



**Arlington Hills Lutheran Church**  
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### Introduction

*November begins with All Saints Day and ends in or near Advent, when we anticipate Christ's coming again. It is fitting, then, that the readings today tell of the final resurrection and the end time. In the turmoil of hope, fear, and disbelief that these predictions provoke in us, Hebrews sounds a note of confident trust. Christ makes a way for us where there is no way, and we walk it confidently, our hearts and bodies washed in baptismal water, trusting the one who has promised forgiveness. The more we see the last day approaching, the more important it is to meet together to provoke one another to love.*

### Welcome and Announcements

Prelude                                      “ My Lord, What a Morning”                                      arr. Richard Billingham

## GATHERING

### Greeting

**Luke 23:36**

P: Alleluia. Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to stand before the Son of Man.

All: **Alleluia.**

### Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✝ one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

All: **Amen.**

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen.**

P: Gracious God,  
All: **have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

All: **Amen.**

*Please rise, in body and/or spirit, for the Gathering Hymn*



Gathering Hymn "Word of God, Come Down on Earth" ELW #510

Verses 1, 2 and 3 - Large print words found on page 20



1 Word of God, come down on earth, liv - ing rain from  
2 Word e - ter - nal, throned on high, Word that brought to  
3 Word that speaks God's ten - der love, one with God be -



heav'n de - scend - ing; touch our hearts and bring to birth  
life cre - a - tion, Word that came from heav'n to die,  
yond all tell - ing, Word that sends us from a - bove



faith and hope and love un - end - ing. Word al - might - y,  
cru - ci - fied for our sal - va - tion, sav - ing Word, the  
God the Spir - it, with us dwell - ing, Word of truth, to



we re - vere you; Word made flesh, we long to hear you.  
world re - stor - ing, speak to us, your love out - pour - ing.  
all truth lead us; Word of life, with one bread feed us.

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Music: LIEBSTER JESU, WIR SIND HIER, Johann R. Ahle, 1625-1673

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P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: **And also, with you.**

*Please be seated*

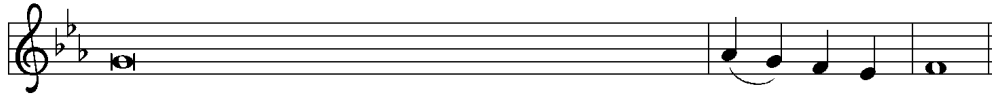
# KYRIE



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



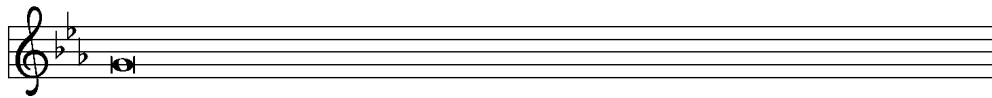
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



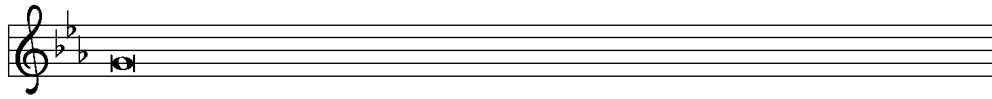
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.




Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.



A - men, a - men.

# This is the Feast


*Refrain*




This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose  
2 Sing . . with all the peo - ple of God, and




blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.  
join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:




Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and strength, and  
Bless - ing and hon - or, glo - ry and might be to

*Refrain*




hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.  
God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -

*Refrain*



gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

## Prayer of the Day

P: O God, you show forth your almighty power chiefly by reaching out to us in mercy. Grant us the fullness of your grace, strengthen our trust in your promises, and bring all the world to share in the treasures that come through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

All: Amen.

## WORD

### First Reading:

Daniel 12:1-3

Assisting Minister

*The book of Daniel is an example of apocalyptic literature, which is full of strange visions and symbolism. Arising during times of great persecution, apocalyptic literature is concerned with God's revelation about the end time and the coming kingdom of God, when God will vindicate the righteous who have been persecuted.*

<sup>1</sup> "At that time Michael, the great prince, the protector of your people, shall arise. There shall be a time of anguish, such as has never occurred since nations first came into existence. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone who is found written in the book. <sup>2</sup> Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. <sup>3</sup> Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever."

AM: Word of God, Word of Life

All: Thanks be to God.

### Psalm Psalm 16

*Read responsively by whole verse*

*My heart is glad and my spirit rejoices; my body shall rest in hope. (Ps. 16:9)*

AM: <sup>1</sup> Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you; I have said to the LORD, "You are my Lord, my good above all other."

