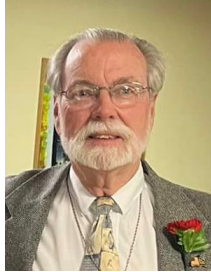


The Savior's Trumpet

Albion Lutheran Church

NOVEMBER 2024 AD



*Words from
Pastor Bob*

*“Gather My saints together to me,
says the Lord, those who have made a
covenant with Me by sacrifice.” Psalm 50:5*

Saints Alive!!

Perhaps you have heard or even used this expression of astonishment over something you found extra-ordinary? **“Saint’s Alive!”** I find this expression to be especially relevant where the scripture says.....

*“For if we truly believe that Jesus died and rose again,
even so by the word of the Lord, we who are alive and
remain until the coming of the Lord will meet the Lord
in the air together with all who have died in Christ, and
thus be forever with the Lord.” 1 Thessalonians 4:14-17*

During this month of November we will celebrate two important dates on the church calendar: **All Saint’s Day** and **Thanksgiving Day**. As God’s saints on earth and God’s saints in heaven, I believe God desires all those who are saved and sanctified in Christ Jesus to experience authentic community and communion with one another as Christ’s body.

Without authentic community with one another and communion with God, we will not be able to truly offer a sacrifice of praise/thanksgiving to the Lord. We will not have a deep desire to fulfill the vows/promises that we have made to God, and we will not be willing to call on the Lord at all times and in all circumstances.

All Saint’s Day and **Thanksgiving Day** are connected together in the sense they help us to renew a covenant promise God has made with us, and we have made with Him , as **Saints Alive on earth and Saints Alive in heaven:**

*“Oh, blest communion, fellowship divine,
We feebly struggle, they in glory shine.
Yet all are one within Your great design,
Alle-luia! Alle-luia!”*

Pastor Bob



ALL SAINTS'

The Festival of All Saints' will be celebrated on Sunday, November 5th, 2023. We take time to remember with thanksgiving those who have

celebrated their homecoming since

All Saints' Day of 2024

Dean Bernloehr 03-04-2024

Rhoda Olson 03-09-2024

Les Anderson 08-07-2024

Karin Bottem 08-30-2024

Non-members

Marjorie (Aspelund) Peterson 12-2023

Joe Blackstad 08-06-2024

Harvey Blackstad 05-15-2024

Every time our hearts ask

"Where are You, God?"

His answer is the same:

"Right here with you."

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offer your prayer and praise to our Almighty God.

To give thanks to God for His gift of trust among men and other forms of daily bread that flow from that trust, we will gather for Thanksgiving Worship on **Wednesday, November 27th at 7:30 pm.** We hope you'll plan to attend to

RADIO BROADCASTS

A SPONSOR IS NEED FOR DECEMBER.

The radio service is part of our outreach ministry in our local area. There are many people who are unable to travel to a local church and they are able to hear God's Word through these radio services. Albion sponsors the 2nd Sunday of each month. We are fortunate to have a church family who wants to share our services. Please give Cindy Mosenden a call (507-439-6380) or email cindymos1@gmail.com). You can also sign the sign-sheet on the kitchen bulletin board. if you'd like to sponsor a service for 2025. Cost is \$65..

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

The deadline for filling our shoeboxes is fast approaching. Please have them wrapped and to church by Sunday, November 24th. We will be having a dedication for them during the morning service.

A list of items and instructions was included in the October newsletter. There are also copies available at church along with stuffed animals and other things that can be added to your box.

We hope to bring joy and hope to many children around the world through our gift-filled boxes and the Good News of God's love.



FOOD SHELVES

Thanks to all who continue to bring food for our local food shelves. Needs usually grow heavier in the fall and winter months. Let's all help stock the shelves again, especially in this Thanksgiving month.



PRAYER FOR UPCOMING ELECTION

“If my people who are called by My name, will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven and forgive their sin and heal their land.”

II Chronicles 7:14

As we anticipate next month’s upcoming November national election, God reminds us in His Word.....

“.....the effectual fervent prayer of the righteous avails much....”

James 5:16

The following prayer by Franklin Graham of Samaritan’s Purse outreach ministry and mission is a suggested prayer as we seek God’s blessing and favor upon our land and its people.....

Our Heavenly Father, we come before You with grateful hearts. We thank You for the provisions You have given to the United States of America. You have blessed this country more than any country in the world. Sadly, as a nation, we have forgotten who is responsible for all the freedoms, the liberties and the bounty that we enjoy. It has all come from You.

