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Johnstown, PA

First Lutheran Church

November 2021

GOD'S HEADLINE FOR NOVEMBER— "SOMETHING'S COMING, SOMETHING GOOD!"

*Christ has died! Christ is risen!
Christ will come again!*

From the Liturgy of Holy Communion

The appointed scripture readings for the Sundays in November begin with a look backward to the lives of the saints who have gone before—**All Saints, November 7.**



But then they turn us forward to what have been called the "End Times" as we hear readings about Jesus' return to judge the world and bring in the Kingdom of God.

In some years, those appointed scriptures can sound dark and dismal, focusing heavily on Jesus' role as our Judge. But, thankfully this year, the scriptures we will hear in November help us to have hope. They remind us of why God sent Jesus to us in the first place: *that we may have life, and have it abundantly* (John 10:10).

Given the dark clouds under which we have been living in the past year or so, we need God's Word to lift us up, to give us hope, to strengthen us for what is always unknown—the future!

November 6/7 Isaiah describes God's plan to bring all peoples together at a "feast of victory" over death on God's holy mountain. John, in his Gospel, will tell us how Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead as a forward look toward our own resurrection.

November 13/14 Daniel writes about God opening the "Book of Life" so that those who have been faithful will "shine like the stars" forever. Mark, in his Gospel, reports Jesus' promise that our experiences of bad times, wars and rumors of wars are but the "birth pangs" of God's new creation.

November 20/21 Again Daniel reminds us that the "Ancient One" will take his throne and that his kingdom with "never be destroyed." And Mark

reports Jesus' challenge to Pontius Pilate, "my kingdom is not from this world."

November 27/28 Jeremiah begins the season of Advent this year reminding of the "righteous Branch" that will bring justice and righteousness among us. And we begin to hear from Luke's Gospel how Jesus will destroy the corruption of our old world and bring us redemption and new life.

Many folks are looking at the sickness and sorrow, the hatred and division, the violence and destruction that are all around us as proof that there is no God, at least not as God who cares!

As Christians who believe that God turns evil into good, darkness into light, and death into life, let us try to exemplify that faith by showing Jesus' renewing power in our words and deeds.

Let us live each day in hope, with faith toward God and love toward all around us. For as someone once said: *We may be the only Bible some folks will ever read. We may be the only Jesus some folks ever meet.* Let us show them that what is coming from God to the world truly is something good!

*He is coming like the glory
of the morning on the wave,
giving wisdom to the mighty,
and relief to all the brave.*

*Then the world shall be his footstool,
even time itself his slave.*

Our God is marching on!

Julia Ward Howe, 1819-1910, alt.

(adapted from the original final stanza of the
BATTLE HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC)

Your Covenant Pastor,
The Reverend Walter L. Startzel





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~ PASTORAL ACTS ~

Pastor Walter L. Startzel

TRIBUNE AD FOR NOVEMBER IS DONATED

In memory of wife, Gertie
 BY John Kiser

BULLETINS ARE DONATED
 November 7 (All Saints), 21, 28
 By Don Kubovcik

November 14 (Veterans)
 By Shirley Hilbrecht

MUSIC MINISTRY-RECITALS

A gift in memory of Arne Magi
 Given by Ron and Jeanne Kuhs



Flower sign-up

ALTAR/ORGAN FLOWERS

Here is a listing of flowers
 available. Please sign up on the
 boards in the lounge. **If you
 don't want flowers in 2021,**

please cross your name off the flower chart.
 Thank you!

2021 Nov/Dec

Altar dates available:

No Nov/No Dec

2021 Nov/Dec

Organ dates available:

Nov 14, 21, 28/No Dec

The charts are located in the Lounge by
 the coffee stand. One board is for Altar Flowers
 - \$40. **(If there are 2 listings on the same day,
 the flowers are only \$20.)** and one is for Organ
 Flowers - \$30. As noted, more than one listing can
 be requested and the cost will be shared. Payment
 will be due on or before the date you have chosen.

If you cannot sign up in person, or have any
 questions, please call the church office at 814-
 536-7521.



In our prayers
In the life of our congregation, there are often important events which touch the lives of the First Lutheran family. We commend them to you and encourage you to share news with us.

+ Sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of Pastor Lloyd Wilson who died on October 11.

**Income and Expense Summary
as of September 30, 2021**

	Current YTD Actual Jan. 1 thru Sept. 30, 2021	Current YTD Budget Jan. 1 thru Sept. 30, 2021	Difference over+/under- Budget
Regular Offering Income	\$101,784.00	\$99,000.00	\$2,784.00
Trust Fund Income	\$0.00	\$0,00	\$0.00
Other Income	\$2,451.53	\$4,598.86	-\$2,147.33
TOTAL INCOME	\$113,464.53	\$109,932.78	\$3,531.75
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$133,568.47	\$138,521.75	-\$4,953.28

Note: Income and Expense budgets are based on prior years' patterns.

Regular offering income through September is 102.8% of budget, or \$2,784. over the budgeted amount. Total Income is over budget by \$3,531.75. Actual expenses are under budget by \$4,953.28. Actual expenses are over income in the amount of \$20,103.94.

Thank you for your continued faithfulness to First Lutheran Church during this challenging time. May you stay safe and healthy.
The Finance Committee



Council met October 13 at 7:00 pm to hear committee reports and conduct business.

The Property committee is working with Major Builders as consultants to map the internal sewer lines for the mandatory sewer work. Major Builders will also assess any possible modification to our roof to alleviate the water penetration problems we have been facing. Council approved the contract with H&L Contracting to install a new metal roof in the spring of 2022, pending approval by the congregation. The details of the roof expenditures will be presented to the congregation for approval at the November 6 & 7 Congregational Meeting.

The Worship and Music committee is looking for an organist for Sunday services, and is seeking substitute organists in the interim. Council is investigating a method to allow shut-in members who may not be able to access the video recordings of our worship service to listen to an audio recording instead. This idea is in the beginning stages, watch for news in the coming months.

First will once again be a host for the New Day Thanksgiving Dinner, being done as a take-out only, on Tuesday November 23. Donations for pies, cranberry sauce, and take-out containers will be accepted.

The next meeting will be Wednesday November 10 at 7:00 pm.



Next Journal Deadline

Tuesday, November 23rd
Share your news with us!

Thought for the month. .

Let me hear of your steadfast love in the morning, for in you I put my trust. Teach me the way I should go, for to you I lift up my soul.

Psalm 143:8

All Saints' +



On November 6 & 7, we celebrate the feast of All Saints. In our Lutheran tradition, we recognize the "saintliness" as well as the sinfulness of all who follow

Christ. All Saints' is, therefore, a celebration of the whole Church – the Church Militant (with members still in their earthly pilgrimage) and the Church Triumphant (those who now rest in God from their labors on earth). On All Saints' we name in gratitude and remembrance members of First Lutheran Church who have died or who have been baptized in the past year, but we also thank God for all who have gone before us. Members whom we have commended to God in the past year:

Anna E. Bassi
Audrey (Hargreaves) Bearer
Owen E. Gates
Beverly Marie Livingston
Stanley Ivan Livingston
Arne August Magi
Richard Morrell Ott
Harold E. Trevenen
Nancy C. Wargo

Those Saints who have been welcomed into the living Body of Christ through Baptism this year:

Joshua Paul Rinaman
Keynan Markus Dietz

Members will have an opportunity to offer names of loved ones who have gone before to be read at worship on the 6th & 7th. This beautiful festival calls all of us to worship – the Church on earth and the Church in heaven gathered together around the throne of God.



We will once again plan to honor all Veterans on Saturday, November

13th and Sunday, November 14th. There will be special prayers of thanks and blessing for all Veterans and for those actively serving in the armed forces.

In order for us to properly recognize our members who have served our country, we are asking all Veterans with new listings to kindly phone the church office so that there may be a record of your field of service for the bulletin that day.

Dedication of New Flag

The whole inspiration of our life as a nation flows out from the waving folds of this banner.

Unkown



A new United States flag for our chancel will be dedicated on Sunday, November 14. The aged condition of the old flag led the Worship Committee to

the decision to replace it.

The new flag is a gift from *Joel Hoshaw* and will be dedicated to honor our veterans, past and present who have served our country.

