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***Celebrating, Deepening, and Sharing in God's Love.***

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To pray is to  
laugh - whistle -  
dance on happy feet -  
sing - shout - and  
jump -- higher  
than ever before.

To  
Pray

But it is also to  
whisper - wonder - stumble in dark places  
- cry - scream or just hold a worried head  
in tired hands ... and wait.

Prayer is our tired reaching out to the One  
who hold us closer and loves us more  
than we would dare imagine.

...Greta Schrumm

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## Worship in November

Each Sunday at 8:30 & 11:00 am

Nov. 6 All Saints' Sunday:  
Celebrating our unity in Christ with all  
of God's saints on earth and in heaven.

Nov. 13 Beautiful Savior Drama Team  
teams with Pastor Jaech to bring us  
the sermon message this morning.

Nov. 20 Youth Sunday: The Senior  
High Youth Group leads worship.

Nov. 27 Advent Begins!

### ADULT FORUM

Sundays at 9:45 am

Join us in the Fellowship Hall  
each Sunday for an interesting study  
and discussion.

Nov. 6 Jesus' New Teachings  
about Honor and Social Status

Nov. 13 Jesus' New Teaching  
about Purity:  
What Makes Us Acceptable  
in God's Eyes

Nov. 20 Walking the Narrow Path  
of Christ's Way in Today's World

Nov. 27 Advent Begins:  
How to Prepare for Christ's Coming  
Among Us

Date/Time	Reader	Acolyte	Nursery
6 8:30	Christen	Need Volunteer	Kim
11:00	Joanne	Jordan	Kim
13 8:30	Jim	Catherine	Kim
11:00	Barbara	Need Volunteer	Kim
20 8:30	Raegen	Benji Hellerud	Kim
11:00	Gary	Need Volunteer	Kim
27 8:30	Kathie	Jacen	Kim
11:00	Elanore	Ryan	Kim
December			
4 8:30	Tom	Merrit	Kim
11:00	Joyce	Jordan	Kim

	Coffee Hour	Counters
6 8:30	Chris & Karen	Barbara B/Carol N
11:00	Nancy E/Kathy E	
13 8:30	Jim & Carlene	Sue N/Jill H
11:00	Tim & Barbara	
20 8:30	Casey & Peggy	Nancy E/Beni W
11:00	Bert & Cass	
27 8:30	Janet T/Carol N	Marty N/Janelle P
11:00	Ed & Nicole	
December		
4 8:30	Chris & Karen	Pat M/Barbara B
11:00	Gary & Kathy	



If you have a scheduling problem, questions or concerns,  
please contact Volunteer Coordinator, Nancy Evans.

(For Altar Guild, Bread Bakers, Flower Sharers: see the centerfold calendar.)

Thanks for serving!

Check out our website.  
Lots of information & regular updates.  
*(Thanks to Shannon Fitzgerald!)*

[www.beautifulsaviorlutheran.com](http://www.beautifulsaviorlutheran.com)

 VOLUNTEERS!   
CHECK OUT IMPORTANT NOTE ON PAGE 20.

# November SUNDAY SERVANTS

Date/Time	Greeter	Usher
6 8:30	Janet & Sam	Marcia D/Randy H
11:00	Joanne V/Carol N	Dave & Erin
13 8:30	Homer & Barbara	Gary & Debbie
11:00	Eric & Autumn	Geri H/Sue N
20 8:30	Fred & Hilda	Nancy E/David T
11:00	Raegen, Mark & Derek	Chuck W/Sid W
27 8:30	Gil S/Marianne	Hank W/Gary M
11:00	Dick & Sue	Bill S/Tom H
December		
4 8:30	George & Shirley	Ron & Heide
11:00	Nancy E/Gary S	Mike C/Ralph W

	Liturgy	Cantor	Communion Assistants
6 8:30	LBW	Jordi	Charlie & Cheryl
11:00	LBW	Phil	Sue C/Nancy E
13 8:30	LBW	Irene	Rick G/Kathie F
11:00	LBW	Teague	Jerry R/Susan H
20 8:30	TOL	Laura	Tony & Lenora
11:00	TOL	Greg	Cheryl P/Carolyn N
27 8:30	NTF	Kathe	Alisa B/Don F
11:00	NTF	Nicole	Jill H/Michelle H
December			
4 8:30	LBW	Kari	Randy H/Don H
11:00	LBW	Helene	Bert A/Sid W

# FROM PASTOR JAECH

Dear Friends in Christ,

One of the spiritual writers and teachers that influenced Martin Luther a great deal was Meister Eckhart, a Dominican theologian and mystic who was born in 1260. Speaking of prayer, Meister Eckhart once said, "If the only prayer you ever say in your whole life is 'Thank you,' that would be enough."

