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### SEASON OF PENTECOST

25<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost/100<sup>th</sup> Veterans Day

**November 11, 2018 8:30am & 10:30am**

(8:30am) Order of Service-ELW Setting Four

Congregational Concerns

Opening Hymn

**ELW #705** "God of Grace and God of Glory"

Confession & Forgiveness	Hymnal Blue Bookmark
Greeting & Kyrie	Page 147-148
Hymn of Praise	Page 148 "Glory to God..."
Prayer of the Day	Bulletin Insert

### A Litany for Veterans

P: On this day, we remember those who have served in our armed forces

*(Pause for silent reflection)*

P: Prince of Peace, even as we pray for an end to war,

**C: We give thanks for our soldiers' courage, for their love of country, and for their work to bring peace to our world.**

P: Healer of All, bind up the wounds of all who have served

**C: Show us how to comfort those who are hurting.**

P: Merciful God, all suffer the cost of war.

**C: We remember widows and widowers, orphans, and all those separated from those they love.**

P: We pray, Gracious God, that swords will be turned into plowshares and that peace will reign.

**C: We give thanks for all who have served. Shield from danger those who bravely protect us. With them, may we glory not in war, but in your love and righteousness. Strengthen us to be your peacemakers in the world. Amen.**

Adapted from "A Litany for Veterans," The Rev. Tom Williams Whitefish Bay, Wis. Used with permission and reproducible for one-time congregational use with proper attribution.

First Reading	1 Kings 17:8-16 Bulletin Insert
Psalm 146	Bulletin Insert (Responsively)

Verse	Page 151 "Alleluia..."
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Gospel	Mark 12:38-44 Bulletin Insert
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Responses	Page 151
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**SERMON** **Pastor Karl Nelson**

Hymn of the Day

**ELW #710** "Let Streams of Living Justice"

Apostles' Creed	Hymnal Blue Bookmark
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The Lord's Prayer	Page 154
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Peace

The Offering	ELW #708
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"Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love"

Offertory	<b>ELW #186</b> "Create in me..."
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Offering Prayer

P: Blessed are you, O God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts: our selves, our time and our possessions. Use us, and what we have gathered, in feeding the world with your love, through the one who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **AMEN.**

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Closing Hymn

**ELW #717** "Let Justice Flow like Streams"

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Wednesday November 21

Thanksgiving Eve 6:30pm

(Holy Communion)

Sunday November 25 No Sunday School



Jenni Hogan, organist & choir dir. 627-1903  
 John Jaeger, guitarist 467-9094 Sandy Fenner, custodian 876-2924

Siblings in Christ, **WELCOME** to worship, Christian fellowship and time to learn and grow in God's Word. May you be blessed and strengthened now.

Those serving the Lord:

<b><u>TODAY</u></b>	<b><u>8:30am</u></b>	<b><u>10:30am</u></b>
<u>Reader:</u>	Bev Rohde	
<u>Greeters:</u>	Warren & Judi Gunderson	Val Helmer Sam Madson
<u>Ushers:</u>	Paul Schroeder Sam Madson	
 <b><u>Sunday Nov. 18</u></b>	<b><u>8:30am</u></b>	<b><u>10:30am</u></b>
<u>Reader:</u>	Marilyn Meyer	
<u>Greeters:</u>	Jim & Florence Popp	Todd & Patty Levendusky
<u>Comm. Set Up:</u>	Pam Bogenschuetz	Pam Bogenschuetz
<u>Comm. Servers:</u>	Pam Bogenschuetz Wayne Wedepohl	
<u>Comm. Clean Up:</u>	Pam Bogenschuetz	NEED A VOLUNTEER <b>PLEASE</b>
<u>Ushers:</u>	Jeff Parrish Keith Kuhlow	Aaron Strassburger



Sunday, Nov. 4 8:30am 89 Communed 70  
 10:30am 16 Communed 13

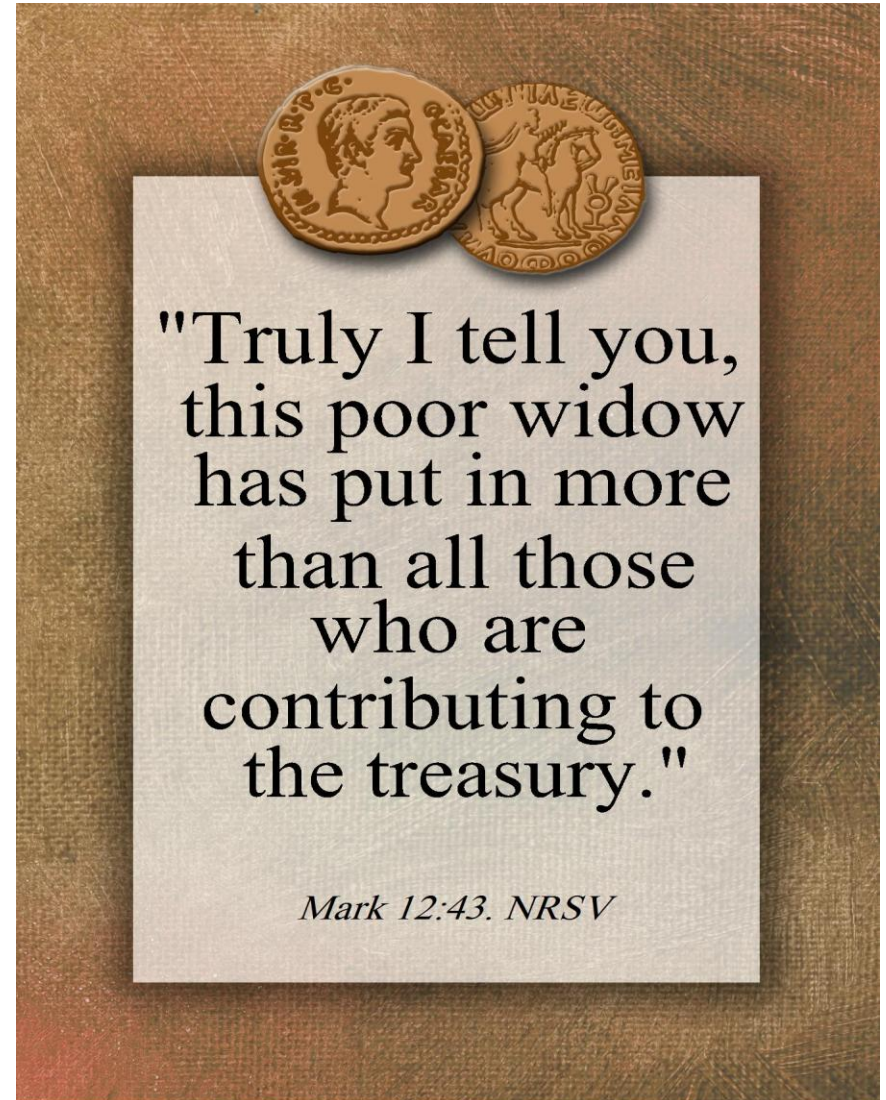
Members celebrating a birthday this week:

