



HOLY SPIRIT
Lutheran Church
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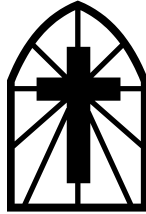
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Worship Assistants for Oct 2022

<u>Date</u>	<u>Asst. Minister</u>	<u>Psalm Reader</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Counters</u>
Oct 2	Alan S.		Gary P.	Devine/Pysher
Oct 9	Rebecca Y.	Taylor J.	Alan S./Alan D.	Christensen/Joshi
Oct 16	Greg C.	Tony H.	The Colahans	The Colahans
Oct 23	Dawn G.	Mackay G.	The Klines	Downey/Deemer
Oct 30	Meghan G.	Maddie G.	The Colahans	The Colahans
Altar – Volunteers				

HOLY SPIRIT LUTHERAN CHURCH is a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America.

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SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

Sunday School for All - 2nd & 4th Sundays at 11:30a.m. (Sept – May)

Worship Service – 10:15a.m.

Church office hours – Monday thru Thursday – 9:00A.M. – 2:00P.M.

Rev. Rachel Scheible –Pastor

Samuel Stevenson – Director of Music

Jeanne Warner – Office Secretary

Nancy Harris – Teacher – Pre-K

Colleen Hall – Teaching Asst – Pre-K

Shelly Avila – Teacher – PS & MMO

Michelle Bracken – Asst. – PS & MMO

Our Mission

Know Christ! Grow! Spread God's Love!



He was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." He said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread and forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial."So I say to you, ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Luke 11

Jesus taught his disciples to pray, and his own constancy in prayer is a testament to its importance in our lives. Prayer does not need to be eloquent to fulfill its purpose in seeking relationship with God. We pray knowing that God hears our words, whether through tears, our singing, or our sighs.

We are invited to pray because that is how our relationship with God is nourished and strengthened. We speak our concerns and listen for God's word. Listening in silence is challenging amid the noise of our environment, and silence is a rare and fleeting experience. However, it is great to discover in our relationships that being together in silence provides for powerful connection and deeper understanding.

In teaching us to pray, Jesus has given us a gift that invites us to bring our cares and desires to a loving God, with the assurance that God knows us and hears our prayers.

"Father, we thank you for your generous love for us, and for your invitation to come to you with the confidence that you hear our needs and those of all who call upon you. We pray in the name of Christ. Amen."

Pastor Rachel



If travels keep you away on Sunday, join virtually thru Facebook Live . Weekly bulletin can be found on the website: holyspiritsecane.org.



FRIDAY FUN NIGHTS - Our Friday Fun Nights for fall will be **10/7, 11/4 and 12/2**. We gather from **6:30-7:30pm** and ask for a monetary donation. For October fun we will be painting pumpkins.

ANNUAL BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS – Oct 2nd at **10:15** worship. Bring you furry companion or a picture of your loved pet to church on St. Francis of Assisi Sunday. All animals will be blessed as we give thanks to God for the love and joy they bring to our lives.

COFFEE HOUR–Oct 16th sponsored by Fellowship.

USHERS – Please plan to meet with Pastor after worship on **Oct 16th** for short informational meeting. Your attendance will help Pastor.

COUNCIL MEETING – **Tuesday, Oct 18th**

DELAWARE CONFERENCE MEETING – **Oct 24th at 6:30pm** and service activity together at St. Matthews Lutheran Church Springfield, 400 Lynbrook Rd. This is our yearly gathering of Lutheran representatives in Delaware County.

LIFE LINE SCREENING – **Monday, October 24th 9:00am-5:30pm** at Holy Spirit in the hall. Sponsored by Nova Vascular Specialists, LLC. To register for your appointment and to receive the special discount, please call 1-800-324-1851 or visit LLSA.SOCIAL/HS

REFORMATION SUNDAY – **Sunday, October 30th Breakfast Service**. Wear your **red!!**



TRUNK OR TREAT – **October 30th 11:30am-12:30pm** in the parking lot. Please bring treats for the trick-n-treaters! Please contribute a canned or boxed food item for Ridley Park Food Pantry.

SUNDAY SCHOOL - Sunday School Returns! Plan to stay after church on the **2nd and 4th Sunday of each month**, for a God's take moment. We will meet at **11:30** for Bible discovery, and singing. All ages are welcome.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Teacher</u>
10/9	Pastor Rachel
10/23	Debbie Gruler
11/13	Katie Gerakaris
11/27	Pastor Rachel
12/11	Meghan Gordon

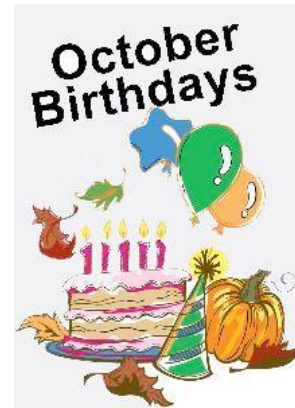


NURSERY SCHOOL TEACHERS –

Would like to thank all who purchased books for our school and for the beautiful flowers we received.

