

NEW LIFE

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Sunday's Cool @ 9:15 am • Worship @ 8:00 am & 10:30 am



*An emerging ministry of
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The Lifeline

Mark Your Calendars

Thursday, November 1st

Property Meeting

Sundays, November 4th, 11th, 18th & 25th

LYO - Lutheran Youth Organization - Lunch

Mondays November 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th

Modified Yoga @ 6pm

Houseband Practice

Tuesdays, November 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th

Quilting Workshop

Wed., November 7th, 14th & 31st

Confirmation

Choir Practice

Sunday, November 4th

All Saints Sunday

Wednesday, November 7th

Seniors (55+) Lunch

Thursday, October 11th

Bazaar Meeting

GLOW Meeting

Saturday, November 10th

KPB - Community CleanUp & Recycle

Sunday, November 11th

Confirmation Sunday/Veterans Day Breakfast

NOISY OFFERING - Wounded Warriors

Monday, November 12th

Church Council

Wednesday, November 14th

WELCA Lunch @ King's Buffet (528)

Friday, November 16th

WOW (Women of Worth) "Friendsgiving"

Sunday, November 18th

WELCA Thanksoffering

Tuesday, November 20th

Men's Night Out

Wednesday, November 21st

Mary Martha Bible Study

Thursday, November 22nd

THANKSGIVING

Sunday, November 25th

Christ the King

Monday, November 26th

Men in Mission (Texans vs. Titans)

December 1st

Greening of the Church

November 2018

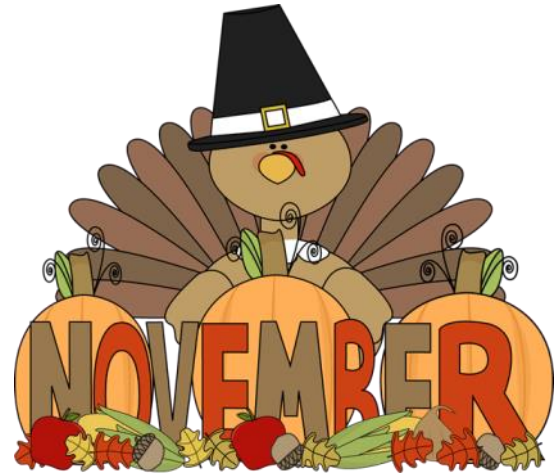


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PASTOR'S PONDERINGS...

...for people like us ... in times like this...

"7 THINGS I'M THANKFUL FOR"

Dear friends and followers @ New Life,
The month of November ends via an official national holiday.
Christians are thankful everyday, but Our nation sets aside 1 day for everyone else to join us. Here's what I'm thankful for in 2018:

1. For family in which I was raised ...

We are all where we are today because our parents or guardians raised us. For better or worse! Hopefully, we have taken all the positive lessons from them and are applying them to our lives.

2. For the family I'm part of now...

If you are married and have children, be thankful for the blessing of your family. If you are single, be thankful for parents, aunts, uncles, and grandparents. I have aunts, an uncle & lots of cousins.

3. For my friends...

The older I get the fewer friends I have. But, they are great friends! True friends encourage us, motivate us, and push us to do better. Take time to call yours and thank them for all the great things they have done. Show your gratitude by also being a great friend to others.

4. For the roof over my head...

In my adult life, I have had 18 addresses from college to this Fall! If you have a home, be thankful you have a place to rest and relax. Hopefully, your home is also a place of safety and encouragement. I've used my home to welcome others... as all of us are called to be 'hospitable!'

5. For laughter...

Laughter is a gift from God which can bring great joy. Be thankful for the laughter of children, a spouse, friends and a good clean joke! Don't forget not to take yourself TOO, TOO seriously!

6. For the freedoms I have...

We have so many freedoms other countries do not have, and it has cost some men and women their lives. This freedom continues to cost others time away from family and bodily injuries. Take time today to say "thank you" to someone who helped or is helping protect those freedoms.

7. For those who have made a positive impact in my life...

All of us have had people in our lives who have impacted us in a positive way! It may be a teacher, coach, pastor, youth worker, Sunday school teacher, and, hopefully, family members. Be thankful these people were placed in your life and give to others as they have given to you.

The Bible says, '*give thanks to God in all things!*'
God looks over you as you make your list!

Brian



*We give thanks for the
life, faith and love of:*



From All Saints 11/05/2017 to All Saints 11/04/2018

Baptisms:

9/02/2018	Reagan Peterson	3/29/2018	Liberty JoAnn (Moody) Schroder
9/02/2018	Mika Taylor Reed	3/39/2018	Porsha Rose (Moody) Schroder
6/10/2018	Rannie Lee Daughtery	3/29/2018	Emily Alise Weber
6/10/2018	Sonny Boy Beltran Jr.	3/29/2018	Jocelyn Paige Weber
6/10/2018	Sabestian Lee Pompa	3/11/2018	Lucas Miller Bradford
3/29/2018	Molly June Gunter	11/26/2017	Lena Claire Roszak

New Life Members now part of the Church Triumphant:

9/10/2018	Tim Hurlbut	6/29/2018	Carolyn Burt
7/23/2018	Pete Brumfield	6/11/2018	Brigett Rea Yurttas-Childs
7/5/2018	Fred Buckels		

Saints Remembered by New Life Members:

Christi Abarca, Belinda Aguero, Terry & Mary Anderson, Maralla Angeli, Barbara June Armstrong, DeWitt & Dortha Barron, Bubba Bass, Thomas Broulland, Brittany Brown, Dustin Brown, Rex & Juanita Brown, Vera Brown, Pete & Anyes Brumfield, Fred & Erna Buckels, Carylon B. Burt, Jean Campbell, John D. and Van Campbell, Emilia Cantu, Felicita Cantu, Ruby Castillo, Amelia Cavazos, Joe Cavazos, Jose Cavazos, Terri Cheatwood, Mitchell Cheney, Brigett Rea Yurttas-Childs, Virginia Clare (Weston) Daugherty, Joe Cope, Ray San Ford Daugherty, Bart Henry & Nora DeTienne, Ed & Madeleine DeWeese, Arnhild & Peter Drosdal, Sandra Farris, Alan Vincent Fuller, Marie Gabaldon, Edward Garret, Mishelle Garrett, Rudolph & Frances Gestl, Howard & Doris Gige, Eugene Good, Wilton & Helen Grieger, Jennifer Hernandez, Bill & Mara Lou Hill, Ed & Hettie Hohmann, Arnold & Cleo Homerstad, Tim Hurlbut, Maria Elena Jiminez, Christy Johnson, Linda Kiser, Carl & Irene Kroger, Carlton Kroger, Buck & Gloria Landrum, Ernie Landrum, Phillip Landrum, LaVonne Larson, Bobbie G. Lott, Cecil B. Lott, Della Lott, Mary Martinez, Valentin Martinez, Dr. Fred Meuser, Lonnie Meyers, Mildred Meyers, Jerry Paul Migl, Harold Miller, Rebecca Miller, Charles Mitchell, Zetta Palmer, Ruby Phenix, Patricia Pineda, Janet Reed, Kelli Bennett Rooks, Ertlal Rooster, Mike Rooster, Ethel Rosten, Max Sandoval, James Schooley, Ileen Soria, Jimmy Southerland, Kenneth Sponholtz, Linda Sponholtz, Ruth Sponholtz, Ed & Theresa Stavinoha, Helga Sweet, Peter D. Sweet, Richard & Skippy Sweet, James Tumlinson, Jeff Vavrecka, Francis & Hildegard Hoelzel Weltman, Martin & Ryan Weltman, Ardell Wilson and Garry Yancey.