Our nation is in trouble, Lord. We’re divided politically, racially, economically, with millions of people seeking refuge and hope in our dry and thirsty land. You’re the only One who can fix the complexity of the problems that we face today.

As Your Word instructs, we pray for the leaders of our nation, those currently in office and those soon to be elected, whether they are Republican, Democrat or Independent. We pray for our leaders, that You would give them wisdom, strength and a clear vision for the future of this nation. We know that all authority comes from you. You are a great God, and we ask that if it be Thy will, that You’ll restore America to greatness once again. We ask that You will unite our hearts. Bring us together, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all, and we pray this in the mighty name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, the King of kings and the Lord of lords. Amen.

PRAYER



THANK YOU!!!!

(From Pastor Bob)

A **BIG Thank You** to everyone who was able to give to the community-wide Hurricane Disaster Relief effort. All the items collected will go directly to people in need who are living in the hardest-hit areas of the Appalachian Mountains in the northwestern part of North Carolina.

When it comes to thanksgiving and thanks-living, God wants us to give of ourselves not until it hurts, but until it feels good. I, like you, find a great deal of satisfaction in being able to be a blessing to others, in response to all the ways God has richly blessed me/us.

Thank you for giving to the Lord!

“As you have done it unto the least of these, you have done it unto Me.”
Jesus (Matthew 25:40)

ALBION WOMEN OF THE WORD
OCTOBER 3, 2024
2:00 PM

Meeting was called to order by President, Jeri Hanson (13 Present)

Bible Study By: Tammy Springer opened with a devotional reading focusing on things of God that are lasting treasures rather than on money and our own satisfactions . The decision would be to focus our eyes on Jesus and God's lasting treasures.

Today we studied Revelations, Chapter 18. It was an eye opener chapter of how really ungodly this world will become and to keep our eyes on Babylon with many things happening there.

Treasurer's Report: The September, 2024, Treasurer's report was read and passed.

The revised Budget for 2025 was read and passed. Thank You cards were read from Wellspring and Beyond the Yellow Ribbon. Any monies left over from Budget 2024 will go to Samaritan's Purse designated to Hurricane Helene Relief.

Jean Knudson/Rae Goltz/M/S/P

Secretaries Report: The September minutes were read and passed.

Stewardship Report:

There are mission quilts that now need to be tied. We are also looking for ideas for new quilts to be made for the 2025 Bazaar. Please check out the several patterns that are available and a color design to go with each one. There is also a quilt up now for stitching.

Pastor's Report:

Remember to keep those on the prayer list or any shut-ins on your mind and prayers for a safe harvest..

10-11 is Day of Prayer for Nation and World.

10-12 Prayer gathering at Capital in St. Paul.

Reminder of the Little Red Schoolhouse fundraiser.

Pastors vacation to be re-arranged because of flooded areas.

Old Business/New Business:

We will discontinue contributing to those nursing homes where we do not have any members living.

Linda Larson/Kaydra Berlin M/S/P

Officers will remain the same. No need for an election. Thank You.

Christmas Shoeboxes will be a project again this year. Watch for the date in November when they will be gathered and sent. WOW will be paying the \$10 postage per box. Do not put any money in Box.

Christmas cookie time will happen again in December. Group A please bring for sharing, Group B please bring for fellowship, and Group C please help with packing for delivery.

Funeral Guidelines are to be written up and be a part of Newsletter in December.

Closed with the Lord's Prayer and meeting adjourned. M/S/P Darcy Mosenden & Jean Knudson.

Next WOW meeting is November 7 at 2:00. It is Thankoffering .

Table Prayer was said and Lunch served. Thank you Kaydra Berlin and Pat Hesse. They had wonderful desserts, breads, candy and nuts – Yum! Thank you

Sharon Lee, Secretary

John 9:58 Jesus answered, "The truth is, I existed before Abraham was even born!.

Happy Birthday
In November

- 8 Jean Knudson
- 15 Leland Froehling
- 16 Sherry Stark
- 17 20 Ana Parker
Tia Parker
- 28 Kaylor Chamberlain

NOVEMBER USHERS

Allan Lee
Nathan Frederickson
Mike Chamberlain

NOVEMBER WOW

Thank offering
IMPORTANT MEETING

Please come!!

