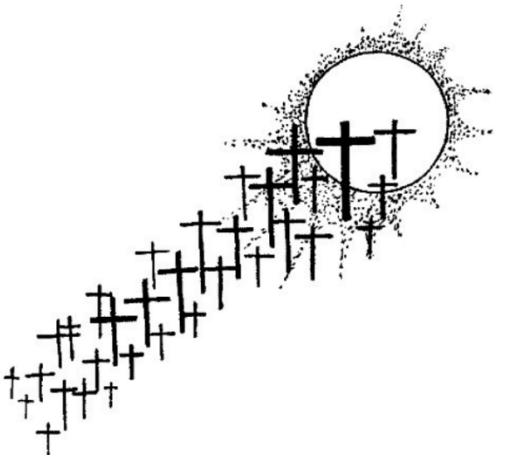
ALL SAINTS WEEKEND

"Bought by Christ, Brought Together in Faith"

October 31 / November 01, 2026



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AS WE GATHER

Portraits of heroes are hung in museums, etched onto mountains, and immortalized in history books. But for those who keep the Faith, the Lord has greater plans. On this All Saints' Weekend, we see that the Lord's Faithful do not belong in galleries or textbooks but in the Courts of Heaven. There are no dead tributes to the fallen but Living Displays of Christ's Mercy. All those who have been joined to Christ by Faith can celebrate their Citizenship in the Kingdom that never ends, and the Promise that when our days of being "saint and sinner" in this life are finished, we all will be "Saints" in the Presence of our Savior.

IN THE NAME OF OUR BLESSED SAVIOR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

+ PREPARATION +

HYMN *"Sing with All the Saints in Glory"* *LSB 671*

1 Sing with all the Saints in Glory, sing the Resurrection song!
Death and sorrow, Earth's dark story, to the former days belong.
All around the clouds are breaking; soon the storms of time shall cease;
in God's Likeness we awaken, knowing Everlasting Peace.

2 Oh, what Glory, far exceeding, all that eye has yet perceived!
Holiest hearts for ages pleading, never that full joy conceived.
God has Promised, Christ Prepares it; there on High our welcome waits.
Ev'ry humble spirit shares it, Christ has Passed the_Eternal Gates.

3 Life Eternal! Heav'n rejoices: Jesus Lives Who once was Dead.
Shout with joy, O deathless voices! Child of God, lift up your head!
Life Eternal! Oh, what wonders, crowd on Faith; what joy unknown,
when, amid Earth's closing thunders, Saints shall stand before the Throne!

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INVOCATION

Pastor: In the Name of the Father, and of the ✢ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
All: Amen.

OPENING SENTENCES *Psalm 30:4-5*

Pastor: Sing praises to the LORD, O you His Saints,
All: and give thanks to His Holy Name.

Pastor: For His Anger is but for a moment,
All: and His Favor is for a Lifetime.

Pastor: Weeping may tarry for the night,
All: but joy comes with the morning.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor: As saints and yet sinners, we call upon the Mercy of God, our Heavenly Father. O Almighty God,
All: You Rule and Reign with Justice. As Your People, we should love all Your Decrees. Yet our hearts are hard. We prefer our ways to Your Ways. We shout our freedoms but whisper Your Correction. You call us Salt and Light, yet over and over we choose the darkness. Forgive us, Father, for the sake of Your Son, Jesus. Renew our hearts that we might rejoice as the Saints You Call us to be.

Pause for silent reflection

Pastor: To make sinners into Saints of His Kingdom, God in His Mercy Sent forth Jesus, the True Son of God, the Redeeming Savior, Who has opened the Door to the Kingdom where He Rules and Reigns, now and forever. As a Called and Ordained servant of the Living Christ and by His Authority, and by His Command, I forgive you all your sins in the Name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
All: Amen.

+ SERVICE OF THE WORD +

INTROIT *Psalm 31:1, 3, 5; antiphon: Revelation 7:14b*

Pastor: These are the ones coming out of the Great Tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them White in the Blood of the Lamb.
All: In You, O LORD, do I take refuge; let me never be put to shame; in Your Righteousness deliver me.

Pastor: For you are my Rock and my Fortress; and for Your Name's sake You Lead me and Guide me.