As we enter November, I find myself thinking about the act of giving thanks and the gifts that come to us when we do.

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Giving thanks is connected to the grateful realization that we are not here in the world on our own. Our daily existence can sometimes feel like an exhausting marathon where our survival is all up to us. We can quickly begin to feel lonely and overwhelmed when it seems that we are traveling through life alone. When we pray thank you, we are opening our eyes and hearts again to the blessed truth that God walks with us in every part of our journey. We are never alone; God's strength is always moving through us and with us.

Giving thanks is also a celebration that we have just been blessed and enlivened in a very particular way. "Thank you for protecting me during my surgery today." "Thank you for helping my family work through this difficult time." "Thank you for Mt. Hood and the delight that it is bringing to my eyes right now." "Thank you for this paycheck and the way it supports my household."

Without a doubt, life takes us through exhausting and numbing moments. We can begin to think that pain and disappointment is all we can expect. Giving thanks, however, is stopping to notice and to savor the particular tastes and delights along the way. As Luther would express it, giving thanks reminds us that God is with us and for us and, therefore, is taking us towards a place of deeper blessing.

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As I think about giving thanks, I find myself feeling very thankful for all of you at Beautiful Savior. There are so many delightful things you do as you carry out your ministries. You sing in beautiful choirs; you play instruments; you study the Bible together; you teach our children in engaging and creative ways; you care for one another; you make quilts and build houses; you gather for thoughtful conversations and decision-making; you prepare the church for worship; you serve our neighbors' needs, both here and around the world.

And that's not all. Seven days a week you are out in the world living generously and caring as followers of Christ. Your example and strength brings encouragement and joy to me.

## Thank you!

We are never alone. God walks with us. We also walk with each other as brothers and sisters gathered in this community. I give thanks to God and I give thanks to you as, together, we bring God's presence and love to the world.

Yours in Christ, Pastor Rick Jaech



# HAPPY! HAPPY TO YOU!

November Birthdays and Anniversaries:



## MORE TO CONSIDER



### Coffee Hour Survey - - -

The survey did not give us a clear direction for the location of Coffee Hour. The Outreach Committee has decided to alternate the location of coffee hour. For November--December, coffee hour will be in the fellowship hall. For January--February the coffee hour will be in the narthex. Then we will evaluate the participation of coffee hour in each location.

\_\_\_Outreach committee



**Book Club** is reading *The Lace Reader* by Brunonia Barry for November, about a woman who can foretell the future in patterns of lace (it takes place in modern day Salem, Mass.).

We will meet at the church on Sunday, November 13 at 2:30 pm and welcome anyone with an interest in listening or joining the discussion. We select a book monthly – look at future months posted on the bulletin board in the hallway.

Everyone is welcome!

\_\_\_Heide Maize



### **BSLC now has wireless Internet!**

We have added a wireless router and now have this service at no additional cost. Look for the unlocked "Linksys" signal - no password is required.

Please refrain from surfing the internet on your smart-phone during worship!

### **Attention VOLUNTEERS!**

A request from your Volunteer Coordinator to my Volunteers: I will schedule the month of December on Nov. 14. Please let me know if you will be gone on Christmas or New Years. There will be only one service on those Sundays at 10 am. I'll use both 8:30 and 11:00 volunteers for those Sundays. Thank you very much!!!

\_\_\_Nancy Evans

## GETTING TO KNOW YOU

*To know each other, each month we pick at random an old or a new member.*  
Teague Coley's visit with Don Heavirland...



With several new members in our midst, I randomly chose one in whose life to delve. Don Heavirland was born in Esmund, South Dakota in 1945, just as World War II was wrapping up. His father, a Marine in the war, returned to civilian life when Don was 9 months old, and tried a few different professions over the next 9 years...which led the family to move several times to different towns across South Dakota.

