—Lord of Life———ANNOUNCEMENTS

for the Week of October 5, 2025

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 & Sr IMPACT Bible Class

Students meet at 9:30 AM in Room 122 with Scott Peters; "Our Wise Friends," wisdom literature of the Bible.

Special Needs Bible Class

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

Adult Bible Class

At 9:30ish, Pastor Shaltanis leads an adult class on Lutheran Liturgy in the Fellowship Hall.

Adult Bible Class Small Group Alternative

Mike Kunschke leads a study on the Gospel of John at 9:30 AM in Room 115.



We are pleased to be receiving into membership this morning:

Jason Rempert

Do you like to sing?

Would you like to try Choir? We are forming a choir for Reformation Sunday, October 26th. We will rehearse at 7 PM in the Sanctuary on October 8th, 15th and 22nd and sing in the Reformation Celebration at 10 AM on October 26th. Please contact Linda Haupt (214-709-2286) with any questions.

Digital Evangelism: Reaching Hearts beyond the Church Walls

Sharing God's love can be as simple as liking, commenting, following, or sharing our posts—each small action helps spread the message of hope and faith, right from where you are. Do not underestimate the power of your small social media interactions to plant seeds of faith in others. If

you are not already following Lord of Life Lutheran Church on Instagram, Facebook, YouTube and LinkedIn — please do.

Reformation Sunday - One Service with Potluck

It's time to celebrate the 508th anniversary of the Reformation, which began on October 31, 1517, when Martin Luther posted his Ninety-five Theses on the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany. Lord of Life will celebrate this special day in Church History with a Reformation and Oktoberfest potluck after the ONE SERVICE at 10:00 a.m. on Sunday October 26th! Family Ministry will provide brats, hot dogs, hot dog buns, condiments, and beverages.



There are sign-up sheets in the narthex where you can let us know that you will be in attendance, as well as letting us know what delicious food you will bring to share. Also, if your schedule permits, there are several opportunities to help set up and clean up the fellowship hall on Saturday October 25th and/or Sunday. Bitte machen Sie mit! (Please, join us!)

Women's Evening Bible Study Announcement

Deaconess Intern Paige will begin a new Women's Bible Study on the Book of Ruth. This study will begin on Tuesday, October 14 at 7pm and will last three sessions. The only materials required will be your bible and a pencil. Everything else will be provided. Hope to see you there!

Stewardship Thought in the Church Year

Luke 17:10 – "So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, 'We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty." We can never put God in our debt. Even if we lived in perfect compliance with the Law, we would still only be unworthy servants. Our giving to the Lord's work in the church is a sign that we recognize our role as servants. Furthermore, we give because we recognize our own need for that work of the Lord in the church. And what a blessing it is to give to the church so that the ministry of His Word and Sacraments may reach all in our community.

A Life Thought in the Church Year

As the world continues to devalue human life, we cry out to God like Habakkuk, "Violence!" (Habakkuk 1:2). Knowing the One in whom we have believed (2 Timothy 1: 12), we are not shaken, for He is our rock, our salvation, and our fortress (Psalm 62:2). Our Lord, who abhors even the thought that His little ones should be enticed to sin (Luke 17:2), certainly does not sit idly by as those little ones are abused, neglected, and killed. He hears our prayers and answers them all in the way He knows best. "If it seems slow, wait for it; it will surely come; it will not delay" (Hab. 2:3).

Christ for You this Week on KFUO.org

Starting tomorrow, we are beginning a new series on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8 a.m. CT)! The series will be centered on Christian marriage, and will look at Song of Solomon, as well as select chapters in Genesis and Ephesians. Tune in to Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 a.m. CT) as we continue our series on the Gospel of Matthew! This week's study will take us through chapters 5-8. Don't forget to tune in to Concord Matters this Saturday (10/11 at 10 a.m. CT)! We'll be wrapping up our study of the 10 commandments as confessed in the Large Catechism. Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or in the KFUO Radio app!

Serving Our Worship Today:

Pastor: Rev. Joel Shaltanis
Organist: Daniel Kim

Altar Guild: Gail Senter, Charis Bennett, Sherri Kunschke

Elders: Mike Kunschke, Doug Hite Acolytes: Ana Scarth, Scarlet Jackson

Greeters: Scarth Family, Laurie and Abby George Ushers: Ben Scarth, Jeff Loewecke

Sound: Russ Wilkerson, Doug Hite

This Week at Lord of Life - Today, Oct. 5, 2025

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

(K-5th Gr, Room 113)

Jr & Sr IMPACT Class (Room 122)

Special Needs Class (Library)

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

10:45 AM Late Worship Service

Tuesday, October 7

12:00 PM Ladies' Bible Study

Wednesday, October 8

10:00 AM Midweek Adult Bible Study

5:15 PM 6th Gr Confirmation

7:00 PM Adult Choir

Next Sunday's Readings October 12, 2025

Old Testament: Ruth 1:1–19a

Epistle: 2 Tim. 2:1–13

Gospel: Luke 17:11–19



The flower arrangements on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God by Dave & Gail Senter in memory of Susan Gromatzky; and by Mike & Lane Montgomery in celebration of their anniversary.



About the Cover: At the end of the day, our service to the Lord can never repay Him for our salvation, let alone accomplish it. It is merely our duty to serve and obey Him. Our vocations are the arenas where the Lord works through us to accomplish His purposes. So when we think about all that we have done when the sun sets each day, all the glory goes to God, who has given us the work and, above all, has saved us by Jesus' redemptive work.