

## DAY OF THANKSGIVING

Give Thanks . . . Not Just For, But To . . .

November 28, 2024 (Observed November 24, 2024)



We thank You, our Creator, for all things bright and good: The seedtime and the harvest, our life, our health, our food. Accept the gifts we offer for all Your love imparts; Accept what You most welcome: our humble, thankful hearts! All good gifts around us are sent from heav'n above; Then thank the Lord, O thank the Lord for all His love. *"We Plow the Fields and Scatter," st. 3*

### **Mount Hope Lutheran Church**

Sunday Service - 9:30am

Sunday Bible Study – after Service

Wednesday Bible Study – 10:30am

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### **Welcome! Members and Guests**

We are blessed to have you here today. Please fill out the Guest/Member Attendance Card located in the pew rack in front of you. Guests please include your full address, zip code, and phone number. The cards will be collected by the ushers early in the service. Prayer Requests cards are available in the pew racks and should be handed to the ushers when the attendance cards are collected.

### **Holy Communion**

The Lord's Supper is a sacrament in which Jesus' body and blood are given in and with the bread and wine for the forgiveness of sins (Matthew 26:26-30). When we receive the Holy Communion at a church, we are making a public statement that we agree with the teachings of that church (1 Corinthians 10:14-18). The Bible cautions us against receiving the body and blood of Christ in a manner that is spiritually harmful (1 Corinthians 11:27-29). Therefore, we invite to the Lord's Supper those who have been instructed and confirmed in the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod.

### **Large Print Bulletins**

Large print worship guides are available at the ushers' stand.

### **Listening Devices**

Listening devices are available; our ushers will be glad to assist you in signing one out for today's service.

### **Pew Cushions**

Pew cushions are available; our ushers will be glad to get them for you.

### **Wheelchair Accessible Seating**

Wheelchair seating is located in the fifth row from the front of the church on the left and right side of the center aisle.

### **Church Nursery**

Our Nursery is located in the Parlor, which is the first room next to the stained glass doors. The worship service can be heard in this room. The ushers can direct you to this room.

### **Our Divine Service, & Bible Studies**

Our Divine Service is held on Sundays at 09:30 a.m. Bible Study is held on Sundays after Service and Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

Our Bible studies are held Sep-May.

***Our Vision Statement: Revitalize Within—Reach Out!***

# PRELUDE

## THE RINGING OF THE BELLS

### PREPARATION

Pastor: At the corner of Hayden Hill and Walkley Hill roads in Haddam, Connecticut, stands the colonial home of one of the early resident families of that little town on the Connecticut River: the Thankful Arnold House. Now the location for the town's Historical Society, it is the home where Thankful Clark Arnold and her husband, Joseph, raised their twelve children, beginning in 1798. The house stayed in the family for over 150 years until a family member gifted it to the local community. At one time, "Thankful" was a proper and common name for girls and women. It served as a testimony to the goodness of God throughout that individual's life. In his "Song of Thanks" recorded in First Chronicles, King David exclaimed "Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon His name; make known His deeds among the peoples!" (16:8). No matter what personal name we may carry throughout our lives, we can individually express our great thankfulness to God for all the blessings that we receive day by day and season after season.

(Please stand)

### ✠ PREPARATION ✠

## INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of  
the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**People: Amen.**

## OPENING SENTENCES

*Psalm 54:6; 79:13; 136:1; 145:10*

Pastor: Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good,

**People: for His steadfast love endures forever.**

Pastor: All Your works shall give thanks to You, O Lord,

**People: and all Your saints shall bless You!**

Pastor: I will give thanks to Your name, O Lord, for it is  
good.

