



**LORD of LOVE**  
*Lutheran Church*

**Reformation Festival &  
Celebration of WELS 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**



**“May the LORD our God be with us,  
as He was with our Fathers.”**



**Welcome!** We are so happy you have come to worship today! Someone has described worship as “a joyful dialogue with God.” God speaks to us in his Word, and we speak to him in praise and prayer. May God richly bless you through this “joyful dialogue” today!

**Restrooms** – The restrooms are located straight ahead as you enter the building. You will also find restrooms in the lower level gathering space at the end of the classrooms on the right side before the exit doors.

**Parent’s Room** – The sound of children in the house of the Lord is music to our ears! However there is also a parent room to the right just before you enter the sanctuary if your little one needs a moment. It is accessed as you exit the sanctuary, on the left, next to the seats reserved for families with small children.

**Assistance Getting Around** – There is a walker and a wheelchair available in the fellowship hall. Anyone who needs them is welcome to use them. Please speak to an usher if you need help accessing them.

**Offering Message** – An offering will be gathered in the service today. These offerings support the Gospel ministry of Lord of Love locally, and also the global mission of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod. Visitors need not feel obligated to give but may if you wish.

**Holy Communion** is celebrated today. Mindful of the Scriptural teaching concerning church fellowship, we practice close (or closed) communion. Communicant members of this congregation, or another congregation of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (or the Evangelical Lutheran Synod), are encouraged to commune this morning. We do ask that our guests speak with our pastor before coming up to commune.

**Explanation of the theme of the day:** Over 500 years ago, at the time of the Reformation, Lutheran Christians were under tremendous pressure. They were forced to defend themselves on battlefields both metaphorical and literal. But they took comfort that Christ himself was by their side upon the plain with his good gifts and Spirit.

Just 175 years ago, the Lutheran Christians who founded WELS were also under tremendous pressure. The pressure continues today with opposition to the truths of the Word of God. But we take comfort that Christ is with us in Word and sacrament, and we move forward with the promise of his presence.

# Lord of Love Lutheran Church

October 26, 2025

## SERVICE OF WORD AND SACRAMENT

OPENING HYMN (CW 623)

God the Father, Son, and Spirit



1 God the Fa - ther, Son, and Spir - it, Ev - er -  
2 Once you brought our fa - thers' foot - steps To this  
3 Grant that we your Word may cher - ish And its  
4 God of grace and love and bless - ing, Yours a -

bless - ed Trin - i - ty, Hum - bly now our  
land we hold so dear, Length - en - ing the  
pu - ri - ty re - tain, Lord, un - less you  
lone shall be the praise, Give us hearts to

thanks we of - fer, All un - wor - thy though we  
cords and cur - tains Of their hab - i - ta - tion  
are the build - er, All our la - bor is in  
trust you tru - ly, Hands to serve you all our

be. Free - ly you have show - ered bless - ings Count - less  
here, Strength - en - ing your tem - ple's pil - lars As you  
vain, Keep us from all pride and boast - ing, Van - i -  
days, Lord, be - stow your fu - ture bless - ing Till we

as the o - cean's sands, Bless - ings rich and o - ver -  
have from age to age, Giv - ing us, their sons and  
ty and fool - ish trust, Know - ing that our work with -  
join the heav'n - ly host, There to praise and serve you

flow - ing On the la - bors of our hands.  
daugh - ters, An a - bid - ing her - i - tage.  
out you Soon will crum - ble in - to dust.  
ev - er, Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost.

Text: W. Górnay-Pożack, 1890-1950, alt.  
Tune: St. Hilary 087-87 Do Unknown.

STAND

**M:** The grace of our Lord (+) Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

**C:** **And also with you.**



## CONFESSION OF SINS

**M:** God invites us to come into his presence and worship him with humble and penitent hearts. Therefore, let us acknowledge our sinfulness and ask him to forgive us.

**C:** **Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful, and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner.**

**M:** God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given his only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit.

