be present as we honor our nation. Additional home games at the Trinity gym for November and December include **Nov. 19** at 6 pm (varsity only), **Dec. 1 – 2** (The I and I Tournament), and **Dec. 6** at 6 pm (Varsity only). Home games for January and February are played at the Immanuel gym.

WARRIOR SHIRTS: We are encouraging parents, grandparents, members and fans to wear black and gold to our basketball games. You may buy a *Warrior Mom*, *Warrior Dad*, or a *Warrior Nation* shirt to promote our team at the games. Contact the church or school office, or Dan Yagow directly if you would like to purchase one. The cost per shirt is \$10.



The teachers and students of our Immanuel campus of Danville Lutheran School showered Pastor with hugs and a card for Pastor Appreciation --- well, more than a card, it was a poster size appreciation where candy bars helped tell the story!! Yum!!



Sue Heidle is named as Ag in the Classroom’s “Teacher of the Year!” Sue is pictured with her preschool class!



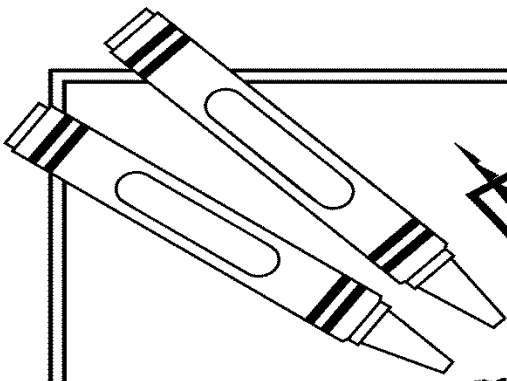
Pastor had a helper in school chapel on October 10 on the guitar! One of our talented second-graders (who is learning to play guitar) got to try her hand strumming in front of the campus chapel service. She did a marvelous job and enjoyed every moment and strum!!



Mrs. Marxman’s preschool class at the Trinity campus.



Grades 5/6 enjoyed the beauty of fall on their trip to Turkey Run State Park.



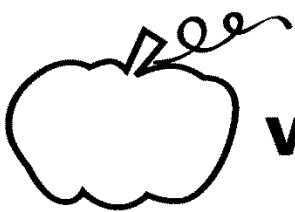
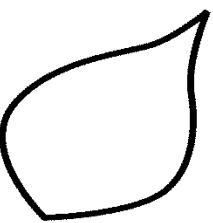
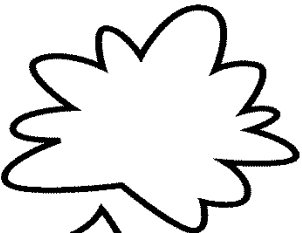


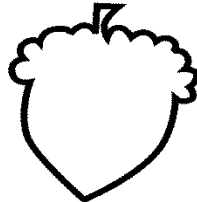
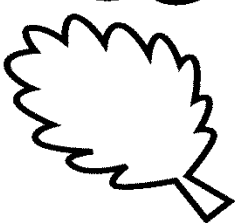
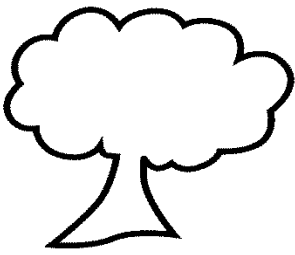

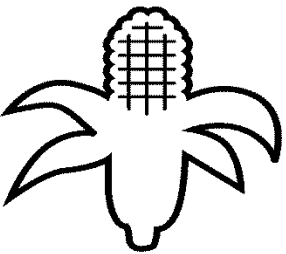
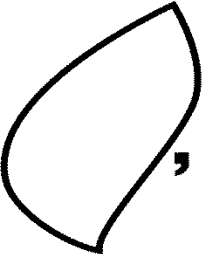
PUZZLE

HARVEST OF GOODNESS

God always provides, no matter the season.

Directions: Match the shapes in order to write the words in the correct places below.



“The  will  
 what is , and 
 will  its .”
  : , NIV

Answer: “The LORD will indeed give what is good, and our land will yield its harvest.” Psalm 85:12, NIV



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November 4 (Revelation 7:9-17)

“The Finish Line!”