**Thank you for your service, your sacrifice
and for fighting to protect our freedom.
You and your families are cordially invited
to attend a Veterans Day breakfast
to Honor all who served.**

Date: Sunday November 11, 2018

Time: 9:15am

**Place: New Life Lutheran Church
Fellowship Building**

RSVP: communitylife@newlifelutheran.com



**The Advent & Christmas season is upon us.
Services available to serve are:**

11/28/18 - Midweek Advent Service at 7pm
12/5/18 - Midweek Advent Service at 7pm
12/12/18 - Midweek Advent Service at 7pm
12/19/18 - Midweek Advent Service at 7pm

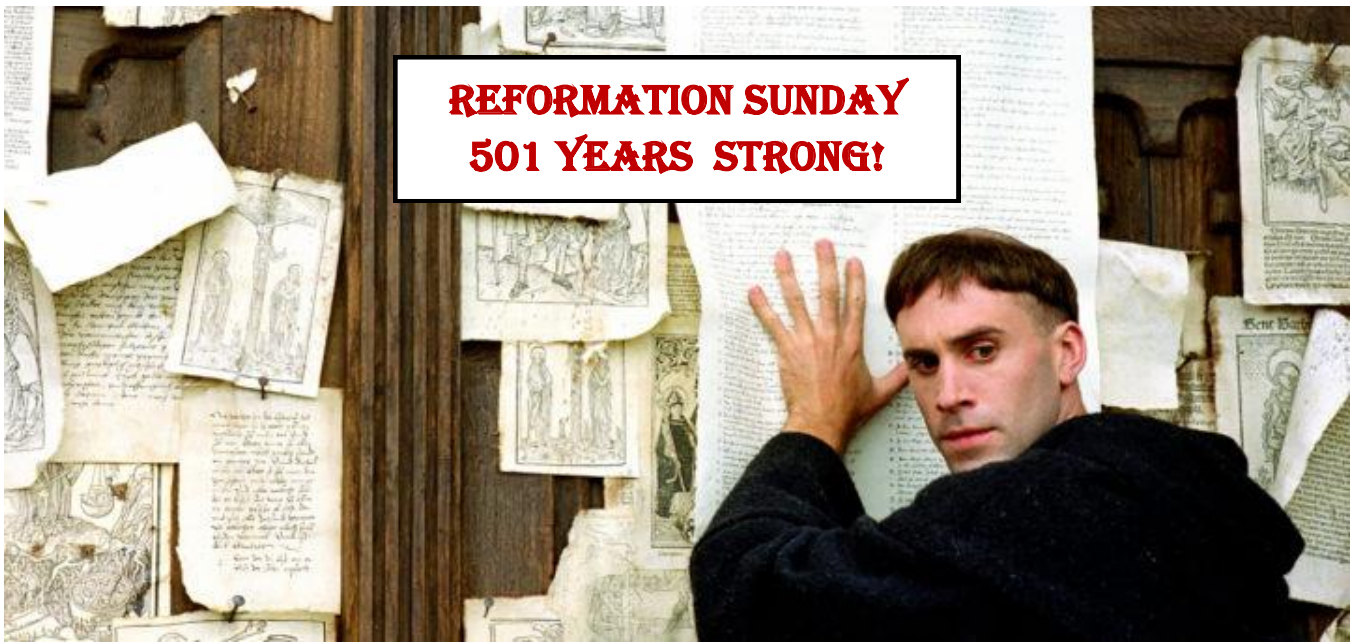


12/24/18 - Senior Reception at 3pm
Christmas Eve Service at 4pm
Christmas Eve Service at 7pm
Christmas Eve Service at 11pm

If you or you're your family would like to serve in a helping hand position as a part of one of the Advent or Christmas services please email Tiffany Pineda at: communitylife@newlifelutheran.com



**REFORMATION SUNDAY
501 YEARS STRONG!**





Youth & Family



Hello, New Life Church family,

October feels very short since the first Sunday was as late as can be: the 7th. Singing Happy Birthday to me during the service was very sweet and touching. I appreciated Pastor's impromptu candle for me to blow out. Of course, the big ticket item was the bazaar which felt like it came and went very, very quickly since I was off to the side "overseeing" the kids' play area. I spent A LOT of time talking to some of our elementary school kids about stuff. Boy, they can talk! As always, I really appreciate our students of all ages coming to help out especially at the drink station (Michael, John Russell, Braulio, Alex, Brianna, Sophia, Logan, Max, Jordan and anyone else I may be forgetting). It truly does take a team effort to make the bazaar run smoothly, and I am grateful that we get to be a small part of it!

Our 2nd Faith5 group lesson commenced on 10/7, and it was just as...loud, chaotic and uncertain as the first Faith5 lesson. I came up with the sentence "Some Really Terrific People Barbeque" so that it matches with SRTPB of Faith5: Share, Read, Talk, Pray and Bless. Yeah, I know, you're welcome. However, Faith 5 only works when it is being consistently employed in your homes. When I asked the various students (younger and older) about Faith 5 in their homes, my question was met with "No" to "What's Faith 5?" So...we have a way to go. Our next Faith5 Sunday's Cool meeting will be on 11/25. Again, this is a great way to spend more time with the younger Sunday's Cool students.

Our LYO lunches after church on Sundays have been going great! We have eaten food from a local Mexican food truck (thanks to Braulio ordering for us in Spanish; it was great watching him doing his thing!), Killen's Burgers (first time for me) and a Chinese buffet on the west side of town. As always, it's about spending time with the kids and building up rapport and overall camaraderie. New food destroyers have included Sam and Autumn while the old faithful are MS, JR and Kip and Elizabeth.

Our Christmas Program this year is on 12/9. While it is the 2018 Youth Christmas Program, we are casting a wide net: this program is for EVERYONE meaning everyone is encouraged to participate. This year will be a creative extravaganza of worship with the following bullet points:

- * Inviting all children and adults dress up as their favorite nativity character - make a costume of your own or wear one of ours.
- * Looking for performing or visual artists to contribute to worship:
 - esp. youth and young adults.
 - We need instrumentalists, dancers and singers to perform special music;
 - we also need graphic artists, painters, drawers and poets to submit original work for the program by November 17th.

Of course, we need adults who can setup, organize props or hand out props during the program.

Lutherhill has the following fall schedule and for fun I'm including the spring schedule because, why not?

Notice that these include retreats for FAMILIES and not just your kiddos to enjoy themselves.

Nov. 9-11: [CONVERGE](#), A Gathering for 6th - 8th grade youth to laugh and learn.

Jan. 25-27: [MOTHER DAUGHTER RETREAT](#), Create incredible memories with your daughters, mothers and grandmothers, too!

Feb. 8-10: [WORSHIP. LEAD. SERVE.](#), A gathering for 9th - 12th grade youth to practice discipleship.

March 22-24: [EXPLORE](#), A gathering for 1st-6th grade youth to discover camp.



Sincerely,

Sang Kim

Director for Youth and Family Faith Formation

27TH Annual New Life Bazaar/BBQ

THANK YOU for all you did to make this year's
Community fundraiser a success!

Appx. Financial Results (as of
October 23, 2018)

Income: appx \$16,860 (not including \$2,000 in Thrivent Action Team Cards)

Expenses: \$9,241.58

Charity Donations: appx. \$4,000

Pending Expenses: appx. \$3100

Expected Profit: appx. \$4,000 (This is added to the previous balance for startup 2019 (need \$7,000) and used for New Life emergencies (last year profit was \$5,000))

According to Counting Room Records, Booths made appx.: (These numbers are reflected in the Income above)

Baked Goods: \$462.50 (last year \$722.50)

Baked Potatoes/Nachos: \$771 - \$127.50 for BBQ

BBQ: \$5376 Last year: \$5909 (Bazaar sales, Sun. Sandwich sales + appx. \$800 (pre BBQ Brisket sales))

Drinks: \$477 + \$85 from snow cone booth (15%+\$10 water & Pickles) last year \$441 + \$97

Raffle Tickets: \$1887 Last year was \$2523

Food Ticket sales brought in \$7,247.5 (Last year \$8,859.75), reflected in the booth profits.

