



SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

REFORMATION SUNDAY † CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

OCTOBER 27, 2024 † 8:30 A.M. & 10:45 A.M.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH † NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA

Welcome to worship at St. John's!

We especially welcome all who are visiting this morning!

*All are invited to **sign the welcome sheets** in the black folders at the end of the pews.*

*Please pass them to the center and then back
so you can greet those worshipping around you.*

Ushers will gather these following worship.

*In the red hymnal (Evangelical Lutheran Worship), or purple hymnal
(All Creation Sings), hymn numbers are at the top of the page in the hymn section,
and page numbers are at the bottom of the page in the front section.*

An asterisk () invites you to stand as you are able.*

P Pastor, **L** Leader (Assisting Minister), **C** Congregation

Children are welcome to participate throughout our
worship service, including at Holy Communion.

*Parents, please assist children when they come forward for communion
to extend their hands if they are to receive the bread and wine.*

Children's Bibles and activity bags

*are available at both entrances to the Sanctuary
and scribble cards are available in the pews.*

Hearing assistance devices are available outside the Sanctuary or from an usher.

For those with hearing aids, the Sanctuary is equipped with a hearing loop.

Large print bulletins and hymns are available for worship services.



*St. John's Lutheran Church is a community grounded in the promise of God's grace
and called to extend Christ's welcome to all people. Every day, Christ meets us all just as
we are, extending love to people of every age, race or ethnicity, physical appearance,
sexual orientation, gender identity, physical or mental ability, marital or
relationship status, economic circumstance, educational achievement,
political affiliation, or religious background.*

*While we do not always agree, we choose to walk and grow in faith together,
believing that God creates diversity, and loves and welcomes us.*

We warmly welcome you here.

RITE OF CONFIRMATION

Today we rejoice in the gifts of baptism: the promise of God’s faithfulness and forgiveness, the enlivening power of the Holy Spirit, and life together in the body of Christ.

At the 10:45 service, our 10th graders take part in Affirmation of Baptism—claiming God’s promises for them at this moment in their lives. They have been through a long journey of catechesis in the faith, and many family members, teachers, and mentors have been part of this formation with them. We rejoice that they are ready to publicly claim God’s promises as they state their intentions to continue in the faith: to live among God’s faithful people, to hear God’s word and share in the Lord’s Supper, to proclaim the good news of God in Christ through word and deed, to serve all people, following the example of our Lord Jesus, and to strive for justice and peace in all the earth. They are:

Anna Bash

Mya Haak

Saycia Johnson

Genevieve Knutson

Dyson McBroom

Will McLaughlin

Isabelle Paulson

Ella Skoglund

John Tracy

Braden Van Sickle

GATHERING IN GOD’S PRESENCE

Prelude — “Fanfare”

William Mathias

Welcome and Announcements

***Gathering Hymn** — ELW No. 731

“Earth and All Stars!”

Stanza 1 — all

Stanza 2 — treble voices; Refrain — all

Stanza 3 — bass voices; Refrain — all

Stanzas 4 and 5 — all

***Greeting**

☐ The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

☑ **And also with you.**

*Prayer of the Day

- P** Almighty God, gracious Lord, we thank you that your Holy Spirit renews the church in every age. Pour out your Holy Spirit on your faithful people. Keep them steadfast in your word, protect and comfort them in times of trial, defend them against all enemies of the gospel, and bestow on the church your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C** Amen.

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Children's Message / (8:30) Presentation of Bibles to 3rd Graders

First Reading — Jeremiah 31:31-34

³¹The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. ³²It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. ³³But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. ³⁴No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, "Know the LORD," for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

- L** The word of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

*Gospel Acclamation



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?



You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

Ⓟ The Holy Gospel according to Mark, the 10th chapter.

☛ **Glory to you, O Lord.**

⁴⁶As [Jesus] and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. ⁴⁷When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!”

