

**November 17, 2024
Pentecost 26**

**Welcome to long-time Lutherans, to Christians from every tradi-
tion, and to people new to the faith.**

**Welcome to you who have no church home, or who want to
follow Christ, have doubts, or do not know for sure what you
believe.**

Welcome to new visitors and old friends

**Welcome to people of every age and size, color and culture, every
sexual orientation and gender identity, socio-economic status, mar-
ital status, ability and challenge.**

We welcome your questions and your beliefs

**Welcome to Lebanon
All are welcome in this place**

**Readings for today: Daniel 12:1-3, Psalm 16, Hebrews 10:11-14
[15-18] 19-25; Mark 13:1-8.**

*Readings for next week: Christ the King: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14;
Psalm 93; Revelation 1:4b-8; John 18:33-37.*

*Try reading these ahead at home and see if you can find what
holds them together. We need a volunteer reader for Sundays.*

Did you know

*.....that you can always watch recent worship services on our website,
and find the Yellow Pages for each week there too?*

www.lebanonlutheranchurch.com

Worship on the Web & in person - Sundays at 10:15am

**Stay tuned to our Facebook page for more updates when they
occur.**

Prayer Concerns and Announcements

It is an important part of our ministry to be constantly praying for one another. *We add names to the prayer list with consent in order to maintain privacy and confidentiality.*

Prayers for those who are homebound:

Our Minister

- Helen Bartlett**, at daughter Carol Roods' home now. 95337 W. McMillan, N. Muskegon 49445
- Mary Bernhardt**, at Robinswood Assisted Living #115 (Kay Snell) 2650 Ruddiman, N. Muskegon 49445
- Jane Blyth**, 28801 Jefferson Ave., Apt. 332; Saint Clair Shores, MI 48081
- Chris Claus**, American House - 17383 174th Avenue, Spring Lake, MI 49456
- Karl & Shirley Glass**, with health concerns, 3232 Richmond NW, Walker, MI 49534
- Marlene Holmstrom**, at home. 2643 Benston Road, Whitehall, 49461
- Ken & Sandy Kolb**, with health issues - 6755 W. Old Channel Trail; Montague 49437
- Elaine Liska**, Sunrise Senior Living—Sunrise of Troy; 6870 Crooks Road, Troy, MI 48098-1704. Elaine Liska—Room 130.
- Phyllis Monte**, at Legacy of Caring - Whitehall—1302 Warner Street, Whitehall 49461
- Ruth Nurmi**, with health concerns—308 E. Dayton Street, Fremont, 49412
- Barb Smith**, at Legacy of Caring - Whitehall—1302 Warner Street, Whitehall 49461

Special Prayer Concerns:

- Brianne Beekman**, (Terry & Mary Beekman's granddaughter) diagnosed with multiple brain tumors.
- Lucas Carlson**, (Terry and Mary Beekmans grandson) for new treatment.
- Bill DeMumbrum**, (Tim DeMumbrum's father) hospitalized and awaiting rehab after stroke.
- Sheila Fretty**, re-occurring cancer.
- Elin Frietsch**, diagnosed with Lymphoma
- Margaret Fountain**, (Mary Koenen's sister) diagnosed with multiple myeloma
- Lon Grover**, (Lucinda Grover's brother) with health concerns.
- Frank Hollister**, for continued healing
- Dottie Holmblade**, (Brian Holmblade's sister) for no side effects from chemotherapy restarted for cancer diagnosis

Karen Jarvis, (family friend of the Beekmans & Parks), diagnosed with colon cancer. (surgery scheduled in October).

Dwight Mead (Paula Moreau's brother-in-law), non-hodgkin lymphoma mantel type (stage four).

Pastor Sarah Samuelson, at home, diagnosed with colorectal cancer

Paul Vos, (Ken and Sandy Kolb's son-in-law) hearing issues

For families dealing with dementia

For our partners in faith, our companion synods in Salud para la Vida in San Pedro Sula, Honduras for their mission and ministry in their place as we fulfill our mission in our place; for all the churches of the Lutheran World Federation, for people of the gospel throughout the world

Each week we pray for one of our members or families. This week we pray for: Miranda Clark

Congregational prayers for November 2024: Mitch & Hailey Clark.



Praying for Elizabeth Eaton, Presiding Bishop, ELCA and **Craig Satterlee**, Bishop of the Northwest Lower Michigan Synod.

As Jesus calls us to be one even as he and the Father are one, please remember these leaders, and judicatories in prayer on Sunday mornings.–

Today we pray for: Immanuel Lutheran Church/Allegan; Rev. Christopher Laughlin.

Next week we pray for: Spruce Lutheran Church/Spruce; Rev. Leslie Nye.

