Bethlehem Lutheran Church & School

News & Notes for November 7, 8 & 11

BULLETINS – Celebrating Eoin Irish's 15th birthday.
ALTAR FLOWERS – Linda Herber, in memory of Bob Herber.
COFFEE HOUR – Hosted by Luke & Lisa Timm.

REQUESTED PRAYERS – Brendan Cullen, Charlotte Jump, Sandra Eckert, Dottie Conard, Chuck Kiehl, Tiffany Prescher, Tammy Barthels, Michelle Markevitch, Alan Schmidlkofer, Jeff Lampe, Barbara Prigge, Susan Schultz, Ashley Holt, Eric Johnson, Janice Richardson, Dean Usadel, Sue Braun, Paul Geib, Case Wesely, Dale Becker, Steve Schlehlein, and Michael Schmidt.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING BIDS FOR BETHLEHEM! - A heartfelt thank you to our congregation, volunteers, sponsors, and everyone who supported this year's Bids for Bethlehem Dinner Auction! We were blessed with a record attendance of 200 guests and an incredible $108,000 raised! Thank you for making this year's event such a tremendous success! **Did you capture any special moments from the evening?** We'd love to see your photos! Please share them with us at **krfauch@gmail.com**.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! – Would you be interested in participating in Bethlehem's Reading Partners program? They are looking for more volunteers to read to and with the children. This takes place every Wednesday from approximately 1:00-3:00pm. Please contact Judy Heinecke at 920-207-8886 if you are able to help.

SMILING FACES NEEDED! – Our greeter program is looking for a few more volunteers to welcome those entering the church either on Saturday evening or Sunday morning. Please contact Jeff at 920-452-2757 or the church office, to add your smiling face to the schedule!

LWIM'S NOVEMBER MISSION OF THE MONTH – Please refer to the bulletin insert for details.

BLESSINGS TREE – Sponsored by the Board of Social Ministry, the Blessings Tree will be coming soon. Take a look at the information in the November edition of the Visitor or grab a flyer from the table in the Century Room. Thank you in advance for supporting this cause.

GET YOUR BETHLEHEM GEAR IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS! – Looking for the perfect Bethlehem gear to show your school & church spirit this holiday season? Now is the time to shop! For apparel to arrive before Christmas break, please be sure to order by December 4. This will ensure that your items arrive before the last day of school on December 18. Happy Shopping & Merry Christmas! You'll find the apparel store on our website, under either the Church or the School tab.

SATURDAY BIBLE CLASS DISCUSSES 2 ISSUES – Join Pastor Hanson in the Century Room on November 7 (4:15pm) for some meaningful discussions. The subjects include "When Christians disagree" and "When Christianity isn't Christianity".

PASTOR NILES IS OUT OF TOWN THIS WEEKEND – He'll be back for Bible study and worship next weekend.

DO ALL RELIGIONS LEAD TO THE SAME PLACE? – Some of us may have heard this question asked, but what does the Bible say? How do we respectfully engage our Muslim and Jewish neighbors? For more information on this subject, join Pastor Hanson in the Century Room on November 8 (9:15am).

DON'T MISS THE LAST 2 MONDAY NIGHT CLASSES – Maybe you feel that parables are just nice little Bible stories you heard as a kid. Maybe they don't have much to say to you now as an adult. Join Rick Zeuner from 6:00-7:00pm in the Century Room on November 9 and November 16 and put that theory to the test. It doesn't matter if you've never attended before – each lesson is a stand-alone. You might learn something brand new.

A MESSAGE FROM STUDENT COUNCIL – Bethlehem's Student Council is once again running a November Ingathering, collecting items for families in need, in preparation for Thanksgiving. Please consider donating!

- ~~Week 1 (Nov. 2-6) = toilet paper, tissues, and laundry soap~~
- Week 2 (Nov. 9-13) = peanut butter, mac n cheese, cereal
- Week 3 (Nov. 16-20) = cans of soup, cans of fruit/vegetables, spaghettios

LHS FALL DRAMA PRESENTS *'THE ORPHAN TRAIN'* – Performances will take place on November 13 & 14 at 7:00pm. Tickets on sale now at www.lutheranhigh.com/events .

