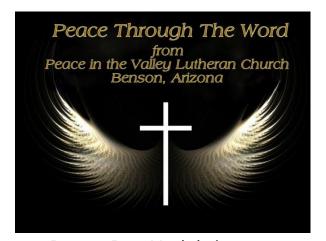


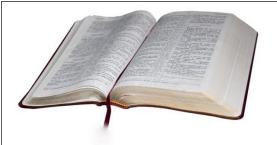
#### PITV HAPPENINGS NEWSLETTER November 2022



To reach out wherever we can with the message of God's peace and renewal in His Son, Jesus, the Savior of the world. To follow Jesus and to share His story.



Pastor Ron York brings us Peace Through the Word Live at our Facebook Page Monday-Saturday usually at 8:30 A.M.



### **ONGOING BIBLE STUDIES**

### **Sunday Adult Bible Study with Pastor Ron**

Pastor Ron is currently teaching Luther's Small Catechism.

### **Wednesday Adult Brown-bag Bible Study**

Everyone is welcome! Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. here at the Church. Enjoy fellowship with lunch (B.Y.O.L.) followed by an open discussion Bible study.

### Men's Breakfast and Bible Study

Beginning on December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8:30 a.m. Fellowship breakfast followed by Bible study. All of our brothers in Christ are welcome!

### **LWML Meeting and Bible Study**

December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8:30 a.m. Shared breakfast with the men, meeting, and Bible study. All of our sisters in Christ are welcome!

### **Lutheranism 101**

Pastor will be starting this soon! Fridays from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. We plan to begin on November 11<sup>th</sup> if the materials are here.

\* God and His Son; \*Faith and Belief \*Heaven and Hell \*Church and Fellowship \*Sin and Forgiveness \*and much more! Please call or email Carol Rollins to sign up for this class.



# November Birthdays and Anniversaries

6<sup>th</sup> Sharon Mack

7<sup>th</sup> Allen Edwards

13<sup>th</sup> Dick Kester

13th Marvin Hankel

14<sup>th</sup> L.B. Mack

19th Betty Koch

22<sup>nd</sup> Marvin & Pat

26th Pat Walz



### **Coming in January!**

It may be hard for you to feel optimistic about the future right now.... If you've lost a spouse, child, family member, or friend, you've probably found there are not many people who understand the deep hurt you feel. This can be a confusing time when you feel isolated and have many questions about things you've never faced before.

"Going to Grief Share feels like having warm arms wrapped around you when you're shivering."

#### **Christ-centered & biblical**

Grief Share helps group members apply biblical principles to the healing process after the death of a loved one. Through the use of videos, a workbook, and support of others; participants see how the gospel brings hope and restoration.

Details on dates and times in next month's newsletter.



Samaritan's
Purse
Operation
Christmas
Child

Please pick up a box or two from the narthex. There are instructions on how to pack a shoebox (boys & girls & ages). To be returned by November 14<sup>th</sup>.

### **Friendship Circle**



9:00 A.M. -Noon Fridays at the Church.

Quilts need binding sewn to the back and fabric needs to be pressed. Anyone is welcome to bring any project to work on, or just come for fellowship.



Please join us in prayer for:

Our parishioners who are facing challenges at this time.

Please let me, Carol Rollins, know of any prayer requests; people who are ill, hospitalized, in need (520.586.3171) (pitv.office@gmail.com).

### **Fellowship After Service**



We are enjoying fellowship time immediately following Worship Service and pray you are able to join us for coffee and refreshments. There is a sign-up sheet on the mail counter for those of you who are able to bring refreshments. Thank you

#### **Mark Your Calendar**

Saturday November 5, LWML meeting and Bible study, 9:30 a.m.

Sunday, November 6, All Saints Sunday\*

Saturday November 12, Church Council Meeting, 9:30 a.m.

Tuesday, November 15, Memorial Service for Chuck Hutler, 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, November 20, Last Sunday of Church year/Stewardship Sunday

Sunday, November 27, First Sunday in Advent

Wednesday, November 30, Advent Soup Supper, 6:00 p.m.
Advent Worship Service, 7:00 p.m.

Ongoing: Wednesdays, 11:00 a.m. Brown-bag Bible study

Fridays, 9:00 a.m., Friendship Circle

Saturdays Corner Ministry, 9:00 to 12:00

\* In many Lutheran churches, All Saints' Day is celebrated the Sunday after Reformation is celebrated. The festival is marked as an occasion to remember our dearly departed.

#### **Our New Roof**

### **OLD ROOF**



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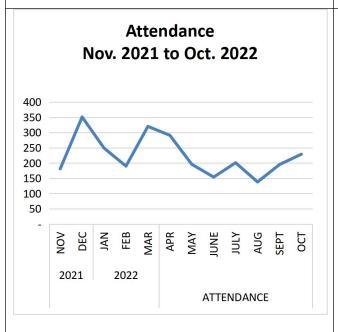


#### Almost done! Next, the metal roof!



2022	Jan - Oct
Attendance	1,934
General Fund Offerings	\$92,830.80
General Fund Expenses	<u>\$96,382.56</u>
Offerings Less Expenses	(3,551.76)

Thank you for your offerings and donations.





The figures above do not include donations/expenses for the new roof and repaired/painted outside walls, and may change upon final closing of the books through October.

### **Stewardship**

#### "We Are All Beggars"

In the early morning hours of Feb. 18, 1546, Martin Luther closed his eyes forever. Before that happened, the hand that hammered the 95 Theses into the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg on Oct. 31, 1517, penned its final words: "We are all beggars. This is true." And this is the truth that our Lord says makes you free.

Ironic, isn't it? In order to be free, you must be a beggar. You must be utterly dependent and reliant upon God. This makes us uncomfortable – the way we're uncomfortable when someone gets us a Christmas present when we haven't gotten them one. We feel we owe them. And we don't like being in someone's debt like that.

But what Luther would remind us is that we are all indeed beggars. And we're not just anyone's beggars. We're God's beggars. Christ came for sinners. He came to seek and save the lost. He came to heal the sick and raise the dead. He came for sinners, and He dwells only with sinners.

If we are to be where He is, we must be willing to be counted among the lost, the sick, and the dead. We must be willing to be beggars. We must cry out for mercy, for grace, and for his undeserved love and kindness. We must be dependent solely on Him and what He gives.

And here's the beauty: He gives us everything. Everything. Forgiveness of sins, salvation from death and the devil, and eternal life. This isn't because of any worthiness or merit in us. It is because of His divine goodness, mercy, and grace. On account of Christ's death and resurrection, the Father forgives you, saves you, and is pleased with you. You receive His love, His righteousness, His holiness, His acceptance, and His inheritance. We are all beggars. This is true.

## We, who are God's beggars, are inexhaustibly satisfied, and we have something to give back in thanksgiving and praise.

- LCMS Stewardship Ministry: <a href="lcms.org/stewardship">lcms.org/stewardship</a>



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