Covid Safety



Members are encouraged to wear masks during worship. Masks are available in the Lounge and Social Hall.



I am happy to announce that we will once again be hosting our annual Giving Thanks Dinner in partnership with New Day on Tuesday, November 23rd.

Anyone wishing to help with the prep and cooking please meet in the Social Hall from noon to 1:00 pm.

All dinners will be served from the main front office buzz door starting at 5:00pm.

One dinner for one ticket. We will have 230 tickets to offer this year.

Serving times will be 5:00pm & 5:30pm.

If you wish to donate some of what we will serve, we will need:

- 25 cans of cranberry sauce
- 36 pumpkin pies
- 15 bowls of cool whip
- 230 styrofoam clam containers
- 230 plastic grocery bags

There will be signup sheets in the lobby. If you have any questions, please contact me at 814-288-7288 (leave message) or by email- taketimeandhurry@atlanticbb.net

Thank you!
Howard



Daylight Savings Time ends
Saturday November 7

November Readings and Psalm

November 7 – All Saints Sunday

- **1 Kings 17:8-16** - *God feeds Elijah and the widow at Zarephath*
- **Psalm 146** - *The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down.*
- **Hebrews 9:24-28** - *The once for all sacrifice of Christ*
- **Mark 12:38-44** - *A widow's generosity reveals the hypocrisy of the scribes*

November 14 – Twenty Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

- **Daniel 12:1-3** - *The deliverance of God's people at the end*
- **Psalm 16** - *My heart is glad and my spirit rejoices; my body shall rest in hope.*
- **Hebrews 10:11-14 [15-18] 19-25** - *The way to God opened through Christ's death*
- **Mark 13:1-8** - *The end and the coming of the Son*

November 21 – Christ the King Sunday

- **Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14** - *The one coming with the clouds rules over all*
- **Psalm 93** - *Ever since the world began, your throne has been established.*
- **Revelation 1:4b-8** - *Glory to the one who made us a kingdom*
- **John 18:33-37** - *The kingdom of Christ*

November 28 – First Sunday of Advent

- **Jeremiah 33:14-16** - *A righteous branch springing up from David*
- **Psalm 25:1-10** - *To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.*
- **1 Thessalonians 3:9-13** - *Strengthen hearts of holiness for the coming of the Lord*
- **Luke 21:25-36** - *Be alert for the coming of the Son of Man*



The weekly prayer meeting is Mondays at Noon in the Conference Room on the office level. We hold the congregation, our community, friends and family, our nation and the world in prayer.

Please consider joining us for a time of prayer. You may choose to come weekly or from time to time. All are welcome. If you are unable to come to the church at that time please consider praying with us from wherever you are at noon on Mondays. If interested you may speak with Harriett Miller.

Thank You

The generosity of First Lutherans reaches beyond our church walls, into the community, the church at large and globally. We receive notes of thanks and acknowledgements for many of the gifts given. Acknowledgements received are noted each month in the VSJ and posted on a bulletin board located in the Lounge.



God's work. Our hands.

With the late arrival of additional supplies we were able to create an additional 12 LWR school kits

and 10 LWR personal care kits. We also received 2 blankets for Blanket Sunday. Thank you to everyone who supported our GWOH ministry and our Blanket Sunday collection.

Our ongoing **Backpack** and **West End Food** Pantry ministries continue to serve our community partners. 429 items were delivered to the Cambria County Backpack Program and 318 items were delivered to the West end Food Pantry. Your donations are vital to enable these partners to provide their ministry in the community.



A special thank you to Joel Hoshaw who has donated a mixer/amplifier with stereo outputs for use in the Social Hall. This equipment will enable the best sound for special music created and present by Joel during worship services.

Neighbors Helping Neighbors



"Feed the hungry, and help those in trouble. Then your light will shine out from the darkness and the darkness around you will be as bright as noon." Isaiah 58:10

Holidays are difficult times for families. We will be asking for donations of items that will make up a holiday meal. The food pantry will help to provide Christmas dinner supplies for those less fortunate. Some of the suggested items include:

- Boxed stuffing
- Instant potatoes
- Canned vegetables
- Canned fruits
- Boxed desserts
- JELLO & Puddings
- Muffin and bread mixes

Perhaps you have a favorite food that you serve for your holiday meals that you would want to include.