**C:** **Amen.**

# PRAYER AND PRAISE

## LORD, HAVE MERCY

*Kyrie*

**M:** For all that we need in life and for the wisdom to use all your gifts with gratitude and joy, hear our prayer, O Lord.



**M:** For the steadfast assurance that nothing can separate us from your love and for the courage to stand firm against the assaults of Satan and every evil, hear our prayer, O Christ.



**M:** For the well-being of your holy Church in all the world and for those who offer here their worship and praise, hear our prayer, O Lord.



**M:** Merciful God, maker and preserver of life, uphold us by your power and keep us in your tender care:



**M:** The works of the Lord are great and glorious; his name is worthy of praise.



C: O Lord, our Lord, how glo - rious is your name in



all the earth. Al - might - y God, mer - ci - ful Fa - ther,



you crown our life with your love. You take a - way our sin;



you com - fort our spir - it; you make us pure and



ho - ly in your sight. You did not spare your on - ly Son,



but gave him up for us all. O Lord, our Lord,



how glo - rious is your name in all the earth.



O Son of God, e - ter - nal Word of the Fa - ther,



you came to live with us; you made your Fa - ther known;

you washed us from our sins in your own blood. You are the  
 King of glo - ry; you are the Lord! O Lord, our Lord,  
 how glo - rious is your name in all the earth.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

**M:** Lord, keep your household, the church, in continual godliness. Even as you have been with us in WELS for 175 years, continue to bless us with your presence through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: A - men.

## THE WORD

### FIRST LESSON

Jeremiah 31:31-34

*<sup>31</sup> Yes, the days are coming, declares the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah. <sup>32</sup> It will not be like the covenant I made with their fathers, when I took them by the hand and led them out of the land of Egypt. They broke that covenant of mine, although I was a husband to them, declares the LORD. <sup>33</sup> But this is the covenant I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the LORD. I will put my law in their minds, and I will write it on their hearts. I will be their God, and they will be my people. <sup>34</sup> No longer will each one teach his neighbor, or each one teach his brother, saying, "Know the LORD," because they will all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, declares the LORD, for I will forgive their guilt, and I will remember their sins no more.*

## CHOIR ANTHEM

Be Strong in the Lord

## SECOND LESSON

Galatians 5:1-6

*It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not allow anyone to put the yoke of slavery on you again. <sup>2</sup> Look, I, Paul, tell you that if you allow yourselves to be circumcised, Christ will be of no benefit to you. <sup>3</sup> I testify again to every man who allows himself to be circumcised that he is obligated to do the whole law. <sup>4</sup> You who are trying to be declared righteous by the law are completely separated from Christ. You have fallen from grace.*

*<sup>5</sup> Indeed, through the Spirit, we by faith are eagerly waiting for the sure hope of righteousness. <sup>6</sup> For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision matters. Rather, it is faith working through love that matters.*

## HYMN (CW 201)

**A Mighty Fortress is Our God**  
(page 9)

## SERMON

John 8:31-36

*<sup>31</sup> So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed him, “If you remain in my word, you are really my disciples. <sup>32</sup> You will also know the truth, and the truth will set you free.”*

*<sup>33</sup> “We are Abraham’s descendants,” they answered, “and we have never been slaves of anyone. How can you say, ‘You will be set free’?”*

*<sup>34</sup> Jesus answered, “Amen, Amen, I tell you: Everyone who keeps committing sin is a slave to sin. <sup>35</sup> But a slave does not remain in the family forever. A son does remain forever. <sup>36</sup> So if the Son sets you free, you really will be free.*

### **The Truth that Sets Men Free**

*(After the sermon, the service continues with the Apostles’ Creed on page 10)*



1 A might - y for - tress is our God, A trust - y  
2 With might of ours can naught be done; Soon were our  
3 Though dev - ils all the world should fill, All ea - ger  
4 The Word they still shall let re - main, Nor an - y



shield and weap - on; He helps us free from ev - 'ry  
loss ef - fect - ed. But for us fights the val - iant  
to de - vour us, We trem - ble not, we fear no  
thanks have for it; He's by our side up - on the



need That has us now o'er - tak - en, The  
one Whom God him - self e - lect - ed. You  
ill; They shall not o - ver - pow'r us. This  
plain With his good gifts and Spir - it. And



old e - vil foe Now means dead - ly woe;  
ask, "Who is this?" Je - sus Christ it is,  
world's prince may still Scowl fierce as he will,  
do what they will— Hate, steal, hurt, or kill—