All: <sup>2</sup> **All my delight is in the godly that are in the land, upon those who are noble among the people.**

AM: <sup>3</sup> But those who run after other gods shall have their troubles multiplied.

All: <sup>4</sup> **I will not pour out drink offerings to such gods, never take their names upon my lips.**

AM: <sup>5</sup> O LORD, you are my portion and my cup; it is you who uphold my lot.

All: <sup>6</sup> **My boundaries enclose a pleasant land; indeed, I have a rich inheritance.**

AM: <sup>7</sup> I will bless the LORD who gives me counsel; my heart teaches me night after night.

All: <sup>8</sup> **I have set the LORD always before me; because God is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.**

AM: <sup>9</sup> My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices; my body also shall rest in hope.

All: <sup>10</sup> **For you will not abandon me to the grave, nor let your holy one see the pit.**

AM: <sup>11</sup> You will show me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy, and in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

## Second Reading

## Hebrews 10:11-25

*Images of worship and sacrifice are used throughout Hebrews to highlight what Christ has uniquely accomplished through his death. Because we have received forgiveness through Christ's death, we live with sincere hearts by trusting in God's promises and encouraging love and good works from each other.*

<sup>11</sup> Every priest stands day after day at his service, offering again and again the same sacrifices that can never take away sins. <sup>12</sup> But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, "he sat down at the right hand of God," <sup>13</sup> and since then has been waiting "until his enemies would be made a footstool for his feet." <sup>14</sup> For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are sanctified. <sup>15</sup> And the Holy Spirit also testifies to us, for after saying, <sup>16</sup> "This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, says the Lord: I will put my laws in their hearts, and I will write them on their minds," <sup>17</sup> he also adds, "I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more." <sup>18</sup> Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin.

<sup>19</sup> Therefore, my friends, since we have confidence to enter the sanctuary by the blood of Jesus, <sup>20</sup> by the new and living way that he opened for us through the curtain (that is, through his flesh), <sup>21</sup> and since we have a great priest over the house of God, <sup>22</sup> let us approach with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. <sup>23</sup> Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope



without wavering, for he who has promised is faithful. <sup>24</sup> And let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, <sup>25</sup> not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

AM: Word of God, Word of Life

All: **Thanks be to God.**

*Please rise, in body and/or spirit, for the Gospel reading*

### Gospel Acclamation

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,  
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.  
*Repeat alleluia*  
Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

P: The holy gospel according to Mark the 13<sup>th</sup> chapter.

All: **Glory to you, O Lord**

### Gospel Mark 13:1-8, 21-23

*In the last week of his life, Jesus warned his disciples concerning trials that were to come upon them and upon the world. He exhorts the listener: Do not be alarmed.*

<sup>1</sup>As he came out of the temple, one of his disciples said to him, 'Look, Teacher, what large stones and what large buildings!' <sup>2</sup>Then Jesus asked him, 'Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down.'

<sup>3</sup> When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John, and Andrew asked him privately, <sup>4</sup>“Tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign that all these things are about to be accomplished?” <sup>5</sup>Then Jesus began to say to them, ‘Beware that no one leads you astray. <sup>6</sup>Many will come in my name and say, “I am he!” and they will lead many astray. <sup>7</sup>When you hear of wars and rumours of wars, do not be alarmed; this must take place, but the end is still to come. <sup>8</sup>For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs.

<sup>21</sup>And if anyone says to you at that time, “Look! Here is the Messiah!” or “Look! There he is!”—do not believe it. <sup>22</sup>False messiahs and false prophets will appear and produce signs and omens, to lead astray, if possible, the elect. <sup>23</sup>But be alert; I have already told you everything.

P: The gospel of the Lord,  
All: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Please be seated.*

**Sermon**

**On False Prophets and Being Alert**

**Pastor Mitch**

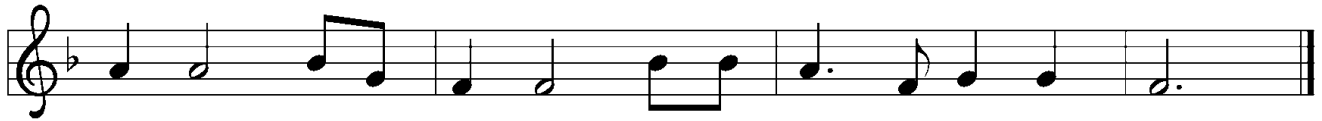
*Please rise, in body and/or spirit, for the Hymn of the Day*



*Refrain*



My Lord, what a morn-ing; my Lord, what a morn - ing; oh,



my Lord, what a morn-ing, when the stars be - gin to fall.