⁴⁸Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, “Son of David, have mercy on me!” ⁴⁹Jesus stood still and said, “Call him here.” And they called the blind man, saying to him, “Take heart; get up, he is calling you.” ⁵⁰So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. ⁵¹Then Jesus said to him, “What do you want me to do for you?” The blind man said to him, “My teacher, let me see again.” ⁵²Jesus said to him, “Go; your faith has made you well.” Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.

Ⓟ The Gospel of the Lord.

☛ **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

Pastor Jonathan Davis

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

Hymn of the Day — ELW No. 532

“Gather Us In”

(At 10:45, the service continues on page 7.)

(8:30) **Rite of Welcome**

Introduction of Newcomers

Signing of the Newcomers with the Cross

- Ⓟ Receive the sign of the cross on your forehead.
It is Christ himself who now strengthens you with this sign of his love. Learn to know and follow him.
- Ⓟ Receive the sign of the cross on your ears,
that you may hear the voice of the Lord.
- Ⓟ Receive the sign of the cross on your eyes,
that you may see the glory of God.

- ☐ Receive the sign of the cross on your lips,
that you may respond to the word of God.
- ☐ Receive the sign of the cross over your heart,
that Christ may dwell there by faith.
- ☐ Receive the sign of the cross on your shoulders,
that you may bear the gentle yoke of Christ.
- ☐ Receive the sign of the cross on your hands,
that Christ may be known in the work which you do.
- ☐ Receive the sign of the cross on your feet,
that you may walk in the way of Christ.
- ☐ In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
✠ and of the Holy Spirit.
- ☐ **Amen.**

Concluding Prayer

Response Hymn — ELW No. 522

“As We Gather at Your Table”

Stanza 1

(8:30) *The Apostles’ Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

(At 8:30, the service continues on page 9.)

(10:45) **Affirmation of Baptism and Rite of Confirmation**

Front of ELW hymnal, page 234

Presentation and Prayer

Profession of Faith

Following each article of the Apostles' Creed:

P Lord, we believe.

C Help our unbelief.

Intent to Continue in Our Baptismal Covenant with God

Promise of the Assembly

P People of God, do you promise to support these siblings and pray for them in their life in Christ?

C We do, and we ask God to help and guide us.

Prayer of Invocation

P Let us pray. We give you thanks, O God, that through water and the Holy Spirit you give us new birth, cleanse us from sin, and raise us to eternal life.

C Amen.

Confirmation through Laying On of Hands and Prayer

Pastors, parents, sponsors, and mentors lay hands on the Confirmand's head and pray:

+ Anna Bash

+ Mya Haak

+ Saycia Johnson

+ Genevieve Knutson

+ Dyson McBroom

+ Will McLaughlin

+ Isabelle Paulson

+ Ella Skoglund

+ John Tracy

+ Braden Van Sickle

P Stir up in *-name-* the gift of your Holy Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence, both now and forever.

C Amen.

Celebrating with the Confirmands

- ☐ Let us rejoice with these siblings in Christ.
- ☑ **We rejoice with you in the life of baptism.**
Together we will give thanks and praise to God
and proclaim the good news to all the world.

Response Hymn — “Let My Prayer Rise Up” from *Holden Evening Prayer*

Group I — pulpit side; Group II — lectern side

All



Let my prayer rise up like in-cense be-fore you, the
lift-ing up of my hands as an of-fer-ing to you.

Group I



O God, I call to you, come to me now; O hear my voice when I

Group II



O God, I call to you, come to me now; O

cry to you. Let my prayer rise up like in-cense be-

hear my voice when I cry to you. Let my prayer rise up like

fore you, the lift-ing up of my hands as an of-fer-ing to you.

in-cense be-fore you, the lift-ing up of my hands as an of-fer-ing to you.

*Prayers of Intercession

After each petition:

- Ⓛ Lord, in your mercy,
- ☩ **hear our prayer.**

*Peace

- Ⓟ The peace of Christ be with you always.
- ☩ **And also with you.**

You are invited to share God's peace with those around you.