Deep guile and great might Are his dread arms in  
The al - might - y Lord. And there's no oth - er  
He can harm us none. He's judged; the deed is  
Though all may be gone, Our vic - to - ry is



fight; On earth is not his e - qual.  
God; He holds the field for - ev - er.  
done! One lit - tle word can fell him.  
won; The king - dom's ours for - ev - er!

Text: Martin Luther, 1483–1546; tr. composite.

Tune: EIN FESTE BURG (87 87 55 56 7) Martin Luther, 1483–1546, alt.

## APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

**He descended into hell.  
The third day he rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.  
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## GATHERING OF THANK OFFERING

*During the gathering of the offering, please sign the Friendship Register.*

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Gracious God, the blood of your Son, Jesus Christ, has redeemed us from sin, and the work of your Spirit in our hearts has brought us to faith. According to your promise, preserve us in faith through your Word and sacraments. Accept our humble thanks for these rich blessings, and help us to rejoice in them and use them faithfully. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Gracious God, you have brought us together in a church body in which your Word is proclaimed faithfully, the message of reconciliation through Christ is the central focus of ministry, and the mission is to reach the lost and strengthen the saved. For this gift of your grace, we give you thanks. Work in us by your Holy Spirit to rekindle our zeal for the work you have set before us. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Gracious Lord, you have given us opportunities to proclaim your Word in our nation and throughout the world. Move the hearts of more young people to prepare for the teaching and preaching ministry. Help us view them as your precious gifts. Bless the work of our schools that prepare them for ministry and provide the opportunities for them to serve in your kingdom. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Gracious Lord, you have brought us together as a church body that we may proclaim your praise. Inspire us by your grace to let our light shine so that more people may be led to glorify you. Forgive us when we fall short of living and working together as your people. Renew in us an godly determination to serve you and one another in love. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Gracious Lord, you have preserved our synod and blessed its ministry for the past 175 years. We thank you for the faithful ministers of the gospel throughout our history who have taught your truth and proclaimed your Word. Bless us in the future as you have in the past so that our synod, its congregations, and each of us may boldly confess your name for the salvation of precious souls. Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Hear us, help us, and hold your guiding hand over us that in all our service your saving name may be glorified; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **LORD'S PRAYER**

**C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**



## THE SACRAMENT

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



**C:** And al - so with you.

**M:** Lift up your hearts.



**C:** We lift them up to the Lord.

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



**C:** It is right to give him thanks and praise.

**M:** Praise to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In love he has blessed us with every spiritual blessing. He protects his Church in every age and gives us confidence to lift up our heads and watch for Jesus with joy.

Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ. To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be praise and thanks and honor and glory for ever and ever:

## HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

*Sanctus*

C: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts.  
The whole earth is full of your glo - ry.  
You are my God, and I will ex - alt you.  
I will give you thanks, for you have be - come my sal -  
va - tion. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts.  
The whole earth is full of your glo - ry.

The image shows a musical score for the hymn 'HOLY, HOLY, HOLY'. It consists of six staves of music in C major, 4/4 time. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff begins with 'C: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts.' The second staff continues with 'The whole earth is full of your glo - ry.' The third staff says 'You are my God, and I will ex - alt you.' The fourth staff says 'I will give you thanks, for you have be - come my sal -'. The fifth staff says 'va - tion. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts.' The sixth staff concludes with 'The whole earth is full of your glo - ry.'

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

**M:** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

**M:** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: A - men.

The image shows a short musical phrase in C major, 4/4 time. It consists of a single staff with the notes A4, C5, E5, and G5. The lyrics 'A - men.' are written below the notes.

