



PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME TO PEACE! If you are a guest, please fill out the Visitor side of one of the attendance cards found in the pew rack. Let us know if you would like us to contact you. We are happy to have you worshipping with us today!

CHRIST'S BODY AND BLOOD, for the forgiveness of sins, are truly present in, with, and under the bread and wine in the Sacrament of the Altar. Due to theological differences among Christians regarding beliefs about this Supper, only confirmed members of an LCMS church are invited to the Lord's table. Ask a pastor if you have questions or concerns. Please register your taking of communion on your attendance card.

P = Pastor * = Stand Δ = Stand for Trinitarian stanza **C** = Congregation

Opening Voluntary

*Opening Hymn

LSB 790 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty



1 Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -
2 Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won - drous - ly
3 Praise to the Lord, who has fear - ful - ly, won - drous - ly,
4 Praise to the Lord, who will pros - per your work and de -
5 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a -



a - tion! O my soul, praise Him, for He is your
reign - ing And, as on wings of an ea - gle, up -
made you, Health has be - stowed and, when heed - less - ly
fend you; Sure - ly His good - ness and mer - cy shall
dore Him! All that has life and breath, come now with



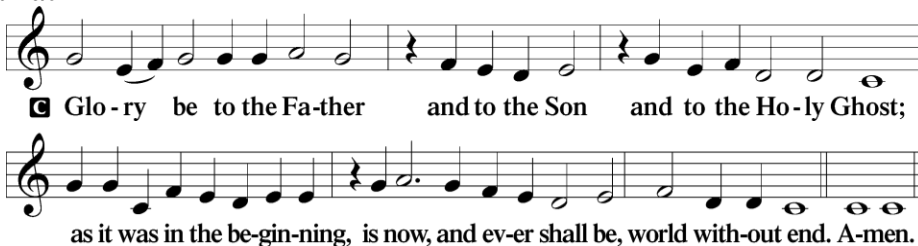
health and sal - va - tion! Let all who hear Now to His
lift - ing, sus - tain - ing. Have you not seen All that is
fall - ing, has stayed you. What need or grief Ev - er has
dai - ly at - tend you. Pon - der a - new What the Al -
prais - es be - fore Him! Let the A - men Sound from His

***Absolution**



♩ A ————— men.

***Gloria Patri**



♩ Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;
as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

***Kyrie**



♩ Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

***Salutation and Collect of the Day**

P The Lord be with you.
♩ And with thy spir - it.
P Let us pray. . .
♩ A - men.

Old Testament Reading

Deuteronomy 6:1-9

¹“Now this is the commandment, the statutes and the just decrees that the LORD your God commanded me to teach you, that you may do them in the land to which you are going over, to possess it, ²that you may fear the LORD your God, you and your son and your son’s son, by keeping all his statutes and his commandments, which I command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be long. ³Hear therefore, O Israel, and be careful to do them, that it may go well with you, and that you may multiply greatly, as the LORD, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey.

***Holy Gospel**

Mark 12:28-37

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the twelfth chapter.



C Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

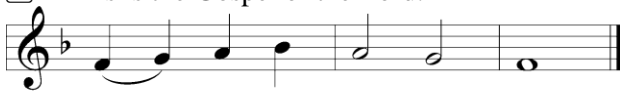
²⁸One of the scribes came up and heard them disputing with one another, and seeing that [Jesus] answered them well, asked him, “Which commandment is the most important of all?” ²⁹Jesus answered, “The most important is, ‘Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. ³⁰And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.’ ³¹The second is this: ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ There is no other commandment greater than these.” ³²And the scribe said to him, “You are right, Teacher. You have truly said that he is one, and there is no other besides him. ³³And to love him with all the heart and with all the understanding and with all the strength, and to love one’s neighbor as oneself, is much more than all whole burnt offerings and sacrifices.” ³⁴And when Jesus saw that he answered wisely, he said to him, “You are not far from the kingdom of God.” And after that no one dared to ask him any more questions.

³⁵And as Jesus taught in the temple, he said, “How can the scribes say that the Christ is the son of David? ³⁶David himself, in the Holy Spirit, declared,

“The Lord said to my Lord, Sit at my right hand, until I put your enemies under your feet.’

³⁷David himself calls him Lord. So how is he his son?” And the great throng heard him gladly.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

***Nicene Creed**

C I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the

Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life \dagger of the world to come. Amen.