\$493 of this was marked as profit from the Children's area arm bands and popcorn sales.

In addition:

WELCA's booth made \$435.84 from crafts and quilt sales (this will be used for batting for future quilts).

Winners of the Raffle Baskets



Texans Tickets



Texans Basket



Astros Basket

Quilt



Beats Earbuds



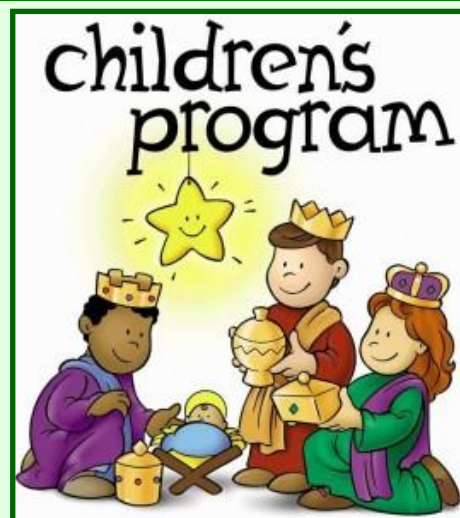
SUNDAY'S COOL CHRISTMAS PROGAM SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19 DURING 10:30 A.M. SERVICE

The 2018 Youth Christmas Program is Sunday, December 9th – a worship for everyone! This year will be a creative extravaganza of worship engaging all children and adults, with the optimum words being *'creative'* and *'encouraging.'*

- Inviting all children and adults dress up as their favorite nativity character –make a costume of your own or wear one of ours.
- Looking for performing or visual artists to contribute to worship – esp. youth and young adults. We need instrumentalists, dancers and singers to perform special music, and we're looking for graphic artists, painters, drawers and poets to submit original work for the program by November 17th.

Of course, we need adults who can setup, organize props or handout props during the program.

Speak with Babs Scott or call the church office.



Children's Christmas Party!

December 8th
10am

Bingo Crafts Games Pizza Special Guests

For entrance: Bring a canned good for Christian Helping Hands.





New Life Seniors' Opportunities

(open to all persons age 55 and up)



SENIORS

New Life Seniors Luncheon

Wednesday, November 7th
@ 12:00 pm

Please bring your favorite entrée, side dish or dessert.

For questions, please contact Helen Beckman at 281-485-3159.

Next Month (December 5th) we will be packing SeaFarer Boxes.
See next page for items needed.



Other Senior (and younger adult) Opportunities:

Men in Mission
Women of the ELCA, Women of Worth
Quilters
Altar Guild
Prayer Shawl Ministries
Bereavement Team
Meals on Wheels
Christian Helping Hands
GLOW (God's Love, Our Work) Care Team
Property Team
Sunday's Cool Teaching
Bazaar Team
Gardening

LUTHERAN MEN IN MISSION

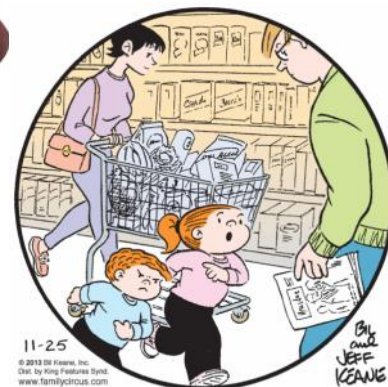
"Men's Night Out"

Monday, November 26th

6:30pm @ BAKFish Brewery
"Texans Vrs. Titans"

For information contact any participating member of Lutheran Men in Mission RSVP to Charlie Gaevert at c_gaevert@yahoo.com or the church office at 281.485.1818.

See the New Life Calendar for Date of Home Games that the Men in Mission are meeting for.



11-25
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"He's grumpy 'cause his seat got taken over by our Thanksgiving dinner."



As of March 2018, 677 prayer shawls and 28 baby afghans have been made and distributed to those in need. This ministry only has a few members and really needs more people who would like to help make shawls and afghans. Please contact Karen in the church office @ 281-485-1818 or Carole Wright @ 713-826-8749 if you are interested.





PORT HOUSTONSM
THE INTERNATIONAL PORT OF TEXAS



**New Life's goal is to pack 100 shoeboxes.
These are the items we still need.**

SHOE BOXES!

(plastic or cardboard with a lid)
Shaving Crème
Deodorant
Razors (3 each kit)
Nail Clippers
Soap
Wash Cloths
Bandanas

Baseball Caps
Ski Caps
Small Paper Pads
Socks
Key Chains,
Pencils
Pens
Erasers
Pencil Sharpeners
Band-aids (5 per)

Dental Floss
Small Flashlight w/Batteries
Kleenex
Lip Balm
Gold Bond items
Hot Chocolate
Sewing Kits
Small Toiletries
Popcorn

Texas Souvenirs
Crossword Books
Word Search Books
Tooth Paste
Aspirin
Small Toys
Playing Cards
Small Games
Packaged Snacks (cookies, pretzels)

Individually Wrapped Candy (tootsie rolls, mints, etc.)
Hotel Items (soap, shampoo, conditioner, lotion)
Books
Puzzles
Magazines

If you purchase or have supplies, please bring them and put in donations box so we can add them to inventory. If you have monetary donations, please give them to Karen so they can be added to the monies we are using to purchase items.

Questions: contact Karen Sweet Cheney at 281-485-1818.





WOMEN OF THE ELCA is the women's organization of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. As a partner in the total ministry of the church, the organization affirms, supports and challenges women in their daily ministries at home and around the world. **All women** of the congregation are included and **ALL** are invited to any of the opportunities listed below for fellowship and friendship. For more information, call Julia Sweet at 281.481.2508 or Cheryl Robinson at 713.471.4128.

THE MARY-MARTHA BIBLE STUDY continues third Wednesday bible study from the national WELCA magazine named Gather, thanks to Helen Beckman who leads us at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall.
Questions? Call Julia Sweet at 281.481.2508.

The Lydia Circle Bible Study:
No meeting at this time

WELCA LUNCH BUNCH (all the women of the church) Lunch with New Life women and friends! Arrive about 11:30 pm at Kings Buffet (FM 528) on Wednesday, November 14th. Questions? Call Julia Sweet at 281.481.2508.



WOW (Women of Worth) meets on the 3rd Friday of the month at 7pm
November 16th: for Friendsgiving! Ask Tiffany for details. OR meet up at the Ruah Center for a "Silent" Retreat (Friday night – Sat 5pm) For more info. see next page.
WOW is a part of the WELCA of New Life, so all women over the age of 16 are invited. Questions?
Contact Karen at office@newlifelutheran.com



Thank you to Mallory Waugh Brown for speaking at the Fall SE Cluster on Saturday, October 20th! She spoke about Child Protective Services and introduced us to the Children's Alliance Centers, whom an offering of snacks and supplies was taken up. In addition, a monetary offering was offered which will be sent to the Krause House (part of UpBring).



Save the Date/s:

December 16th: Sunday WELCA Christmas Party @ noon.
December 29th: 5th Saturday Lunch – Place TBD

Quilters keep building quilts (for LWR) and friendships on Tuesday mornings.

All are welcome to come and visit on Tuesday at 9:30am! Come to quilt or just for fellowship.
For more information, call Vera White at 713.775.6254.