- 1 You will hear the trum - pet sound,
- 2 You will hear the sin - ner cry, to wake the na-tions un - der - ground,
- 3 You will hear the Chris-tian shout,



look-ing to my God’s right hand, when the stars be-gin to fall.

Text: African American spiritual  
 Music: BURLEIGH, African American spiritual

**Apostles Creed**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*Please be seated for the Prayers of Intercession*

## Prayers of Intercession

AM: *Each prayer will end with:* Merciful God,

All: **Receive our prayer.**

*Please rise, in body and/or spirit, for the Sharing of the Peace*

## Sharing of the Peace

L: The peace of Christ be with you always.

All: **And also with you.**

*Please be seated.*

## MEAL

Offering Music

**“Soon and Very Soon”  
Sunday Morning Choir**

arr. Jack Schrader

*Please rise, in body and/or spirit, for the Offering Song*

## Offering Song - Create in Me a Clean Heart

Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right  
spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, and take  
not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re - store to me the joy of  
your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me with your free Spir - it.

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## Offertory Prayer

P: Lord Jesus, our portion and our cup, you offered yourself in love for the world, and in this meal, you nourish us with your life. Fill us with your abundance, that we may feed the hungry and welcome the stranger, trusting in your name.

All: Amen.

*Please be seated.*

## Great Thanksgiving

P: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

All: **We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ, who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of  
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -  
san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

## Words of Institution

P: In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**All: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

## Lord's Prayer

P: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

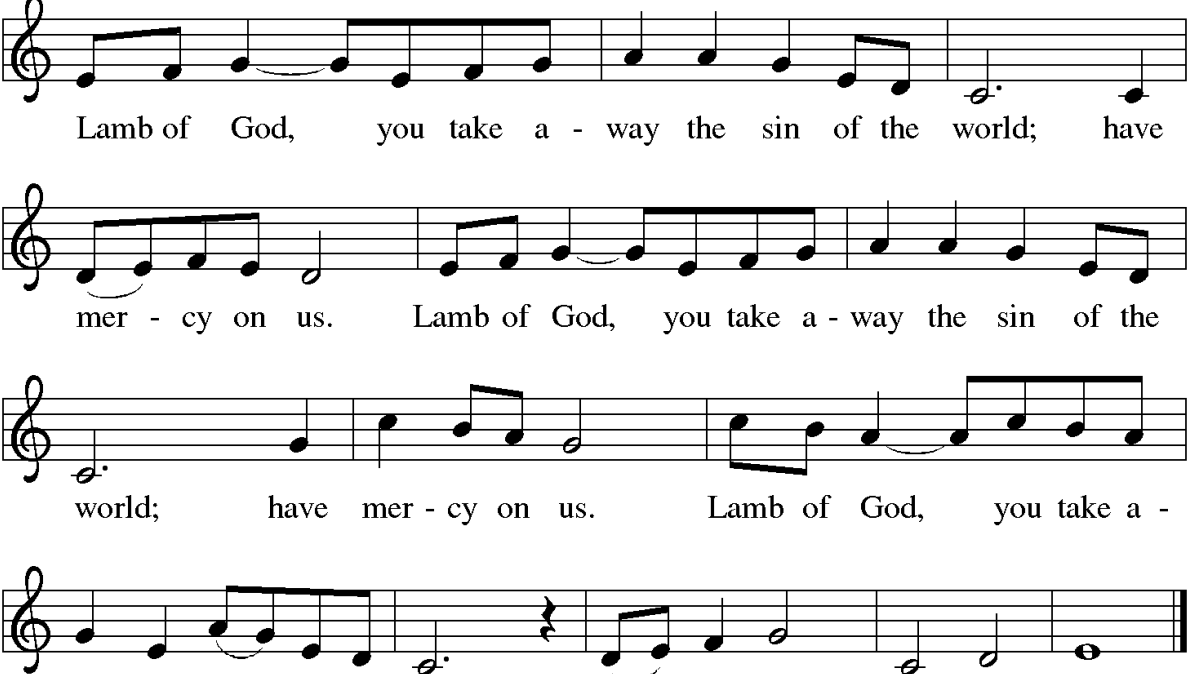
**All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever.  
Amen.**

P: Behold, God is making all things new. Take your place in the new creation.