All: Into Your Hand I commit my spirit; You have Redeemed me, O LORD, Faithful God.

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.

KYRIE

Pastor: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

Pastor For the Peace from Above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: 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.

All: Christ, have mercy.

Pastor: For this Holy House and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Pastor: Help, Save, Comfort, and Defend us, Gracious Lord.

All: Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

SALUTATION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray.

Almighty and Everlasting God, You knit together Your Faithful People of all times and places into One Holy Communion, the Mystical Body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your Blessed Saints in all virtuous and godly living that, like them, we may witness to Your Justice and Mercy so that all come to Faith in Jesus Christ, our Lord, Who Lives and Reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever.

All: Amen.

FIRST READING *Revelation 7:9–17* *ESV 1223*

9After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number,
from every Nation, from all Tribes and Peoples and Languages, standing before
the Throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in
their hands, 10and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God Who
sits on the Throne, and to the Lamb!" 11And all the Angels were standing around
the Throne and around the Elders and the Four Living Creatures, and they fell on
their faces before the Throne and worshiped God, 12saying, "Amen! Blessing and
Glory and Wisdom and Thanksgiving and Honor and Power and Might be to our
God forever and ever! Amen."

13Then one of the Elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in
white robes, and from where have they come?" 14I said to him, "Sir, you know."
And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the Great Tribulation. They
have washed their robes and made them white in the Blood of the Lamb."
15"Therefore they are before the Throne of God, and serve Him day and night in
His Temple; and He Who sits on the Throne will Shelter them with His Presence.
16They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them,
nor any scorching heat. 17For the Lamb in the midst of the Throne will be their
Shepherd, and He will guide them to springs of Living Water, and God will wipe
away every tear from their eyes."

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE *1 John 3:1–3* *ESV 1211*

1See what kind of Love the Father has given to us, that we should be Called
Children of God; and so we are. The reason the world does not know us, is that it
did not know Him. 2Beloved, we are God's Children now, and what we will be has
not yet appeared; but we know that when He Appears we shall be like Him,
because we shall see Him as He is. 3And everyone who thus Hopes in Him
Purifies himself as He is Pure.

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

VERSE *Hebrews 12:1a, 2a*

Pastor: Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us look to Jesus, the Founder and Perfecter of our Faith.

All: Alleluia, alleluia.

HOLY GOSPEL *Matthew 5:1–12* *ESV 962*

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifth chapter.

All: Glory to You, O Lord.

[1]Seeing the crowds, [Jesus] went up on the mountain, and when He sat down, His Disciples came to Him. [2]And He opened His Mouth and taught them, saying: [3]"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven. [4]"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted. [5]"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the Earth. [6]"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied. [7]"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy. [8]"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God. [9]"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God. [10]"Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven. [11]"Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on My account. [12]Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in Heaven, for so they persecuted the Prophets who were before you."

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to You, O Christ.

HYMN *"Alleluia! Let Praises Ring"* *Vs 1,2* *LSB 822*

1 Alleluia! Let praises ring!
To God the Father let us bring, our songs of adoration.
To Him through everlasting days,
be Worship, Honor, Pow'r, and Praise,
Whose Hand sustains Creation.
Singing, ringing: Holy, holy, God is Holy; spread the story,
of our God, the Lord of Glory.

2 Alleluia! Let praises ring!
Unto the Lamb of God we sing, in Whom we are Elected.
He bought His Church with His own Blood,
He Cleansed Her in that Blessèd Flood,
and as His Bride selected.
Holy, holy, is our Union, and Communion. His befriending,
gives us Joy and Peace unending.

SERMON

HYMN *"Alleluia! Let Praises Ring"* *Vs 3,4* *LSB 822*

3 Alleluia! Let praises ring!
Unto the Holy Ghost we sing, for our Regeneration.
The Saving Faith in us He wrought,
and us unto the Bridegroom brought,
made us His Chosen Nation.
Glory! Glory! Joy Eternal, Bliss Supernal; there is Manna,
and an endless, glad hosanna.

4 Alleluia! Let praises ring!
Unto our Triune God we sing; Blest be His Name forever!
With Angel Hosts let us adore,
and sing His praises evermore,
for all His Grace and Favor!
Singing, ringing: Holy, holy, God is Holy; spread the story,
of our God, the Lord of Glory!