Hymn of The Day

LSB 761 Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me



1 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, Let me hide my - self in Thee;
2 Not the la - bors of my hands Can ful - fill Thy Law's de-mands;
3 Noth - ing in my hand I bring; Sim - ply to Thy cross I cling.
4 While I draw this fleet - ing breath, When mine eye - lids close in death,



Let the wa - ter and the blood, From Thy riv - en side which flowed,
Could my zeal no res - pite know, Could my tears for - ev - er flow,
Na - ked, come to Thee for dress; Help - less, look to Thee for grace;
When I soar to worlds un-known, See Thee on Thy judg - ment throne,



Be of sin the dou - ble cure: Cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.
All for sin could not a - tone; Thou must save, and Thou a - lone.
Foul, I to the foun-tain fly; Wash me, Sav - ior, or I die.
Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, Let me hide my - self in Thee.

Sermon

“The Law and The Lord”

Mark 12:28–37

Sermon Notes:

Gathering of the Offering *Please fill out an attendance card and place in the offering plate*

***Offertory**



C Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -
way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

***Prayer of the Church**

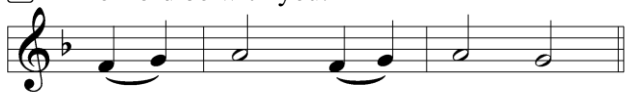
***Lord's Prayer**

C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

***Preface**

P The Lord be with you.



C And with thy spir - it.

P Lift up your hearts.



C We lift them up un - to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.



C It is meet and right so to do.

*Proper Preface

P We should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

*Sanctus



C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,



bles - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

*The Words of Our Lord

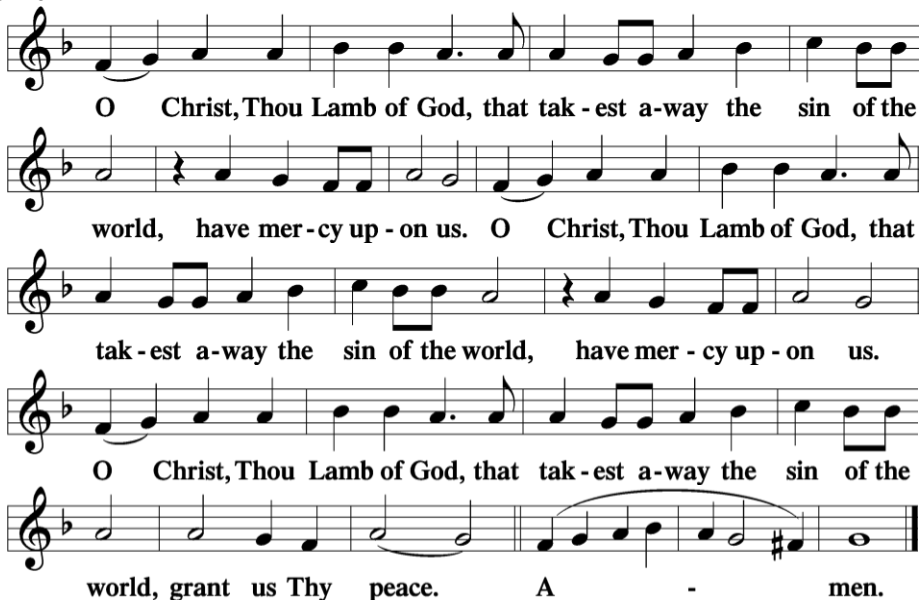
*Pax Domini

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.



C A - men.

***Agnus Dei**



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up-on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up-on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

Distribution Hymn

LSB 727 On Eagles' Wings



1 You who dwell in the shel-ter of the Lord, Who a -
 2 snare of the fowl - er will nev-er cap-ture you, And
 3 You need not fear the ter-ror of the night, Nor the
 4 For to His an-gels He's giv-en a com-mand To
 bide in His shad-ow for life,
 fam-ine will bring you no fear;
 ar-row that flies by day; Though
 guard you in all of your ways; Up -
 Say to the Lord: "My ref-uge, My
 Un-der His wings your ref-uge, His
 thou-sands fall a-bout you,
 on their hands they will bear you up, Lest you



rock in whom I trust!"
 faith - ful - ness your shield.
 Near you it shall not come.
 dash your foot a - gainst a stone.