By Rev. Dr. Thomas Ahlersmeyer, Holy Cross Lutheran Church~Fort Wayne, IN

How do we bear all the unbearable things people are called to carry? God’s Word in Revelation 7 lifts us from the challenges of daily existence, focusing our gaze upon the joys of eternity. How much more meaningful and bearable the journey becomes when we know and can see *“the finish line!”*

November 11 (Mark 12:41-44)

“A Widow’s Example”

Rev. James L. Elsner, Prince of Peace Lutheran Church~Stroh, IN

It wasn’t what you wanted in life – but it is where you are. Where do you turn in tragedy and loss, in loneliness and grief? Learn from the widow at the temple.

November 18 (Hebrews 10:11-25)

“Step by Step”

By Rev. William Mueller, Suburban Bethlehem Church~Fort Wayne, IN

Living the Christian life is not at all like a short sprint but a long marathon. There are moments when we are tempted to hang it up, to quit, to exit off the race and hang up our running shoes. However, the writer of the letter to the Hebrews spurs us to do just the opposite... and to daily encourage others to live this life in the name of Jesus!


November 25 (Mark 13:26, 33-37)

“Watch!”

By Rev. Dr. Walter A. Maier III, Concordia Theological Seminary~Fort Wayne, IN

Jesus is coming again on Judgment Day, and His advice to us is, “Watch!” One reason to keep watch is that we do not know when this day will occur. There are other reasons as well which, when we consider them, will bring us great comfort and encouragement.

Serving in...
November



Elders

Nov. 4 David Ammermann
 11 Don DeMoss
 18 John Albers
 25 Scott Burgess

Communion Assistants

Nov. 4 Don DeMoss, Roger Dahlenburg
 18 Scott Burgess, Charles Vollmer
 6:30 pm 21 TBA

Ushers

Nov. **Team "E"**
 Capt. Denny Hilton, David Creek,
 Glen Natschke, Mike Ferris

Note: Thanksgiving Eve Special Service
 Nov. 21 6:30 pm Team "B"

Lay Readers

Nov. 4 Diana Pratt
 11 Gail and Barb Garner
 18 Sue Heidle
 6:30 pm 21 TBA
 25 Carol Johnston

Greeters

Nov. 4 Narthex John & Marcy Heeren
 Chapel Kitty Lee
 11 Narthex Charles Vollmer family
 Chapel Charlotte Schendel
 18 Narthex Bill & Joyce Martin
 Chapel Marlon & Marian Heideman
 25 Narthex Gary & Sarah Stuhr
 Chapel Carol Johnston

Acolytes

Nov. 4 Josey Clem
 11 TJ Mann
 18 Noah Acree
 6:30 pm 21 Chris DeMoss
 25 Rhylie Beauvois

Altar Guild

Nov. Clarice Wahlfeldt
 Debbie Ferris
 Rosemary Hilton

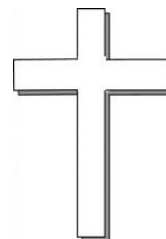
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Nov. Team "B" Nancy Purviance
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Bible Quiz

After Cain killed Abel, their parents, Adam and Eve, had another son. What did they name the baby?

A. Seth
 B. Enoch
 C. Shem
 D. Lamech



Answer: A (See Genesis 4:25.)



"You counted your blessings instead of your calories on Thanksgiving, didn't you Mrs. Blair?"

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 thank all
 veterans, and
 especially the
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GOD WITH US

November 2018

Oh, Give Thanks to the LORD

Call upon His name; make known His deeds among the peoples!
1 CHRONICLES 16:8, NKJV



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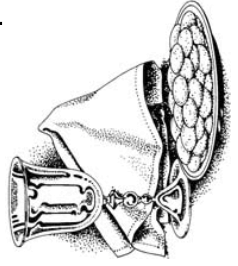
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Worship Schedule

Sunday Mornings
Nov. 4, 11, 18 & 25
9:30 am
Evenings
Nov. 7, 14, & 28
5:00 pm
Nov. 21 at 6:30 pm

Communion Schedule

Nov. 4 & 18
9:30 am
Nov. 21 at 6:30 pm
Nov. 28 at 5:00 pm



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