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OFFERING ***(received and brought to the Altar)***

OFFERTORY *LSB 192*

**All: Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from Thy Presence,
and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the Joy of Thy Salvation,
and uphold me with Thy Free Spirit. Amen.**



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.

HYMN *"For All the Saints"* *Vs 1–3* *LSB 677*

1 For all the Saints who from their labors rest,
who Thee by Faith before the world confessed,
Thy Name, O Jesus, be forever Blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!

2 Thou wast their Rock, their Fortress, and their Might;
Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight;
Thou, in the darkness drear, their One True Light. Alleluia! Alleluia!

3 Oh, may Thy Soldiers, Faithful, True, and Bold,
fight as the Saints who nobly fought of old,
and win with them the Victor's Crown of Gold! Alleluia! Alleluia!

COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED *Revelation 14:13*

Pastor: Alleluia! I heard a Voice from Heaven saying, "Write this:
All: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on."

Pastor: "Blessed indeed," says the Spirit, "that they may rest from their labors,
All: for their deeds follow them!" Alleluia!

Pastor: On this All Saints' Weekend, we remember our Hope in Jesus Christ, His Grace, and His Assurance of Everlasting Life, and we remember those Saints who in death have received the Crown of Righteousness Promised to all who Trust in Christ as Lord and Savior.

REMEMBERING ST. JOHN MEMBERS TRANSLATED TO ETERNITY:

James Johnson	12/01/2025	Inez Berghofer	06/05/2026
Werner Scherr	02/11/2026	Anna Trochta	08/11/2026
G. Jarka Axtell	03/15/2026	Patricia Scaffidi	09/05/2026
Marilyn Kelso	03/26/2026		

REMEMBERING LOVED ONES WITH THANKSGIVING:

Binder, Dorothy & James	Sister & Brother-in-law of Dale Brigger
Blinka, Anna	Grandmother of Laura Lucas
Blinka, Margaret	Mother of Laura Lucas
Brigger, Harold & Lillian	Parents of Dale Brigger
Carpenter, Sherry	Aunt of Pastor DeVries
Ewald, Nila	Aunt of Jim Fahser
Gianou, Jenny	Friend of Jenny Zebrowski
Gorecki, Rae Ellen	Aunt of Karen Erickson
Hanke, Arthur	Father of Craig Hanke
Hanke, Marjorie	Mother of Craig Hanke
Janiszewski, Greg	Husband of DeeDee Janiszewski
Krawczyk, Patrick & Ray	Brothers of Paulette Schmadl
Krawczyk, Norbert & Ester	Parents of Paulette Schmadl
Lezala, Richard	Husband of Val Lezala
Lezala, Richard	Father to Gloria, Cheryl & Jim
Lucas, Edith	Mother of Scott Lucas
Lucas, Harold	Father of Scott Lucas
Lucas, Jacqueline	Sister of Scott Lucas
Makaveskis, Joe & Katie	Parents of Mary Brigger
Martin, Esther	Mother of Sandi, Sharon & Jeff
Michaels, Roseann	Sister of Paulette Schmadl
Munnik, Larry	Husband of Donna Munnik
Schaefer, Carol	Mother of Lynn Hanke
Schaefer, Jerome	Father of Lynn Hanke
Schmadl, Lyle	Husband of Paulette Schmadl
Senger, Laurie	Friend of Jim Fahser & Jenny Zebrowski
Zakovich, Don	Godfather of Gloria Lezala

HYMN *"For All the Saints"* *Vs 4-6* *LSB 677*

4 Oh, Blest Communion, Fellowship Divine!
We feebly struggle, they in Glory Shine;
yet all are One in Thee, for all are Thine. Alleluia! Alleluia!

5 And when the fight is fierce, the warfare long,
steals on the ear the distant triumph song,
and hearts are brave again, and arms are strong. Alleluia! Alleluia!

6 The Golden Evening brightens in the west;
soon, soon to faithful warriors cometh rest;
sweet is the Calm of Paradise the blest. Alleluia! Alleluia!

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Pastor: Just as the Saints Above surround the Throne, we gather to plead for Your Mercy, O Lord, for ourselves, our community, our nation, and our world.