Heart-Full Living Retreat November 16-17, 2018 Ruah Center at Villa de Matel

The Heart is the symbol of our spiritual nature in human form. Come explore our common ground of surviving, healing and thriving through seasons of both our whole hearts, as well as our broken ones. Discover the deepening and expanding of "heart-full living" in and of God. Expect to "see with new eyes and hear with new ears" through practices of creative inspiration and renewal.

Join Carol Buxton and Mary Ann Matthys for a time apart to refresh and renew. Our group will spend twenty-four hours at the urban oasis and spirituality center called Ruah near downtown Houston. During our time together, we will explore wholehearted living in group sessions and during individual time for reflection. The pace will be slow in order to invite reflection and communion with God. Villa de Matel will provide scrumptious, nutritious meals and pristine accommodations. **Plan to arrive Friday evening by 6 pm** (no supper served) to check in and settle into the Ruah Center. We will gather for our **first session at 7 pm**. Our closing session will conclude by 5 pm Saturday afternoon.

Register by emailing ruah@ccvi-vdm.org or calling 713-928-6053, ext. 1228

Retreat Facilitators

~ Carol Hamon Buxton

Carol holds a Master of Divinity degree from Duke University and a Bachelor of Fine Arts from The University of Texas at Austin. She has many years of experience in the arts and spiritual/healthcare professions. Carol has served as a pastoral counselor, spiritual director, hospital chaplain, hospice chaplain and bereavement counselor, and Christian education director. She has also served as an art teacher, artist, graphic designer and arts administrator.

"My work is about the essence of life. I believe that creativity is a core characteristic of our Creator God and our own true nature, a source of hope healing and fulfillment in our daily lives."

~ Mary Ann Matthys

Mary Ann is an Artist and Certified Spiritual Director. As a Color of Woman Teacher within the Intentional Creativity Movement, Mary Ann utilizes the creative process as an invitation to Spiritual Growth and relationship with God. Mary Ann practices Spiritual Direction in the Houston Area and facilitates retreats in Houston and across the country. She holds a Master of Arts degree from the University of Houston, Clear Lake, a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Texas, and a Certification in Spiritual Direction from Perkins School of Theology at SMU.



Thank you to all who served as Worship helpers for the month of October.



Thank you to all who served coffee, juice and food during our Fellowship Hour; Bazaar Team with Sweets, Sunday's Cool Teachers & Parents, the Third Sunday Group and the Men in Mission.

Many Thanks to Walt and Carol Wright, Joann Morrison, Barbara Flowers, Elizabeth White, Terri Kiser, Lynn Cope, Donna Patschke, Vera White, Bobbie Cummings, Helen Beckman, Mary Anna Vance, Jan & Becky Homerstad, Don & Margaret Purdum, and Barbara Scott for delivering meals for the week of October 22-26.



Our next date for delivering meals will be December 17-21 and February 11-15. PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS! We are always in need of volunteers. If you have never participated and would like to be a part of this very important ministry (we do "On The Job Training") or you have any questions, please contact Barbara Flowers at 713-817-1012. You can also contact the church office at 281-485-1818.

New Life Meals on Wheels (MOW) is looking for someone who would be willing to be the new Coordinator. Barbara Flowers is willing to work alongside someone to train him/her to take over this important ministry. Barbara is looking to "retire" from this ministry by this time next year (or sooner) so that she and Bubba can spend more time with grandchildren (local and in Florida). Please prayerfully consider this great opportunity. If you have any questions, you may call Barbara Flowers at 713-817-1012.



Thank you: Lynn Cope, Mike & Terri Kiser, Elna Ritter, Linda Stavinoha and Carole Wright for the volunteer time they have contributed in the office this month. It is very much appreciated! New Life Staff

Thank You! From Church Council & Staff MANY MANY THANKS!!!

- To the Pearland Saints (Jeffrey Ramsey, Frank Cullen, Jason lane & Josh Sherwood) for helping out at the Bazaar in the drink booth & serving in the BBQ booth.
- To the following youth who helped setup, run areas and take down at the Bazaar: Elizabeth W., Braulio M., Sophia & Max C., Korie & Cheyenne W., Parker P., John Russell G., Bryce, Ryan & Kyle F., Logan P., and Autumn M.
- To John & Ruth Roberts and Susie Wellman who donated their Raffle Tickets to the youth and Pearland Saints, who worked the Bazaar. (Logan's name was drawn and won the Texans basket from his ticket)
- To all those who served on the Bazaar Committee and attended meetings for many months before the Bazaar.
- To Rudy Moreno and the New Life BBQ team for cooking up the best BBQ in Pearland!
- To all those who helped prep the BBQ and Baked Goods for the Bazaar.
- To all those who helped with setup and takedown and worked booths during the Bazaar.
- To everyone who helped with the Bazaar shopping, donations and ticket selling.
- To the following who provided Thrivent Action Team cards to help defray startup costs for the Annual BBQ/ Bazaar/Craft Fair: MaryAnn Marcha, Helen Beckman, Elna Ritter, Rich Newell, Karl Sweet, Robin Sweet & Jon Sweet.
- To New Life's Church Council and Stewardship Committee for their dedication to the WHOLE church.
- To Walt Wright and Rich Newell for repairing the deck, for replacing lightbulbs and trimming the bushes.
- To the Altar Guild for their tireless work.
- To all those keeping up with repairs around the church as well as keeping up the grounds. (Gardening & Lawn Care)
- To New Life's Prayer Team – keeping us covered in prayers everyday.
- To all who have donated or will be donating items for The Port of Houston SeaFarer Christmas Box project.
- To Cheryl Robinson for making sure the Sanctuary, Narthex and/or the Fellowship Hall is decorated for the season/event.
- To all who help on Sunday mornings, assigned or not, to make Worship be inviting and go smoothly.
- To all those who are Assistant Ministers on Sunday.
- To Barbara Scott for keeping up with the weekly bulletins Stewardship Corner.
- To those who agreed to and were elected onto the 2019 Church Council.
- To all the women of New Life who helped organize and pull off the WECLA SE Cluster Fall Meeting. Mallroy Waugh Brown was a great speaker on Child Protective Services.
- To all who helped with the Children's Community Halloween Party.
- To all who participated in the festivities for Reformation Sunday.

Thanks to all participants at our annual bazaar and barbecue who helped to keep it clean and placed all refuse in the correct containers, and especially those who helped me separate the aluminum from plastic, glass, and paper at the end. We had a completely full extra large bag of aluminum and a bag and a half of all the rest of the recyclables. We've heard a lot lately about the difficulties of processing recyclables because China is refusing to take anything with too much contamination. It is very important that when you recycle you are careful to put only the correct things in your bin and be sure they are clean. Not all plastic is acceptable. Be sure it is marked with a number 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 7 in a triangle. Do not put any unmarked plastic, 6's, or plastic bags in your curbside cart. All cans and bottles should be clean and do not put in any cardboard that has food residue, oil, or any other contaminant on it. At the Keep Pearland Beautiful annual meeting this month, a representative from Waste Management is speaking about the current recycling situation. The dinner is \$15 for members and \$20 for nonmembers. Call the KPB office, 281-489-2795, if you are interested in attending. (See info below)

Kudos goes out to Nancy Bryars, one of our super recyclers. She's an avid recycler at home and at church, but no matter where she is, camping, traveling, or touring, if she can't find a recycling bin, she packs it up and brings it home. Trashing recyclables is not an option. Thanks, Nancy, and all of you who do the same.

Praise also to Pastor Giguee for turning in people who litter from their cars. As part of the Texas Department of Transportation's Don't Mess With Texas campaign, when you see someone tossing something from the car write down the license plate number, make of vehicle, time of day, location, date, what was tossed, and whether it was the driver, passenger, or accidental, such as from the back of a pickup. Then get on the internet and visit TxDOT Report a Litterer to report the incident. TxDOT will send them a litter bag with a letter reminding them to keep their trash off our roads. If you're driving at the time, have a passenger take down the information.



