



THE PREVIEW

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Christian Education Scholarships

Applications for the Richland Lutheran Church (RLC) Christian Education Scholarships for 2020 are being accepted this month. Application forms will be available through the RLC website beginning November 9, 2020. They must be received by close-of-business (5 PM) November 23 in the church office.

For more information on eligibility requirements, consult the Christian Education Scholarship page on the RLC website.

Would You Like to Learn More About Prayer?

Kelly Westlund will be facilitating an eight-week course on the basics of prayer. The Prayer Course will use the Lord’s Prayer as the basis for discussing why and how we pray. We’ll also take a look at unanswered prayer, spiritual warfare and more. Join us on Thursday mornings at 9 AM on Zoom—meeting ID # 760 835 2090. Each week we will watch a video together and spend some time in discussion, and prayer. Hope to see you there!

Questions: Contact Kelly at kellywrlc@gmail.com

Thanksgiving Eve Worship

This year, our Thanksgiving Eve worship will be slightly reformatted. We invite you to submit via mail or email your statements of gratitude and thankfulness for God’s faithfulness and love to the church (901 Van Giesen), jennypagerlc@gmail.com, or by the form found on the church database portal log in page. These statements will then be shared by Pastor Steve during the live streamed service on Nov. 25 at 7:00 PM. Please note this service will not have any in-person seating. It will be live-streamed only.



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Thank you to the dozens and dozens of RLC family members who have activated their profile on Church Community Builder, the new online database information management system recently implemented by RLC. It is proving to be a very useful tool for our congregation. If you have not yet activated your ability to view your profile, please visit the church website and click on “RLC Log In” in the top menu bar, and then click on the “RLC Community Log In” and “Request Account” if you no longer have the log in email sent previously.

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Third Quarter Statements

Third quarter giving statements should have arrived in your home mailbox by now. The statements look different than before, as they are now produced by the new database.

Please check your statement to ensure all contributions have migrated accurately. If you notice a discrepancy, please contact Jenny Page (JennyPageRLC@gmail.com) or call the church office (943-3164).

Pastoral Acts for September 2020

Baptisms

None

Weddings

None

Memorials/Funerals

9/25/2020 Mavis Lippert

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A Little Goodness Goes a Long Way

From Pastor Steve, Lead Pastor



¹⁴ The Lord replied, “My Presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.”

¹⁵ Then Moses said to him, “If your Presence does not go with us, do not send us up from here. ¹⁶ How will anyone know that you are pleased with me and with your people unless you go with us? What else will distinguish me and your people from all the other people on the face of the earth?”

¹⁷ And the Lord said to Moses, “I will do the very thing you have asked, because I am pleased with you and I know you by name.”

¹⁸ Then Moses said, “Now show me your glory.”

¹⁹ And the Lord said, **“I will cause all my goodness to pass in front of you, and I will proclaim my name, the Lord, in your presence. I will have mercy on whom I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion. ²⁰ But,”** he said, “you cannot see my face, for no one may see me and live.”

²¹ Then the Lord said, “There is a place near me where you may stand on a rock. ²² When my glory passes by, I will put you in a cleft in the rock and cover you with my hand until I have passed by. ²³ Then I will remove my hand and you will see my back; but my face must not be seen.”

– Exodus 33:14-23 (emphasis mine)

Are you desiring to see a little goodness in your life? I sure am! I think that’s because I’m sick and tired of seeing all the badness of life. You know what I mean, don’t you? We’ve had our fair share of badness of late. The Coronavirus pandemic, angry partisan politics, racial injustice, devastating fires, broad sweeping hurricanes, social distancing, and the list goes on and on. We all cry out for some goodness!

“I will cause all my goodness to pass in front of you, and I will proclaim my name, the LORD, in your presence.”
Exodus 33:19a

Moses also was desperate to see some goodness. The people of Israel had been released from their captivity in Egypt and found themselves wandering in the desert. Moses had been given the Ten Commandments up on Mount Sinai as he prayed for the people. Having been given the Law, Moses went down from the mountain to find utter chaos. Moses’ older brother, his most trusted ally, his best friend had led the people of Israel to hedge their spiritual bets by building a golden calf. Bad news! And this on top of all the bad news that had already happened, complaints about Manna, unfaithfulness in marriage, drifting from God, etc. Moses was done with bad news! He was so frustrated that he broke the two tablets containing the Ten Commandments.