Offering of Our Gifts

Music at the Offering

(8:30) "Intrada"

Robert Wetzler

(10:45) "He Comes to Us"

Jane Marshall

He comes to us as One unknown, without a name, as of old, by the lakeside, he came to those who knew him not. He speaks to us the same word: "Follow thou me!" and sets us to the tasks which he has to fulfill for our time. He commands. And to those who obey him, whether they be wise or simple, he will reveal himself in the toils, the conflicts, the sufferings which they shall pass through in his fellowship, and, as an ineffable mystery, they shall learn in their own experience Who he is. O Morning Star, how fair and bright thou beamest forth in truth and light! O Sovereign meek and lowly! Thou Root of Jesse, David's Son, my Lord and master, thou hast won my heart to serve thee solely! Thou art holy, fair and glorious, all victorious, rich in blessing, rule and might over all possessing.

– Albert Schweitzer, from "The Quest of the Historical Jesus" 1911;
Philipp Nicolai, tr. Catherine Winkworth

St. John's Chorale

*Offering Hymn — "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heav'nly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

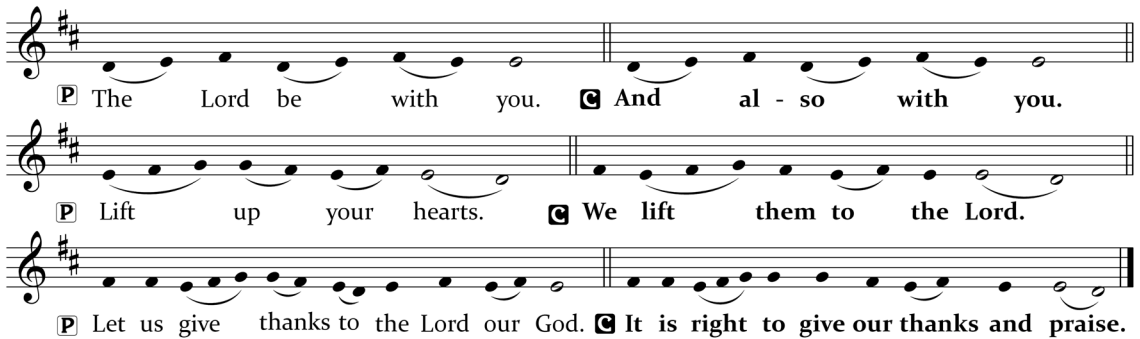
*Offering Prayer

L Let us pray.

C 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 Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

SHARING THE LORD'S SUPPER

*Great Thanksgiving

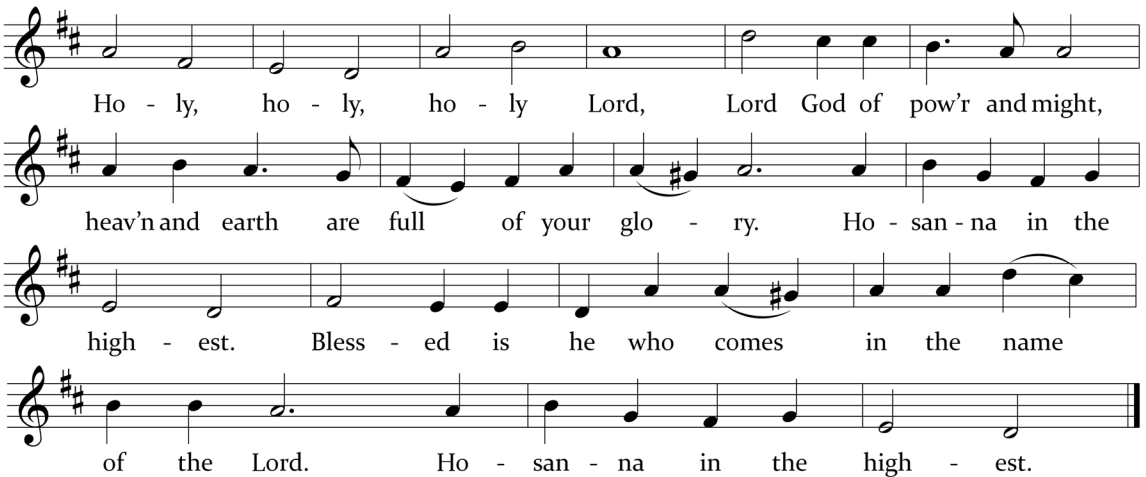


P The Lord be with you. **C** And al - so with you.