**People: We, Your people, the sheep of Your pasture,  
will give thanks to You forever; from generation  
to generation we will recount Your praise.**

## HYMN

“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come” *LSB* 892 vs 3

**For the Lord, our God, shall come**

**And shall take His harvest home**

**From His field shall in that day**

**All offenses purge away**

**Give His angels charge at last**

**In the fire the tares to cast**

**But the fruitful ears to store**

**In His garner evermore**

(Please be seated or kneel, as you are able, for the confession and  
absolution)

## **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION** *1 John 1:9, adapt.*

Pastor: I will go to the altar of God,

**People: to God my exceeding joy.**

Pastor: If we confess our sins, our God is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

**People: Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.**

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God, our gracious Father.

**People: Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, creator of all things, we confess that we are indeed sin-filled people. We are by nature sinful, and sin is present in our lives each day, in thought, word, and deed. We know that have done the evil You forbid and have not done the good You require of us. We have not always lived lives that reflect thankfulness to You, the giver of all that is good. We do repent and are truly sorry for our sins. Have mercy on us because of Jesus, our Lord, who is the source of our salvation. Grant that, by the working of the Holy Spirit, we may live faithfully and with great gratitude here on earth until that time beyond time when we rejoice together in Your eternal presence.**

Pastor: Our God has promised to hear us and to grant forgiveness to those who repent of their sins and turn to Him for His grace and mercy. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the X Son and of the Holy Spirit. May you be kept

steadfast in the Holy Spirit, living each day in thankfulness to God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**People: Amen.**

(Please be seated)

## **HYMN**

*“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come” LSB 892 vs 4*

**Even so, Lord, quickly come to  
Thy final harvest home  
Gather Thou Thy people in  
Free from sorrow, free from sin  
There forever purified  
In Thy garner to abide  
Come with all Thine angels, come  
Raise the glorious harvest home**

## **PRAYER**

Pastor: Let us pray.

Almighty and eternal God, we adore You as the God and Father of our Lord and Savior Jesus, and with the whole church on earth and all the hosts of heaven we ascribe to You honor and blessing, thanksgiving and praise. Grant that we may with thankful hearts receive Your great mercies and express our gratitude, not only with our lips but also in our lives as we give ourselves to Your service and walk before You in holiness and righteousness all our days. Grant us faith that works in love, hope that never disappoints, kindness that never fails, confidence in You that

never wavers, patience that does not grow weary, and courage always ready to confess Christ, that we may live in Your mercy and die in Your peace; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**People: Amen.**

## **SEQUENCE OF THANKS**

Pastor: Often in conjunction with the celebration of a Day of Thanksgiving, people individually express that for which they are thankful. A thankful remembrance can well be a blessing. Most important, however, is that proper thanks be directed to the source of every blessing—to our gracious God. The sacred writer of the book of Lamentations reminds us, ***“The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; His mercies never come to an end”*** (3:22). As those who confess the triune God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—it is well that we direct our thanks to each person of the blessed Trinity, beginning with God the Father, our creator and preserver. After listing some of the dynamics of God’s bounty in the “what does this mean” response to the First Article of the Creed, Martin Luther concludes, ***“For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him”*** (LSB, p. 322).

## **HYMN (We read verses)**

**“Gracious God, You Send Great Blessings”** *LSB 782* vs 1 & 2

**Gracious God You send great blessing  
New each morning all our days  
For Your mercies never ending  
For Your love we offer praise**

**Lord we pray that we Your people  
Who Your gifts unnumbered claim  
Through the sharing of Your blessing  
May bring glory to Your name**

(Please stand)

**✠ WORD ✠**

## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**Pastor:** Let us pray.

Almighty God, Your mercies are new every morning and You graciously provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may acknowledge Your goodness, give thanks for Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience all our days; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**People:** Amen.

