



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2024 9:00am - 3:00pm

If you like to do crafts and have a few items you would like to donate, the BLCW will be having a table. Proceeds from the sale will go towards projects at Burke. In the past we have had some quilted table toppers, homemade cards and floral arrangements donated. Items can be dropped off in the church office by Thursday, November 7.

It's also time to start thinking about what items you might bake for the Bake Sale. The bake sale usually sells out quickly so we would love to have your cookies, pies, breads, etc. to sell.

A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR BRYAN

Dear friends,

I don't have all the details in place yet to fully explain our plans, but I do want to introduce our next big initiative, coming up on Sunday, December 1. After worship that morning, the council is planning on hosting a congregation-wide meal and party, part of which will be talking about the financial realities of the congregation for this year and looking ahead to next year.

Often, we in the church use the big, fancy word "stewardship" when we talk about the way the congregation uses the money we receive, and the way we as individuals give our money. But stewardship is a much bigger concept than just money. It refers to the ways we use all of what God has entrusted to us, which includes our lives, our time, our relationships, our communities, our

skills and abilities, and yes, the money we receive and exchange. We'll be talking about this all through the month of November with a month-long sermon series titled, "The Ending is How We Begin."

You'll get more information about our congregational lunch when we get closer to December 1, so watch for more announcements and invitations in the mail and around the church.

Meanwhile, read through these pages and see what else is going on in the month of November and plan to join us as you're able.

God bless, Pr. Bryan

VETERAN RECOGNITION SERVICE

Sunday, November 10, 2024, 9:00am

Please join us in a special Veteran's Day Recognition on Sunday, November 10 as we honor our Veterans. Veteran family members, neighbors and friends are all invited. The Men's Club will be hosting a pancake breakfast after service on Sunday, November 10, in honor of all Veterans. Please join us in recognizing those Veterans who gave the ultimate sacrifice and those Veterans who continue to sacrifice for our freedoms.

With respect, honor and gratitude—thank you!



Women's Birthday Luncheon

Wednesday, November 13 at 11:30am. They will be meeting at Sugar River. Please join us for the monthly celebration. Happy Birthday to all that month.

FOOD PANTRY

November Food Pantry Focus: November focus is "Thanksgiving," such as stuffing mix, pumpkin pie mix, canned vegetables, canned yams, instant potatoes, canned gravy, etc. Cans with pop tops are especially welcomed. Please place your non-perishable goods in the 'Donations' basket in the entryway and it will be delivered to the pantry.

Don't forget to set you clocks back! On Saturday, November 3, be sure to set your clocks back an hour before going to bed. Enjoy the extra hour of sleep.



Lefse for sale!

The Lefse making has come to an end. The group was busy this year and the freezer is full, so come get your Lefse! Packages of 5 lefse rounds are only \$10.00. Grab one, two, or more! They make great holiday gifts, but will be gone before you know it!

MEN'S BREAKFAST

The next Men's Breakfast is Wednesday, November 13 at Gus' Diner, Hwy 19, Sun Prairie, at 9:00am.



Stop in for a cup of joe, a hearty breakfast and connect with brothers in Christ.

QUILTING

Every Wednesday at 9:00am. Everyone is welcome, no experience needed.

BIRTHDAY BAGS FOR RIVER FOOD PANTRY.

List of contents and bags are located in the entryway.



CEMETERY BOARD MEETING

Sunday, November 3 at 10:00am















PRAYER CONCERNS

During the month of September we remember the following individuals in our Sunday prayers:

Lisa Thompson Mark Gehrke
Marie McCoy June Chadwick

We apologize if we have missed anyone, it was not intentional.



ALL SAINTS

We remember and thank God for all the saints who have entered his eternal kingdom this past year. A candle will be lighted in their memory during our Worship Service on Sunday, November 3. Please contact the church office if you wish to light a candle for any other saints from this past year. Families are asked to attend and have someone come forward to light the candle.