P Lift up your hearts. **C** We lift them to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **C** It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P It is indeed right . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name
of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

***Words of Institution**

***The Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those
who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.**

*Communion will be received standing at stations in the front of sanctuary; ushers will direct you forward. **Gluten-free wafers** are available in the center. After you have been served the bread you will be offered wine or grape juice. The grape juice is white and is located in the center of the tray. **If you are unable to come forward, let an usher know, and communion will be brought to you.***

Music during Communion

“Lamb of God”

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

(10:45) **Anthem** — “Humble Service”

arr. Larry Fleming

For anthem text, see ELW No. 712.

Hymn — ELW No. 574

“Here I Am, Lord”

(10:45) **Solo** — “Intrada”

Robert Wetzler

***Post-Communion Blessing**

***Sending of Communion to the Sick and Homebound**

***Prayer after Communion**

ℒ Holy God, you have welcomed us to this meal and fed us with dignity at your table. Send us now to welcome others and to be at peace with one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

☞ Amen.

DEPARTING TO SERVE GOD'S WORLD

***Blessing**

Response:

☞ Amen.

***Sending Hymn** — ELW No. 504

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

***Dismissal**

ℒ Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

☞ Thanks be to God!

Postlude — ON EIN FESTE BURG

Charles Ore



SERVING AT ST. JOHN'S TODAY:

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| Preaching | Pastor Jonathan Davis |
| Presiding | Pastor Pam Fickenscher |
| Assisting Ministers | (8:30) David Sims (10:45) Confirmands |
| Organist | Nathan Proctor |
| Trumpet | Ian DiMundo |
| Choir | (10:45) St. John's Chorale |
| Communion Service | David and Debby Nitz |
| Greeters | (8:30) TBD (10:45) TBD |
| Coffee Service | Leif Knecht |
| Counters | Judd Lohmann, Bob Tabery, Mark Ulmer |
| Ushers | (8:30) Rob Nutt, Mark Polzin, Bruce Rickert, Leif Knecht (10:45) Bob Nyvall, Mark Rydberg, Eric Sponheim |

Learning and Fellowship Between Services

This Week (October 27)

Coffee and Fellowship, St. John's Hall
St. John's Forum: Rediscovering Genesis (9:45-10:30 a.m., St. John's Hall)
Sunday School: Preschool-Grade 5 (9:45-10:30 a.m., Lower Level)
Sunday Youth Gathering: Grades 6-12 (9:45-10:30 a.m., Youth Room)
Accompany (9:45-10:30 a.m., Undercroft)

Next Week (November 3)

Coffee and Fellowship, St. John's Hall
Fair Trade Sales of Coffee and More, Commons
Sunday School: Preschool-Grade 5 (9:45-10:30 a.m., Lower Level)
Sunday Youth Gathering: Grades 6-12 (9:45-10:30 a.m., Youth Room)
Accompany (9:45-10:30 a.m., Undercroft)

THIRD GRADERS RECEIVING THEIR BIBLES TODAY INCLUDE:

Bibles are gifted from the Johnson Bible Fund.

*Christopher Cox
Clair Gallagher
Anders Loy
Zemirah Smith
Noah Tacheny
Ozzie Taggart
Jameson Taubel
Rily Welck
Emma Wilson*

RITE OF WELCOME

We welcome the following during the Rite of Welcome today:

*Beth & Tristan Cox
Stephanie Frey
Daniel & Jennifer Klaers
Brenda Nelson
Amanda & Mason Randall
Roger & Vikki Van Veldhuizen
Nan Winsell*

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Announcements

Additional announcements can be found in the weekly E-Voice.

