

November, 2025

October Worship Assistants
Ushers: Johnson and Flaugh Families
Altar Guild: Ortrude Dial

Acolytes: Henry Arnold, Hallie VanLangen
Tech Assistant: Brinley Miller

							Sat, Nov. 1 Sat, Nov 8
Sun, Nov. 2 <i>All Saints Sunday</i> 9:00 Worship with Holy Communion 10:00 Fellowship 10:15 Sunday School 10:15 "Use of the Means of Grace" – adult Sunday School	Sun, Nov. 2 Scripture: Lisa Peterson Greeter: Leo & Jackie Reiter Treats: Schlafke & Hove	Mon, Nov. 3 10-am Coffee in the Chapel 1-2 pm Lord's Cupboard is open 5-6:30 pm Lord's Cupboard is open	Tue, Nov. 4 12:00 Tuesday Together Time – for the community 12:30 Riverside Conference Pastors' Text Study 2:00 pm Worship at Timberland – all are welcome!	Wed, Nov. 5 3:30-5:00 Wednesday Kids 4:00-4:30 pm Choir Rehearsal 4:30-5:00 pm Tone Chimes 5:30-7:15 Confirmation meal and class 7:30-8:30 HS Youth Group	Thu, Nov. 6	Fri, Nov. 7	
Sun, Nov. 9 22nd Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 Worship 10:00 Fellowship 10:15 Sunday School 10:15 "Use of the Means of Grace" – adult Sunday School 12:00 – 2 PM: Community Potluck	Sun, Nov. 9 Scripture: Guinevere Dial Greeter: Alan & Sharon Teig Treats: Rastetter & Wheeler	Mon, Nov. 10 10-am Coffee in the Chapel 5-6:30 pm Lord's Cupboard is open 7:00 pm Church Council	Tue, Nov. 11 12:00 Tuesday Together Time – for the community 12:30 Riverside Conference Pastors' Text Study	Wed, Nov. 12 3:30-5:00 Wednesday Kids 4:00-4:30 pm Choir Rehearsal 4:30-5:00 pm Tone Chimes 5:30-7:15 Confirmation meal and class 7:30-8:30 HS Youth Group	Thu, Nov. 13	Fri, Nov. 14	Sat, Nov 15
Sun, Nov. 16 23rd Sunday after Pentecost Mission Sunday: The Lord's Cupboard 9:00 Worship with Holy Communion 10-am Fellowship 10:15 Sunday School 10:15 "Use of the Means of Grace" – adult Sunday School	Sun, Nov. 16 Scripture: William Nibe Greeter: Donna Busch Treats: Culpepper & Johnston	Mon, Nov. 17 10-am Coffee in the Chapel 5-6:30 pm Lord's Cupboard is open	Tues, Nov. 18 12:00 Tuesday Together Time – for the community 12:30 Riverside Conference Pastors' Text Study	Wed, Nov. 19 3:30-5:00 Wednesday Kids 4:00-4:30 pm Choir Rehearsal 4:30-5:00 pm Tone Chimes 5:30-7:15 Confirmation meal and class 7:30-8:30 pm HS Youth Group – shopping for Giving Tree gifts	Thu, Nov. 20 	Fri, Nov. 21	Sat, Nov 22
Sun, Nov. 23 <i>Christ the King</i> 9:00 Worship with Kid's Church 10:00 Fellowship 10:15 Sunday School 10:15 "Use of the Means of Grace" – adult Sunday School 7:00 Thanksgiving Community Worship at J.U.C.C.	Sun, Nov. 23 Scripture: Ortrude Dial Greeter: Doug & Lori Bushore Treats: Sogard & Tjaden	Mon, Nov. 24 10-am Coffee in the Chapel 5-6:30 pm Lord's Cupboard is open	Tue, Nov. 25 12:00 Tuesday Together Time Thanksgiving Feast the community is invited 12:30 Riverside Conference Pastors' Text Study	Wed, Nov. 26 No after school activities	Thu, Nov. 27 	Fri, Nov. 28	Sat, Nov 29
Sun, Nov. 30 1st Sunday of Advent 9:00 Worship with Hanging of the Greens 10:00 Fellowship 10:15 "Use of the Means of Grace" – adult Sunday School	Sun, Nov. 30 Scripture: Various Greeter: Sherri Hove Treats: Young	Important High School Youth Group Information for November On November 19, the Youth Group will meet in the church parking lot to carpool to do shopping for the Giving Tree. The time is TBD, but will be shared during Youth Group and via text when known. There is no Youth /group on November 26 as there is no school that day because of Thanksgiving break. This is just a friendly reminder that activities at church for Youth Group and Confirmation do not occur when South Hamilton lets out early/closes for weather or during scheduled holiday breaks. Enjoy time with your families over the holiday! On December 3, Youth Group will wrap the giving Tree presents that were purchased with proceeds from the Pumpkin Auction!					



November Anniversaries

24 John & Marilyn Schlafke

November Birthdays

3 Julie Grove
5 Kendall Jewell
6 Leah Consier
Tracy Krumm
9 Marcia Wheeler
10 Ron Klonglan
12 Kyra Leahy
13 Hans Koehnke
14 Carleen Peterson
Nicole Vold
Reagan Erickson
16 Dave Widick
Jaxson Watson-Brewer
19 Jodi Heeren
Laura Larson
20 Heather Thelen
23 Evelyn Widick
24 Lacie Johnson
Corey Clabaugh
26 McKynlie Strottmann
27 Brenda Swenson
28 Jon Sogard
Jameson Hays
30 Charlene Dickerson
Fayann Spence
Jennifer Arnold

--Love the Lord, Love the Lord's Cupboard--

Once again, the Lord's Cupboard is being challenged to match funds from the group "**Love the Lord, Love the Lord's Cupboard**". The group will match up to \$2,500.00. This would be a good year to meet the challenge. The number of families coming to the Lord's Cupboard varies from 40 to 50 per month. Also, the price of food is increasing. What used to cost us \$25 to \$30 per family for the perishable food vouchers at the grocery store now fifty dollars. Meeting their challenge would be a big help to the Lord's Cupboard. We also use this money to give our vouchers for Thanksgiving and Christmas at the grocery store. Those vouchers don't say what they have to buy, but are used to put a little extra food on the table for those holidays. These vouchers are greatly appreciated by the families.

Please send your donations to Lord's Cupboard, PO Box 330, Jewell, IA 50130, or drop in the offering plate at Bethesda in an envelope marked Lord's Cupboard or written on the memo line of your check. The challenge will run from October 15 through November 20, 2025.

Please help in any way you can. Thank you.

Hello!

I wanted to reach out to thank you for allowing our students to use your church to take their PSAT tests. It is greatly appreciated since the bells in our school cause quite the disruption. Thank you so much for your generosity and support of our students!

-Joeigh Eaton
(school counselor)

Thank You!

A huge thank you to our amazing auctioneer, Lynn Beyer, and everyone who took part in our Pumpkin Auction! Your enthusiasm and generosity helped make the event such a wonderful success.

Because of your support — and some spirited bidding — we raised an incredible \$2,900 for the Giving Tree families in need.

We're so grateful for Jon Mechaelsen who donated the pumpkins, Lynn Beyer for the entertainment, and to all those who placed bids, and helped make the day fun and memorable. Your kindness and participation truly make a difference.

High School Youth Group