Donations will be collected thru Sunday, December 5. All donations will be delivered to the West End Food Pantry in time for holiday distribution.

Your donations may be left in the grocery carts located in the Lounge and the Social Hall. Thank you for helping our neighbors.



O God, you built your holy church
on Christ the Cornerstone;
now build us too upon that Rock,
on Christ and Christ alone.

Make us, O God, a serving church,
a house of living stones,
who share with all the gifts you've giv'n,
who show the love you've shown.

Walter L. Startzel, b.1946

As this article is written, First Lutheran continues to have in-person worship every Saturday evening and each Sunday morning, and members and the pastor work hard to present a quality broadcast of our Sunday morning worship each week for those who cannot attend. Sunday School, Confirmation, bell choir and Tuesday evening Bible Study restarted on schedule in September. Council, Monday Noon Prayer group and most committees have been meeting regularly for a while now. During this time of the unending pandemic, with God's guiding hand, we remain an active congregation.

Thanks to you our ministries of giving are doing well. The shopping cart continues to fill with donated non-perishable food items for the food pantry. The tub by the elevator continues to fill and overflow with items for the local schools' backpack project. We asked you for donations of supplies for the ELCA School Kits and Personal Care Kits for the God's Work Our Hands event in September and your response was amazing.

Many of you have found ways to stay in touch with and minister to members and others. We encourage you to continue to do so. And so many of you are making sure your financial contributions are submitted regularly even though you are not able to attend worship. Thank you. Your faithfulness is appreciated.

We are a church of "living stones" scattered throughout the community and your help is needed to continue.

The fall financial campaign has begun. It helps to provide a way for us to continue our ministry here and now at First Lutheran Church. Commitment packets were mailed in October. We ask that you take time to think about the gifts that God has given you and what you bring to your relationship with God. Time, talent, and treasure; all are essential.

Remember, it is a matter of faith that we can trust God and therefore be generous in giving. Faith that as living stones we are to carry on Christ work here on earth.

We encourage you to prayerfully consider what your financial commitment will be and promptly return your commitment card.

"You yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ."

1 Peter 2:4-5

The Stewardship Committee

Carol Allison

Calvin Anderson

Barry Critchfield

George Fattman

Jody Kirk

Harriett Miller

Bill Price

Pastor Starzel

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Saturday, November 6 & Sunday, November 7

Council has called for a congregational meeting, the business will include the approval of a new metal roof for the sanctuary and the approval of the Nominating Committee. Your input is important, please plan to attend.

Happy
Thanksgiving

ELCA World Hunger Advent 2021



There are ELCA World hunger Advent resources available for family or personal Advent devotions.

Advent Study 2021

Rejoice and reflect this Advent season through study, prayer and worship. Use this resource as an adult study, or just read the material each week during Advent.

Advent Calendar

Celebrate the excitement, anticipation and wonder of Christ's birth with the 2021 ELCA World Hunger Advent Calendar. Each day is a reminder of the Christ Child for whom we wait and work, with hymns, prayers, Bible verses and information about how ELCA Good Gifts make a difference in the world. These resources are available in the Lounge. Please feel free to take them.

ELCA GOOD GIFTS

On average, Americans spend more than \$900 on Christmas gifts each year. Yet when we think about the best gifts we've ever given or received, often what makes them significant is not the gift itself but the meaning behind it. Rethink traditional gift-giving this Christmas with ELCA Good Gifts. Give a loved one the chance to touch someone supported by ELCA ministries. Check out the ELCS Good Gifts Catalog,

ADVENT LITANY

By the tender mercy of our God, the dawn from on high will break upon us.

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The days are surely coming, says the Lord.

Instill in us a yearning to seek your presence in each other.

The days are surely coming, says the Lord.

Quicken us to help all people feel welcomed and supported.

The days are surely coming, says the Lord.

Rouse us to care for one another, friend and stranger alike.

The days are surely coming, says the Lord.

Inspire us to be your handiwork in the world.

The days are surely coming, says the Lord.