At age 10, Don's family moved to Balcourt, North Dakota for his father's new job in public health service at the Turtle Mountain Indian Reservation, and there they stayed. Don grew up loving to fish and hunt. He delivered papers and was a Boy Scout. His high school was quite small, and had few options for extra curricular activities. As a freshman, Don realized that if he was going to be successful in life, he'd need to communicate well, so he spoke to his English teacher, and they began a debating club. By the end of his freshman year Don beat the state champion in debate, and never lost a debate throughout his high school career. He graduated Valedictorian of his high school, and member of the honor society.

Don attended the University of Grand Forks, North Dakota and majored in electrical engineering for two years before switching to industrial management. He graduated in 1969 with a Bachelor of Science degree in public administration. No jobs were forthcoming in his field without moving far away, so Don switched gears and worked as an insurance adjuster at the General Adjustment Bureau for a year.

During this time, Don was living at an apartment complex. Upon taking his garbage to the dumpster one day, he ran into a lovely young lady with a similar intent. Gallantly, he held the lid of the dumpster aloft for her, and a romance was sparked with Cherie.

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Don next worked as a purchasing agent at the United Tribes Educational Technical Center in North Dakota (UTETC). He managed the purchasing needs of the entire community, from police cars to day care needs. He continued to court Cherie, and they finally married on March 3, 1971. After a year and a half, Don's position with the UTETC was dissolved, and later the position was reinstated and given to a native American. Cherie birthed their only son, Wayne (another new member at BSLC!) in 1979, much to their mutual joy!

Looking for the next opportunity, Don and Cherie moved to Bismarck, North Dakota and he began working at Gate City Savings and Loan, which eventually became known as Gate City Bank. This was the first state-chartered Savings and Loan in North Dakota--and the last to go federal. Don was the Regional Loan Manager and Assistant Vice President for western North Dakota until his retirement in 1988.

When Don retired, Wayne was in 5th grade, so Don was able to help coach and be involved in Wayne's sports and school. Despite the attention, Wayne fell in with a bad crowd in high school, and Don sent him to an isolated "scared straight" school program in eastern Washington. Then the entire family moved to Brush Prairie, Washington, and Wayne finished his senior year at Brush Prairie High School. They've lived in Brush Prairie now for 14 years (the longest they've lived anywhere), but never felt a good fit with any church, so Don is thrilled with finding BSLC. He feels such warmth and welcome here. It feels like family to him.

Don still loves fishing and hunting...although he hasn't done much since leaving the midwest. He loves golf and bowling, and is involved in community service through the Optimist International club and Elks club. He and Cherie love traveling, and do so most of the winter months of the year. A good friend in Hawaii enjoys their visits for weeks at a time, so if you notice his absence for 6 months or so, remember he is eager to return to his church family and enjoy our warmth and community again!



## Quilters/ WR Work Group

Snowbird season is here.

About half of our work group is heading south soon.

Have a little time on your hands?

Your LWR work group could put that time  
to good use!

We work year round and would love to have a few more of YOU come join us on Thursday afternoons, 1- 4 PM, in this important ministry.

- \* If knot tying hurts your hands, you can help assemble kits.
- \* You can do some sewing at church or home.
- \* You could purchase items needed for kits.



As Grapevine goes to press, Beautiful Savior people have completed 77 backpack kits and all have been packed with school supplies! Diapers have been hemmed and are waiting donations of sleeping gowns or footless jammies to complete 11 layettes. Members helped to complete 18 quilt tops and 10 more need to be tied.

WOW! Thanks!

Half of our work group crew will head south by the end of this month. We'd love to add some workers to our ranks. We can and do accomplish a lot in light of our very small numbers but would love to add willing workers to our crew. All willing hands are welcome!



We are blessed  
to be a blessing!



# Your Donations. God's Work

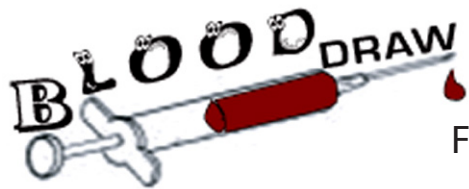


During November brown bag collections will benefit the December Walk and Knock Drive. Bring canned and packaged goods to church, put them into the Brown Bag barrel in the back hallway any time during the month, and they will be taken to Walk and Knock collection points on the day of the drive.

For future planning... there will be no Brown Bag collection in December. Instead, you will have the opportunity to remember those in need through the Giving Tree at church.

Thank you for your gifts that will bring joy to those who receive them.

Your Social Ministries Committee



THE NEXT  
BLOOD DRIVE  
AT BSLC WILL BE  
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH,  
1:00 -- 5:45 P.M.