Our congregation has been emphasizing ministry to combat hunger in our community and worldwide. We support our global ELCA programs and, locally, Christian Helping Hands. Some members have shown interest in starting a garden on our property. Actually, Pearland already has a community garden, sponsored by Keep Pearland Beautiful and Brazoria County

Master Gardeners. It is located on property owned by the YMCA on YMCA Drive and Stratford St. If there is real interest in our congregation we could sign up for plots to garden in their program, or volunteer to work in existing plots. With the exception or some rented spaces, all the produce goes to community food programs. Also, if you have fruit trees that need picking, but you don't want the fruit, they will come by to pick your fruit to feed the hungry in Pearland.

 **Keep Pearland Beautiful - Fall Cleanup Day.** Our fourth quarter cleanup will be Nov.10 on Pearland Recycles Day.

Thursday, November 8 - Monthly Garden Lecture the monthly garden lecture at the Pearland Recreation Center is about what plants to use for the holiday season. Master gardeners Mary Ruth Miller and Linda Erdman are the presenters. The lecture begins at 7 P.M.



Friday October 19 was the Keep Pearland Beautiful annual Plant Thyme Luncheon and Plant Sale.

Garden Line Host, Randy Lemmon was the speaker. Helen Beckman invited several members to join her at her table for the luncheon and lecture. Fun was had by all!

Saturday, November 10 is Pearland Recycles Day and Community Cleanup. We will be doing a litter cleanup on Orange Street and they will be collecting mattresses and tires at the Stella Roberts Recycling Center from 9 A.M. to 1 P.M. They will also be handing out 9 V batteries for replacement in your smoke alarm.



Thursday, November 15 is Keep Pearland Beautiful Annual Meeting and Awards Dinner. Shanna Lopez from Waste Management will speak about the current situation for recycling.

Helen Beckman

Updates for the Church Roster:

On Sunday, September 2nd, New Life welcomed into God's Kingdom, through the sacrament of Holy Baptism, Reagan Peterson, daughter of Kenneth and Karissa Peterson and Mika Taylor Reed, sister of Karissa Peterson.

Jack and Danielle Peterson are the proud sponsors for Reagan.



May God increase their faith through the power of the Holy Spirit now and in the years to come.



In Sympathy - We extend our Christian sympathy to the family of Tim Hurlbut who died in Christ on Monday, September 10th.

May the power of the Holy Spirit and the love of Christ bring comfort and consolation to all who mourn.

We would like to thank all the church members who have helped us so much for our garage sale! We made about \$2000 that will go to help us travel to Olympic games. This would not have been possible without the generous support from all of ya'll. We also made \$1440 on tamale sales in October.

We want to thank everyone for all who have donated, helped in various ways and believe in us. We appreciate everything that the church has done for us.

Pearland Saints.



Silver Medalists in Softball - 2017
Gold Medalists in Flag Football - 2018



**Take a picture.
Keep it in your
phone for your trips
to Kroger.**

Kroger Community Awards

**New Life Lutheran's Number
changed to TX769**

**New Life received a check for \$38.72 was received
on 10/23/2018.**

**Thank you to all who have used the New
Life Number!**

**The old number is still associated with us but cannot be
used when enrolling or accessing our account anymore.**



GLOW is caring for New Life Members.

GLOW – God's Love, Our Work.

If you would like to join the GLOW care team or are in need of a care ministry, please contact the church office at 281-485-1818 or GLOW@newlifelutheran.com or write your need on your yellow "Count-Me-In" card from your bulletin.

The GLOW team meets on the second Thursday of the month at 7:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. GLOW welcomes new care ministers! The team sends cards, makes phone calls, provides communion, and sets up meal schedules for those in need.

Thank you to all who served coffee and juice (and more) and/or cleaned up during our Fellowship Hour!



Coffee Hour at New Life Lutheran is a wonderful opportunity for visitors and members of our church to meet one another in an informal setting between Sunday services. Please start thinking who you would like to serve with in this important ministry. Dates Available

Contact Tiffany Brown-Pineda at the church office (281-485-1818) or CommunityLife@newlifelutheran.com

Most 1st and 2nd Sundays of the month.



Dates Available:

Weekly Altar Flowers are \$40 and can be taken home after the 10:30 service or if indicated will be taken to a Nursing Home. (Place fee in offering plate and indicate that it is for altar flowers.)

*Please mark your dedication on the chart if possible. (in honor of, in celebration of, etc.) Let the office know a week ahead of time for special flowers or colors.

November 25th



**The 2019 Flower Chart will be available in the Narthex soon!
Sign up early to get you preferred dates.**

**Critical Summer Months
Food is needed now more than ever!**



Please bring items for CHH and place them in the grocery cart outside of the narthex or in the Fellowship Hall.



CHH is CRITICALLY short on cereal, peanut butter and tuna. They are also in need of “cream” soup to hand out to families to cook with. Regular donations are jellies, peanut butter, mac-and-cheese, diced tomatoes, tuna, canned chicken, diapers, pull-ups (don’t have to be a full package), baby food and toiletries (toothbrushes, tooth paste, shampoo, soap, etc.)

As always, you can place your CHH donations in the CHH basket whenever you are at church.



Lots of things going on behind the scenes...

Thank you to the New Life Property team for all their efforts to keep up with ongoing maintenance including:

Foster Foucheaux, Walt Wright, Rudy Moreno, Ronnie Stavinoha, Rich Newell, Charlie Gaevert, Richard Lowery, Will Sinacori, Karen Sweet Cheney, Cheryl Robinson and many more are working the property to keep it safe and running smoothly. If you see one of these guys, please shake their hand and let them know they are appreciated! See the thank you page for individual job thanks.



Thank you to all those who provide special offerings to help with Lawn Care. If you are not giving and would like to be added to the reminder list, please contact Karen. Lawn Care is \$380 per month for the front of the property. The ball teams who use the back field are under contract to keep it mowed.

Property updates, cleaning, and replacements are being done continuously. If you see something that needs to be addressed or you have a talent you are willing to share, and time to share it, please let Charlie Gaevert, Rudy Moreno or Karen Sweet-Cheney know. Even if you only have 15 minutes on a Sunday to help with something you would like to share! Suggestions are welcome as well.



New Life AC units and Lights

We are still in need of air filters
to make all the units run optimally.
They are changed every other month.



Please consider donating:

Air Filters: 20x18x1 (1) & 20x20x1 (10 are needed every other month)

Light Bulbs: T-12 and T-8 Fluorescent Tubes (we are OUT)



*There are Sunday's Cool classes for everyone
(youth & adults).*

*Sunday's Cool has classes for everyone (youth & adults).
Take time for Life-Long Learning!*

Sunday's Cool Teachers 2018-2019



4th-6th Grade—Rally Day

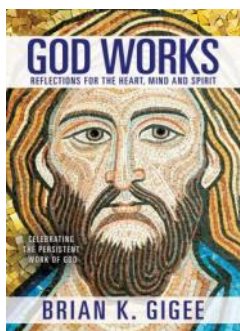


- This Fall, the youth from three year olds through 3rd grade will meet upstairs in the Fellowship Hall for Sunday's Cool. 4th – 6th Grade will meet downstairs across from the DVD classroom.
- 7th Grade thru high school will be meeting in Sang's office in the admin building.

Ø The ABC class... Adult Bible Class will be returning to the Old Testament *Book of Judges*.

Ø The DVD class... *Daring Video Disciples* will continue to watch and discuss "*Reading Biblical Literature - Genesis to Revelation*" by Craig Koester.

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reflections for the heart, mind
and spirit*

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Share each scripture daily with your child during the month of November and talk about the ways we should be thankful to God.