The text above accounts for part of Moses’ conversation with God as he complains about what Israel has done. He’s lonely, he’s tired, he’s frustrated, he’s disappointed, he’s afraid, anxious, nervous, concerned, upset, depressed, you name it. Moses’ is truly at the end of his rope. Can you relate? Are you in some of these places, all of them? So Moses asks to see God’s glory. Moses is desperate for God’s presence. Perhaps you are desperate for God as well.

God, however, does not give Moses what he asks for. I wonder why? I’ve always thought it was because “no one can see me and live.” But, I’m changing my mind on this. Ruth Haley Barton writes, “God knew that what Moses most needed to see and what would sustain him for the long haul...was a glimpse of God’s goodness and mercy.” Barton argues God did this because, “God’s goodness is his greatest glory and it is what we most need.” I have no trouble agreeing with Barton here. In fact, I think she may be onto something profound.

As I think about what will sustain me for the long haul during this very difficult time, I think that a little goodness would go a long way. Not the world’s goodness, but the

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goodness of God. What a gift it was to Moses to see God's goodness up on that mountain top. In fact, Moses came down a changed man, didn't he? So changed that when he returned to the people of Israel, "his face was radiant because he had spoken with the Lord." So radiant that the people were "afraid to come near him." That's quite the change!

What did it take for Moses to see God's goodness? Did Moses have to fulfill some kind of task first? Did Moses have to memorize the tablets? Did Moses work at all to earn this great gift of God? Nope, Moses only had to ask. So then, what do you think you need to do for God to reveal his goodness to you? You got it, ASK! You don't need to work for it, you can't earn it, you don't deserve it. God's goodness is a gift. And seeing that goodness will soothe your soul. It will change you. What are you waiting for then? Take a moment right now and ask God to see his goodness, and see what he shows you. That's what I'm going to do.

Grace and Peace,

Pastor Steve

From the Council

Kiane Lesser, Member At Large

"Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful" (Colossians 3:15)

COVID19 implications, political strife, social unrest, economic uncertainty, social media messaging, and family discord often present an impact that questions or challenges the fabric of our fundamental beliefs, thoughts, values and norms. It's obvious that these matters perpetuate and encourage division and negativity, which often can lead to conflict and even hatred. This is even more prevalent in turbulent times and often quite easy to succumb to the pressures of what others are doing or thinking around you, even if it is wrong. While it is easy to become overwhelmed in a sea of uncertainty, how do we maintain equilibrium? What source can we draw from that will always provide a trusted, safe and healthy spiritual foundation in times of doubt?

In Colossians Chapter 3, Paul gives clear instructions to Christians about living out faith in Christ.

Colossians 3:1-11 "Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry. Because of these, the wrath of God is coming. You used to walk in these ways, in the life you once lived. But now you must also rid yourselves of all such things as these: anger, rage, malice, slander, and filthy language from your lips. Do not lie to each other, since you have taken off your old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge in the image of its Creator. Here there is no Gentile or Jew, circumcised or uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave or free, but Christ is all, and is in all."

Take a moment
right now and
ask God to see
his goodness
....and see what
he shows you.

President's Message: A Heart of Thanksgiving From Sandy Steele, Congregation President

Rejoice always,
pray continually,
give thanks in all
circumstances;
for this is God's
will for you in
Christ Jesus.
1 Thessalonians
5:16-18

Wow! Here it is already November; time to be thinking of that turkey dinner and what Thanksgiving means to each of us. Thanksgiving may have a different look this year but "Thanks" is still the central theme of the season. I'd like to take this opportunity to share with you a few of those things for which I'm grateful.

First, I give my thanks and gratitude to my Glorious Heavenly Father for this life He has given me – "the good, the bad, and the ugly"; for His love, His grace, and His mercy that surpasses all understanding. I thank Him for my family and my friends; for all of you, my brothers and sisters. I thank Him for those little pleasures of life – the sunrises and sunsets, relaxing walks along the river or through the woods, the summer evenings as I sit on the

patio with friends listening to the background sounds of the frogs and ducks as darkness settles in, a crisp fall day when the trees are bursting with vibrant colors (my favorite time of the year), the warm spring sun after so many days of dreary, gray skies; and even those wintery days, especially as the snow gently falls. I thank Him for laughter, for joy, for inner peace. I have so much for which to be thankful. Lord Jesus, I thank You...