CLEAN-UP BUCKETS - I want to thank everyone who purchased items for the clean-up buckets and those who helped fill them during our church picnic. Also thank you to Denise for obtaining the buckets for us. We had to collect the donations differently for this outreach activity and I appreciate the support we received for the project. We were able to successfully fill 12 buckets with the necessary supplies. They will be taken to a designated Lutheran Church that will get them to the areas where they are needed. Thanks again for helping with this outreach program for “God’s Work, Our Hands” Sunday. Barbara Saporetti

CAADC - Thank you for your great generosity! We at the Life Center greatly appreciate your donation and your sacrifice. Your support helps to further execute our mission on feeding the homeless population. Feeding and caring for the homeless population is only possible because of your donation. It takes a village to end the vicious cycle of homelessness. Thank you again for your past, present and future support. Antoinette Holmes, MS Shelter Director



Erik Christensen 10/1
Sandy Heacock 10/1
Tim Harris 10/7
Mikey Gordon 10/8
Frank Taddie 10/12
Shairee Stevenson 10/12
Nancy Harris 10/15
Joan Chaykun 10/18
Bonnie Saporetti 10/20
Matt Jones 10/20
Bryce Shyroch 10/21
Liliana Hernandez 10/22
Ed Shoup 10/22
Linda Vosheski 10/24
Haley McMenamin 10/24
Diane Kuhn 10/28



*Joe Monte
Linda Taddie
Lisa McDonough
Hugh Mullarkey
Jean Brown
Betty Lake
Anne Rainsford
Gary Wilkinson
Christine Abate
Joanne Warshaw
Jackie DeWitt
Ruth Dukes*

*Janet Pisano
Jackie Dewitt
Larry Poff
Dennis Matarese
Gary Kline
Ed Shoup
Caroline Irwin
Victor Klein
Lou Vallies
Mariann Trice
Ann Ferguson*



GIFT CARD BASKET ONLINE RAFFLE

Holy Spirit will be hosting an online gift card raffle beginning October 19 and running through November 16. This raffle will replace the Pumpkin Patch and Craft/Vendor Show which we have held in previous years.

The basket to be raffled will be a large selection of gift cards from local supermarkets, department stores and restaurants.

The raffle will be advertised online through Facebook, the church's website and any other social media outlet (twitter, Instagram, etc.) that we can utilize.

Tickets for the raffle will be \$10 dollars a ticket or 3 for \$25 and we will be using Venmo to collect the funds. Participants will also be able to pay via cash or check by leaving money or a check at the church office, in an envelope marked Gift Card Raffle.

In order for this event to be successful we need to reach out to as many people as possible. We encourage everyone to pass this information to family, friends and neighbors. There will be flyers available by Oct. 19. It would be especially helpful for everyone to spread the word through social media. The more people we can spread the word to the better we will do.

Additionally, if anyone is interested in donating money in order for Bill/Cyndi to purchase additional gift cards for the raffle, please either hand it to them or leave it in the church office in an envelope marked Gift Card Raffle. Please make any monetary contributions by Sunday, October 16, so we can finalize the basket.

Thank you very much for your continued support of the Holy Spirit Fundraising Events.

Cyndi and Bill Kline



ALL SAINTS DAY – Sunday, November 6th. Every year we read the names of our deceased loved ones and light candles. Please submit the names of a loved one you would like remembered on this day. Call or leave them in the office no later than Monday, Nov 2nd. In addition, we invite you to bring a 5 x 7 or smaller framed picture of your loved one to sit on the altar table.

ALTAR FLOWERS - THANK YOU everyone who signed up to sponsor altar flowers. Please see flower chart is located on the bulletin board in Social Hall.

BULLETIN FOLDERS –We have beautiful, colorful bulletin folders every Sunday. The bulletin folders are only \$8.00. Sign up with dedication in front hallway. See chart for open dates.

SMILE.AMAZON.COM – Starting your Christmas shopping yet? Placing an order on Amazon? Enter Smile.amazon.com and select “Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Holy Spirit” as your charity. Holy Spirit will get ½ of 1% of your purchase.



Fall is upon us and this is a beautiful time of the year. Fellowship is happy to be doing the breakfast again during the service. Our next one will be October 30th, please come and join us. We do need some volunteers to help us serve this fine meal, please let us know if you can help.

Also, if anyone is interested in helping with the Homeless Meal and other meals that we do: please let someone on the Fellowship know. We are always looking for help and new ideas.

We all know that this is the start of the busy season for all us but please remember that God is always here for us. We need to take time out of our busy schedules to thank Him all that He has done for us.

Everyone enjoy this fall season and have a Happy & Safe Halloween.

Nancy Hooper



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	1 10:00am AA (Hall) 11:00am DA (Mtg Rm)
2 10:15am Worship Blessing of Pets	3 6:30pm G/S (Mtg Rm)	4	5 7:30pm AA (Hall)	6 7:00pm AA (Hall)	7 7:00pm FFF (Hall) 7:30pm AA (Mtg Rm)	8 10:00am AA (Hall) 11:00am DA (Mtg Rm)
9 10:15am Worship 11:30am Sunday School	10 6:30pm G/S (Mtg Rm) 7:00pm Ridley Dems (Hall)	11	12 6:30pm G/S (Mtg Rm) 7:30pm AA (Hall)	13 7:00pm AA (Hall)	14 7:30pm AA (Mtg Rm)	15 10:00am AA (Hall) 11:00am DA (Mtg Rm)
16 10:15am Worship Coffee Hour Usher Mtg	17 6:30pm G/S (Mtg Rm)	18 7:00pm Council Mtg	19 7:30pm AA (Hall)	20 7:00pm AA (Hall)	21 7:30pm AA (Mtg Rm)	22 10:00am AA (Hall) 11:00am DA (Mtg Rm)
23 10:15am Worship 11:30am Sunday School	24 9:00am Life Line Screening (Hall) 6:30pm G/S (Mtg Rm) 6:30pm Del. Conf	25	26 6:30pm G/S (Mtg Rm) 7:30pm AA (Hall)	27 7:00pm AA (Hall)	28 7:30pm AA (Mtg Rm)	29 10:00am AA (Hall) 11:00am DA (Mtg Rm)
30 Reformation 10:15am Breakfast Service 11:30am Trunk Or Treat	31 					