(Please be seated)



**OLD TESTAMENT READING** *Deuteronomy 8:1–10*

“The whole commandment that I command you today you shall be careful to do, that you may live and multiply, and go in and possess the land that the Lord swore to give to your fathers. And you shall remember the whole way that the Lord your God has led you these forty years in the wilderness, that he might humble you, testing you to know what was in your heart, whether you would keep his commandments or not. And he humbled you and let you hunger and fed you with manna, which you did not know, nor did your fathers know, that he might make you know that man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord. Your clothing did not wear out on you and your foot did not swell these forty years. Know then in your heart that, as a man disciplines his son, the Lord your God disciplines you. So you shall keep the commandments of the Lord your God by walking in his ways and by fearing him. For the Lord your God is bringing you into a good land, a land of brooks of water, of fountains and springs, flowing out in the valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, a land in which you will eat bread without scarcity, in which you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron, and out of whose hills you can dig copper. And you shall eat and be full, and you shall bless the Lord your God for the good land he has given you.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

## SPECIAL MUSIC

“Give Thanks”

Sung by the Choir

### **EPISTLE** *Philippians 4:6–20*

do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you. I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at length you have revived your concern for me. You were indeed concerned for me, but you had no opportunity. Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content. I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. I can do all things through him who strengthens me. Yet it was kind of you to share my trouble. And you Philippians yourselves know that in the beginning of the gospel, when I left Macedonia, no church entered into partnership with me in giving and receiving, except you only. Even in Thessalonica you sent me help for my needs once and again. Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the fruit that increases to your credit.

I have received full payment, and more. I am well supplied, having received from Epaphroditus the gifts you sent, a fragrant offering, a sacrifice acceptable and pleasing to God. And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus. To our God and Father be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

(Please stand)

**GRADUAL** *Psalm 145:15–16; 118:1*

Pastor: The eyes of all look to You, O Lord,

**People: and You give them their food in due season.**

Pastor: You open Your hand

**People: and satisfy the desire of every living thing.**

Pastor: Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good;

**People: His steadfast love endures forever.**

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventeenth chapter.

**People: (sing) Glory to You, O Lord.**

**HOLY GOSPEL** *Luke 17:11–19*

On the way to Jerusalem he was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. And as he entered a village, he was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance and lifted up their voices, saying, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us.” When he saw them he said to them, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went they were cleansed. Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud

voice; and he fell on his face at Jesus' feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. Then Jesus answered, "Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" And he said to him, "Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well."

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**People:** (sing) **Praise to You, O Christ.**

(Please be seated)

## **PRAYER REQUESTS & ATTENDANCE CARDS**

Please pass your prayer requests and yellow attendance cards to the individual sitting nearest the aisle and the usher will collect them during the singing of the hymn of the day.

## **HYMN OF THE DAY**

"We Praise You, O God" *LSB 785*

**We praise You O God our Redeemer Creator  
In grateful devotion our tribute we bring  
We lay it before You we kneel and adore You  
We bless Your holy name glad praises we sing**

**We worship You God of our fathers we bless You  
Through trial and tempest our guide You have been  
When perils o'er take us You will not forsake us  
And with Your help O Lord our struggles we win**

**With voices united our praises we offer  
And gladly our songs of thanksgiving we raise  
With You Lord beside us Your strong arm will guide us  
To You our great Redeemer forever be praise**

## ++ SERMON ++

### Give Thanks: Not Just For, but To---à

Luke 17:11–19 (The Gospel Lesson)

(POSSIBLY IN THE EYES OF ANDREW, BROTHER TO PETER)

#### Outline

Plot Step 1: These lepers whom Jesus sent away to the priests—was he refusing to heal them?

Plot Step 2: No, he healed them all, and off they went to give a thanks offering to God.

Plot Step 3: Well, all but one—a Samaritan!—who came back and praised Jesus as God!

Plot Step 4: Only later, when Jesus rose, did I get that these healings were a result of him dying to remove our sin.

Plot Step 5: So in all circumstances, we ought to thank Jesus for every blessing his cross earned, even little ones.

Plot Step 6: In the end, Jesus told the Samaritan—and he tells you—“Your faith has saved you.”