Refrain



And He will raise you up on ea - gles' wings,



Bear you on the breath of dawn, Make you to shine like the



sun, And hold you in the palm of His hand. 2 The

Distribution Hymn

LSB 560 Drawn to the Cross, Which Thou Hast Blessed



1 Drawn to the cross, which Thou hast blessed With heal - ing
 2 Thou know - est all my griefs and fears, Thy grace a -
 3 Wash me and take a - way each stain; Let noth - ing
 4 And then for work to do for Thee, Which shall so



gifts for souls dis - tressed, To find in Thee my
 bused, my mis - spent years; Yet now to Thee with
 of my sin re - main. For cleans - ing, though it
 sweet a ser - vice be That an - gels well might



life, my rest, Christ cru - ci - fied, I come.
 con - trite tears, Christ cru - ci - fied, I come.
 be through pain, Christ cru - ci - fied, I come.
 en - vy me, Christ cru - ci - fied, I come.

Distribution Hymn**LSB 567 Not What These Hands Have Done**

1 Not what these hands have done Can save this guilt - y soul;
 2 Not what I feel or do Can give me peace with God;
 3 Thy work a - lone, O Christ, Can ease this weight of sin;
 4 Thy love to me, O God, Not mine, O Lord, to Thee,



Not what this toil - ing flesh has borne Can make my spir - it whole.
 Not all my prayers and sighs and tears Can bear my aw - ful load.
 Thy blood a - lone, O Lamb of God, Can give me peace with - in.
 Can rid me of this dark un - rest And set my spir - it free.

5 Thy grace alone, O God, To me can pardon speak;
 Thy pow'r alone, O Son of God, Can this sore bondage break.

6 I bless the Christ of God, I rest on love divine,
 And with unfalt'ring lip and heart I call this Savior mine.

Distribution Hymn**LSB 689 Let Me Be Thine Forever**

1 Let me be Thine for - ev - er, My faith - ful God and Lord;
 2 Lord Je - sus, my sal - va - tion, My light, my life di - vine,
 3 And Thou, O Ho - ly Spir - it, My com - fort - er and guide,



Let me for - sake Thee nev - er Nor wan - der from Thy Word.
 My on - ly con - so - la - tion, O make me whol - ly Thine!
 Grant that in Je - sus' mer - it I al - ways may con - fide,



Lord, do not let me wa - ver, But give me stead - fast - ness,
 For Thou hast dear - ly bought me With blood and bit - ter pain.
 Him to the end con - fess - ing Whom I have known by faith.



And for such grace for - ev - er Thy ho - ly name I'll bless.
 Let me, since Thou hast sought me, E - ter - nal life ob - tain.
 Give me Thy con - stant bless - ing And grant a Chris - tian death.

Distribution Hymn

LSB 784 Take My Life and Let It Be



1 Take my life and let it be Con - se - crat - ed,
2 Take my hands and let them move At the im - pulse
3 Take my voice and let me sing Al - ways, on - ly
4 Take my sil - ver and my gold, Not a mite would

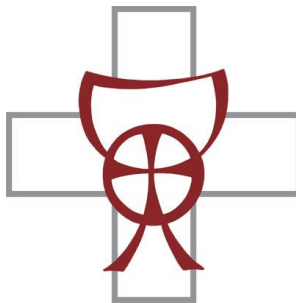


Lord, to Thee; Take my mo - ments and my days, Let them
of Thy love; Take my feet and let them be Swift and
for my King; Take my lips and let them be Filled with
I with - hold; Take my in - tel - lect and use Ev - 'ry