ALTAR GUILD MEETING - Attention Altar Guild ladies: your presence would be appreciated at the next meeting, which will be held on Saturday, November 21 at 9:30am.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT AT LHS - Lutheran High School welcomes the contemporary Christian music group, Cloverton, to our Performing Arts Center on Friday, December 4. Cloverton will stop in Sheboygan on their Midwest Christmas Tour for a 7:00pm concert featuring the wonderful Christian hymns and songs you grew up with! Tickets are on sale now at lutheranhigh.com/events. $10 in advance, $15 at the door. Their harmonious style and beautiful piano music is sure to elevate your holiday spirit!

LAKESHORE PRODUCTIONS INC. PRESENTS THE LIVING NATIVITY – Volunteers are needed to help tell the story of the birth of Jesus. Performances will be held on December 4 at 6:00pm and 7:00pm at OLL Parish Center in Random Lake. Contact Alexia Birenbaum to volunteer: alexiabirenbaum@gmail.com or 920-627-2357.

Upcoming Worship and Activities at Bethlehem

Sunday, November 8
8:00am – Worship w/ Holy Communion
9:15am – Bible study
9:15am – Sunday School (middle/high school – today's leader is Mr. Krueger)
10:30am – Worship w/ Holy Communion

Monday, November 9
6:00pm – Rick Zeuner Bible study

Tuesday, November 10
9:00am – Quilters
4:00pm – Social Ministry (kitchen)
5:00pm – Bethlehem School Forensics Showcase (sanctuary)
6:00pm – Endowment Committee meeting

Wednesday, November 11 (Veterans Day)
1:00pm – Reading Partners
3:30pm – Public school Confirmation class
6:00pm – Worship w/ Holy Communion

Thursday, November 12
7:00pm – Adult choir practice

Friday, November 13
7:00pm – LHS Fall Drama, *"The Orphan Train"*

Saturday, November 14
4:15pm – Bible study
5:30pm – Worship w/ Holy Communion
7:00pm – LHS Fall Drama, *"The Orphan Train"*

Sunday, November 15
8:00am – Worship w/ Holy Communion
9:15am – Bible study
9:15am – Sunday School (middle/high school – today's leader is Mrs. Lemus)
10:30am – Worship w/ Holy Communion
11:30am – Bible Study Task Force meeting

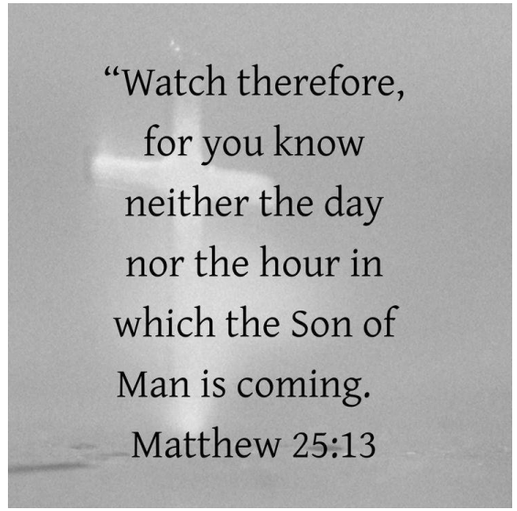
✠ The 24th Sunday after Pentecost ✠
November 7, 8 & 11, 2026

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Rev. Jeremy Hanson, Associate Pastor
Mr. Joshua Klug, Principal

Parish Music/Organist – Sandra Kasten
School Music/P.E. – Rachel Bult
3 yr. Kindergarten – Joely Buss
4 yr. Kindergarten – Joy Tschudy
5 yr. Kindergarten – Holly Leibham
Grade 1 – Katrina Niles
Grade 2 – Jessica Usadel
Grade 3 – Ellen Vanic
Grade 4 – Heidi Wallner
Middle Grades – Aidan Diener
Middle Grades – Pam Carlson-Gugel
Middle Grades – Jon Krueger
Middle Grades – Ryan Sines
Spanish – Jenna Walkenhorst
Resource – Sarah Klug
Band Instructor – Samuel Dunbar
Aides – Mary Irish, Charmaine Kempf, Kayla Boenisch
Church Office Manager – Amy Weir
School Secretary – Dawn Hemschemeyer
Custodian – Trisha Fischer
Custodian / Lunch Room – Crystal Payne
Lunch Coordinator – Monica Cyr
Extended Care Director – Rose Albertin
Extended Care – MaKenna Lindsay & RuthAnn McLaughlin



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