Heavenly Father, You have Called us Your Children, and so we are. Fix our eyes on Your Love and Power, that we might be pure as Christ is Pure and walk in Hope of the Glory yet to be Revealed. Blessed are Your Saints, O Lord.

All: Keep us faithful unto Everlasting Life. ***(for each petition)***

Pastor: For Your daily Mercies, for our Baptism into Christ, for the Faithfulness of Your Church, and for the Assurance of Your Return, we give You all Glory and Honor, O Lord, now and forevermore.

All: Amen.

HYMN *"For All the Saints"* *Vs 7,8* *LSB 677*

7 But, lo, there breaks a yet more glorious day:
the Saints triumphant rise in bright array;
the King of Glory passes on His way. Alleluia! Alleluia!

8 From Earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
through Gates of Pearl streams in the Countless Host,
singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost: Alleluia! Alleluia!

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+ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

PREFACE

Pastor: The Lord be with you.
All: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.
All: We lift them up to the Lord.



Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

Pastor: 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. In the Communion of all Your Saints gathered into the One Body of Your Son, You have Surrounded us with so great a cloud of witnesses that we, encouraged by their faith and strengthened by their fellowship, may run with perseverance the race that is set before us and, together with them, receive the Crown of Glory that does not fade away. 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 208*

All: Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth adored;
Heav'n and Earth with full acclaim shout the Glory of Your Name.
Sing hosanna in the Highest, sing hosanna to the Lord;
Truly blest is He Who comes in the Name of the Lord!
Text: Stephen P. Starke

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Pastor: 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 this, 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."*

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. For Thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory forever and ever. Amen.

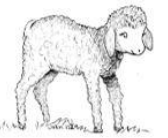
PAX DOMINI

Pastor: The Peace of the Lord be with you always. *LSB 209*

All: Amen. *(spoken)*

AGNUS DEI *(sung)* *LSB 210*

All: O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You Take the sin of the world away;
O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
have mercy on us, Lord, we pray.



O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You Take the sin of the world away;
have mercy on us, Jesus Christ,
and Grant us Peace, O Lord, we pray.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

DISTRIBUTION:

All who Commune receive the true Body and Blood of Jesus Christ.
Therefore, each one must take seriously the responsibility to examine oneself:

- To acknowledge oneself as a sinner and repent of one's sins.
- To trust Jesus as one's Savior for forgiveness and submit to Him as Lord.
- To believe in the Real Presence of Christ in the Sacrament, that His true Body and Blood are received in, with, and under the elements of bread and wine.
- To ask the Holy Spirit to assist in living a moral and obedient life to glorify God.

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As you approach the Altar Rail, if you desire the Individual Cup of Wine, please take one with you.
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If you have selected the Individual Cup, please discard the cup
in the container on the side aisle as you return down the outside aisle to your pew.]

+ DISTRIBUTION HYMNS +



HYMN *"Behold a Host, Arrayed in White"* *LSB 676*

1 Behold a Host, arrayed in white, like thousand snow-clad mountains bright!
With palms they stand; who is this band before the Throne of Light?
These are the Saints of glorious fame, who from the great affliction came,
and in the Flood, of Jesus' Blood, are Cleansed from guilt and shame.
They now serve God both day and night; they sing their songs in endless Light.
Their anthems ring, as they all sing, with Angels shining bright.

2 Despised and scorned, they sojourned here; but now, how glorious they appear!
Those Martyrs stand, a priestly band, God's Throne forever near.
On Earth they wept through bitter years; now God has wiped away their tears,
transformed their strife, to Heav'nly Life, and freed them from their fears.
They now enjoy the Sabbath Rest, the Heav'nly Banquet of the Blest;
the Lamb, their Lord, at Festive Board, Himself is Host and Guest.

3 O Blessèd Saints in bright array, now safely Home in endless day,
extol the Lord, Who with His Word, Sustained you on the way.
The steep and narrow path You trod; You toiled and sowed the Word abroad;
rejoice and bring, your fruits and sing, before the Throne of God.
The myriad Angels raise their song; O Saints, sing with that happy throng!
Lift up one voice; let Heav'n rejoice, in our Redeemer's song!

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HYMN *"Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise"* *LSB 680*

1 Thine the Amen, Thine the Praise, Alleluias Angels raise,
Thine the Everlasting Head, Thine the breaking of the Bread,
Thine the Glory Thine the Story, Thine the harvest then the Cup,
Thine the vineyard then the Cup, is lifted up, lifted up.