**“Thank You, Master! Thank You, Jesus!”**

(Please stand)

#### CREEDAL HYMN

“We All Believe in One True God” *LSB* 953

**We all believe in one true God**

**Father, Son and Holy Ghost**

**Ever present help in need**

**Praised by all the heav'nly host**

**All He made His love enfolds**

**All creation He upholds**

**We all believe in Jesus Christ  
 Son of God and Mary's son  
 Who descended from His throne  
 And for us salvation won  
 By whose cross and death are we  
 Rescued from all misery**

**We all confess the Holy Ghost  
 Who from both in truth proceeds  
 Who sustains and comforts us  
 In all trials, fears, and needs  
 Blest and holy Trinity  
 Praise forever be to Thee**

(Please be seated or kneel, as you are able, for the Prayers of the Church)

## **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**Pastor:** Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs, giving thanks to the Lord, for He is good. Gracious God, gratefully we remember Your bountiful gifts to all of us. We remember Your many acts of kindness to Your people through all ages. We bless You for the orderly progression of the seasons and thank You for the bountiful harvest of the fruits of the earth. We thank You,

**People: for Your steadfast love endures forever.**

**Pastor:** Let us pray for the church, here and around the world, giving thanks for the joyful message of the Gospel as it is faithfully proclaimed from generation to generation. Almighty God, we thank You for the church, where Your Holy Spirit gathers

us as Your people to receive Your gifts and celebrate Your goodness. Bless the work of missionaries, teachers, health workers, and all others who give witness to Your unchanging love. We thank You,

**People: for Your steadfast love endures forever.**

Pastor: Let us pray for the world in which we live, giving thanks for the amazing place in which we live and asking that we may readily share the bounty we receive from the hand of the Lord. Caring God, we thank You for the world in which we live as together we pray for the community of nations around the globe. Continue to give us all things needful and grant that we may be good stewards of the earth. Grant that our homes be places of love and care and our neighborhoods be centers of welcome and compassion. We thank You,

**People: for Your steadfast love endures forever.**

Pastor: Let us pray for those people who are blessings to us in our homes, in our communities, and beyond, remembering our local emergency workers, our national defenders, and the many workers in the agricultural fields across our nation and beyond. Giver of all good gifts, we thank You for the faithful labor of people living out their vocations for our welfare. Bless the military forces of our nation, those stationed both at home and abroad, who selflessly serve to defend our nation in challenging times and who guarantee our safety in times of peace.

We remember those whose labor brings a rich variety of food to our tables in this and in every season. We thank You,

**People: for Your steadfast love endures forever.**

Pastor: Let us pray for those with special needs for compassion at this time, that they may know the care of the Lord and our care as well. Let us also bring thankfully to mind those who have completed their earthly journey and now rejoice in the Lord's eternal kingdom. Lord of time and of eternity, we remember in our petitions those with special concerns and needs including the ill, the hospitalized, and the homebound,  
 .....those who sorrow, the unemployed and underemployed. Grant that we find purpose and blessing in assisting those who need our concern and our care. On this observance Day of Thanksgiving, we also recall those no longer among us on earth, who now rejoice in the glorious light of Your heavenly kingdom. May we be inspired by their faithful witness and seek to be Your agents of blessing during our earthly lives as we look forward to that time when we rejoice together and give You eternal thanks and praise. We thank You,

**People: for Your steadfast love endures forever. Lord, in Your mercy, hear our prayer. Amen.**

(Please be seated)

**OFFERING**



## OFFERTORY HYMN

“Take My Life and Let It Be” LSB 784 1-3

**Take my life and let it be  
Consecrated Lord to Thee  
Take my moments and my days  
Let them flow in ceaseless praise  
Let them flow in ceaseless praise**

**Take my hands and let them move  
At the impulse of Thy Love  
Take my feet and let them be  
Swift and beautiful for Thee  
Swift and beautiful for Thee**

**Take my voice and let me sing  
Always only for my King  
Take my lips and let them be  
Filled with messages from Thee  
Filled with messages from Thee**

## ✠ SACRAMENT ✠

### **PREFACE** *2 Timothy 4:22*

**Pastor:** The Lord be with you.

**People:** And also with you.

**Pastor:** Lift up your hearts.

**People:** We lift them to the Lord.

**Pastor:** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People:** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