Debra Ellen Butenhoff Mary A. Bosben Mark J. Snell

Stuart Carl Svoboda Wendy Kay Jones Merlyn Lee England
Charles "Chuck" Hughes Nancy Boettcher McClurg Laura "Jean" Lothe
Virginia Steward Martha Dallman Sharon Nicholas
Dana Kohl Mary Hitchcock Edwin Bingham

It's hard to believe that the Christmas season is just around the corner. We also know that for people who have lost loved ones or people without healthy families with whom to gather, the Christmas season can be one of the loneliest times of the year. Join us for a special Blue Christmas 'Dinner Church' Service on Thursday, December 19 at 6:00 p.m. at United in Christ Lutheran Church in Morrisonville. This will be a service of music, prayer, and stillness aimed at offering permission and time for healing and grieving in the spirit of the season.

Dinner Church is a new initiative that United in Christ has been engaging in since June thanks to a grant from the ELCA. Dinner

church is an extended service of Holy Communion that offers a meal AND an interactive worship service in one (not one before/after the other). Open Table Dinner Church seeks to disrupt the 'traditional' worship experience and invites something brand new and different that is open to everyone.





NOVEMBER 2024 CALENDAR



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 All Saints Day Worship, 9a Coffee Hour, 10a Cemetery Board, 10a	4	5 ELECTION DAY	Quilting, 9a Bible Study, 1p Bible School, 6:30p at NCMLC	7 Teach Board, 6p	8	9 Craft and Bake Sale 9a-3p
Veteran Recognition Worship, 9a Men's Group Breakfast 10a	11	12 Council, 6:30p	Men's Breakfast, 9a Quilting, 9a BLCW Meeting, 10a BLCW Lunch, 11a Bible Study, 1p Bible School, 6:30p at NCMLC	14	15	16
17 Worship, 9a Coffee Hour, 10a	18 Preach Board, 10a	19	Quilting, 9a Bible Study, 1p Bible School, 6:30p at NCMLC	21	22	23
24 Worship, 9a Pot Luck, 10a	25	26	Quilting, 9a Bible Study, 1p Bible School, 6:30p at NCMLC	28	29	30

Save the Dates: November 3 - All Saints Day

November 9 - Craft and Bake Sale

November 5 - Election Day

November 11 - Veteran's Day

November 13 - World Kindness Day

November 28 - Thanksgiving

Happy Birthday!

November 3	Kaitlyn Schramer	November 14	Don Johnson
November 4	Penny Brown	November 14	Janet Herrick
November 5	Cheryl Beckman	November 18	Kaylee Housner
November 7	Carolyn Lyle	November 19	Mason Dobbs
November 9	Melissa Bethea	November 20	Abigail Harris
November 9	William Schmidt	November 20	Dave Queiser
November 10	Carrie Kruse	November 21	Kimberly Brown
November 11	Sharon Hughes	November 23	Jania Crosby
November 12	Tim Sandridge	November 27	Lori Mueller
November 13	Avery Peterson	November 29	Jennifer Klang

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Happy Anniversary!

Dan and Jennifer Hanson November 7, 1992



NOVEMBER WORSHIP LEADERS

	November 3 9:00am Service	November 10 9:00am Service	November 17 9:00am Service	November 24 9:00am Service
Organist/Pianist	Gloria Lundquist	Susie Kittel Moore	Gloria Lundquist	Susie Kittel Moore
Music Leader	Chris Grefe Dave Wisner	Praise Band	Chris Grefe Dave Wisner	Praise Band
Communion Assistant	Barb Hennings	David Hanson	Jean Schnick	Julie Clark
Communion Prep	Gloria Lundquist	Jeannette Gehrke	Gloria Lundquist	Jeannette Gehrke
Lay Reader	Cheryl Beckman	Mady Moreno	Deb Brown	Barb Hennings
Ushers	Bob Lenzendorf David Hanson	Steve & Donna Frederic	Roger Kittleson Rick Brandon	Karl & Shari Patzer
Coffee Hour	Donuts	Men's Group Breakfast	Donuts	Potluck
Counters	Gloria Lundquist Rose Haney	Gloria Lundquist Deb Brown	Sharon Hughes Jan Peterson	Sharon Hughes Jan Peterson Jean Schnick

CHRISTMAS QUILT RAFFLE

The Burke Lutheran Quilters are holding a raffle for the beautiful Christmas Quilt hanging in the Sanctuary.

Tickets are \$5.00 each or 3 for \$10.00. If you are interested in purchasing tickets, please see Deb Brown or Gloria Lundquist. The drawing will be held Saturday, November 9, 2024 at 2:30pm.

