



Next Week: *Christ the King; Contemporary Service at 10:30am*

Theme: *Though he appears in all humility on the cross, Jesus is indeed the King.*

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Pastor Kneser, recovering from surgery.

DIVINE CALLS


A call has been extended to Mr. Daniel Johnson to serve as principal. He is currently at Mount Lebanon Lutheran School in Milwaukee. A call was extended to Ms. Jordan Paustian to teach 7th grade. She is currently at Life Lutheran School in Friendswood, Texas.

Please pray for Mr. Mike Henning, deliberating a call to serve as principal of Christ Alone Lutheran School, Thiensville, Wisconsin.

MEDITATIONS

It's time to renew or purchase your annual subscription to *Meditations*. The cost is \$16.75 per year. Subscription forms are on the table in the entryway. **Forms are due with payment by November 13th.**

BIBLE CLASSES

 Sunday mornings will have the same study at both campuses at 9:15am: *Sacraments – A Visible, Tangible Encounter with God* starts this week. Using Luther's Large Catechism as a guide, we will review the importance of the Sacraments. We will examine Biblical truths as well as considering practical applications. *No Bible Class November 27th!*

There are two different classes on Wednesdays. A study of *Church Fathers* at 10:00am & 7:00pm is at Woodlawn. A study of the *Augsburg Confession* is ongoing at 7:00pm at Good Shepherd's. *Both Wednesday classes will end November 16th* so members can be available to attend one of the Midweek Advent services.

A Senior Bible study is held at Good Shepherd's at 11:00am on Thursdays.

Mary Mornings is held the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month at 9:00am at Woodlawn.

Please take a flyer on the table in the entryway for details.

LADIES AID HARVEST FAIR

Our annual Craft Fair/Bake Sale is **THIS WEEKEND!** The funds we raise go toward various projects at Living Hope as well as numerous WELS agencies and missions. The event will be open on Saturday, **November 12th** after service. It is also open Sunday, **November 13th** after both services.

SCRIP / RAISE RIGHT

Our next order is on **Monday, November 14**. Please be aware that we will order three consecutive weeks at the end of November and into December for Christmas. Pick up an order form from the carousel outside Pastor Kneser's office. A retailer listing is also available. Contact Mrs. Gasper at mgasper@logls.org with questions.

LUTHER PREPARATORY SCHOOL CONCERT


Join us on Sunday, **November 13** for our annual Fall Instrumental Concert. This year's performance will feature the Concert and Jazz Bands, the String and Guitar Ensembles, the Brass Choir, and our Prep Ringers Handbell Choir.

Our program is entitled "A Dockside Concert: Music from the Waterfront," and will include a variety of entertaining musical selections. The concert will begin at 7:00pm in the LPS Auditorium (1300 Western Avenue in Watertown). No tickets are necessary, but a free will collection will be taken.

THANK YOU

Barbara Kopplin would like to thank those who have been expressing their kindness and concern in connection with the health struggles she has been having. She appreciates your thoughtfulness and prayers.


LADIES' LUNCH

 Join us for a ladies' lunch on Sunday, **November 20th**, at 12:00pm at Pizza Crafters in Menomonee Falls. We'll leave right after church and can carpool if necessary. Please let Holly Wempner know if you are coming so we can give the restaurant an accurate count. Email her at grovegirl7@gmail.com if you have questions. Ladies from both Living Hope campuses are welcome. Hope to see you there!


ACCOUNTING POSITION AVAILABLE

Are you looking for a part-time position with flexible hours and the potential to work remotely? Living Hope is a recently merged WELS congregation in West Allis that is seeking an accountant for its church, childcare center, and school. Primary job duties include accounting and bookkeeping functions such as paying invoices, preparing monthly financial reports, reconciling statements, working with the school choice auditor, and assisting in the preparation of annual budgets. The accountant will also oversee other financial-related church functions done by members of the congregation or by an external payroll company. An accounting degree or equivalent experience is required. If you are interested, please send your resume to Living-HopeWELS@gmail.com by **November 15th**.


SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

When you are grieving a loved one's death, the holiday season can be especially painful. Join us for a 2-hour encouraging seminar at St. John's Lutheran Church (4001 S. 68th Street in Milwaukee) to discover how to deal with emotions, traditions, social events, and how to find hope for the future. There are two sessions, Wednesday, **November 16** at 6:00pm or Saturday, **November 19** at 10:30am. Find the event and sign up online at www.griefshare.org/holidays. A poster is on the bulletin board and flyers to share on the table in the entryway. 