2 Thine the Life Eternally, Thine the Promise let there be,
Thine the Vision Thine the Tree, all the Earth on bended knee,
gone the nailing gone the railing, gone the pleading gone the cry,
gone the sighing gone the dying, what was loss lifted high.

3 Thine the Truly Thine the Yes, Thine the Table we the guest,
Thine the Mercy all from Thee, Thine the Glory yet to be,
then the ringing and the singing, then the end of all the war,
Thine the Living Thine the Loving, Evermore, evermore.

4 Thine the Kingdom Thine the Prize, Thine the wonder full Surprise,
Thine the Banquet then the praise, then the justice of Thy Ways,
Thine the Glory Thine the Story, Then the Welcome to the least,
Then the wonder all increasing, at Thy Feast, at Thy Feast.

5 Thine the Glory in the night, no more dying only Light,
Thine the River Thine the Tree, then the Lamb Eternally,
then the holy holy holy, celebration jubilee.
Thine the splendor Thine the brightness, only Thee, only Thee.

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POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Let us pray.
Through this Meal, O Father, You once again mark us with the Mercy that makes us Your Saints. Fed and fueled by the Gifts of Christ, prepare us for every good work, that we might know that neither death nor life, nor Angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation will separate us from Your Love in Christ Jesus our Lord, Who Lives and Reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever.

All: Amen.

CLOSING SENTENCES *Psalm 116:15, Revelation 14:*

Pastor: Alleluia! Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of His Saints!

All: They follow the Lamb wherever He goes. Alleluia!

BENEDICTION

Pastor: 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.

All: Amen! Amen! Amen! *(sung)* *LSB 202*

HYMN *"Holy, Holy, Holy"* *Vs 1-4* *LSB 507*

1 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
holy, holy, holy, Merciful and Mighty!
God in Three Persons, Blessèd Trinity!

2 Holy, holy, holy! All the Saints adore Thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and Seraphim falling down before Thee,
which wert and art and evermore shalt be.

3 Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,
though the eye of sinful man Thy Glory may not see,
only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee,
Perfect in Pow'r, in Love, and Purity.

4 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All Thy Works shall praise Thy Name in Earth and Sky and Sea.
Holy, holy, holy, Merciful and Mighty!
God in Three Persons, Blessèd Trinity!
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THOSE WHO SERVE

Officiant: Rev. Phillip DeVries

Elder on Duty:	**Sunday Ushers:**	**Organist:**	**Altar Guild:**
Sat: Jim Papala	Dale Brigger	Sat: Betty Johnson	Upkeep:
Sun: Jim Fahser	Craig Hanke	Sun: Betty Johnson	Sat: Pat Mueller
			Sun: Lynn Anderson

IN OUR PRAYERS WE REMEMBER...

† the sick and shut-in of our Family of Faith: Elaine Wasicka, SaDonna Antonia, Chris Buttke, Ray Grant, Michael Lucas and Eileen Bartelt

† friends of our family of Faith: Karen McAndrews, Shari R, Sue, Donna H, Karen Squiers, Dean & Terry Cywinski and Kathy Schauer

† for those who are dealing with Cancer: Ray Berg, Charlie Baranowski, Lindsay Rowland, Jim, Gabe, Nate Watters and Sally



WITH THANKFUL AND HUMBLE HEARTS

Pastor DeVries, Pastor Krueger and Roy Lemmer thank God for the privilege of serving Him and St. John Congregation. We are overwhelmed by your support and generosity. God bless us all, as we all together serve to God's Glory.

FREE 4K DAY CARE PROGRAM!!

"Get Kids Ready" is a **WI State Funded Program** that is available here at our St. John Day Care! It is an 8:30am – 12:30pm daily offering. Know any 4-year olds whose parents should consider this? More information can be found at this website: dcfgetkidsready@wisconsin.gov or contact Karen at St. John Day Care (414) 482-0554. Applications are now being accepted. There is no cost to the parents for this program which will run from 8:30am – 12:30pm. Should your child need additional hours, the cost will be calculated in compliance with our regular Day Care rates.