(Please stand)

## **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, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. 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** *(we sing) LSB 195*

**Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth  
Heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory  
Hosanna, Hosanna  
Hosanna in the highest  
Blessed is He, Blessed is He  
Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord  
Hosanna, Hosanna  
Hosanna in the highest**

## **LORD'S PRAYER** *Matthew 6:9–13*

**People: 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.**

## THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

*Matthew 26:26–28; Mark 14:22–24; Luke 22:19–20; 1 Corinthians 11:23–25*

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 X 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 X blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”**

## PAX DOMINI

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: Amen.

## AGNUS DEI (Sung) LSB 198

**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God that takest away the sin of the world have mercy upon us**

**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us**

**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.**

(Please be seated)

## **DISTRIBUTION HYMN**

**“Praise and Thanksgiving”** *LSB* 789

**Praise and thanksgiving Father we offer  
For all things living Created good  
Harvest of sown fields Fruits of the orchard  
Hay from the mown fields Blossom and wood**

**Bless Lord the labor We bring to serve You  
That with our neighbor We may be fed  
Sowing or tilling We would work with You  
Harvesting milling For daily bread**

**Father providing Food for Your children  
By Your wise guiding Teach us to share  
One with another So that rejoicing  
With us all other May know Your care**

(Please stand)

## **THE POST-DISTRIBUTION BLESSING**

**Pastor:** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus strengthen  
and preserve you in body and soul to life  
everlasting.

**People:** (spoken) **Amen**

## **THE NUNC DIMITTIS** (we sing) *TLH* p. 29-30

**Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant  
depart in peace according to Thy word,  
for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,  
which Thou hast prepared before the face  
of all people, a light to lighten the  
Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel.  
Glory be to the Father and to the Son  
and to the Holy Ghost;**

## POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Let us bless God together.

**People: My soul, give thanks to the Lord; all my being, bless His holy name. My soul, give thanks to the Lord, and never forget all His blessings. It is He who forgives all your guilt, who heals every one of your ills, who redeems your life from the grave, who crowns you with love and compassion, and who fills your life with good things. Give thanks to the Lord, all His works, in every place where He rules. My soul, give thanks to the Lord! Give praise to the Father Almighty, to His Son, Jesus Christ, the Lord, and to the Spirit who dwells in our hearts both now and forever. Amen.**

## SEQUENCE OF THANKS

Pastor: As God's thankful people, we praise God the Son for His work of redemption and for His blessed example of giving thanks. In the familiar **"Words of Our Lord"** at the time of Holy Communion, we are reminded that when Jesus was at the Table with the disciples in the Upper Room on the night He was betrayed, He gave thanks. Jesus gave thanks as part of His worship life, and He lived His daily life with gratefulness, interacting graciously with friends and followers alike. Also we give thanks to the Holy Spirit, who dwells in our hearts and who richly and daily blesses God's people with priceless gifts that strengthen our fellowship on earth and give us a foretaste of heaven.

## HYMN

“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come” *LSB* 892 vs 1 & 2

**Come, ye thankful people come  
Raise the song of harvest home  
All be safely gathered in  
Ere the winter storms begin  
God, our maker doth provide  
For our wants to be supplied  
Come to God's own temple, come  
Raise the song of harvest home**

**All the world is God's own field  
Fruit unto His praise to yield  
Wheat and tares together sown  
Unto joy or sorrow grown  
First the blade and then the ear  
Then the full corn shall appear  
Lord of harvest, grant that we  
Whole-some grain and pure may be**

## PRAYER

Pastor: Let us pray.

Almighty God, You crown the fields with Your blessing and permit us to gather the fruits of the earth. As stewards of Your creation, may we receive Your gifts in humble thankfulness and share Your bounty with those in need; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**People: Amen.**

**BENEDICTION** *Numbers 6:24–26*

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.