To sign up, please contact Sandi Holland

ON GOING... ON GOING... ON GOING... ON GOING... ON GOING... ON GOING... ON GOING...

## Help Feed Local Hungry People

Put your hands to work on Thursdays, 4 - 5 pm: pack sack lunches for folks at the Free Clinic.

To volunteer call Jo'an Sterr at 360.892.4665.

Cash donations for supplies are welcome, too.



# BREAKING NEWS:

***Beautiful Savior embarks on a journey into the future with an update to its strategic plan.***

Readers of that sentence may experience a variety of reactions to the idea of a strategic planning (SP) process including one of the following:

❖ ***Update the strategic plan? When was the last one?*** Answer: BSLC developed strategic plans in 1997 and 2002. The upcoming SP will be informed by those prior plans. There is no starting from scratch.

❖ ***SPs in general (and especially for churches) aren't really that useful and they require a lot of work.*** Answer: SPs are a very important tool - especially for churches - to identify a vision and how to get there. It is intended for the process to be good work, conducted in the spirit of God's love for all. The SP will help articulate our collective calling and how best to use the gifts and resources God has given us.

❖ ***Things are fine at BSLC. Look at all the good stuff going on. Why make changes?*** Answer: Our church has an incredible number of good activities and programs. But God calls us to be vigilant with our gifts and intentional with our vision of living as God's people in the world. So the church can use the SP process to check-in, dream, ask questions, talk and listen, and make a plan for 2012 and beyond!

❖ ***Woo Hoo! Let's do it.*** Answer: Yes!

SPs are a tool to keep eyes on the "big picture" while also managing the day-to-day. BSLC's plan can be a road map guiding an exciting journey as God's people.



## What will BSLC's plan help us learn?

The planning process is a holy conversation between God, the congregation, and one another.

The plan will help answer many questions including:

- Who is God calling BSLC to be?
- Who are BSLC's neighbors who could be impacted positively by the SP?
- What does BSLC want to be known for in the community?

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- What steps, then, does BSLC need to take now and in the future?
- What does it look like to work the strategic plan?  
How is the plan communicated internally (including celebration and holding accountable)?  
How is the plan communicated externally?
- How will BSLC use the plan to inform decisions, allocate resources, etc.

### The strategic planning timeline:

The planning process will run approximately January 2012 through May 2012. The congregation will have multiple and varied opportunities for involvement. A task force will guide the process, but the plan belongs to everyone. Council Chair Bob Eaton and Charlene Welch will co-chair the task force. Pastor Jaech and the Council will serve as advisors. Two additional task force members will be recruited.

### Stay tuned for more information.

If you have questions or suggestions, please contact Bob, Charlene, or Pastor Jaech.

## FROM YOUR COUNCIL:

Get involved with what's going on in your church household!

The Beautiful Savior Council meets at 7:00 pm on the second Tuesday of every month. The minutes are drafted and distributed to council members for review and approval at the following month's meeting. Once approved, the minutes are posted on the BSLC website and placed in the hard-copy binder in the hallway.

Curious what goes on at the meetings?

Church members are welcome to attend the meetings.

Questions or concerns? Talk to one of your Council members....Bob (President), Rafik (Vice President), Sue (Secretary), Laural, Helene, Sid, Ron, Marcia, Jerry, Rick, Don, Bert.

## The Practice of Prayer

There are an unlimited number of ways to pray.

We have the opportunity to learn and experiment over the course of our entire lives with how we talk to God.

We learn prayers by memory. Many adults can still recite bedtime prayers and table graces learned as a child. The Lord's Prayer is an example of a "memory prayer."

We learn prayers set to music through liturgy, hymns, and songs. Check out the musical prayers on the wall in the K-2nd grade Sunday School room.

We pray alone, in groups, in silence, with sound, and through art. Some people use prayer tools to help focus their heart and mind on God. Our human hearts and minds are so full and busy; tools can assist in creating holy space for God. Tools may include journals, prayer cards, lists, and the use of prayer beads.

... Charlene Welch



check out more at:

<http://archiver.elca.org/prayer/resources/jump/html>

It's Tool Time -  
Join us for a workshop on Making and Using Prayer Beads  
Did you know that prayer beads have a long historical tradition in the Christian, Buddhist, Jewish, and Muslim faiths?  
When: Saturday, November 12, 11am-1pm  
Where: BSLC Fellowship Hall  
Who: All are welcome.  
Childcare and light snack provided  
RSVP by November 9 to Charlene  
What about supplies?  
All supplies will be provided.  
Each participant will have the opportunity to make a prayer bead creation.  
If you have beads and/or jewelry making tools you would like to use, please bring them. If you have prayer bead creations to show as examples, please bring them.