THE GRAND OL' CHRISTMAS SHOW: SIGN-UP DEADLINE, SUNDAY, NOV 1

Social Concerns invites you to join us at the South Milwaukee Performing Arts located at 901–15th Avenue in South Milwaukee, Sunday, December 13 at **3:00pm** for The Grand Ol' CHRISTMAS SHOW. Cost for the show is $53.00. A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex. Make checks payable to Julie Monson.

VETERANS DAY OBSERVANCE: NOVEMBER 7/8: CARD INFO DUE NOV 1

The 11th Hour, of the 11th Day, of the 11th Month - the end of World War 1, first known as Armistice Day, but became Veterans Day to honor all who ever served in any branch of the military. Many St. John members have served in the military, and we have had whole listings in years past. HOWEVER, this year, on *Nov 7&8* we will HONOR those for whom you volunteer the information. If you or a loved one has served in the military at any time, and you would like their NAME, RANK, and BRANCH of SERVICE to be acknowledged and thank God for their service to our Country, USE THE CARDS found in the NARTHEX to provide their information, plus your name and your relationship with the name provided, and place the card in the provided box. ***The DEADLINE for the NAME to be included in the Worship Bulletin is Sunday NOON, Nov 1.***



OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE FOR LAST WEEK

Weekend Worship Service: 88

FINANCIAL POSITION FOR OCTOBER 2026

GENERAL FUND

	Month to Date	FY to Date
Received:	$ 23,502.40	$ 109,845.84
Obligations:	$ 28,333.95	$ 128,652.93
Balance:	$ (4,831.55)	$ (18,807.09)

Beginning Fiscal Year General Fund Balance	$ 25,000.00
YTD General Fund Balance	$ 6,235.52

Property Improvement Loan

Monthly Amount Needed	Received MTD	Balance Needed
$2,553.24	$7,005.76	$0

Thank you for your donations this month. Money received above the "amount needed" will go towards paying down our principle.

St. John Day Care contributes $1,000 each month toward Loan Repayment. This is in addition to the $2,000 per month paid to the General Fund for Use & Occupancy.

BIBLICAL GIVING – *(Tithe: 10% of income)*

"Every tithe of the land, whether of the seed of the land or of the fruit of the trees, is the Lord's; it is holy to the Lord". (Leviticus 27:30)

SPECIAL GIFT

Property Improvement Fund

\+ from Diana Rowland in celebration of the 120th Anniversary

ELECTRONIC OFFERINGS FOR ST. JOHN

Some people avoid "electronics" and the internet – and that's OK. For those who have direct deposit, pay bills, or order items on the internet, you can use these same procedures to support your favorite charities and our St. John. Consider electronic giving. Call the Church Office (414-481-0520) for information.

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES AT ST. JOHN

These classes are free and Bibles are provided. All are always welcome to join. Please see weekly calendar on the back cover for times and topics.



DORCAS MEETING: WEDNESDAY, NOV. 4 at 6:00pm

All St. John Members are invited to attend and to bring a friend or two. We will have a speaker from ”A Place of Refuge” – which is a crisis pregnancy advocacy service and shelter. We will also be collecting baby items *(clothes, diapers, socks, baby food, etc.)* to be donated. Female personal items (shampoo, soap, etc.) along with Gas Gift Cards are also needed. You can place the items on the table in the Narthex or bring them to the meeting. We will also be writing Christmas Cards for retirement home residents, and for St. John members unable to come to our Church Services. Our hostesses will be Gloria and Julie.

QUARTERLY 2026 WINTER NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: SUNDAY, NOV. 8

The deadline for the Winter Evangelist will be here before you know it. Please submit your articles for the upcoming events that will happen during the Winter months - (Dec-Jan-Feb) to: seavisionten0r@gmail.com

IT’S KRINGLE TIME – ORDERING WILL END SUNDAY, NOV. 8

Look for samples of O&H Kringle at upcoming services. Day Care is raising money for maintenance and improvements in their play yard. New this year, coffee packets are being sold. They are on the order form. Kringle will be available for pick-up beginning Wednesday, Nov. 18, just in time for Thanksgiving!