November 1 st	1 Chronicles 16:34
2 nd	Colossians 3:17
3 rd	Psalm 9:1
4 th	2 Corinthians 9:11
5 th	1 Chronicles 16:8
6 th	1 Timothy 4:4-5
7 th	Psalm 7:17
8 th	Philippians 4:6
9 th	Psalm 100:4-5
10 th	1 Thessalonians 5:18
11 th	1 Corinthians 15:57
12 th	Ephesians 5:20
13 th	Colossians 1:12
14 th	1 Corinthians 1:4
15 th	Psalm 107:1
16 th	Ephesians 1:16
17 th	2 Corinthians 9:15
18 th	Revelation 7:12
19 th	Ephesians 5:4
20 th	Isaiah 12:4-5
21 st	Colossians 4:2
22 nd	Psalm 95:1-3
23 rd	2 Corinthians 2:14
24 th	Colossians 3:15
25 th	Psalm 69:30
26 th	Revelation 11:17
27 th	Psalm 105:1
28 th	1 Chronicles 29:13
29 th	2 Corinthians 4:15
30 th	Psalm 106:1



Adventide 2018

*Featuring the Christmas section of Handel's "Messiah",
John Rutter, and others with instrumentalists*

St. Timothy Lutheran Church
14225 Hargrave Rd.
Houston, Texas 77070
Friday, November 30
7:30 pm

Memorial Lutheran Church
5810 3rd St.
Katy, Texas 77493
Saturday, December 1
7:30 pm

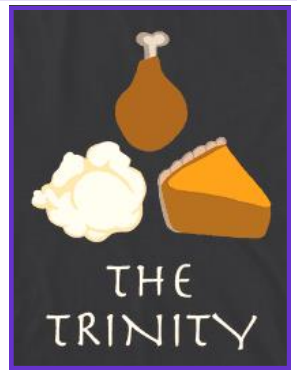
Trinity Lutheran Church
800 Houston Ave.
Houston, Texas 77007
Sunday, December 2
4:00 pm

The Houston Lutheran Chorale invites you to join in celebrating the glory of our Lord's birth in song. Check out the posters in the Narthex and the Fellowship Hall.

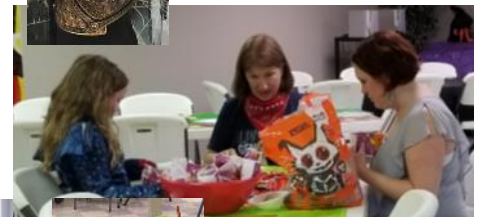
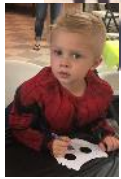
Tickets are not required.

We encourage you to bring your family and friends to begin the 2018 Christmas season in joyous song.

Thank you to Linda and her crew for a great Halloween Party



HALLOWEEN KIDS PARTY





ELCA SPIRITUAL CENTER DAILY BIBLE READINGS

As we continue to share in the emerging 21st century ministry, please take time as you are able to visit the Spiritual Center at the ELCA website: www.elca.org/spiritual.html

"To be Christian without prayer is no more possible than to be alive without breathing." - Martin Luther

GOD'S PEOPLE PRAY!

Pray for renewing health: Marge Angelo, Gretchen Barnes, Brian Bates, Kate Bates, Susan Bickham, Bryan Bradford, Robyn Bradford, Theresa Breuer (Barbara Scott's mother), Barbara Brown, Terry Brown, Wendy Conners, Carl Ericsson, Margo Gige, Kelli Grage, Greg Grayson, Taylor Walter Hayes, Becky Homerstad, the Kisers, Larry Magers, Tina Meyer, Tamsey Mims, Phyllis Mistrot, Cheryl Newell, Hubert Pardue, Allen Patschke, Allison Patschke, Viola Patschke, Tyler Peterson, Janet, Frannie & Mike Porter, Scott & Leeta Sanger, Gary Siegworth, Glenn Sponholtz, Julia Sweet, Karen Sweet, Patrick Sweet, Claudia Thomas, Ben Viccellio and Vera White.

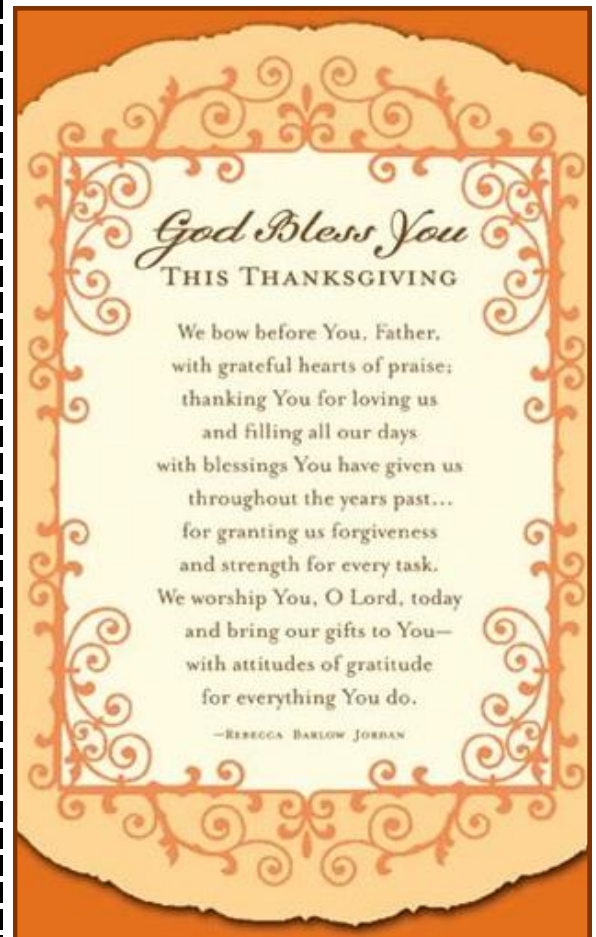
Special prayer needs: Abarca & Lott families, Adams, Robinson & Cambel families, Barrett and Ruddock families, Bradford & Miller families, Brown and Tumlinson families, Buckels family, Burt family, Butler family, Childs family, Zachary Cope, Fraker family, Hilliard family, Jurgens family, Kaiser family, Kiser family, Kyle Lawson, Lawson family, Lott family, Marcha & Castillo families, Marcha & Salazar families, Martain family, Migl family, Palmer family, Patschke, DeWeese, Schneider & Yancey families, Peterson family, Porter family, Purdum & Hayes families, Putman family, Reynolds & Galloway families, Ritter & Ffrench families, Schroder & Wierick families, Scott family, Sponholtz family, Sweet family, Tatuaca family, Thomas family, Vavrecka family, Welch family and the Wellman family.

New Life prays for those serving in the military: Keagan Barthelme, Jeremy Foster, Zach Gottlieb, Eric Metzger, Mason Moore (reserves), Ryan Newell, Michael Porter Jr., Berkeley Scott, Joe Wishart & Christopher Young.

PRAYER CORNER



You may wish to cut out this section and place it where you will see it and remember to pray.





These petitions are offered as guides to prayer for the global, social and outreach ministries of the church. Thank you for your continued prayers for the life and mission of this church.



1 All Saints Day Today, we remember our sisters and brothers in Christ who have gone before us — loved ones, friends, saints and martyrs — and offer thanks and respect for how they have influenced and enriched our lives and faith.

2 National American Indian Heritage Month Give thanks for the gifts and witness of American Indian and Alaska Native members of the ELCA, native congregations, ministries and the work of the American Indian and Alaska Native Lutheran Association, all grounded in reconciliation and the mutual building up of the saints — people of all backgrounds, tribes, regions, communities, congregations and unique needs.