*"For each new morning
with its light,*

*For rest and shelter of the
night,*

For health and food,

For love and friends,

*For everything Thy goodness
sends."*

I'm thankful, as well, for the difficult and sad times as I turn to Him for

strength and comfort. *Yes, even in the midst of this pandemic I am thankful to our Creator for the reminder that He is in control and that I am completely dependent on Him. We can always find something for which to be thankful.*

As you sit at your Thanksgiving table to enjoy the meal set before you, I ask that you join me in thanking our Heavenly Father for those many blessings He has showered upon each of us. A Very Blessed and Happy Thanksgiving to All!

Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

The Christmas Adventure Box - A Family Advent Activity

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box

A Family Advent Devotional Activity

Start a new tradition with your family this season with the Christmas Adventure Box—a fun family advent devotional activity. This booklet will be made available in both print and PDF formats. Printed copies will be available at the Operation Christmas Child box drop off day (Nov. 8, 1-3 PM), on Sunday mornings during in-person worship, and can be either mailed or delivered to your home. The PDF version will be on the Children's Ministries page of the church website and on the RLC facebook group pages in early November. This activity involves a little bit of prep work for the adults, so don't wait until December 1 to look at it!

If you have any questions, please contact Jenny Page (JennyPageRLC@gmail.com) or call the church office (943-3164).

Financial Update

From Bill Peterson, Finance Officer

January-September 2020 RLC Financial Snapshot

Income	Budget	Expenses	Gain/(Loss)
\$625,208	\$675,776	\$687,558	(\$62,350)

If you have any questions, please contact Bill Peterson or Lisa Wiegand

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In Chapter 3, Paul reminds us that we as believers have been saved by Christ, and therefore we should strive to set our minds on things above and not on earthly things. He also reminds us that as Christians, we should not participate in the sins which trap unbelievers.

Colossians 3:12-14 *“Therefore, as God’s chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.”*

Paul tells us that believers ought to demonstrate compassion, humility, patience, and forgiveness, and above all, followers of Christ should show love. So in these times of strife, unrest, uncertainty and even confusion, there are so many opportunities for us as believers to show the love and compassion that Jesus has taught us. Colossians Chapter 3 is a road map, or a pathway to help teach and guide us, so that no matter what strife, uncertainty, or challenges we face, we can show love and compassion even when viewpoints differ from, or conflict with, our internal beliefs.

....clothe yourselves
with compassion,
kindness, humility,
gentleness and
patience....

Digital Giving with Pushpay



During this unusual time of congregational life, where we are worshipping mostly via live stream, and holding meetings and gatherings through virtual connections, you are encouraged to give digital giving a try. Visit the church website (www.RichlandLutheran.org) and click on the red “Give” button located towards the bottom of the front page. It takes just a moment to create an account. You can make a one-time gift or set up a recurring transaction for your tithes and offerings. The most frequently used ministries that receive designated gifts are listed for your convenience, so you’re still able to give those special offerings for things like the Food Pantry, GNMM, the Foundation, Operation Christmas Child, and more!

Of course, you’re always welcome to still give your tithes, offerings, and special givings via check or cash in your offering envelopes by mailing them to the church or dropping them by the church office during normal business hours.

Questions? Contact Lisa Wiegand or Jenny Page in the church office.

Regathering for Worship - Reservations and More

*Reservations may be made online Monday 9:00 AM–Friday 12:00 Noon
Or by phone (509-430-0050) Monday-Thursday, 9:00 AM-3:00 PM, Friday,
9:00 AM-12:00 Noon.*

As we continue to gather for modified in-person worship, we are utilizing a “reservation” system through a company named “Brushfire.” Making a reservation is easily done through the link available on the church website under the “Worship with Us” button. You do not need to make an account with Brushfire (although you can, if you wish), simply choose your seat from those shown as available, complete the necessary info, including agreeing to adhere to the health self-assessment guidelines, and click submit. You will receive an email in response with a “receipt” of your seat reservation. This can be saved to your Apple Wallet, printed out, or just otherwise remember your reserved seat section/number. We will also have a list of reservations available in the narthex on Sunday mornings. *Please visit the church website (“Worship with Us”) for a printable tutorial on how to make a seat reservation for worship. You can also view the YouTube video from the Facebook Family Chat on September 28 where we walked through the process as well.*

Don't forget to
reserve your
seats by Noon on
Fridays!