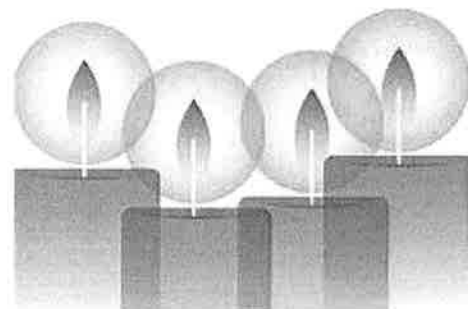
Fill us with a holy hunger for a just world where all are fed.

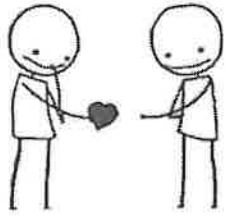
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Stir up our hearts, Lord God, to prepare the way of your son.

Stir up your power, Lord Christ, and come!





Random Acts of Kindness

Aesop said, "No act of kindness no matter how small is wasted."

Pay it forward

Did you know that November 13 is World Kindness Day? This is a

designated day to promote and celebrate kindness. To celebrate kindness, we challenge you to the Spread Kindness Trivia below.

1. Who said, "No act of kindness, however small, is ever wasted" – Mahatma Gandhi, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., or Aesop?
2. Can you name the Catholic nun who was known for her extreme kindness in helping the sick, poor, and orphaned in India?
3. Which of the following words is a synonym for kindness: honesty, charity, or integrity?
4. Engaging in acts of kindness releases what chemicals in the brain? (hint: the same chemicals released during exercise)
5. How many random acts of kindness do you need to complete in a week in order to increase your happiness for up to three months: 5, 10, or 15?
6. What is the phrase used when someone does something kind for you, and you in turn then do something kind for someone else?
7. What is the golden rule?
8. Who was the creator and host of a preschool television series, running from 1968-2001, that focused primarily on teaching children to be kind?
9. People who are perpetually kind are said to age how many times slower than their unkind peers: two times, three times, or four times?
10. Name some ways you can be kind that doesn't cost anything.

Answers: 1- Aesop, 2- Mother Teresa, 3- Charity, 4-Endorphins, 5-Five , 6-Pay it forward, 7-Do unto others as you would have them do unto you, 8-Fred Rogers, *Mister Rogers' Neighborhood*, 9-Two times, 10-Smile, say "thank you," give a compliment, hold the door for someone, etc else, let someone else go first, leave the last dessert for someone else, etc



Our 2021 Advent Giving Tree will warm the heads, hands, feet and hearts of people in our community.

We will gather warm winter accessories for children, youth and adults. During Advent decorate the tree located in the Lounge with warm mittens, gloves, scarves, hats, socks.

Your donations will certainly warm many hearts in our community.



Looking for. . .

donors willing to sponsor the weekly Tribune Democrat Saturday church ad. The cost of the ads is \$44.00 per month. The donation will be listed in the VSJ and the weekly bulletin. When donating toward the ads, members may request that they be gifted in honor or memory of loved ones. The specific request will be listed in the weekly bulletin.

If you are interested in sponsoring the ads please contact Sheri in the church office – 814-536-7521.

BLESSING BAG

Blessing Bags available in the Lounge - Our blessing bags contain a supply of personal care items. Please take a bag to share with someone you may encounter who is in need, struggling, down and out or is homeless.



Christmas Flower Order Christmas Charity Listing

Anyone who wants to order poinsettias to decorate the chancel (or anyone who wants to contribute toward Christmas Charity) can place their order on the form below and mail with payment to First Lutheran Church, 415 Vine Street, Johnstown, PA 15901. The cost of a poinsettia order is \$10.00. Please make sure you fill out all the information on the form.

If you have any questions, please call Sheri at the church office 814-536-7521. There will be envelopes available on the entry tables for your convenience.

The deadline for placing an order will be **Monday, December 13th**. Orders received after this date cannot be printed in the listing.