LUTHERAN WITNESS MAGAZINE: DEADLINE IS SUNDAY, NOV. 8

Did you know that there is a magazine for Lutheran lay people that offers information and help in day-to-day situations with faith, humor, compassion and understanding? It’s called the ***Lutheran Witness***. If you are interested in subscribing to this Christian magazine, please place $23.50 in an envelope and write on the outside of the envelope “Lutheran Witness Subscription” Attn: CynDee, along with your name and address. Checks should be made payable to: “*St. John Lutheran Church*”. They can be *placed in the Church Secretary Mailbox in the Church Office*. Your Subscription will begin in February 2027.

DINNER & BUNCO: SIGN-UP DEADLINE IS SUNDAY, NOV. 8

Social Concerns invites you to join them on Saturday, November 14, 2026, for Bunco and Barbeque [aka sloppy joes]. A light dinner will be served at **4:15pm** with Bunco to follow. If you have never played Bunco - it is a very easy to learn, interactive, and fun group dice game. Let us know that you will attend on the signup sheet in the Narthex. Hope to see you there!



GOD BLESS YOU ON YOUR CELEBRATION...

…of birth	…of baptism	….of marriage
Oct 31…	**Nov 02**	
Suzanne Foeckler	Barry Bukowski	
Nov 02	Sheri Meyer	
Martin Zemen, Jr.	Kathleen Tuscany	
Nov 03	**Nov 03**	
Lyn Weber	Asher Ehley	
Nov 05	Lyn Weber	
Sandra Bonnier		
Lee Meyer		



If your celebration day is incorrect (or doesn't appear), please notify the Church Office at 414-481-0520.

ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH AND CHILD DAY CARE

CHURCH 414-481-0520 — **DAY CARE 414-482-0554**

Office Hours: M-F / 9:00am – 2:00pm — **Hours M-F / 6:00am – 5:30pm**

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Mission Statement

St. John Lutheran Church, Cudahy WI

Our primary purpose is to share the Good News of salvation through Jesus Christ alone.

In order to do this, we:

GROW together in our faith through word and Sacrament
DISCOVER our spiritual gifts
SHARE God's Law and Gospel
SERVE God by meeting the needs of others in mind, body and spirit, and
WELCOME all people to learn and embrace our faith

CALENDAR: OCTOBER / NOVEMBER

Sat.	**31**		***REFORMATION DAY / ALL SAINTS' WEEKEND***
		3:00pm	Communion Worship Service
Sun.	**01**		***ALL SAINTS' DAY***
			DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS *(TURN CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR)*
			GRAND OL' CHRISTMAS SHOW SIGN UP ENDS
			VETERANS REMEMBRANCE CARD DEADLINE
		9:00am	Communion Worship Service
		10:00am	Coffee Koinonia *(Fellowship Time)*
		10:30am	Adult Bible Study: *(The Book of 1 Peter)*
		10:30am	Sunday School
Mon.	**02**	6:15pm	Handbell Rehearsal
		6:30pm	Adult Bible Study: *(The Book of John)*
Tue.	**03**	7:00am	Men's Bible Study (OC) – *(Christ is Risen-Indeed)*
		5:30pm	Elders Board Meeting
Wed.	**04**	9:30am	AdavaCare Assisted Living (SF)
		6:00pm	Dorcas Society Meeting
Thur.	**05**	9:00am	Oak Creek Place Worship Service
		9:30am	Day Care Devotions
		10:15am	AdavaCare Assisted Living (OC)
		12:00pm	Evangelism & Stewardship Meetings
		1:30pm	Adult Bible Study: *(Join the Tour, Know the Book)*
		4:30pm	Trustees Board Meeting
		6:30pm	Evangelism & Stewardship Meetings
		7:00pm	Sheepshead
Fri.	**06**		
Sat.	**07**		***VETERANS DAY OBSERVANCE***
			PROJECT CONCERN WEEKEND: ***Bar and Hand Soap***
		3:00pm	Communion Worship Service
Sun.	**08**		***EVANGELIST NEWSLETTER DEADLINE***
			KRINGLE ORDERING ENDS
			LUTHERAN WITNESS SUBSCRIPTION DUE
			BUNCO SIGN-UP ENDS
		9:00am	Communion Worship Service
		10:00am	Coffee Koinonia *(Fellowship Time)*
		10:30am	Adult Bible Study: *The Truth Project*
		10:30am	Sunday School