B-Team Basketball Tournament

 **We Need Your Help** for our pre-season basketball tournament! It will be held the weekend of **November 17-20** at Lamb of God. We hope to see every school family there at some point during the weekend! Help from the congregation is also welcome with donations for our concession stand as well as volunteers to man it. We also need volunteers to work the scorer's table (clock and scorebook), and to take tickets at the door. Thank you in advance for your help in making our tournament a success! All of the proceeds from the tournament go to the PTO. Please go to the following link to sign-up or to donate: <https://www.logls.org/page/athletic-log-tournament>


THANKSGIVING WORSHIP

 Living Hope will have two Thanksgiving Services this year. The first will be at 6:30pm on **Wednesday, November 23rd**. This service will be at Good Shepherd's. The second service will be at 9:00am on **Thursday, November 24th**. This service will be at Woodlawn. The services will be the same at each location with Pastor Wempner preaching for both services.

LIVING NATIVITY FLOAT HELP NEEDED!

We will participate in the West Allis Christmas parade on Saturday, **December 3** to promote our Living Nativity event and make the community aware of our congregations. We need to make a small float for the event. If you have skills that could help us with this, please contact Mike Zarling as soon as possible. You can contact him at Mike.Zarling@directsupply.com.

A NIGHT IN BETHLEHEM

 Our Living Nativity program "*A Night in Bethlehem*" is back on Saturday, **December 10th** from 4:00-6:00pm. We will also be inviting the greater West Allis community this year at the West Allis Christmas Parade on Saturday, December 3rd via a float and parade walkers. Sign-up and attendance sheets are on the table next to the display. For added comfort for all this year, we will host most of this event in our cozy warm gym at Good Shepherd's.



WOMEN'S ADVENT BY CANDELIGHT

Sign up now for Living Hope's Advent by Candlelight on Sunday, **November 27** at 6 p.m. at Living Hope – Good Shepherd's. Join us for an evening of Bible readings, beautiful music, and delicious desserts. We'll be learning how God places all kinds of unique women in the family line of Jesus.

Girls grade 7th and up and women of the congregations, please invite your female family members, friends, and neighbors for a Christ-centered preparation for the holiday season. Please consider bringing a dessert to share and note that on the sign-up sheets that are in the back tables of both campuses or on this link for Sign-Up Genius by November 20th at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040A44A8AB2CA1F85-advent>.

For more information, please contact Trish Peterson, Lynn Wessel, Jill Parbs, or Karen Cooley.

WISCONSIN LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

WLHS Host Families Needed—Wisconsin Lutheran High School is looking for help to find more host families for international students during the short Thanksgiving break, as well as for the upcoming Christmas and spring breaks. Families receive a stipend to support their efforts with the student. If you are interested in learning more, please visit wlhs.org/homestay for more details, or contact the International Student Program Director Mr. Eric Duwe at eric.duwe@wlhs.org.

USHERS

We are looking to make an Ushers schedule to extend into next year. The current schedule ends in January 2023. The new schedule would go through the end of July 2023. Both male and female members of Woodlawn and Jordan are encouraged to volunteer. Please contact Dan Ody at U1194212@gmail.com if you would like to be included on an usher team.

The Lutheran Choral of Milwaukee

...presents *Hail Redemption's Dawn* ~ A Prelude to Christmas Concert on Sunday, **November 27**, at 2:00pm & 4:30pm. The concert will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church (6802 W. Forest Home Ave. in Milwaukee). Please join the Lutheran Choral of Milwaukee, under the direction of Levi Nagel, to celebrate our Savior's birth. For a special treat, come to the 4:30pm concert when a few of the carols will be sung by candlelight! A free will offering will be collected to support the choir's ministry. Find out more at lutherancho-rale.org.

SEASONAL WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

There are many opportunities to worship in addition to regular Sunday services as we prepare to celebrate the birth of our Savior. A printed schedule will be available soon.



CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEERS




Thank you to each and every one of our cleaning volunteers who have stayed on the schedule to clean our church each week. Your service is greatly appreciated! We will be working on a new schedule for January – June 2023 very soon. A list of duties can be found at the top of the Cleaning Schedule posted on the bulletin board between the mailboxes. If anyone is interested in volunteering or would like to be removed from the schedule, please contact Mrs. Gasper in the church office at 414-321-2126 or email at mgasper@logls.org.