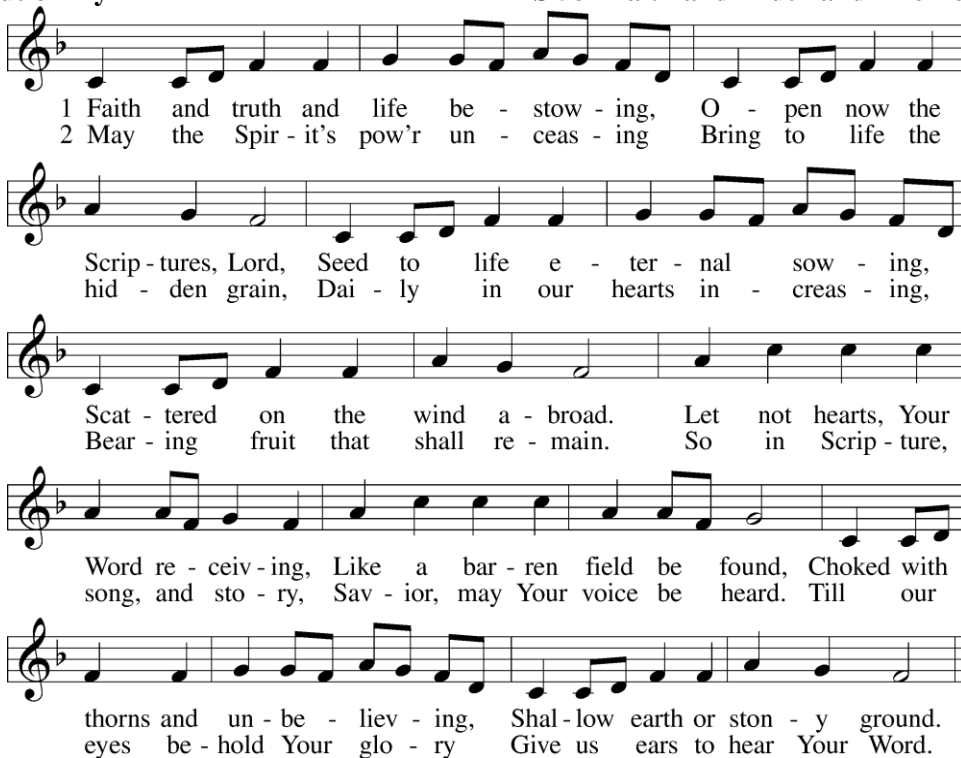
flow in cease - less praise, Let them flow in cease - less praise.
beau - ti - ful for Thee, Swift and beau - ti - ful for Thee.
mes - sag - es from Thee, Filled with mes - sag - es from Thee.
pow'r as Thou shalt choose, Ev - 'ry pow'r as Thou shalt choose.

- 5 Take my will and make it Thine, It shall be no longer mine;
Take my heart, it is Thine own,
It shall be Thy royal throne, It shall be Thy royal throne.
- 6 Take my love, my Lord, I pour At Thy feet its treasure store;
Take myself, and I will be
Ever, only, all for Thee, Ever, only, all for Thee.



Distribution Hymn

LBS 584 Faith and Truth and Life Bestowing



1 Faith and truth and life be - stow - ing, O - pen now the
2 May the Spir - it's pow'r un - ceas - ing Bring to life the

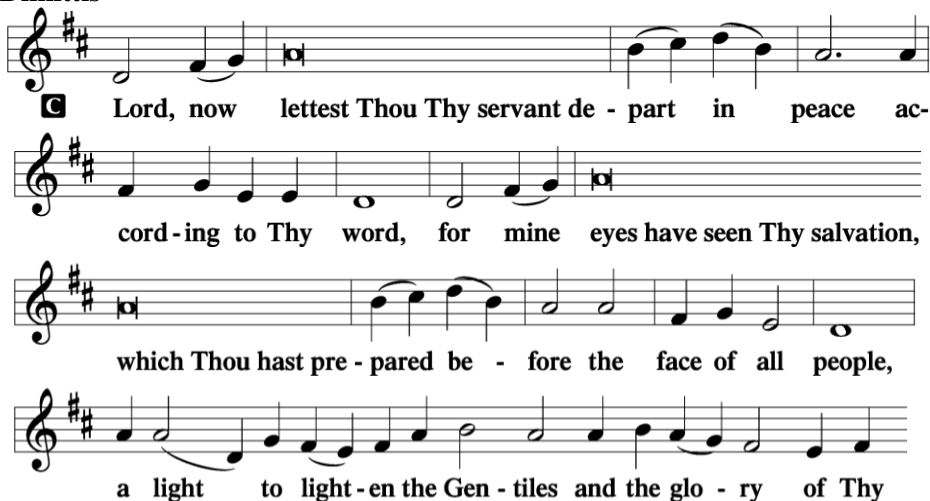
Scrip - tures, Lord, Seed to life e - ter - nal sow - ing,
hid - den grain, Dai - ly in our hearts in - creas - ing,

Scat - tered on the wind a - broad. Let not hearts, Your
Bear - ing fruit that shall re - main. So in Scrip - ture,

Word re - ceiv - ing, Like a bar - ren field be found, Choked with
song, and sto - ry, Sav - ior, may Your voice be heard. Till our

thorns and un - be - liev - ing, Shal - low earth or ston - y ground.
eyes be - hold Your glo - ry Give us ears to hear Your Word.

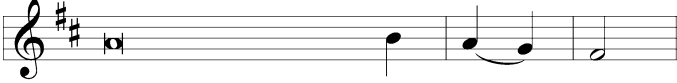
*Nunc Dimittis




Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac -
cord - ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,
which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,
a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy

peo-ple Is - ra-el. Glo - ry be to the Father and
to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

***Thanksgiving**


P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

C and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

P Let us pray. . .