HOSTESSES

Cindy Mosenden
Jean Knudson

ALTAR COMMITTEE

Gwen Rossbach
Nancy Rossbach

SNOW BLOWING SCHEDULE

(NO snow in November !!!
but JUST IN CASE)

NOVEMBER

Eric Knudson

DECEMBER

1-10 Nate Frederickson
11-20 Ron Aspelund
21-31 Wayne Shellum

JANUARY 2023

1-11 David Larson
12-21 Gary Parker
22-31 Chuck Parker



Thank You
So Much

**ADDRESSES FOR DONATIONS,
CONTRIBUTIONS, MEMORIALS**

Albion Lutheran Church
c/o Lisa Moldan
10454 250th Avenue
St James MN 56081

Albion Lutheran Cemetery
c/o Brian Olson
19182 Oak Shores Road
Hanska, MN 56041

Albion Women (WOW)
c/o Cindy Brekken
27595 State Highway 4
St. James, MN 56081



Sunday School
Sunday, December 15
9:00 AM

Program presented
During Worship time
Fellowship time and treats
to follow program!!
All are encouraged to come
and celebrate the
Season of our Lord's Birth.

**PROGRAM PRACTICE
DURING CLASS TIME:**

November 17 & 24
December 1 & 8
If needed: Wednesday, Dec. 11

**PLANNING AHEAD FOR
DECEMBER**

The Albion WOW
Annual Christmas Pot Luck

will be held on
Sunday, December 8th
Following the morning
worship

Please bring a dish to share
and come join us for
Food & fellowship.



THANK YOU -I would like to
thank all my friends and Pastor Bob
and Tammy for making my 90th
birthday so special. What a blessed
day. Thanks for all the phone calls
and beautiful cards and gifts. Also
thanks for the special card that was
signed by the church members.
Thanks to all the people who took
time out to come celebrate my 90th.
I am so thankful for all the blessings I
have. Thank you -JoAnn Anderson

VETERANS DAY

By Cheryl Dyson

On Veterans Day we honor all,
Who answered to a service call.
Soldiers young, and soldiers old,
Fought for freedom, brave and bold.
Some have lived, while others died,
And all of them deserve our pride.
We're proud of all the soldiers who,
Kept thinking of red, white and blue.
They fought for us and all our rights,
They fought through many days and nights.
And though we may not know each name,
We thank ALL veterans just the same.





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PASTOR ROBERT SPRINGER

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>SECRETARY CONTACT INFORMATION: Cindy Mosenden: 507-439-6380 or cindymos1@gmail.com 20894 CR 6, Hanska, MN 56041 Sunday bulletin information is due by Thursday noon. newsletter articles are due the 20th of the month.</p>						
<p>3 <u>All Saints Sunday</u> 9:00 AM Worship w/ Holy Communion 10:00 AM Fellowship 10:15 AM Sunday School</p>	<p>4 Sewing</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7 Sewing WOW—2 PM Important meeting</p>	<p>8</p>	<p>9</p>
<p>10 <u>25th Sunday after Pentecost</u> 9:00 AM Worship 10:00 AM Fellowship 10:15 AM Sunday School</p> <p>RADIO Sunday</p>	<p>11 Sewing</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13 7:30 PM Church Council</p>	<p>14 Sewing</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>
<p>17 <u>26th Sunday after Pentecost</u> 9:00 AM Worship 10:00 AM Fellowship 10:15 AM Sunday School</p> <p>Food Shelf Sunday</p>	<p>18 Sewing</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p>
<p>24 <u>Christ the King</u> 9:00 AM Worship 10:00 AM Fellowship 10:15 AM Sunday School</p> <p>Mission Sunday</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27 7:30 PM Thanksgiving Eve Worship NO Holy Communion</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p>


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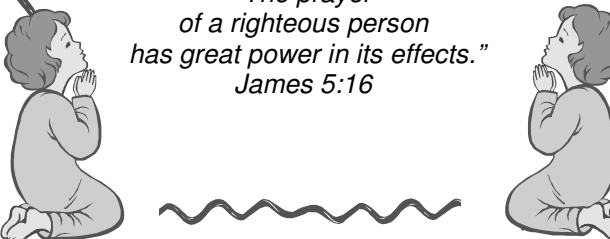
ALBION PRAYER CHAIN

If you have prayer concerns for a loved one, please call the pastor and he will notify the prayer chain leaders. If you cannot reach the pastor, call one of the leaders and they will notify the other leaders:

Pastor Bob: Cell: 507 381-0015

Cindy Mosenden: 507 439-6380
Janice Brekke: 507 439-6658

*"The prayer of a righteous person has great power in its effects."
James 5:16*

A graphic featuring two women kneeling in prayer, one on the left and one on the right, with their hands clasped in front of their faces. The graphic is framed by a wavy, decorative border.