Seating will be limited to no more than 50 congregants, and most likely less, depending on seat choices and how those choices fall within social distancing. **Automatic social distancing will be added to each reserved group seating**, so when choosing a seat, please do not leave “orphaned” seats between you and the next group — those orphaned seats will become unusable by others and reduce our overall capacity. Some rows will not be available at all. You may not be able to sit in your “usual spot,” so thank you in advance for being flexible and sitting where it is available. Please do not sit anywhere other than your reserved seat, and follow the directions from the Worship Hosts (those who will be assisting with seating and other duties) as appropriate. **Masks must be worn throughout the duration of your time in the building**, with the exception of receiving communion. If you are unable to wear a mask, we ask that you continue to worship safely from home via the livestream or TV broadcast. At the conclusion of worship, you will be dismissed by row by the Worship Hosts, and we encourage you to exit the narthex promptly.

For a more complete list of details for our Regathering, please visit the church website and click “Announcements” or “Worship with Us,” or call the church (943-3164) and we’d be happy to mail a copy to you.

No Internet? Watch Worship Service on TV!



If you don’t have internet at home to watch the weekly livestream of our worship service, try watching *Good News Today!* Our Good News Media Ministry produces a weekly television show with KVEW-TV on channel 42-1 on Sunday mornings at 9:00 AM. You’ll see the previous week’s sermon that was recorded live in our sanctuary.

Questions? Call the church office at 943-3164, and press “0”.

November 2020		
Sun	Mon	Tue
<p>1 9:00 AM Good News Today—KVEW TV 10:00 AM Worship - in person and livestream</p>	<p>2 12:00 PM Mary Martha Bible Study 2:00 PM RLC Family Chat - FB Live 5:00 PM Executive Committee 6:00 PM Contemporary Worship Coordinator Search Team</p>	<p>3 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 1:00 PM Food Pantry Distribution</p>
<p>8 9:00 AM Good News Today—KVEW TV 10:00 AM Worship - in person and livestream 7:00 PM High School Youth Group</p>	<p>9 12:00 PM Mary Martha Bible Study 2:00 PM RLC Family Chat - FB Live 6:00 PM Contemporary Worship Coordinator Search Team</p>	<p>10 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 1:00 PM Food Pantry Distribution 7:00 PM Congregation Council</p>
<p>15 9:00 AM Good News Today—KVEW TV 10:00 AM Worship - in person and livestream 5:00 PM Deadline for December Preview Articles</p>	<p>16 12:00 PM Mary Martha Bible Study 2:00 PM RLC Family Chat - FB Live 6:00 PM Contemporary Worship Coordinator Search Team</p>	<p>17 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 1:00 PM Food Pantry Distribution</p>
<p>22 9:00 AM Good News Today—KVEW TV 10:00 AM Worship - in person and livestream 7:00 PM High School Youth Group</p>	<p>23 12:00 PM Mary Martha Bible Study 2:00 PM RLC Family Chat - FB Live 4:00 PM Biblical Stewardship MALT 5:00 PM Spiritual Growth MALT 6:00 PM Contemporary Worship Coordinator Search Team</p>	<p>24 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 1:00 PM Food Pantry Distribution 5:30 PM Christian Service MALT</p>
<p>29 9:00 AM Good News Today—KVEW TV 10:00 AM Worship - in person and live stream</p>	<p>30 12:00 PM Mary Martha Bible Study 2:00 PM RLC Family Chat - FB Live 5:00 PM Executive Committee 6:00 PM Contemporary Worship Coordinator Search Team</p>	

November 2020			
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From Pastor Sam

Jesus said, “A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; even as I have loved you, that you also love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

It is nice to be able to come back to assist the church with its visitation ministry. Returning to this staff position as Interim Visitation Pastor has been, in some ways, made easier because of my familiarity with this work that I did for three months last year. The above quote from the Gospel of John was one that I often thought of, and even wrote about, when I filled in as an Associate Pastor last summer. Last year I was able to meet many people in their homes, in coffee shops (because we could do that then), or visited with parishioners in the prayer room; so resuming this work feels kind of like I am returning home after a long absence.

My first official day back was September 1. Since then, much of what I have done has been by phone but there have been a few occasions when I have been to parishioners' homes to visit with them, to listen to their stories, to pray with them, and to share communion.