C A - men.

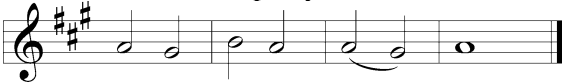
P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spir - it.

***Benedicamus**

P Bless we the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

***Benediction**

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

C A - men, a - men, a - men.

*Hymn to Depart

LSB 802 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise



1 Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,
4 Great Fa - ther of glo - ry, pure Fa - ther of light,
In light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,
Thine an - gels a - dore Thee, all veil - ing their sight;
Most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,
All laud we would ren - der: O help us to see
Al - mighty, vic - to - rious, Thy great name we praise.
'Tis on - ly the splen - dor of light that hides Thee.

*Silent Prayer

Closing Voluntary

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SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP:

Preacher: Pastor Robert Brown

Liturgists: Pastor Jon Furgeson and Seminarian Ryan Milbrath

Organist: 5:00 & 8:00: Michelle Sliger; 9:20 & 10:30: Kendra Ruesler

KFUO AM 850 Announcer/Audio Engineer/Video Engineer: J. McCreary/B. Dressel/B. Hentchel

Elders: 5:00: Art Hoferlin, Steve Kienstra; 8:00: Rick Goodman, John Roesch;
9:20: Jeff Akers, Steve Shawcross; 10:30: Rob Uthoff, Ken Werkmeister

Ushers: 5:00: Greg Wirtel, Jakob Beutelmann, Greg Hard, Stephen Schultz, Todd Wessling;
8:00: Barry Hammon, Aidan Furgeson, Ian Furgeson, Alex Jeffcott, Jack Jeffcott, Chuck Neff, Mike Suda; 9:20: John Wiesehan, Mark Dowell, Jim Huettenmeyer, Jim Johnson, Jacob Schweiss; 10:30: Darrell Ewald, Jeremiah Andrews, Joseph Kreidler, Mark Maloy, Brett Santiago, Joe Santiago, Mike Yaeger

Acolytes: 5:00: Aleah Jacobsmeyer, Ben Posadas; 8:00: Madison Gersman, Aubrey Declue;
10:30: Lyla McCarty, Hannah Stackle

Greeters: 8:00: Mary Suda; 9:20: Sara Hopfer; 10:30: Scott & Lisa Saberton

Altar Committee: Don Hopkins, Janice Schweiss

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HURRICANE RELIEF FUND: Our LCMS has created a system for monetary and volunteer support for relief of places struck by the hurricanes. Please visit the website lcms.org/hurricane-response to find out more.

“NO” ON AMENDMENT 3 LIFE CHAIN will be held this afternoon November 3, from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. in front of St. Francis of Assisi Church, 4556 Telegraph Road. All are welcome to join. Please park in the church parking lot. Questions? Please contact Steve Andrews.

REMINDER: PEACE WILL BE A POLLING PLACE THIS TUESDAY from 6:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. Please plan accordingly.

ALASKA MISSION QUARTER AUCTION is Friday, November 8, 6:30-9:00 p.m., in the gymnasium to raise funds for 2025 Alaska Mission. Tickets are available at the Commons Counter.

LWML MITE BOX COLLECTION is next weekend. Stop by the Welcome Center to drop off/pick up a mite box for LWML Mission Projects. We appreciate your October donations of \$145.

KFUO BROADCAST SPONSORSHIPS FOR 2025 ARE NOW AVAILABLE by clicking on the “Opportunities” button on our website. New this year, sponsorships can be paid online with a credit card, if desired. Peace’s 8:00 a.m. service will once again be broadcast live on KFUE AM 850 for the months of February, March, and April in 2025. If you have any questions, please contact Alan Hopper.

BOY SCOUT PANCAKE BREAKFAST is next Sunday, November 10, 7:30-10:30 a.m., in the Peace gymnasium. Donations help support St. Trinity Cemetery and Scout recharter fees and camping. As a thank you from the Scout organization, all Veterans eat free!

JOIN US FOR LADIES CLUB on Tuesday, November 19, for fellowship and relaxation. Paint a snowman any way you want and have a chance to vote in the “Best Snowman” contest. We will also be playing the rudest holiday game. See you there!

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE BAGS will be handed out the weekend of November 23/24. Please fill and return on them on Thanksgiving Day or the weekend after. The food collected benefits the Concordia Seminary Food Bank as well as Feed My People.