3 Remember in prayer the Palestinians who come for healing to the six hospitals in East Jerusalem, including the Lutheran World Federation's Augusta Victoria Hospital; pray the United States and all government authorities will restore the support needed to keep these hospitals open so they can continue to treat, heal and care for patients of all ages.

4 Pray for those who are in mourning and despair over the loss of a loved one, family member, friend or neighbor, and ask the Holy Spirit to help us surround them with support, understanding and the hope we have through Jesus' victory over death and the promise of eternal life.

5 Remember in prayer outdoor ministry professionals and board members meeting in New Braunfels, Texas, for the annual Lutheran Outdoor Ministries conference and leadership training event; pray they are encouraged, equipped and sustained through each other and the Holy Spirit for ministry with people of all ages and abilities.

6 Ask God to guide our discernment and voting in elections across our nation and that our decisions will reflect wisdom in choosing skilled, just and compassionate leaders committed to serving all people, especially the poor and those who are often disregarded in our society.

7 Remember in prayer people and communities working to cope with and recover from the impacts of Hurricanes Michael and Florence, the earthquake and tsunami that hit parts of the Indonesian island of Sulawesi, wildfires in California and other Western states, drought and famine in regions of Africa, and those still involved in ongoing long-term recovery work resulting from disasters; give thanks for the work of Lutheran Disaster Response on our behalf to bring God's hope, healing and renewal to people whose lives have been disrupted by disasters in the United States and around the world.

8 Pray for members of the ELCA Church Council gathering in Chicago; give thanks for their faith, service, leadership and wisdom, and pray the Holy Spirit will guide and inspire their discussions and counsel for the sake of growing the church and doing God's work in the world.

9 Pray for the service and witness of young adults serving in the Young Adults in Global Mission (YAGM) programs in South Africa and Swaziland and for the Rev. Alexis LaChapelle, YAGM country coordinator for Southern Africa.

10 Pray we not forget during our busy lives to look up to God and give recognition and praise to God for being mighty, strong and merciful, the source of our blessings and all we have.

11 Ask that the Holy Spirit is at work in the church and our faith-based organizations, that we are always thankful, affirming, and responsible with the contributions and generosity of our members without deference to the size of their gifts or their social status.

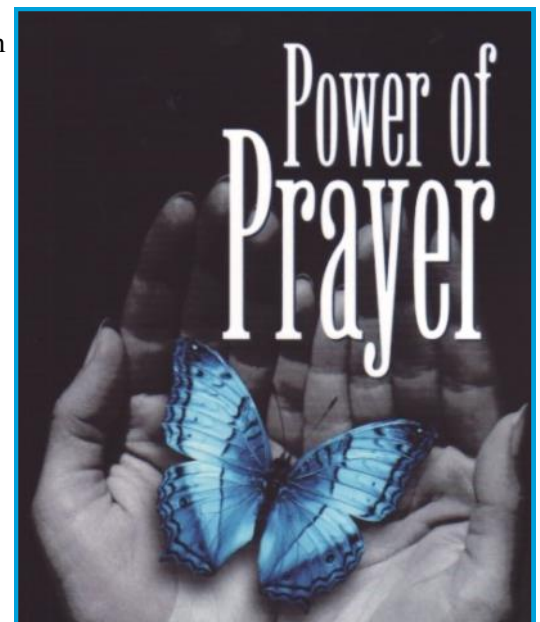
12 Give thanks to God for theologians and Christian educators — brothers and sisters in Christ in congregations and synods, seminaries, universities and schools, and among our global companions and ecumenical partners — who help us study and better understand the Word of God, explore questions of faith and connect our faith with daily life.

13 The Lutheran-Catholic dialogue has been ongoing since 1965. Thank God for those who strive for greater unity between churches on our behalf and for relationships and work leading up to the "Declaration on the Way" document of 2015 describing where we agree, differences that still exist, and steps for further study, dialogue and resolution and reconciliation.

14 Just as God watches over strangers and lifts up the poor, sick and oppressed, pray we, too, grounded in the gospel, will exercise daily justice, generosity, hospitality and kindness in the world.

15 Pray for the service and witness of young adults serving in the Young Adults in Global Mission (YAGM) programs in Australia and for their YAGM country coordinators, the Rev. Kim Crawford and the Rev. Henry Martinez.

- 16** Give thanks that through the life, suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus, our sins are forgiven and removed so we can live as children of God who celebrate a new life received through faith that sets us free to follow God's word and ways.
- 17** Pray for doctors, nurses, staff, health educators, missionaries and chaplains serving in faith-based hospitals, clinics, and places of care and healing throughout the world.
- 18** Give thanks and praise to God for being our hope, reassurance and strength when fears rise up in us, we feel confused or we face the challenges of being people of faith who follow Jesus.
- 19** Pray for the service and witness of young adults serving in the Young Adults in Global Mission (YAGM) programs in Rwanda and Senegal; the Rev. Janelle Neubauer, YAGM country coordinator for Rwanda; and the Rev. Kristin Engstrom, YAGM country coordinator for Senegal.
- 20** "Let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds." Pray we, as the body of Christ, encourage one another and our neighbor to bring a different light, truth and spirit into the world — a spirit that dispels darkness, initiates reconciliation, heals and seeks justice and peace for all people — especially in times of contentious division.
- 21** The ELCA and The Episcopal Church are committed to prayer, fasting and advocacy addressing cuts to public programs that are vital to hungry people who are living in poverty. Remember to pray for these concerns, our leaders and people in need on the 21st of each month through December 2018.
- 22** *Thanksgiving Day* Give thanks and praise to God for every blessing, person and resource that sustains us physically, spiritually and socially; pray for all who hunger in body and spirit that they be nourished and strengthened and that we seek ways to be supportive and engaged in the hope-filled, life-giving social ministries of our congregations, communities and ELCA World Hunger.
- 23** Pray we are grateful, responsible and generous stewards with everything God has entrusted to our care for the well-being of our neighbor and the sake of the world.
- 24** "The Lord has done great things for us." Give thanks to God, rejoice, shout for joy and share the good news.
- 25** Ask God to help us reflect on and better understand the meaning and use of power as revealed through the humble, sacrificial life of Jesus, a life given to conquer the powers of sin and death for the sake of all humanity.
- 26** Give thanks to God for hymn writers, composers and the diversity of musicians — throughout history and today — who help us worship, reflect, celebrate and sing praises to God.
- 27** On this day that has become known as Giving Tuesday, ask God to help us be mindful of supporting our neighbors in need and the ministries and organizations working to address their difficult situations; pray the Holy Spirit stirs in us eagerness to be empathetic, generous and compassionate not just on special days, but every day!
- 28** Pray that, as we eagerly await the return of Jesus, we remain focused on the work, service and witness the Holy Spirit calls and equips us to do in this world today.
- 29** Remember in prayer immigrants and refugees fleeing violence and dire circumstances to seek safety, peace and new opportunities; pray for those who, in spite of the personal risks and daunting challenges they face, return home with hope and determination to rebuild their lives and communities.
- 30** *Andrew, Apostle* Pray the Holy Spirit will move and equip us to drop what we are doing or wrapped up in and follow Jesus as Andrew did so long ago, that we have the courage to follow as the first disciples did, trusting that God has important work for us to do together in the world, even though we bring with us lingering questions, fears and imperfections.