## Lamb of God



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have  
mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the  
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -  
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

## Communion

*As pastor comes down to serve communion you may come forward.  
Please form a single line to receive the bread from him by holding out your palms to  
receive the wafer. Once you receive the bread, you may go to the communion  
assistant on the side closest to where you were seated to receive the wine.  
If you are unable to come forward, please let an usher know, and we  
will bring communion to you.  
Please feel free to say "Amen" after you receive each element if you wish.*

**Communion Anthem**

**"Simple Gifts"**

**arr. John Carter**

## Table Blessing

**P:** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his  
grace.

**All: Amen**

## Prayer after Communion

P: Faithful God, you have spread before us a feast of rich food and drink in the body and blood of your Son. Now send us out to labor with you, in service to the world you have made, and among the people you have made your home, in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

All: Amen.

## Sending

*Please rise, in body and/or spirit, for the Sending Hymn.*

### Sending Hymn

### “Canticle of the Turning”

ELW# 441

Verses 1,2, 3 and 4 – Large print words found on page 23



1 My soul cries out with a joy - ful shout that the  
2 Though I am small, my . . . God, my all, you . . .  
3 From the halls of pow'r to the for - tress tow'r, not a  
4 Though the na - tions rage from . . . age to age, we re -



God of my heart is great, and my spir - it sings of the  
work great . . things in me, and your mer - cy will last from the  
stone will be left on stone. Let the king be - ware for your  
mem - ber who holds us fast: God's mer - cy must de -



won - drous things that you bring to the ones who wait.  
depths of the past to the end of the age to be.  
jus - tice tears ev - 'ry ty - rant . . . from his throne.  
liv - er us from the con - quer - or's crush - ing grasp.



You fixed your sight on your ser - vant's plight, and my  
Your ver - y name puts the proud to shame, and to  
The hun - gry poor shall . . weep no more, for the  
This sav - ing word that our fore - bears heard is the





weak - ness you did not spurn, so from east to west shall my  
 those who would for you yearn, you will show your might, put the  
 food they can nev - er earn; there are ta - bles spread, ev - 'ry  
 prom - ise which holds us bound, till the spear and rod can be



name be blest. Could the world be a - bout to turn?  
 strong to flight, for the world is a - bout to turn.  
 mouth be fed, for the world is a - bout to turn.  
 crushed by God, who is turn - ing the world a - round.



My heart shall sing of the day you bring. Let the fires of your jus - tice burn.



Wipe a - way all tears, for the dawn draws near, and the world is a - bout to turn.

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 Music: STAR OF COUNTY DOWN, Irish traditional  
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## Blessing

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and ✝ give you peace.

All: Amen.

*Please be seated for the Postlude.*

## Postlude

“Canticle of the Turning” arr. Roberta Rowland-Raybold

## Dismissal

P: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

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## **Leading Worship Today**

**Pastor:** Dr. Rev. Mitch Kinsinger

**Music:** Barbara Rossow

**Assisting Ministers:** Barbara Schmidt and Jim Persoon

**Communion Assistants:** Barbara Schmidt and Jim Persoon

**Ushers:** David Almquist and Florence Rasmusson

**Hospitality:** Mary Kowitz and Janine Almquist

**Livestream Producer:** Silvester Vicic or Jim Persoon

## **PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK FOR AHLC MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:**

Dean Anderson, Marjorie Anderson, Sven Anderson, Sharon Anderson, Pamela Boldt, Carol Brockway, Linda Brockway, Carolyn Brusseau, Jerry Ekblad, Richard Edge, Jan and Wayne Frankenberg, Esther Hallgren, Adeline Hansen, Velta Krauze, John Lind, Gene Linderkamp, Marilyn Nelson, Priscilla Reeve, Betty Richter, Marnie Rose, Betty Swanson, Ken Wagner, Gary Winter, and MaryAnn Wistrom.

## **November Anniversaries**

Gary and Georgette Winter      November 17

Kent and Sharon Swanson      November 18

Vicki and Wayne Hansen      November 27

**TODAY:**For a couple of decades Amy & Mark Adams-Westin have dreamed of sharing how beloved music turns lights on in the eyes, minds and hearts, of their fellow human beings. A generous grant from AHLC's MIF helped make this dream come true.

**IN THE GARDEN with AMY & ADAMS is done and will premiere TODAY**, after the worship service in the reception room. This short and engaging video weaves together 7 different performances as Amy & Adams and the folks from 10 different churches and elder care facilities sing that old favorite hymn. AHLC members may remember joining members from Grace, Gustavus, and Our Redemer for the filming at the 2023 annual picnic. Come, grab a cup of coffee and a treat or 3 and get ready to sing!



