

Salem Lutheran Church THE CHURCH BELL

November 2023

Rooted in Christ, to Love, Grow & Serve



AS OF OCTOBER 31, 2023 FINANCIAL UPDATE

Please note: The following information is our <u>projected</u> financial situation as of October 31, 2023.

We are projecting that our general fund will be (Behind-Deficit-In the Hole) - \$4300.00

at the end of October.

Thank you for your generous support of the ministry we do together.

VETERAN'S DAY SUPPER Wednesday, November 8th 5pm

Please join us as we honor local military veterans and their families. All are welcome for a special meal, short program, dessert and thankful conversations.

ALL ARE WELCOME





ALL SAINTS SUNDAY NOVEMBER 5TH | 9AM

Worship of thanksgiving, remembering and honoring those who have died, and those baptized this past year.

Deaths

- Diane Ruthenbeck Sally Ondarko Bill Elliott Connor Galvin Roger Larson Claus Peukert
- Clyde Nordstrom Joyce Halver Doug Johnson Mike Spaude Harriet Edwards

Baptisms

Olivia Lee Cash Winkleblack Hayes Pfarr

NOVEMBER WORSHIP

JOIN US SUNDAYS AT 9:00AM

Nov. 5	All Saints Sunday
Nov. 12	Women's Thankoffering Service
Nov. 19	Thanksgiving Service
Nov. 26	Christ the King

Our theme for Sunday Fellowship in November is:

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LONGVILLE FOOD SHELF FOOD TRUCK UNLOADING HELP NEEDED Friday, November 3rd | 8am Not November 1st.

As snowbirds close up cabins and cupboards, food donations are welcome. Non-perishable items can be left in the Salem grocery cart, or delivered to the Food Shelf on Wednesdays, or Tossed and Found during regular business hours.

2ND ANNUAL THANKSGIVING COMMUNITY BREAKFAST FUNDRAISER Saturday, November 25 8am - 12pm

Bring your family and friends. There will also be a small craft & bake sale. Free will donations will benefit Salem's General Fund.



How can we help! Make, bake and donate craft or baked items. Volunteer to help with the breakfast. (Call Linda B. at 763-498-9111)

This fundraiser is cared for by our Servant Leadership Council.



WAYS TO GIVE

 Purchase socks & bring to Salem.
 Donate money to Salem (memo: Sock Drive) & deliver or send to Salem & we will purchase socks for you.

1. Purchase socks online & have them shipped to Salem. DONATIONS DEADLINE IS DECEMBER 10TH GOAL IS 200 + PAIRS OF SOCKS!

U Snowbirds - we will need your help to make this goal 🌙

Socks will benefit people in our local area. Donations will be delivered to Wolfe Center (Bemidji), The Peoples' Church - ELCA (Bemidji), Grace House (Grand Rapids), & Lyman "DeDe" Losh Transitional Home (LLBO, Cass Lake) before Christmas Day.



GOOD GIFTS TREE

The Good Gifts tree will be set up in early November. You can start your Christmas shopping early! There will be catalogs for you to browse in. How about a goal of \$1500.

Good Gifts are a good way to shop for the person who has everything. Good Gifts benefit those who really need some help and keep on helping for a long time. For example, the gift of a pig can have baby pigs and so the gift multiplies.

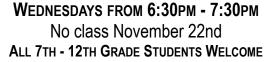
There will be instructions for you to follow on the table with the tree. You can take an ornament corresponding to your gift and put it on your own tree or give it to the one to whom you are giving the gift.



SALEM SUNDAY SUPPER November 26th | 5pm

Dutch style dining at one of our area restaurants. Signing up is not required but helpful for restaurants to know how many to plan for. Call the church office for more information.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES FOR NOVEMBER



SALEM WEDNESDAY COMMUNITY MEAL

November 9th | 5pm - 6pm Menu: Veteran's Appreciation Supper EVERYONE IS WELCOME

RUTH CIRCLE (Women's Bible Study) Thursday, November 9th at 1pm All women are welcome!



SNOW SHOVELERS NEEDED

Contact Mike Czeck (218-341-8931) to sign up for a week (or more) to help keep Salem's sidewalks safe from slippery snow.