Hand sanitizer is located at several stations as well as masks

Masks in the church building are optional

Adult Forum at 9:00 am. Coffee will be on!

Please join us each Sunday

Two exchange students (Kiyon from Germany and Azhar from Indonesia) must complete a presentation on International Education Week November 17-23 to a community group as a requirement of the grant they are sponsored by.

The presentation is about their country.

They will present at Lebanon on today at 11:30 am. Please stay and join us for this presentation.

Last Week at Lebanon

Budget.....	1,244.00
Non-Budget.....	788.00
In & Outs.....	4,300.00
Total Deposit.....	6,332.00
Fund of the Month—November-Worship	70.00

2024 Budget	214,000.00
Budgeted giving needed through 11/10/2024	161,313.01
Shortfall	52,686.99

Food Pantry Numbers for 11/13 - 107 families & 243 individuals.

NOTE: NEW PANTRY HOURS ARE 9:30 AM TO 10:30 AM UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

DONATE RIGHT FROM YOUR SMARTPHONE

Giving through our Vanco Mobile app is an easy and convenient way to donate to our church. It only takes a moment to set up and account:

1. Download the free Vanco Mobile app from the App store or Google Play.
2. Find our Church by searching for our Church name:
Lebanon Lutheran Church
3. Donate: to the General Fund

Thank you for your generosity!

Take home - Prayer Ventures November 2024

These petitions are offered as guides to prayer for the global, social and outreach ministries of the ELCA. Thank you for your continued prayers for the life and mission of this church.

17 Jesus warned that being his disciple is never easy or safe, but we are never alone or ill-equipped for doing God's work in the world — we are accompanied by the Spirit and our siblings in Christ. Praise God!

18 Give thanks for those who work in hospice care and attend to the comfort and quality of life of people as they approach the end of life, and who provide emotional and spiritual support for their families.

19 Ask the Spirit to nurture and sustain the confidence, wisdom, humility and faith of leaders in our church, synods, congregations and special ministries.

20 "You show me the path of life. In your presence there is fullness of joy" (Psalm 16:11). Express your gratitude to God, the light that guides us through life and brings true joy and fulfillment.

21 There are approximately 369,000 infants, children and youth in foster care in our country. Pray that foster families will provide them with stability, love, support and encouragement so that they thrive. Give thanks for foster parents and pray for the Spirit to equip them with wisdom, empathy, strength and skills for parenting.

22 "Let us consider how to provoke one another to love and good deeds, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another" (Hebrews 10:24-25). Pray that we — individually and as communities of faith — will be catalysts for love, kindness and inspiration in the church, our society and the world.

23 Remember in prayer our ministries in nine countries in the Latin America and Caribbean regions. Pray for ELCA Global Mission personnel, including the missionaries, teachers, International Women Leaders and Young Adults in Global Mission working alongside global companions to spread the gospel, strengthen and grow the church, and respond to community needs.

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A donation box is located in the narthex. Thank You



There are still a few tags on the tree to be shopped for! If you can, please pick up one (or more) ! Thank you!



The Church office will be closed on Thursday, November 28 and Friday, November 29th.

This Week's Calendar

11/17 SUN	9am 10:15am	Adult Forum Communion
11/18 MON	9am-1pm 3pm-5pm	Office Hours Voice Lessons (sanctuary)
11/19 TUES	9am-1pm 3-5pm 6-7:30pm 6pm	Office Hours Voice Lessons (Sanctuary) Choir Group (Sanctuary) Church Council meets
11/20 WED	9am—1pm 9:30am-10:30 am 12 -3pm 3-5pm 5-7pm 6-7:30pm	Office Hours Food Pantry (Drive-Thru) Homeschool Group (Upper Hall) Voice Lessons (Sanctuary) WL Giving Tree—Turkey Dinner @ St. Mary's of the Woods Choir Group (Sanctuary)
11/21 THURS	9am-1pm	Office Hours
11/22 FRI	9am-1pm	Office Hours
11/23 SAT		

Next Sunday, November 24

9am 10:15am 3:30pm	Adult Forum Communion Scouts Giving Tree gifts returned today
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Upcoming Events:

11/28	Happy Thanksgiving! Church office closed
11/29	Church office closed
12/1	Advent begins



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Websites of Interest

www.lebanonlutheranchurch.com

www.mittensynod.org

www.elca.org

www.whitelakescouting.com

www.whitelakechorale.com

www.hopescarves.org

LivingLutheran.org.

www.samaritas.org

Suicide Hotline 1-800-273TALK.org
www.co.muskegon.mi.us/cmh/suicide_prevention

Every Woman's Place
231-722-3333 or www.everywomansplace.org

The Trevor Project
1-866-488-7386

The Trevor Project is the world's largest suicide prevention and crisis intervention organization for LGBTQ (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and questioning) young people.