NOVEMBER

November

Birthdays

Chase Glowka	11/01
Mike Kiser	11/01
Dustin Drozd	11/03
Holly Moreno	11/03
Mark Kaiser	11/04
Michael Scott	11/06
Bubba Flowers	11/07
Judie Lilie	11/07
Gina Potenza	11/08
Jade Lawrence-McCullough	11/09
Tyler Meyer	11/09
Hubert Pardue	11/09
Lucas Bradford	11/10
Robin Hall	11/10
Rebecca Meyer	11/10
Karen Still	11/10
Olivia Oliver	11/11
Nancy Ramirez	11/11
Curt Meyer	11/13
Frances Porter	11/13
Laura Krajca	11/14
Vicki Roesler	11/16
Jay Johnson	11/17
Michael Porter	11/18
Krystyn Turner	11/18
Robert Baluta II	11/19
Donna Patschke	11/19
Dave Peterson	11/21
Max Castillo	11/21
Maria Moreno	11/22
Rory Perez	11/23
Jack Peterson	11/23
Edward Tatuaca	11/23
Henry Viccellio	11/23
Jackie Lassiter	11/24
Makenzie Martinez	11/24
Stephanie Gottlieb	11/26
Jude Gosch	11/27
Patti Caballero	11/29
Chase Turner	11/29
Debbie Venglar	11/30

Wedding Anniversaries

Susie & Mark Wellman	11/05
Phyllis & Pete Mistrot	11/18
Becky & Jan Homerstad	11/28
Yvonne & David Perez	11/28
Susan & Len Columbus	11/29
Carrie & Rev. Don Cole	11/30

Baptismal Anniversaries

Erin Bates	11/01
Carrie Cole	11/01
Cate Cummings	11/01
Mark Kaiser	11/01
Barbara Kippley	11/01
Sheila Schmidt	11/01
Vera White	11/01
Vivienne Reed	11/02
Aaliyan Valdez	11/02
Courtney Axline	11/07
Jan Peterson	11/09
Aimee Sandoval	11/09
Susie Wellman	11/14
Morgan Johnson	11/16
Gary Anderson	11/17
Catherine Sinacori	11/19
Rachel Fosdick	11/20
Anahi Arce	11/21
Linda Broughton	11/22
Eric Metzger	11/22
Rylynn Cope	11/23
Addy Palmer	11/23
Jennifer Jurgens	11/24
Richard Jurgens	11/24
Hadley Morrison	11/26
Jon Sweet	11/26
Tiffany Pineda	11/27
Alexis Stewart	11/27
Karl Sweet	11/27
Floyd Brown	11/29
Rebecca Meyer	11/29

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November

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28 Reformation Sunday 8:00 AM Holy Communion 9:15 AM Sunday's Cool 10:30 AM Holy Communion 12:00 PM LYO Lutheran Youth Org 12:00 PM Word Fellowship Worship	29 6:00 PM House Band Practice 6:00 PM Modified Yoga 8:00 PM AA & Al-Anon	30 9:30 AM Quilt Workshop 7:00 PM Word Fellowship Bible Study	31 Halloween 5:30 PM Choir Practice 5:45 PM Confirmation Class	1 7:00 PM Property Team 7:00 PM Word Fellowship Choir Practice	2	3 10:30 AM Phoenix Women's Group
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11 Confirmation Sunday/ Veterans Day Breakfast Noisy Offering - Wounded Warriors 8:00 AM Holy Communion 9:15 AM Sunday's Cool 10:30 AM Holy Communion 12:00 PM LYO Lutheran Youth Org 12:00 PM Word Fellowship Worship	12 6:00 PM Church Council 6:00 PM House Band Practice 6:00 PM Modified Yoga 8:00 PM AA & Al-Anon	13 9:30 AM Quilt Workshop 7:00 PM Word Fellowship Bible Study	14 11:30 AM WELCA Lunch 5:30 PM Choir Practice 5:45 PM Confirmation Class	15 7:00 PM Word Fellowship Choir Practice	16 7:00 PM WOW (Women of Worth)	17 Spelling Bee 10:30 AM Phoenix Women's Group
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Save the Dates:

November 4th: All Saints Sunday

November 11th: Veterans Day/
Confirmation Sunday

November 18th: WELCA ThankOffering

November 22nd: Thanksgiving Day

November 28th: Advent Dinner & Service

December 1st: Greening Party (Decorate)

December 5th: Advent Dinner & Service

December 8th: Children's Christmas Party

December 9th: Children's Christmas Program

December 12th: Advent Dinner & Service

December 16th WELCA Christmas Party

December 18th Men in Mission Christmas Party

December 19th: Advent Dinner & Service

Christmas Eve Schedule

December 24th

3:00 pm Senior Reception and Fellowship Hour
 4:00 am Christmas Eve Service
 7:00 pm Christmas Eve Service
 11:00 pm Christmas Eve Service

Helping Hands in Worship - November 2018

Altar Guild: Lynn Barron & Tina Meyer ♥ Communion Elements: Lynn Cope

Services		November 4 All Saints Sunday	November 11 Veteran's Day	November 18 WELCA ThankOffering	November 25 Christ the King	December 2 Advent 1
Acolyte	8:00 10:30	Clayton Migl Sophia Castillo	Bryce Flick Bryanna Perez	Harleigh Gosch Casey Crawford	Clayton Migl Cate Cummings	Ryan Flick Lana Royal
Assisting Minister	8:00 10:30	Sang Kim Michael Porter	Barbara Scott Jamie Hilliard	Denise Jurgens Cindy Welch	Nancy Bryars Sang Kim	John Russell Gestl Bryan Bradford
Communion Assistant	8:00	Denise Jurgens Frank Jurgens	Coleen Gestl Lynn Barron	Nancy Bryars John Gestl	Rebecca Reed Cheryl Robinson	Jerry Migl Brenda Migl
Communion Assistant	10:30	Ed Bradford Nancy Bryars	Christal Thompson Deanna Barthelme	Cheryl Robinson Mary Ann Marcha	Barbara Flowers Carole Wright	Scott Sanger Michael Porter
Altar Flowers		Mark & Susie Wellman Honor of their 24 th Anniversary	Debbie Adams & Cheryl Robinson	Kate Bates	OPEN	Art & Tiffany Pineda in Honor of their 9 th Anniversary
Lay Reader	8:00 10:30	Rebecca Reed Ed Bradford	Cheryl Robinson Hap Cummings	Elna Ritter Holly Tatuaca	Frank Jurgens Dauod Karam	Michael Scott Katie Fraker
Nursery	10:30	Trent Perez	Madeline Schroder	OPEN	Madeline Schroder	Trent Perez
Greeters	8:00	Robin Gottlieb Vincent Gottlieb	Coleen Gestl John Gestl	Helen Beckman Tiffany Pineda	Charlie Gaevert Josh Reed	Judy Foucheaux Foster Foucheaux
Greeters	10:30	JoAnn Morrison Dennis Morrison	Lan Hansen Bob Hansen	Andy Crawford Merideth Oliver	Becky Homerstad Linda Stavinotha	Walt Wright Carole Wright
Ushers	8:00	Brenda Migl Jerry Migl	Norm Griffith Shirley Griffith	Susie Wellman Tamsey Mims	Charles Gaevert Frank Jurgens	Robin Gottlieb Vincent Gottlieb
Ushers	10:30	Milton Thomas Jenaro Castillo	Nolan Patschke Gary Siegworth	Christal Thompson Aimee Castillo	Greg Grayson Tony White	Jan Homerstad Milton Thomas
Coffee Hour			Veteran's Day Breakfast	WELCA	Seniors	OPEN
Opening Closing		Elna Ritter Rudy Moreno	Frank Jurgens Barbara Scott	Frank Jurgens Barbara Scott	Frank Jurgens Barbara Scott	Frank Jurgens Barbara Scott
Sound System	8:00 10:30	Charlie G./John G. Mike Kiser	John Gestl Mike Kiser	Charlie G./John G. Mike Kiser	Charlie G./John G. Mike Kiser	Charlie G./John G. Mike Kiser

** Worship Assistants needed. Please contact the church office if you would like to serve.*