**Thanksgiving Ecumenical Service will be held at  
 Our Redeemer Lutheran Church on Tuesday,  
 November 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.  
 Combine choir from all the churches will sing, with rehearsal  
 at 6:15 p.m. sharp!  
 Come worship together and  
 give thanks for all that we have received.**

# WHAT'S HAPPENING *This Week....*

<b>Sunday, November 17</b>	<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
Monday, November 18	9:00 a.m.	Alley Shoppe Volunteers
Tuesday, November 19	9:00 a.m.	Alley Shoppe Volunteer Devotions
Tuesday, November 19	9:30 a.m.	Alley Shoppe Clients
Tuesday, November 19	6:30 p.m.	Congregation Council Meeting
Wednesday, November 20	7:30 a.m.	Romeo Breakfast at Perkins
Thursday, November 21		Office Closes at Noon
Friday, November 22		Office Closed
Saturday, November 23		Office Closed

### November Birthdays

Gayle Lopez	November 17	Maria Joann Tkachuck	November 24
Robert P. Nelson	November 19	Sally A. Keller	November 27
Sharon Hanson	November 20	Jon H. Helgason	November 28
Daniel Brockway	November 23		

**Word of God, Come Down on Earth**

- 1 Word of God, come down on earth,  
living rain from heav'n descending;  
touch our hearts and bring to birth  
faith and hope and love unending.  
Word almighty, we revere you;  
Word made flesh, we long to hear you.
  
- 2 Word eternal, throned on high,  
Word that brought to life creation,  
Word that came from heav'n to die,  
crucified for our salvation,  
saving Word, the world restoring,  
speak to us, your love outpouring.
  
- 3 Word that speaks God's tender love,  
one with God beyond all telling,  
Word that sends us from above  
God the Spirit, with us dwelling,  
Word of truth, to all truth lead us;  
Word of life, with one bread feed us.

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**My Lord, What a Morning**

*Refrain*

My Lord, what a morning;  
my Lord, what a morning;  
oh, my Lord, what a morning,  
when the stars begin to fall.

1 You will hear the trumpet sound,  
to wake the nations underground,  
looking to my God's right hand,  
when the stars begin to fall. *Refrain*

2 You will hear the sinner cry,  
to wake the nations underground,  
looking to my God's right hand,  
when the stars begin to fall. *Refrain*

3 You will hear the Christian shout,  
to wake the nations underground,  
looking to my God's right hand,  
when the stars begin to fall. *Refrain*

Text: African American spiritual

**Sending Hymn**  
**Canticle of the Turning**

**ELW# 723**

**Verses 1, 2, 3 and 4**

1 My soul cries out with a joyful shout  
that the God of my heart is great,  
and my spirit sings of the wondrous things  
that you bring to the ones who wait.  
You fixed your sight on your servant's plight,  
and my weakness you did not spurn,  
so from east to west shall my name be blest.  
Could the world be about to turn?

*Refrain*

My heart shall sing of the day you bring.  
Let the fires of your justice burn.  
Wipe away all tears, for the dawn draws near,  
and the world is about to turn.

2 Though I am small, my God, my all,  
you work great things in me,  
and your mercy will last from the depths of the past  
to the end of the age to be.  
Your very name puts the proud to shame,  
and to those who would for you yearn,  
you will show your might, put the strong to flight,  
for the world is about to turn. *Refrain*

3 From the halls of pow'r to the fortress tow'r,  
not a stone will be left on stone.  
Let the king beware for your justice tears  
ev'ry tyrant from his throne.

The hungry poor shall weep no more,  
 for the food they can never earn;  
 there are tables spread, ev'ry mouth be fed,  
 for the world is about to turn. *Refrain*

4 Though the nations rage from age to age,  
 we remember who holds us fast:  
 God's mercy must deliver us  
 from the conqueror's crushing grasp.  
 This saving word that our forebears heard  
 is the promise which holds us bound,  
 till the spear and rod can be crushed by God,  
 who is turning the world around. *Refrain*

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## Scripture Readings for the Week:

Nov. 17 Matthew 11:28-30	'Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.'
Nov. 18 Philippians 4:12	I know what it is to have little, and I know what it is to have plenty. In any and all circumstances I have learned the secret of being well-fed and of going hungry, of having plenty and of being in need.
Nov. 19 John 10:27	My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me.
Nov. 20 Galatians 5:25	If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.
Nov. 21 2 Timothy 3:12	Indeed, all who want to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted.
Nov. 22 1 Corinthians 11:1-2	Be imitators of me, as I am of Christ. I commend you because you remember me in everything and maintain the traditions just as I handed them on to you.
Nov. 23 John 15:20-21	Remember the word that I said to you, "Servants are not greater than their master." If they persecuted me, they will persecute you; if they kept my word, they will keep yours also. But they will do all these things to you on account of my name, because they do not know him who sent me.

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