November Worship Volunteer Schedule

Sunday, November 5, 2023								
Usher/Greeters	Barb McCuskey, Allison Magnus							
Lay Reader	Linda Bechtold							
Bread Server	Linda Bechtold							
Wine/Grape Juice	Beth Tobiason, Laura Flohaug							
Communion Care	Laura Flohaug							
Fellowship Team Leader & Treats	HELP NEEDED							
Sound Technician	Egon Overgaard							
Video Technicians	Mitch Jorgenson, Doug Williams							
Money Counters	Dan Obey, Judy Saxerud							
Sunday, November 12, 2023								
Usher/Greeters	Laura Flohaug, Beth Tobiason							
Lay Reader	Linda Ferwerda							
Bread Server	Barb Anderson							
Wine/Grape Juice	Cris Smith, Jo Gaffey							
Communion Care	Jo Gaffey							
Fellowship Team Leader & Treats	Flohaug Team							
Sound Technician	Bob Vaughn							
Video Technicians	Bob & Nan Ladehoff							
Money Counters	Bob Ladehoff, Don Falls							
Sunday, November 19, 2023								
Usher/Greeters	Scott & Allison Magnus							
Lay Reader	Greg Peters							
Bread Server	Fred Smith							
Wine/Grape Juice	Diane Vaughn & Bob Vaughn							
Communion Care	Allison Magnus							
Fellowship Team Leader & Treats	Andersons & Zahn							
Sound Technician	Jim Fladmoe							
Video Technicians	Mike & Hope Olson							
Money Counters	Mike Olson, Mike Meagher							
Sunday, November 26, 2023								
Usher/Greeters	Dave & Judy Saxerud							
Lay Reader	Diane Vaughn							
Bread Server	Beth Tobiason							
Wine/Grape Juice	Fred & Cris Smith							
Communion Care	Linda Bechtold							
Fellowship Team Leader & Treats	Doris Schmidt							
Sound Technician	Craig Anderson							
Video Technicians	Ron Stadtherr, Dan Obey							
Money Counters	Dave Saxerud, Randy Swanson							

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Ushers (Greeters) | Lay Readers | Communion Servers (Bread & Wine) | Communion Care (Set Up & Clean Up) | Fellowship Servers | Fellowship Treats (Baked items, Fresh Fruit, etc.) Sign up to be on a rotation in which you will be scheduled for a given Sunday but can trade Sundays with others on the rotation. Contact: Laura Flohaug 218.566.4755 | lauraflohaug@hotmail.com Church Office 218.363.2011 | salem@arvig.net

1 Cherrie Madsen 1 Jan Stadtherr 2 Marilyn Bliss 4 Ginger Minske 6 Clarence Sjodin 6 **Darryl Nelson** 6 Rvan Hanson 6 Mike Olson 7 Joan Falls 7 Ron Stadtherr 11 Judy Johnson 11 Tarike Daudt 12 Cody Lucas Lilyquist Patricia Bjornson 13 14 Roy Flohaug 15 Charlene Olson 15 **Robert Raines** 17 Kyle Schwartz **Trevor Lucas Lilyquist** 17 21 Mary Jo Schleif 23 Carol Fox 23 Deb Dodds 25 **Brandon Wheeler** 25 **Teegan Duval** 26 John Varner

- 26 Rita Fedalen
- 29 Erik Hol



- 3 Arlan and Irene Schires
- 4 Roger and Linda Bechtold
- 7 Dale and Marlys Kriesel
- 9 Phil and Melanie Mix
- 10 Tom and Kathy Dollins
- 12 Randy and Jane Swanson
- 20 Neil and Beth Tobiason
- 23 Rosalie and Dennis Letson
- 27 Mike and Judy Czeck
- 27 Michael Carlson and Tammy Devine

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 6pm Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm Confirmation Class	2 9:30am Property Team	3 9am Bone Builders 9:30am Resource Development Min. Team (RDMT) 10am Learning Ministry Team (LMT)	4 Bread Ministry Baking
5 9am Worship 10am Fellowship Daylight Savings	6 1pm Busy Needles	 7 9am Bone Builders 9:30am Text Study 4pm Faith Formation (via video) 6pm LACC Rehearsal 	8 5pm Community Meal 6pm Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm Confirmation Class	 9 9:30am Worship Ministry Team (WMT) 1pm Ruth Circle 4pm Finance Team 5pm Executive Mang. Team (EMT) 	10 9am Bone Builders	11 VETERANS DAY * * * * * THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE
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