NOVEMBER IS LWMS BEFRIEND A MISSION MONTH



There are several ways that we at Living Hope can Be a Friend to our three LWMS specific missions and missionaries this year. First – We partner with them and get to know where and what their ministry is and to know personally the missionary serving each of them (along with his family, the joys and challenges of the ministry, and how we can help meet their specific needs). Second – We can pray. This is the most frequent mentioned “wish” that missionaries ask of us and it is the most powerful thing we can do. Anyone can pray! Third – We can encourage them with cards, letters and emails. Highlights of each of our missions will be shared each Sunday in November or you can view them all on the LWMS Befriend A Mission board in the lobby. Our three missions for November are: Beautiful Savior in Fayetteville, NC; Carbon Valley in Firestone, CO; and The Vine in Joplin, MO.

CHRISTMAS AT THE SEMINARY



The Seminary Chorus, a 68-voice men's choir composed of students at Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary, will present its annual Festival of Lessons and Carols on Sunday, **December 11**, at 3:00pm and 7:00pm in the campus auditorium. Featured will be traditional and contemporary anthems for choir, and hymns and carols for the audience. There are no advanced ticket sales; a free-will offering is appreciated. The seminary is located at 11831 N. Seminary Drive in Mequon. Find more information on Facebook and at wisluthsem.org.

FOOD PANTRY – LOW SUPPLIES



Our food supplies are running low!! Please donate food items for our own Woodlawn Food Pantry. Donations can be placed in the donation room bins, near the member information boxes.

Warning—*You will never receive legitimate email or text messages from any of our pastors asking for gift cards for any reason. Should you receive any message like that, please disregard it!*

+ Rosane S. Bourassa +

Rosane S. Bourassa passed away peacefully on Sunday, October 30th at the age of 83. Preceded in death by her beloved husband, Kenneth Bourassa. Loving mother of Dawn (Jerry) Smith, Randy (Sue) Bourassa and Tammy Wergin. Proud grandmother of Jeremy (Jessica) Smith, Tyler Smith (Lexi Jokisch), Lucas Bourassa (Kayla Kermendy), Brady Smith and Stuart Wergin. Great grandmother of Eleanor Smith. She is also survived by many other family and friends. Rosane was an active church member and enjoyed serving on Ladies Aid. She loved cooking, baking and spending time with her family. She took great pride in the education of children as she taught and tutored children for over 40 years. Ladder golf... not so much.

Memorial Gathering at Woodlawn Evangelical Lutheran Church, 2217 South 99th Street, West Allis, WI 53227 on Tuesday, November 15th from 10:00 AM until time of Memorial Service at 11:00 AM. Reception and fellowship following service at Myers Restaurant 4260 South 76th Street, Greenfield, WI 53220.

THIS WEEK AT WOODLAWN

Sun. Nov. 13 – Worship w/Communion at 8:00 & 10:30am; Bible Hour at 9:15am (Bible Study (*Christian Vocation*) in the cafeteria; Kids Club in church, then Rooms 201 & 204); Ladies Aid Craft Fair & Bake Sale between services and 11:30am-? in the gym;

Mon. Nov. 14 – SCRIP orders due by 8:00am; PBJ at 2:30pm in the cafeteria; Worship Committee at 6:15pm; Worship at Good Shepherd's at 6:30pm; Worship Team rehearsal in church at 7:00pm

Tue. Nov. 15 – Handbells at 6:30pm

Wed. Nov. 16 – Bible Study at Woodlawn (*Church Fathers*) at 10:00am & 7:00pm; Bible Study at Good Shepherd's (Augsburg Confession) at 7:00pm

Thu. Nov. 17 – Senior Bible Study at Good Shepherd's at 11:00am; Public School Catechism at 5:00pm in the Luther Lounge; Choir at GS at 7:00pm; **Lamb of God BB Tournament**

Fri. Nov. 18 – School Chapel at 9:00am; **Lamb of God BB Tournament**

Sat. Nov. 19 – Stretch Class at Good Shepherd's 10:00am in the gym; Worship at 5:00pm; **Lamb of God BB Tournament**

Sun. Nov. 20 – Worship at 8:00am; Bible Hour at 9:15am (Bible Study (*Christian Vocation*) in the cafeteria; Kids Club in church, then Rooms 201 & 204); Contemporary Service at 10:30am; **Lamb of God BB Tournament**

Mon. Nov. 21 – PBJ at 2:30pm in the cafeteria; Worship at Good Shepherd's at 6:30pm; Jesus Cares at 6:30pm in Room 101