# O CHRIST, LAMB OF GOD

*Agnus Dei*

C: O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the  
world; have mer - cy on us. O Christ, Lamb of God, you  
take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.  
O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the  
world; grant us your peace. A - men.

*BE SEATED*



1 Dear Chris - tians, one and all, re - joice, With  
 2 Fast bound in Sa - tan's chains I lay; Death  
 3 My own good works a - vailed me naught, No  
 4 But God be - held my wretch - ed state Be -  
 5 He spoke to his be - lov - ed Son: "'Tis

ex - ul - ta - tion spring - ing, And, with u -  
 brood - ed dark - ly o'er me. Sin was my  
 mer - it they at - tain - ing; My will a -  
 fore the world's foun - da - tion, And, mind - ful  
 time to have com - pas - sion. Then go, bright

nit - ed heart and voice And ho - ly rap - ture  
 tor - ment night and day; In sin my moth - er  
 gainst God's judg - ment fought, No hope for me re -  
 of his mer - cies great, He planned my soul's sal -  
 Jew - el of my crown, And bring man - kind sal -

sing - ing, Pro - claim the won - ders God  
 bore me. Yet deep and deep - er still  
 main - ing, My fears in - creased till sheer  
 va - tion, A Fa - ther's heart he turned  
 va - tion. From sin and sor - row set

has done, How his right arm the vic - t'ry  
 I felt; Life had be - come a liv - ing  
 de - spair, Left naught but death to be my  
 to me, Sought my re - demp - tion fer - vent -  
 them free; Slay bit - ter death for them that

won. How dear - ly it has cost him!  
 hell, So firm - ly sin pos - sessed me,  
 share And hell to be my sen - tence,  
 ly; He gave his dear - est trea - sure,  
 they May live with you for - ev - er."



1 The Church's one foun - da - tion Is Je - sus  
 2 E - lect from ev - 'ry na - tion, Yet one o'er  
 3 The Church shall nev - er per - ish. Her dear Lord,  
 4 Though with a scorn - ful won - der The world sees  
 5 Mid toil and trib - u - la - tion And tu - mult



Christ, her Lord; She is his new cre - a - tion By  
 all the earth; Her char - ter of sal - va - tion: One  
 to de - fend, To guide, sus - tain, and cher - ish, Is  
 her op - pressed, By schisms rent a - sun - der, By  
 of her war She waits the con - sum - ma - tion Of



wa - ter and the Word. From heav'n he came and  
 Lord, one faith, one birth. One ho - ly name she  
 with her to the end. Though there be those that  
 her - e - sies dis - tressed, Yet saints their watch are  
 peace for - ev - er - more Till with the vi - sion



sought her To be his ho - ly bride; With his own  
 bless - es, Par - takes one ho - ly food, And to one  
 hate her And strive to see her fail, A - gainst both  
 keep - ing; Their cry goes up, "How long?" And soon the  
 glo - rious Her long - ing eyes are blest And the great



blood he bought her, And for her life he died.  
 hope she press - es, With ev - 'ry grace en - dued.  
 foe and trai - tor She ev - er shall pre - vail.  
 night of weep - ing Shall be the morn of song.  
 Church vic - to - rious Shall be the Church at rest.

# THANKSGIVING

## THANK THE LORD

STAND



C: Thank the Lord and sing his praise. Tell ev-'ry-one what he has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re-joice and proud-ly bear his name.



He re-news his prom-is - es and leads his peo-ple forth in joy with



shouts of thanks - giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

**M:** Hear the prayer of your people, O Lord, that the lips which have praised you here may glorify you in the world, that the eyes which have seen the coming of your Son may long for his coming again, and that all who have received in his true body and blood the pledge of your forgiveness may be restored to live a new and holy life, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



C: A - - men.

**M:** Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another.  
Serve the Lord with gladness.

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and (+) give you peace.



### CLOSING HYMN (CW 293)

### God's Word is Our Great Heritage

God's Word is our great her - i - tage And shall be ours for -  
ev - er; To spread its light from age to age Shall be our  
chief en - deav - or. Through life it guides our way; In death it  
is our stay. Lord, grant, while worlds en - dure, We keep its  
teach - ings pure Through - out all gen - er - a - tions.