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FOR: (please circle your choice)	Christmas Flower Order (\$10.00) Christmas Charity Listing
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In memory of *-or-* in honor of: _____
 (**please indicate**)

Given by: _____

Amount Enclosed - \$ _____ Phone # _____

Volunteer Page - Month of November

ALTAR GUILD – Vicki Price, Carol Allison,
Patti Schrott, Polly Grubb

USHERS-Harry Bennett

COUNCIL GREETERS – Bill Price and
Jennifer Hartland

FLOWER DELIVERY – Joel Hoshaw

ACOLYTES

- 7 **All Saints Sunday**
Josie Hill and Abbie Savering
James Hill, Crucifer
- 14 Eli Kirk
- 21 **Christ the King**
James Hill
Abbie Savering, Crucifer
James Hill
- 28 **First Sunday of Advent**
Eli Kirk

LECTORS

- 6* Bob Lacovic
- 7 **All Saints Sunday**
Bill Grubb
- 13* Heidi Staib
- 14 Vicki Price
- 20* Fawn Slonka
- 21 **Christ the King**
Eli Kirk
- 27* Harriett Miller
- 28 **First Sunday of Advent**
Rick Hite

*Saturday Lectors

COMMUNION ASSISTANT

- 7 **All Saints Sunday**
Carol Allison
- 14 Vicki Price
- 21 **Christ the King**
Jody Kirk
- 28 **First Sunday of Advent**
Rick Hite

SATURDAY PIANISTS

- 6 Bob Lacovic
- 13 Heidi Staib
- 20 George Fattman
- 27 Harriett Miller

SOUND

- 7 **All Saints Sunday**
Chuck Staib
- 14 Harry Bennett
- 21 **Christ the King**
Rick Blackford
- 28 **First Sunday of Advent**
Bill Grubb

VIDEO

- 7 **All Saints Sunday**
Rob Abele
- 14 Bill Grubb
- 21 **Christ the King**
Bill Hargreaves
- 28 **First Sunday in Advent**
Rob Abele

TOWER BELLS

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|------------------|-----------------|
| 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 | Anne Fattman |
| 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 | George Fattman |
| 3, 10, 17, 24 | Linda Miller |
| 4, 11, 18, 25 | Harriett Miller |
| 14, 21, 28 | Vicki Price |

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Shirley Hilbrecht, Donna Kovalchek,
Patty Riddle, Tanya Shaffer


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Jane Hanechak, Lois Kohler, Sondra Magi



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Office Hours: Mon. thru Fri. 9 am - 2 pm

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 7 All Saints Sunday 9:30-Confirmation 10:45-Word & Sacrament Noon- Congregational Meeting	1 11:45-Communion 12-Prayer Meeting. 12:45-Staff Meeting 6:30-Bellichoir 8-Channel 9 Broadcast	2 7-FUNdraising 7-Worship & Music	3 7-Worship & Music	4 7-Council	5	6 Eve of All Saints 5:30-Word & Sacrament 6:30- Congregational Meeting TURN THE CLOCKS BACK
14 Pentecost 25 Recognition of Veterans 9:30-Confirmation 10:45-Word & Sacrament	8 11:45-Communion 12-Prayer Meeting. 12:45-Staff Meeting 6:30-Bellichoir 8-Channel 9 Broadcast	9 6:30-Bible Study	10 7-Council	11 Veteran's Day	12	13 Eve of Pentecost 25 5:30-Word & Sacrament
21 Christ the King 9:30-Confirmation 10:45-Word & Sacrament	15 11:45-Communion 12-Prayer Meeting. 12:45-Staff Meeting 6:30-Bellichoir 8-Channel 9 Broadcast	16	17	18	19	20 Eve of Christ the King 5:30-Word & Sacrament Receiving New Member – Vicki Feidhoff
28 First Sunday of Advent 9:30-Confirmation 10:45-Word & Sacrament	22 11:45-Communion 12-Prayer Meeting. 12:45-Staff Meeting 6:30-Bellichoir 8-Channel 9 Broadcast	23 12-VSJ Deadline 5:00 – New Day Giving Thanks Dinner - Takeout	24	25 Thanksgiving Blessings	26 OFFICE CLOSED	27 Eve of First Sunday of Advent 5:30-Word & Sacrament
	29 11:45-Communion 12-Prayer Meeting. 12:45-Staff Meeting 6:30-Bellichoir 8-Channel 9 Broadcast	30	