

Lord of Life **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

for the Week of November 2, 2025

Little Lutherans - Children ages 2 - 4 years old

Little Lutherans class begins at 9:25 AM in Room 116 for music. At 10:30 AM parents may pick up preschoolers from Room 110.

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

Will not meet today, but will resume next Sunday.

Adult Bible Class

At 9:30ish, Pastor Shaltanis leads an adult class 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.

All Church Work Day, Saturday November 8 at 9:00 AM

On Saturday, November 8 at 9:00 AM, we will have an All Church Work Day. Please join us as we spruce up around the church inside and out. Bring any appropriate tools and gloves. Lunch will be provided. Please contact Scott Peters with any questions you may have and/or to let him know you will attend. speters@planolutheran.com.

Lutheran World Relief Truck Loading

It's time to send quilts and kits to LWR. Please sign up if you can help deliver quilts from Lord of Life to Messiah Lutheran (1801 W. Plano Pkwy, Plano) on Saturday, November 8, 2025, at 9 am. Also, please sign up to help load the semi-truck with quilts and kits from groups around North Texas on Saturday, November 8, 2025, for an hour or 2 from 9 am to 2 pm at Messiah. Snacks and drinks are provided.

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.

Stewardship Thought in the Church Year

Matthew 5:6 – “**Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.**” You only hunger and thirst for what you don’t have. Jesus has come to fill us up with righteousness — His own righteousness. He is the self-giving Lord whose sacrifice inspires us to be givers, too.

A Life Thought in the Church Year

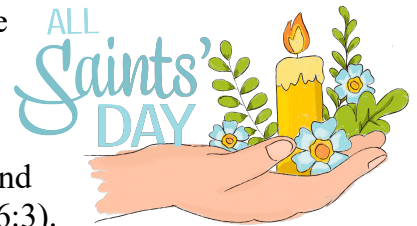
The crowd around Jesus reminds us that our sinful flesh is always tempted to look upon those of small stature as those who are less worthy of Christ’s love and protection (Luke 19:3-7). But Jesus reminds us that whether they are physically small (like the unborn), or if we belittle them because of their sins (like Zacchaeus), He desires His salvation to come unto every person and each house (Luke 19:9), “for with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with Him is plentiful redemption” (Psalm 130:7).

Christ for You this Week on KFUO.org

We're continuing our series, "Letters from Prison" on Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8 a.m. CT)! This week we'll begin the letter to the Colossians. Tune in to Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 a.m. CT) as we study the Gospel of Matthew. This week, we are covering chapters 18-19. Don't forget to join us this Saturday (11/8 at 10 a.m. CT) for Concord Matters! We're studying the 3rd Article of the Apostles' Creed in the Large Catechism. Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or in the KFUE Radio app.

REMEMBERING THE SAINTS

All Saints’ Day, like the Christian funeral, is given to confess the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. It is a day of comfort for those who “feebly struggle” here while their loved ones “in glory shine” (LSB 677:4). We miss those who have fallen asleep in the Lord, but we know that, though they have died, yet they live, and they are with Jesus: “Now safely home in endless day” (LSB 676:3).



They are in heaven. But that isn’t the whole story. Jesus will raise their bodies from the grave on the Last Day. This article originally appeared in the June/July, 2017 issue of The Lutheran Witness. Body and soul will be reunited to live with God in ceaseless joy in a new heavens and a new earth. On All Saints’ Day, the Scriptures, the liturgy, the hymns and the preaching all hit on this theme. It is the yearly feast commemorating all who have died in Christ and now rest from their labors. It reminds us that the risen Lord, Jesus Christ, will raise them from the dead. He will raise you as well. That is the other theme of All Saints’ Day. Unless the Lord returns first, you will physically die. This is the common experience of all children of Adam. The wages of sin is death (ROM. 6:23). All sinners must die. But the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ. This gift is for you, just as it is for your loved ones who have gone before. Jesus died for you to take your sins away. He died your death. Now death cannot have you. You belong to Jesus, who is risen from the dead. In Baptism, He gives you His life. All Saints’ Day is a little preview of your funeral. Your body will rise!

(June/July 2017 Lutheran Witness, J. Krentz)

Serving Our Worship Today:

Pastor:	Rev. Joel Shaltanis
Organist:	Daniel Kim
Lux Venit Choir Director:	Melanie Braucht
Altar Guild:	Susan Knowles, Beverly Moudy, Laurie George
Elders:	Greg Moudy, Mike Kunschke
Acolyte:	Emily Scarth
Greeters:	Scarth Family, Charis Bennett and Cheryl Tyler
Ushers:	Ben Scarth, Jeff Loewecke
Sound:	Brian Wolf, Gideon Selvaraj

This Week at Lord of Life - Today, Nov. 2, 2025

8:00 AM	Early Worship Service
9:30 AM	Little Lutherans (2-4yrs, Room 110) Children's Sunday School (K-5th Gr, Room 113) Jr & Sr IMPACT Class (Room 122) Adult Bible Class (Fellowship Hall) Adult Bible Small Class (Room 115)
10:45 AM	Late Worship Service

Tuesday, November 4

12:00 PM	Ladies' Bible Study
6:00 PM	Handbells
7:00 PM	Ladies' Bible Study

Wednesday, November 5

10:00 AM	Midweek Adult Bible Study
5:15 PM	6 th Gr Confirmation

Friday, November 7

9:00 AM	Comfort makers
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Next Sunday's Readings November 9, 2025

First Reading:	Ex. 3:1–15
Epistle:	2 Thess. 2:1–8, 13–17
Gospel:	Luke 20:27–40



Altar Flowers

Both flower arrangements on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God by Gary Nuschler in loving memory of Shannon Nuschler; and by the elders.