Text: Nikolai F. S. Grundtvig, 1783–1872; tr. Ole G. Belsheim, 1861–1925.  
Tune: REUTER (87 87 66 66 7) Friedrich O. Reuter, 1863–1924.

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## **Personal Prayers for Worship**

### **Before Communion:**

Lord, I am not worthy to be a guest at your holy table. But you are the friend of sinners, and you will not cast me out. This bread is your body, which bore my sins upon the tree. This wine is your blood, which purifies me from all guilt. At your invitation, I come rejoicing. Receive me, my Savior.

### **After Communion:**

Thank you, Lord Jesus Christ, for nourishing me in this sacrament with your body and blood. You have given me forgiveness, life, and salvation. Let me always remain in you as a branch remains in the vine. Send me out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory.

O living Bread from heaven, how richly you have fed your guest! The gifts you now have given have filled my heart with joy and rest. Lord, grant me that thus strengthened with heavenly food, while here my course on earth is lengthened, I serve with holy fear. And when you call my spirit to leave this world below, I enter through your merit where joys unmingled flow.

**Gluten Free communion wafers:** Gluten free communion wafers are available each Sunday during the Lord's Supper. They are placed on the baptismal font at the start of communion. If you would prefer this wafer, please pick it up as you approach the altar.

**In Our Prayers:** Roger LaGrange, Peter Leege, Mary Mundt, Peg Schroeder, John Schueman, and Bonnie Gotzion who are experiencing difficulties.

A special prayer for all our men & women who are serving in the Armed Forces. Among them are Carter Chavez (grandson of John & Sherry Hill), and Shannon Garrett.

## Weekly Bible Studies

**Sunday 9:15 am:** The Lord's Plan for Salvation, *sanctuary*

**Tuesday 9:00 am:** Kings and Prophets of Israel, *lower level*

**Wednesday 6:30 pm:** A Christian View of Death, *lower level*

**Thursday 6:30pm:** Bible Information Class, *lower level*

**Friday 6:00 am:** Breakfast 6:00, Bible study 6:45 | The Book of Proverbs, *DeForest Family Restaurant (505 W. North Street, DeForest)*

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### **Sunday October 26: Reformation Festival**

**Worship Service: 8:00 & 10:30 am with Holy Communion**

**9:15 am: Adult Bible Study, Sunday School, and Teen Class**

- Pastor: Joel Jenswold
- Organist: Sharon Freund
- Councilman/Elder: 8:00: Mike Wilson 10:30: Steve Kalscheuer
- Ushers 8:00: Roger and Lucas LaGrange
- Ushers 10:30: The Heath Family
- Counters: Roger LaGrange and Greg Zeman
- Altar Guild: Donna Cotter
- A/V & Recording: Devin Anderson
- Refreshments: The Weinheimer Family

### **Sunday November 2: Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost**

**Worship Service: 8:00 & 10:30 am with Holy Communion**

**9:15 am: Adult Bible Study, Sunday School, and Teen Class**

- Pastor: Joel Jenswold
- Organist: Sharon Freund
- Councilman/Elder: 8:00: Phil Boll 10:30: Paul Crary
- Ushers 8:00: Steven and Sef Fox
- Ushers 10:30: The Holzman Family
- Counters: Kim Bauer and Wayne Kaalberg
- Altar Guild: Bonnie Punzel and Reagan Oughton
- A/V & Recording: Devin Anderson
- Refreshments: Stacey and Julia Hodkiewicz and Sharon Freund Serving

**Happy Birthday** We wish God's blessings to Jenny Johnson (10/27), Kiki Sullivan (10/29), Taylor Mallien (10/30), and Elizabeth Schoeneberg (10/30), as they celebrate their birthdays this week.

**Happy Anniversary** We wish God's blessings to Austin and KaLeigh Andler (10/26), Dan and Jennifer Manthe (10/26), and Nate and Jen Sauer (10/29), as they celebrate their anniversaries this week.