In those visits, a few common themes have presented themselves such as feelings of loneliness, the sometimes disturbing impact of isolation, and the difficulty some people have expressed about what it means to not be with those that they love. Yet most parishioners also seem to remember that it is in their faith in the in-dwelling presence of Jesus that they have been able to bear this time; and that it is their faith in Christ Jesus that has led them to find hope in how they cope with the struggle of this seemingly unusual season of life.

So, as Pastor Steve often says, “It’s all about Jesus”; which for me means it is our faith in Jesus’s mercy, joy and love that guides all of us to remember what His saving grace brings to every moment of life.

The office I’m using is the one that Pastor Corey had used. I was given permission to meet with parishioners face-to-face, so I have set up the space so that there is a pandemic distance between us. I will be at the church on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 10-2, (unless I am visiting someone). If you would like to contact me, please call the church office.

So, as I previously wrote, it is nice to return to my call in ministry and to remind everyone to keep faith by remembering the hope that our faith in Christ brings to us.

Blessings for each of you,
Pastor Sam Geyer

Thanking Our Volunteers

We want to say a big THANK YOU to Bill Kaiser and Rich Barchet for installing the new mailbox near the narthex entrance!

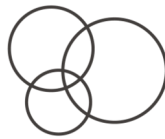
Also, a big THANK YOU to Felix and Betty Quinn for painting the post next to the mailbox before the installation.

We appreciate all of you!

Contact the RLC office if you, or someone in your family, would like to be contacted by an RLC Visitation minister.



Church Community Builder - Our New Database



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Be sure to log in and update your information as needed!

Thank you!

Have you accessed your profile on the new church database? The link to the portal is available from the church website (richlandlutheran.org). Everyone who had an email on file with the church should have received an invitation email the second week of September with a direct link to the login page, and with instructions on how to activate your profile account. Alternatively, you can click on the "RLC Login" from the menu bar near the top of the RLC website homepage, and then click on the dark gray button labeled, "RLC Online Community Login" and click "Request Account." If your email is on file, the process will begin. If you are using an email that we don't have on file, your request for a login will be forwarded to the staff, and we will have to grant access for the email you used. There are tutorial videos on the "RLC Login" page of the website to assist with accessing your account, as well as how to navigate through the various modules of the site. You have the ability to update your profile with current information. If you see something that needs correction, and it is not correctable by you, please contact Jenny Page (jennypagerlc@gmail.com).

This online community provides us with greater opportunity to connect with each other, with our ministry teams and groups, and to stay organized with calendars and message boards. We hope you enjoy and put to use this powerful new congregational tool.

How Can We Pray for You Today?



Did you know? The staff prays for congregation members regularly at our weekly staff meetings. The prayer team prays over all the prayer requests we receive on Thursday mornings at 10:30 AM. We consider it a gift and a privilege to lift YOU, and your loved ones, up in prayer to our Lord.

How can we pray for you today?

Send your prayer requests to officeatrlc@gmail.com, or go to the website or our new CCB site and submit them there. You are also welcome to call the church office - we will most likely pray with you right then and there, over the phone, as well.

"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people."
Ephesians 6:18

Activities for Kids



Super Kids!

Super Kids! meets on Wednesday evenings at 5:30 for about an hour! We meet via Zoom (please contact Jenny Page for the room ID – for security purposes, we will not post it here). This fall, we are currently learning about the Armor of God (Ephesians 6). If your child has not joined us yet this school year, it's not too late to jump in! Please let Jenny know ahead of time so she can drop off the "Super Kids on the Go" pack of supplies so your child is prepared for the gathering.



Super Kids will meet weekly via Zoom for the foreseeable future.

And, Super Kids, you're always welcome to call or FaceTime Miss Jenny or Chadder on the phone if you'd like to chat!

For more
information about
activities for kids,
contact Jenny Page!



Sunday School/Children's Church!

Sunday School/Children's Church videos are available on the RLC Children & Family Ministry YouTube channel. A new video is posted weekly and available by about 8:00 AM on Sundays. Videos are appropriate for preschool and elementary aged children. Simply go to YouTube.com and search for RLC Jenny Page.

Direct links are available through the RLC Families Facebook group page each Sunday. You can also find a link to the YouTube channel on the church website's Children's Ministry page, and on the church app under the Media tab.