## Care Abounds in our Community with Thrivent

Do you like the idea of collaborating to make your financial and volunteer gifts to the community go farther? Thrivent Financial for Lutherans really likes the idea. They created Care Abounds in Community Fundraisers and Care Abounds in Community Hands-On Service Activities to make it happen.

There are some differences between Fundraisers and Hands-On Service Activities, but both are designed to help meet the needs of an individual, family, or qualified not-for-profit in the community. Learn more at <https://www.thrivent.com/community/out-reach/volunteering/careabounds>

Examples of 2011 Care Abounds in Community efforts made possible by the local Thrivent Clark County Chapter and local congregations (championed by their Thrivent members) include:

- Memorial Lutheran: Held an event to raise funds to purchase Easter Food Baskets for families in need in Vancouver.
- Christ Community Lutheran: Support Toddler Play Date outreach, for families in the community twice each month. Received funds to purchase supplies for use during toddlers' Play Date.
- Grace Lutheran: Received funds to purchase supplies for Grace quilters and needle workers to make quilts, scarves, hats, gloves, and prayer shawls distributed through local agencies serving families in need.



BSLC Thrivent members... do these examples give you any ideas for how BSLC could partner with Thrivent? Talk to your Thrivent Congregational Advocate, Charlene Welch at [welch.family@comcast.net](mailto:welch.family@comcast.net).

Learn more about Thrivent financial services: contact our BSLC Thrivent representatives Rafik Fouad at [rafik.fouad@thrivent.com](mailto:rafik.fouad@thrivent.com) or 509-430-4036 or Dane Andersen at [dane.andersen@thrivent.com](mailto:dane.andersen@thrivent.com) or 360-694-1197.

## Let Us Give Thanks ... for a bounty of people:

For **Children**, who are our second planting and though they grow like weeds and the wind too soon blows them away, may they forgive us our cultivation and fondly remember where their roots are.

For **Generous Friends** ... with hearts ... and smiles as bright as their blossoms;

for **feisty friends** as tart as apples;

for **continuous friends** who, like scallions and cucumbers keep reminding us that we've had them;

for **crotchety friends**

as sour as rhubarb and as indestructable;

for *handsome friends*

who are as gorgeous as eggplant and as elegant as a row of corn, and the others, as plain as potatoes and as good for you;

for **FUNNY FRIENDS**

who are as silly as Brussels sprouts and as amusing as Jerusalem artichokes,

and **serious friends** as complex as cauliflowers and as intimate as onions;

for friends as *unpretentious* as cabbages,

as *subtle* as summer squash, as *persistent* as parsley, as *delightful* as dill, *endless* as zucchini, and who, like parsnips, *can be counted on* to see you though the winter;

for **Old friends**

nodding like sunflowers in the evening-time,

and **Young friends**

coming on as fast as radishes.

For **Loving Friends** who wind around us like tendrils and hold us despite our blights, wilts, and witherings;

And, finally:

for those friends now gone, like gardens past that have been harvested and who fed us in their times that we might have life thereafter.

**FOR ALL THESE WE GIVE THANKS.**

... Max Coots

# FOR KIDS/BY KIDS

Thanksgiving Day is coming!

Kids were asked  
to name some blessings.



Alexander S. gave this answer:

"I am a blessing to others  
when I help my sister clean."

"I am blessed  
when I got to hold my sister  
for the first time  
when she was a baby."



Thank God for kids! Each is God's blessing!

TRY THIS TONGUE TWISTER FOR FUN:

A tutor who tooted a flute  
tried to tutor two tooters to toot.  
Said the two to the tutor,  
"Is it harder to toot  
or to tutor two tooters to toot?"

# OPPORTUNITIES ...

## YOU CAN HELP WHO !!!

Be part of the Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church  
WHO Volunteer Team!

BSLC is providing volunteer power for the week of  
November 13-19 at the St. Andrew Lutheran Church WHO site.  
Signup sheets are posted in the narthex or contact Kathy, Dave or  
Heidi for more information.