ANGEL GIVING TREE Beginning Sunday, November 24, Social Ministry will place two Christmas trees, decorated with angel ornaments near the front and back entrances at Peace. To participate, simply take an ornament from one of the trees, purchase the gift item noted on the ornament, and return the unwrapped gift to the tree nearest the church office by Sunday, December 15. The gifts will be distributed by Feed My People to families in need this Christmas season.

CALLING ALL KIDS AGED 3 YEARS OLD THROUGH 5TH GRADE! The children of Peace will be leading the Advent Service on **Wednesday, December 18, at 6:30 p.m.** They will tell the Christmas Story through songs, poems, and scripture verses. We would love for you to participate! Parents, if your child(ren) is interested in participating register them online at the Portal Page on the Peace website or by scanning this QR code. **We will have one practice on Saturday, December 14, from 8-9:45 a.m.** If you have any questions, please talk to Pastor Brown or Christina.





THE 28TH ANNUAL BOAR'S HEAD FESTIVAL is December 5-8. Businesses, families, and individuals who would like to support the festival financially may use the contribution form in the October Peace Lutheran, donate online through our "Opportunities" page on the Peace website, or call Ralph and Grace Truemper. **For ways to volunteer, see the "Opportunities" page on the Peace website, or pick up a purple Volunteer Form on the Commons Counter by the Boar's Head box.**

3RD THROUGH 6TH GRADERS NEEDED for the cast of the Boar's Head Christmas Festival this year! If interested, please contact Merrily Goldsmith.

TICKETS FOR THE BOAR'S HEAD CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL are available to the general public now by calling the Church Office at (314)892-5610 or going online to the Peace website.

HELP SPREAD THE WORD ABOUT THE BOAR'S HEAD FESTIVAL by sharing a brochure or postcard with friends and family. Brochures explain what the Boar's Head Festival is and provide information about this year's services. Postcards and brochures are available on the Commons Counter by the Boar's Head box.

WE NEED COOKIES FOR THE BOAR'S HEAD FESTIVAL! After each festival service, we have a reception in the gym for our guests, serving wassail, punch, and homemade cookies. That's where we need your help. Each year, we need 1,000 dozen cookies! If you can donate cookies (one to twelve dozen) for our receptions, please indicate so on the purple form found on the Commons Counter by the Boar's Head box. Questions? Contact Katie Uthoff. Thank you!

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 3, 2024

<u>Sunday, November 3:</u>	DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS 11:30am – Life Ministry 12:00pm – New Member Class 4:00pm – Sanctus Winds Concert 6:00pm – Pickleball Open Play
<u>Monday, November 4:</u>	8:00am – Stepping Out in Faith 7:00pm – Bells of Peace Rehearsal 7:00pm – Boy Scout Troop 584 Meeting
<u>Tuesday, November 5:</u>	6:00am - ELECTION DAY POLLING SITE 9:00am – Quilters 9:00am – Plastic Mat Making 7:00pm – Orchestra of Peace Rehearsal
<u>Wednesday, November 6:</u>	9:30am – Banner Committee 4:00pm – Junior Confirmation 6:30pm – High School Youth 7:00pm – Wednesday Evening Bible Study
<u>Thursday, November 7:</u>	9:00am – Mary Martha Bible Study 10:00am – Preschool Grandparents Day 3:45pm – GPLS Basketball 7:00pm – Chancel Choir Rehearsal
<u>Friday, November 8:</u>	8:00am – Stepping Out in Faith 7:00pm – Alaska Mission Quarter Auction
<u>Sunday, November 10:</u>	7:00am – Boy Scout Pancake Breakfast 11:30am – Life Ministry Book Club 6:00pm – Pickleball Open Play

UPCOMING EVENTS



SANCTUS

WINDS
A Sacred Band

Concert

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3
4:00 PM

Boy Scout Troop 584

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sunday, November 10
7:30am - 11:00am

Donations help support
St. Trinity Cemetery
and Scout Recharter fees/camping
Sponsored by Thrivent Financial




**Veterans, please enjoy
breakfast on us!**

ALASKA MISSION QUARTER AUCTION

Friday, November 8
in the Peace Gymnasium

DOORS OPEN AT 6:00PM
AUCTION STARTS AT 7:00PM

Tickets are \$10
Soda and desserts served
Feel free to bring snacks
for your table



2024 Boar's Head Christmas Festival
December 5, 6, 7 - 7:30pm - December 8 - 2:30 and 6:00 pm
Reserve your FREE tickets NOW!