## **COMING UP AT LORD OF LOVE**

**October 30:** Elders and Deaconess Meeting | 6:30 p.m. - Fellowship Hall

**November 2: Fall Back** – Remember to set your clocks back one hour.

**November 9:** Teen Night – Bible Jeopardy | 6:00 p.m. – Teen Space

**November 13:** Fellowship Committee Meeting | 6:30 p.m. – Fellowship Hall

**November 14:** LoL Fun and Games Day | 1:30 p.m. – Fellowship Hall

**November 15:** Euchre Card Party | 6:00 p.m. – Fellowship Hall

**November 20:** Friendship Circle Meeting | 6:30 p.m. – Fellowship Hall

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### **Today: Quarterly Congregational Meeting & Open Forum – 9:15 a.m.**

We will be having our quarterly congregational meeting and open forum between services in the sanctuary on October 26, 2025. (No Bible Study) At this meeting, three proposed By-Law changes will be presented and voted on.

### **Today: Fall Nature Hike / Chili, Hot Dogs & S'mores: - 11:30 a.m.**

The Fellowship Committee is hosting a Fall nature hike along the Yahara River Trail on Sunday, October 26th. Please join us for a hike enjoying God's beautiful creation followed by a lunch of chili, hot dogs, and s'mores. We will leave from the church property after the second service around 11:30 a.m. and return by 12:30 to enjoy some food and fellowship time. Please sign up so we know how much food to plan for.

### **November 2: Pre-K – 6th Grade Sunday School Children Singing**

The Sunday School children in grades Pre-K to 6th grade will be singing on November 2nd toward the beginning of both 1st and 2nd services. Please note your calendars. *Parents, please have your children arrive by 8:45 a.m. on November 2nd, and come to the worship area for a pre-service practice. Thank you.*

### **Fall Food Drive Continues through October 31**

Throughout the Month of October, we will be collecting food and nonperishable items for our local DANN (DeForest Area Needs Network), serving our local families in need. Bins are located at both entrances for your much appreciated donations.

### **November 9: Teen Night – Bible Jeopardy Game Night – 6:00 p.m.**

All youth (7<sup>th</sup> grade through 12<sup>th</sup> grade) are invited to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Bible Jeopardy game night on November 9<sup>th</sup> (Sunday)! We will gather downstairs in the teen area for some snacks and a night of team Bible trivia. Time will be 6:00-7:00. Come, and bring a friend!

### **November 15: Adult Euchre Night - 6:00 p.m. – Fellowship Hall:**

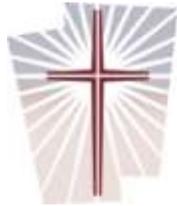
The fellowship committee is hosting another Fun Euchre Night! Come join us and enjoy this fun social event that allows you to engage in great fellowship during a euchre scramble that moves from table to table. No need for a partner to play, and No Worries if you don't know how to play, someone will be happy to teach or shadow you until you are comfortable. Bring your own beverage, and an appetizer to share if you would like. Sign-up sheet is in the narthex.

**December 14: Bus Trip to Wisconsin Seminary for Christmas at the Seminary Sign-up**

The Fellowship Committee is currently exploring chartering a coach bus to attend Christmas at the Seminary annual Christmas concert. The seminary chorus is composed of men studying for the pastoral ministry at Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary. It is directed by Prof. Aaron Christie and has toured throughout the country in its 94-year history. The concert is at 3:00 p.m. with more details to follow regarding the departure time from church.

The cost per person for bus transportation with gratuity is \$26.00 based on a 38-passenger bus. More details to follow, for now we want to gauge how many are interested in attending so we can secure the transportation. If you have interest, please sign up on the sign-up sheet in the Narthex.





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**“I rejoiced with those who said to me,  
‘Let us go to the house of the LORD.’”  
Psalm 122:1**



*Today's 8:00 service will be recorded including the Service of the Sacrament.  
Individuals taking communion will not be visible in the recording.*