WHO: The Winter Hospitality Overflow (WHO)

What: The WHO is part of the system of homeless shelters in Clark County and is operated through a partnership between the Council for the Homeless, Share, St. Andrew Lutheran Church, St. Paul Lutheran Church, and partners from the faith community. The WHO serves as critical overflow shelter when other shelters in our community are full. In addition to a warm place to sleep, WHO guests receive social service case management.

When: The WHO is open from Nov.1-March 31 each year.

Where: Single men in need of shelter stay at the St. Paul Lutheran Church site. Single women, couples, and families in need of shelter stay at St. Andrew Lutheran Church.

Why: God calls us to show hospitality for our neighbors. Homelessness affects us all. The reasons are endless...

Learn more about homelessness in Clark County  
at [www.icfth.com](http://www.icfth.com)

For information specific to the WHO,  
please visit [www.whoprogram.org](http://www.whoprogram.org)



# THANK YOU ....



Dear Members...

I would like to thank everyone for the outstanding response I received from my request for coupons from the newspapers. Please keep up the good work as we have lots to clip and keep our clipping group busy.

Just one reminder - we can only use coupons that say "Manufacturer's Coupon".

Thanks again for the great many coupons I've already picked up and I'll continue to pick them up whenever you bring them in.

... *Sandy Nesvick*



Dear Beautiful Savior People...

Thank you for your warmth and appreciation as I completed the extended interim of playing for worship. Thank you all for the cards and also the gift card.

I enjoyed playing and worshipping with you, and appreciate your strong participation and enthusiasm for worship.

As we are welcoming Stephen Janzen, we give God great thanks for the lovely gifts that he is sharing with us to the glory of God.

Thank you for the love and care you share and show.

Blessings as we raise our voices together in praise of our gracious God.

... *Kathe Yokers*

# SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS:

with Charlene Welch

We learn about prayer our entire lives.

Here are two prayers the Kindergarten - 2nd grade Sunday School class, taught by Raegen Takahata, is learning:

Dear God,  
Please bless this day and bless me too.  
Bless all I say and all I do. Amen.

Dear God,  
For giving me eyes  
so I can see all the good things  
you have made for me.  
For making me healthy and making me strong,  
so I can run and play all day long.  
For a mouth to speak and two hands to touch,  
for everything God –  
THANK YOU SO MUCH!  
Amen.

Reminder:









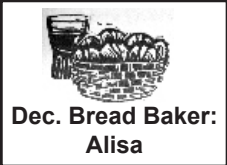
We have weekly Sunday School from 9:45 - 10:45 am for kids in Preschool, grades K-2, and grades 3-5.

All children are welcome to attend.

If your child has not attended yet, we encourage you to "merge in" any time.