John Jaeger November 12  
 Bob Posey November 12  
 Connie Kline November 13  
 Roger Knutson November 14  
 David Kohl November 16



**BIRTHDAY CARDS-** Please sign the birthday cards in the narthex for Harold Perronne (November 27) and Jean Kroeplien (December 10).  
**THANKSGIVING CARDS** are out as well. What a great time to remind our shut-ins that we are always thinking about them.

# ST. LUKE LUTHERAN CHURCH ELCA



November 11, 2018 8:30am & 10:30am



Happy Anniversary!

**Announcements:**

**FLOWERS on the altar** are given by Roland and Linda Buss in honor of their 54<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary (November 14). Blessings on them for many more years together.

Join us for **FELLOWSHIP TIME** between services. Have a cup of coffee or beverage along with a treat and get to know your fellow members at St. Luke. If you would like to host, there is a sign-up sheet in the narthex.



**CHOIR** will practice TODAY between worship services.

**PASTOR ELIZABETH** is on medical leave until November 23. If you need pastoral assistance while she is recuperating, please contact Andrea in the office.

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY** will NOT MEET today or the next two Sundays due to surgery recovery and Thanksgiving weekend. Please join us in December as we continue "Life Lessons from Luke".



*Bible Study*

Today- NO STUDY November 18 & 25- NO STUDY  
December 2- Believing in Jesus December 9- Persistent Prayer  
Full schedule in Bits & Preaches...

**NOVEMBER'S SPECIAL offering** is breakfast cereals, pancake mixes and syrup. ALL donations can be put in the marked can in the narthex and items will be given to the Sheboygan Falls Food Pantry.

**COUNCIL** will meet in the upstairs classroom on Tuesday November 13 at 6:00pm. **NOTE:** Earlier start time. Last month's minutes and agenda are posted by the balcony stairs.



**CONFIRMATION** classes will meet on Wednesday November 14 at 6:00pm in the large upstairs classroom. They will be having a fellowship night.



**POINSETTIA ORDERS**-Anyone wanting to order or donate poinsettia plants may do so by filling out the order form found in the narthex and returning to Andrea in the office.

**DONATIONS** for Sunny Ridge and Rocky Knoll are being taken until December 11. A detailed list can be found in your November's Bits & Preaches. There is a collection box in the library.

**SCRIP ORDERS** are being taken today. There are many retailers available to help you give that perfect gift: Fleet Farm, Menards, Best Buy, Amazon, iTunes, Petsmart, Build A Bear and more! There are even Visa, Mastercard and American Express cards for that "hard-to-shop-for" person on your list. Don't forget about St. Nick night too! **COMING IN DECEMBER**- we will be placing orders EACH WEEK in December (2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 16<sup>th</sup>). This is a great opportunity to support St. Luke AND get your shopping done at the same time. Contact person is Laura Meyer 400-9462.

**WARM CLOTHING**-We have homemade hats & scarves for sale until Sunday Dec. 3. You may purchase them for your own use or you can purchase them and donate them back for a person that is less fortunate. Cost is \$3 each or 2/\$5. We are also taking donations of NEW socks. All donations will stay in Sheboygan County. Contact is Andrea Meyer 918-8352.



**CHRISTMAS LOVE DISPLAY** order forms are in Bits & Preaches. Purchase a light in memory or in honor of a loved one. All donations will be given to the St. Luke Capital Fund. Extra forms are by the ushers' station.



## "God Is Nigh"

The earliest official reference to using "Taps" at a military funeral is described in an 1891 manual. During the Civil War, a Union soldier "was buried at a time when the battery occupied an advanced position concealed in the woods." Because it wasn't safe to fire the customary three volleys over the grave, Captain John Tidball decided the sounding of "Taps" would be an appropriate substitute ceremony.

Previously, "Taps" signaled the end of a soldier's work day, but it has since come to honor the end of his or her earthly life. Horace Trim's lyrics remind us of God's constant presence:

Day is done, gone the sun  
From the lakes, from the hills, from the sky  
All is well, safely rest God is nigh.

Thanks and praise for our days  
'Neath the sun, 'neath the stars, 'neath the sky  
As we go, this we know God is nigh.