

for the Week of November 24, 2024

Sunday School - Children K - 5th Grade

Sunday school classes begin at 9:25 am in Room 116 for music. At 10:30 am parents may pick up K-5th graders from Room 113.

Jr IMPACT Bible Class

Students meet at 9:30 in Room 119 with Scott Peters.

Sr IMPACT Bible Class

Students meet at 9:30 with Pastor's adult Bible study.

Special Needs Bible Class

Students meet at 9:30 with Sandy Ehrett in the Library.

Adult Bible Class

At 9:30ish, Pastor leads a discussion over the book of 1 Samuel in the fellowship hall.

Adult Bible Class Small Group Alternative

Mike Kunschke leads a study on the book of Isaiah at 9:30 in Room 115.

Poinsettias Available for this Christmas Season

Poinsettias are available to dedicate in "thanksgiving for" or "memory of" someone you designate, for \$14 each. You may then take a poinsettia home after Christmas. Please sign up in the narthex.

Thanksgiving Eve Service - Nov. 27th @7PM

Please join us this Wednesday evening for a worship service at 7PM.

Pledge Sunday and Voters' Meeting - December 1

In two weeks, please remember to bring your pledge cards to place them before the altar during the service. If you are unable to attend that day, you may place it in an offering basket any Sunday in the next few weeks. Also, please be advised that our semi-annual Voters' Meeting will be immediately after the late service that same Sunday. The focus will be approving the 2025 budget.

E-Kids Giving Tree



Every year we collect names and wish lists from Expansion Mission Network church plants. These LCMS church plants are across our Metroplex area, connecting with the Hispanic community, and are able to see first-hand the families that are in need. This year, they have adopted families from apartment complexes in Dallas, Rockwall and Carrollton. Remember to return your gifts **by December 8th.**

Choir Rehearsals

Do you like to sing? Or at least enjoy making a joyful noise? If so, join us for Advent choir rehearsals on Wednesday nights after Advent services @7:45pm-ish. Hope to see you there!

A Life Thought in the Church Year

The Scriptural Ancient of Days has gray hair (Daniel 7:9). The Word of the Lord pictures Him as aged. And while the world idolizes youthfulness, the Bible speaks flatteringly of getting old. "Elder" is a compliment, long life is blessing, and advanced years embody wisdom and honor, even though they often also entail weaknesses. The Gospel of everlasting life in Christ leaves no room for physician-assisted suicide.

This Week on KFUO.org

We continue our study of the Psalms of thanksgiving on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT), and discuss chapters 8-11 in the Gospel of John on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT). Tune into Concord Matters this Saturday (11/30 at 10:00 a.m. CT) to learn more about the Lutheran view of the Sacrament. Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or on the KFUO Radio app!



Salvation Outline

The following seven points summarize the basic information about the human condition and God's saving grace. You may want to memorize these points so that you may share them with someone who does not yet believe in Jesus as his or her Savior.

- 1. *God loves you!* "For God so loved the world, that he gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life" (**John 3:16**).
- 2. You are a sinner. "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Rom. 3:23).
- 3. God punishes sin. "For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord" (Rom. 6:23).
- 4. *Jesus took our punishment.* "But God shows His love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us" (**Rom. 5:8**).
- 5. Jesus rose from the dead. "For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that He was buried, that He was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures" (1 Cor. 15:3-4).
- 6. Jesus offers forgiveness of sins and eternal life to those who believe in Him. "Then he brought them out and said, 'Sirs, what must I do to be saved?' And they said, 'Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household" (Acts 16:30–31).
- 7. Salvation is free—a gift from God. "For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast" (**Eph. 2:8–9**).

Serving Our Worship Today:

Greeters:

Pastor: Pastor Joel Shaltanis Organist: Daniel Kim Acolyte:

Emily Scarth

Altar Guild: Jessica Reeves, Clarice Lundquist, Joanna Smith

Tom Read, Greg Moudy Elder:

Stu & Sandy Ehrett, Laurie & Abby George

Ushers: Mike Paradise, Jeff Loewecke Sound: Brian Wolf, Nick Moudy

This Week at Lord of Life-Today, Nov 24, 2024

8:00 am Early Worship Service 9:30 am Children's Sunday School

(K-5th Gr, Room 113)

Jr IMPACT Class (Room 119)

Sr IMPACT w/adults (Fellowship Hall)

Special Needs Class (Library)

Adult Bible Class (Fellowship Hall) Adult Bible Small Class (Room 115)

10:45 am Late Worship Service

Wednesday, November 27

7:00 pm Thanksgiving Eve Service

Next Sunday's Readings December 1, 2024

Old Testament: Jer. 33:14–16

Epistle: 1 Thess. 3:9–13

Gospel: Luke 19:28–40



The flower arrangements on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God by Al & Norma Martin in celebration of their 67th anniversary & Al's birthday; and by Duffy & Cindy Carter in celebration of Arlene Munden's birthday.