Activities for Middle School and High School Youth

Middle School Youth Group

**is meeting
EVERY OTHER WEDNESDAY**

on Zoom this month

11/4 - 11/18

6:30 PM

Meeting ID: 801-602-3197

There is a waiting room, so please make sure your name is recognizable!

For more information about youth and family activities, contact Amanda Daniels!

High School Youth Group

is meeting EVERY OTHER SUNDAY

on Zoom this month

11/8 - 11/22 - 12/6

7:00 PM

Meeting ID: 801-602-3197

There is a waiting room, so make sure your name is recognizable!



Families, are you on our
**RLC Families
Facebook Page?**

If not, search “**Richland Lutheran Church Family Ministry**” and request to join.

We need connection and community right now, maybe more than ever! Come join the conversations!

Operation Christmas Child

It's almost time to return your Operation Christmas Child boxes! On **Sunday, November 8**, 1:00-3:00 PM, you can visit the drive-by drop off at the east Narthex doors to return your boxes. The following Sunday, we will pray for the recipients of the boxes during worship and then transport the boxes to the collection center.



450 boxes sent in 2019!

Thank you for your partnership in this ministry!

For more information contact Jenny Page
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RLC Prayer Groups

Our RLC prayer groups meet once a week. The Thursday morning group prays for our congregation's specific prayer requests, our ministries and our community. We meet at 10:30 AM via Zoom.

Our Mission prayer group meets on Saturday afternoons at 4:30 PM to pray for all of the various mission efforts RLC is involved in. We pray for our missionaries, Mike and Julie Penley, for the missions and mission partners in Estonia and Lodge Grass, Operation Christmas Child, for missionaries Caleb and Emily Arnold in Mexico; and for our local mission efforts such as the food pantry, the block party and others.

Scripture reminds us often that God calls us to pray regularly, persistently, and constantly. It is a blessing to lift up others to God in prayer and it is especially sweet to know that God hears us when we pray. Won't you join us? Please contact the church office for Zoom meeting information.

“...for my house will be called a house of prayer for all the nations.”
Isaiah 56:7

Devotion Booklets

If you would like a copy of the October - December issue of Portals of Prayer or Christ in Our Home, please contact the church office and we will be happy to mail one to you.

Email officeatrlc@gmail.com or call 509-943-3164 and push “0”.

Prayer for the Church

Thursdays at 10:30 AM via Zoom

Mission Prayer

Saturdays at 4:30 PM via Zoom

Anniversaries

November 2
Bob & Marilyn Schumacher

November 8
Mark & Cindy Underwood
Wayne & Pam Roundy

November 9
Stuart & Zemmie Iedema

November 10
Scott & Joclyn Conrad

November 14
Greg & Elaine Keyes

November 18
Mike & Julie Penley
Russ & Pamela Warren



Birthdays

November 1
Diane Fleener
Valerie Silva

November 2
Audrey Hagensen
Rebecca Rogers

November 3
Alice Dagle

November 4
Jane Wilcox
AJ Wiegand

November 5
Jim Salaba
Pam Roundy

November 6
Julie Olson
Danny Taasevigen
Dave Larkin

November 7
Traci Moran
Joshua Woehle

November 8
Layla Taft
Jen Ranta

November 9
Lauren Heaslet
Donna Brown
Gabriel Kissire

November 10
Barb Westlund

November 11
Henry Taft
Kelly Doyle

November 13
Melissa Carter
Garrett Streufert

November 14
Heidi Dagle
Lori Lachut

November 15
Rusty Heaslet

November 16
Lisa Wiegand

November 17
Amanda Kissire
Susie McKinney
Ryan Schumacher
Alan Hagensen

November 19
Brock Streufert

November 20
Kristin Smith
Jim Lachut
Kris Mitchell
Emmett Porter

November 21
Loren Peterson
Rob Barr

November 22
Art Tackett
Sandi Edgemon

November 23
Barbara Sandness

November 24
Pam Hedges
Kelly Arnzen
Cynthia Wheeler

November 25
Bill Clarke

November 26
Alex Collins
Sydney Miller
Jan Leitz

November 27
Timothy Lamberson

November 28
Ona Lander
Nathan Lipton
Coley Levin

November 29
Rebecca Skinner
Margaret Arnst

November 30
Courtney Olsen

Praying for God's
blessings on each of
you as you celebrate
your special day.





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KVEW 42 and KAPP 35 at 9:00 AM

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