Today's Radio Broadcast is given by friends of St. John's. Sunday services are broadcast on KYMN Radio 1080AM / 95.1FM at 8:30 a.m. on Sundays. If you would like to sponsor a broadcast (cost is \$160), please contact Leah Garlie at office@StJohnsNorthfield.org or 507-645-4429. Available Dates: November 3 & 10 and December 1, 8, 15, 22, 25 & 29.

St John's Forum Series: *Rediscovering Genesis*

Sundays at 9:45 a.m.

This fall, St. John's Forum will return to the old, familiar stories of Genesis that many of us learned in Sunday School—the stories of creation, Adam and Eve, and Noah and the flood. We'll dig into the stories of siblings who can't seem to get along, like Cain and Abel, Jacob and Esau, Rachael and Leah, and Joseph and his brothers. We'll also venture into some stories we rarely hear or read, like the stories of Hagar and Ishmael, and Judah's daughter Tamar. We expect to discover there's more to Genesis than we thought. We hope you'll see how Genesis insists on the invincibility of divine blessing in spite of the curse hanging over Eden and the reality of fractured human relationships, even among God's people. We hope you will join us in opening your Bibles and your minds to the rich meaning of these old, old stories that are too often overlooked. Advance preparation is not necessary, but we hope you'll read along as you are able. In the E-Voice each week, you will find a short focus text to read and a question to ponder to prepare for the upcoming forum. See the schedule for this month below.

- Today: *Jacob and the Favored Ones* with Professor Charles A. Wilson
- November 10: *Tamar and the Forgotten Ones* with Pastor Pam Fickenscher
- November 17: *Joseph—One Big Happy Family?* with Pastor Jonathan Davis

Stewardship 2025 Appeal is Underway

Members should have received a mailing including a pledge card, or you may respond electronically on the website, or using the QR code. As you prayerfully consider your giving intentions for next year, the Stewardship Board challenges you to consider increasing your giving over 2024 by 1% of your income.



Out'n About: Conversations with Minnesotans

Monday, October 28, 9:00–11:30 a.m., St. John's Hall

The first speaker of the day will be Natalie Draper from the Northfield Library, who is a member of the Northfield Arts & Culture Commission and she will speak on the Sculptures and Art in Northfield. Our second speaker of the day is Karissa Anderson. She will be talking about the Peruvian Culture as well as sharing information about Textiles in the Peruvian Andes. Register for this event by emailing outnabouto22@gmail.com or calling 507-301-9094. The cost is \$15 and payable the day of the event (cash or check only). The \$15 includes the speakers, coffee/treats, and Hideaway Vault bag lunch.

Announcements (continued)

Next Sunday, November 3, is All Saints Sunday, when the church gives thanks that all the baptized are sinners and saints, redeemed by God's grace. We will especially remember those who have died in the past year with candles, tolling of the bell, and a litany of remembrance at both services. On **Monday, November 4**, those who have lost a loved one within the past year are invited by the Faith and Health board to a time of conversation from 6:00–7:30 p.m. in the Fireside Room. We will have refreshments, sharing, and a brief time of prayer together.

Are You An Election Judge?

On Sunday, November 3, we will be praying for safe and fair elections across our country, and giving thanks for those who serve our democracy as election judges. If we can lift you up in the prayers of the people, please contact one of the pastors or the church office at 507-645-4429 or office@StJohnsNorthfield.org.

Courageous Conversations: We Belong to One Another

“The Interconnectedness of Everything”

Thursday, November 7, 7:00–8:30 p.m., St. John's Hall

Heidi Goldberg, printmaker, fiber artist, and Professor Emeriti of Concordia College, will share the process of her creative work. Through a fusion of printmaking, weaving and a deep reverence for nature, she invites viewers into a world of beauty and introspection. Rooted in nature and the issues of our world, Goldberg's art combines mixed media to explore “that which heals” through making and connection. Several of her large-scale panels are on display in St. John's Hall.