NOVEMBER at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p><b>November Bread Baker: Welch Family</b></p>		<p><b>1 ALL SAINTS DAY</b>                      10 am Mom's Club  <b>10 am Crossways Study</b>                      7 pm Crossways Study                      7 pm Hispanic Group                      7 pm Cub Scouts</p>	<p><b>2</b>                      7 am AA (closed for men)  <b>noon Bible Study</b>                      4:30 pm Cherub/Jr. Choir                      5:30 Dinner  <b>6:30 Sr. Choir &amp; Classes</b></p>	<p><b>3 1 - 4 pm LWR</b>  <b>1 pm Memorial Service</b>                      1 pm Alzheimer's Support  <b>4 pm Lunch Making</b>  <b>6 pm Financial Peace U.</b>  <b>7 pm Handbells</b>                      7 pm Hispanic Group</p>	 <p><b>4</b>                      1 - 5:45 pm  <b>BLOOD DRAW</b></p>	<p><b>5</b>                      6 pm Alcoholics Anon.</p>
<p><b>6 ALTAR:</b> Ginger                      *Mansfield  <b>8:30 am Worship</b>  <b>9:45 am Classes/Forum</b>  <b>11 am Worship</b>                      1 pm Faro de Luz</p>	<p><b>7</b>                      6:30 pm Gamblers Anon.</p>	<p><b>8</b>                      10 am Mom's Club  <b>10 am Crossways Study</b>                      10:30 am Pastors Cluster  <b>7 pm Church Council</b>  <b>7 pm Crossways Study</b>                      7 pm Hispanic Group                      7 pm Cub Scouts</p>	<p><b>9</b>                      7 am AA (closed for men)  <b>noon Bible Study</b>                      4:30 pm Cherub/Jr. Choir                      5:30 Dinner  <b>6:30 Sr. Choir &amp; Classes</b></p>	<p><b>10</b>                      1 - 4 pm LWR  <b>4 pm Lunch Making</b>  <b>6 pm Financial Peace U.</b>  <b>7 pm Handbells</b>                      7 pm Hispanic Group</p>	<p><b>11</b>  <b>VETERANS DAY</b></p>	<p><b>12</b>                      9 am - 4 pm                      Mom's Club Bazaar  <b>11 am - 1 pm Prayer Bead Workshop</b>                      6 pm AA</p> 
<p><b>13 ALTAR:</b> Kay                      *Brown  <b>Drama Team presents</b>  <b>8:30 am Worship</b>  <b>Fair Trade Oil</b>  <b>9:45 am Classes/Forum</b>  <b>11 am Worship</b>                      1 pm Faro de Luz  <b>2:30 pm Book Club</b></p>	<p><b>14</b> BSLC WHO week                      Nov. 13-19                      6:30 pm GA  <b>Newsletter Deadline</b>  </p>	<p><b>15</b>                      10 am Mom's Club  <b>10 am Crossways Study</b>  <b>7 pm Crossways Study</b>                      7 pm Hispanic Group                      7 pm Cub Scouts  <b>TODAY!</b></p>	<p><b>16</b>                      7 am AA (closed for men)                      9 am Women's Connection  <b>noon Bible Study</b>  <b>4 pm Outreach Commntt.</b>  <b>4:30 pm Cherub/Jr. Choir</b>                      5:30 Dinner  <b>6:30 Sr. Choir &amp; Classes</b></p>	<p><b>17</b>                      1 - 4 pm LWR  <b>4 pm Lunch Making</b>  <b>6 pm Financial Peace U.</b>  <b>7 pm Handbells</b>                      7 pm Hispanic Group</p>	<p><b>18</b></p>	<p><b>19</b>                      6 pm AA</p>
<p><b>20 ALTAR:</b> Alisa                      *Poppe  <b>Christ the King Sunday and Youth Sunday</b>  <b>8:30 am Worship</b>  <b>9:45 am Classes/Forum</b>  <b>11 am Worship</b>  <b>LIT after worship</b>                      1 pm Faro de Luz</p>	<p><b>21</b>  <b>8:30 am Worship &amp; Music Committee</b>  <b>6 pm Peace &amp; Justice Potluck at the home of Rick and Ann Giles</b>                      6:30 pm GA</p>	<p><b>22</b>                      10 am Mom's Club  <b>10 am Crossways Study</b>  <b>7 pm Crossways Study</b>                      7 pm Hispanic Group                      7 pm Cub Scouts</p>	<p><b>23</b>                      7 am AA (closed for men)  <b>7 pm Thanksgiving Eve Worship</b></p>	 <p><b>BLESSINGS ON THANKSGIVING DAY !</b></p>	<p><b>25</b></p> 	<p><b>26</b>                      6 pm AA  <b>ADVENT begins tomorrow</b>  </p>
<p><b>27 ALTAR:</b> Kathie                      *Alvaro  <b>ADVENT BEGINS</b>  <b>8:30 am Worship</b>  <b>9:45 am Classes/Forum</b>  <b>11 am Worship</b>  <b>noon Lives in Transition</b>                      1 pm Faro de Luz</p>	<p><b>28</b>                      6:30 pm GA</p>	<p><b>29</b>                      10 am Mom's Club  <b>10 am Crossways Study</b>  <b>7 pm Crossways Study</b>                      7 pm Hispanic Group                      7 pm Cub Scouts</p>	<p><b>30</b>                      7 am AA (closed for men)  <b>noon Bible Study</b>                      4:30 pm Cherub/Jr. Choir                      5:30 Dinner  <b>6:30 Sr. Choir &amp; Classes</b>  <b>7:30 PLU Concert* at Schnitzer Concert Hall</b></p>	<p>*Two Choirs and the Orchestra from Pacific Lutheran University (Tacoma, WA) present their Christmas Concert in Portland on Nov. 30</p>	 <p><b>Dec. Bread Baker: Alisa</b></p>	
<h1>NOVEMBER 2011</h1>				<p>* Indicates sharing Sunday flowers.                      Look for the 2012 Flower Chart posted in the narthex.                      Sign up and put what you'd like on the announcement page.</p>		