**People: Amen.**

**HYMN**

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer” LSB 918

**Guide me O Thou great Redeemer  
 Pilgrim through this barren land  
 I am weak but Thou art mighty  
 Hold me with Thy pow’rful hand  
 Bread of heaven bread of heaven  
 Feed me till I want no more  
 Feed me till I want no more**

**Open now the crystal fountain  
 Whence the healing stream doth flow  
 Let the fiery cloudy pillar  
 Lead me all my journey through  
 Strong deliv’rer strong deliv’rer  
 Be Thou still my strength and shield  
 Be Thou still my strength and shield**

**When I tread the verge of Jordan  
 Bid my anxious fears subside  
 Death of death and hell’s destruction  
 Land me safe on Canaan’s side  
 Songs of praises songs of praises  
 I will ever give to Thee  
 I will ever give to Thee**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### THOSE SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE

Rev. Paul Pollatz, Pastor

Marie Brown, Organist

Ken Kosmalski, Elder

Carolyn Kimbrough, Reader

Bill Switter, Dave Brown & Kathy King, Ushers

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Senior Luncheon

**When:** Tuesday December 17<sup>th</sup> @ 1pm

**Where:** Logan's Steak House in Westland

Call Ruth to confirm

### Decorating the Church

Saturday November 30<sup>th</sup> at 9am

### Advent Potluck

December 1<sup>st</sup> right after service

Sign up sheet in the Narthex.



New, Unwrapped children's toys or books  
Box out in the Narthex until **December 12<sup>th</sup>**

### Community Service Opportunity

Donations of Cereal Boxes for Blessed Hope.

Please place cereal in grey box by the mailboxes.



## BINGO!

December 18<sup>th</sup> 6pm to 8pm

Bring a friend

## Quilting

Every Thursday from 10am to 2pm

### Attendance

Saturday November 16<sup>th</sup> 5:00pm 5

Sunday November 17<sup>th</sup> 9:30 am 29

### Prayer List

**If sudden illness or the need for immediate prayers occurs, please feel free to contact Nancy Dajos at 313-254-2437.** Prayer requests will remain on the list for two weeks.

### Anniversary

### Birthdays

### For the Shut-Ins

*Louis Bigliardi, Assistant Living*

*Joan Hafkesbrink, at Beaumont Commons*

*Dorothy MacTavish, at home*

*Camell Faulk, at home*

*Phyllis Witte, at Aerius Health Center*

*Melvin Kimbrough, at home*

*Lynn Mayfield, at home*

### For Those Who Are Sick or Healing

**Mary Newton, friend of Pollatz, inoperable cancer**

**Megan & Nathan,** daughter & son in law to Cherly Smith, health and employment issues.

**Bill Morrison,** Sandy Cairns' father, now at home

**Prayers for Tonya, Karson, Mick, Kevin, Robert**

**Wilson & Family,** for safe travel, health and most of all – faith

**Christian Warden**, Prayers for healing  
**Barabra**, Frank's sister, internal shingles  
**Gary Mason**, continuing health concerns  
**Stanley Faulk**, Camell Faulk's son, cancer

## WEEKLY ACTIVITIES AT MOUNT HOPE

Sunday November 24	9:30am – Worship w/HC Bible Study after Service
Wednesday November 27	NO Bible Study
Thursday November 28	Office Closed NO Quilting
Friday November 29	Office Closed
Saturday November 30	5pm Saturday Service
Sunday December 1	1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday in Advent 9:30am – Worship w/HC Advent Potluck after service

# **Youth Group Fundraiser**

**There's still some left....**

**\*Please see the giving board in the narthex. \***  
**Donations will be for LCMS 2025 Youth Gathering in**  
**New Orleans, LA**

## **Here's how to donate**

- 1. Pick a numbered envelope.**
- 2. Donate a minimum of that amount**

**Example 1: Picked #1**

**Donate a minimum of \$1**

**Example 2: Picked #33**

**Donate a minimum of \$33**

**Please fill out your name and place it in the  
collection plate.**