Advent Fair, Wednesday, December 4

Wednesday Night Meal at 5:15 p.m. and Advent Fair Activities from 5:45–7:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited to St. John's Advent Fair on Wednesday, December 4, in St. John's Hall. Come enjoy our Wednesday Night Meal and Advent activities for all ages. We encourage you to bring friends. The more the merrier!

Can you help with Advent Fair?

- Dinner—set-up, serve or clean-up
- Help with crafts/activities
- Food demonstrations—show us how to make your favorite Christmas treat!

Contact Julie Brehmer if you have questions at children@StJohnsNorthfield.org

Two Ushers are Needed for the Third Sunday of the Month Worship at 10:45 a.m.

We are in urgent need of two more ushers to join the team that serves every third Sunday of the month at 10:45 a.m., beginning this November. Ushering is a great way to meet people, be involved with worship, and help the services run smoothly. Should a scheduling conflict arise sometime for an usher, there's a list of subs that can be contacted to assist. Please contact Angie Gehring at sharedministry@StJohnsNorthfield.org if you are interested in serving St. John's in this way, or if you have more questions. We need you!

Announcements (continued)

Sunday Evening Gatherings

Tonight, 6:00–6:30 p.m., First UCC (300 Union St.)

Evening Gatherings are led by laypeople from First UCC and other local churches. Please join us for a time of singing, candle lighting, contemplation, and communion. On the first Sunday of the month we will follow a traditional Taizé format, which focuses on repetitive singing, minimal spoken word, and does not include communion. Come for a time of connection, community, and quiet grounding to prepare for the coming week.

Operation Joy: Donations are appreciated by Friday, November 15

Operation Joy is a community-wide, gift-sharing program of the Community Action Center and is set to take place on December 11. CAC's goal is to provide a joyful holiday experience for all children in our community. The best way to support this goal is through monetary donations. Donations are used to purchase gift cards so families can select gifts their children will enjoy the most. In keeping with tradition, families will receive a blanket, lovingly sewn by local volunteers. Children will also receive a new book, donated generously by Content Bookstore and their customers. If you would like to support Operation Joy, donations can be made by:

- Going online at communityactioncenter.org/winter-holiday/
- Send a check directly to:

**Community Action Center
c/o Operation Joy
1651 Jefferson Parkway, Suite HS-200
Northfield, MN 55057**

Children and Youth

Monday, November 4: No School Day!

Come in your pajamas to Breakfast and Movie Morning for grades K–5.

9:00–11:00 a.m. at St. John's

We start the morning with breakfast in the Commons and then head up to St. John's movie theater for movie time! Feel free to bring friends! Sign up on the bulletin board in the lower or upper Commons or let Julie know by sending an email to children@StJohnsNorthfield.org. Parent help is appreciated. Let Julie know if you can lend a hand.

Contact information for Children and Youth

Julie Brehmer, Director of Children's Ministry at children@StJohnsNorthfield.org.

Kristin Partlo, Director of Ministry with Youth & Families at youth@StJohnsNorthfield.org

Prayer Requests

We are called to remember one another in prayer. The church office has been made aware of the following persons for whom we pray today. This list is also for your use this week.

Healing and Support

Those in the hospital or in need of healing

Ingrid Alberding, Barbara Davis, Fred Huemoeller, Erik Maakestad,
Diane Melbye, Genevieve Quarberg, Carol Schoen, Craig Schultz

Those mourning the loss of a loved one

Family of Beverly Kaiser (mother of Tom Kaiser)
Family of Dylan DuLac (grandson of Karen Wingate)

Those with ongoing health concerns

Jo Chambers, Billi Faillettaz, John Ferguson, Bob Flaten, Paul Klinefelter,
Greta Matzner-Gore, Donna James, Carolyn Jennings, Dolores Nelson, Becky Ness,
Cynthia Neubecker, Mary Ellen North, Scott Quinnell, Alice Rickert, Kent Rommereim,
Ruth Smestad Anglin, Laila Burns Hedstrom, George Schneider (father of Betsy Gasior)

All who are homebound, including

Carol Johnson, VaLois Mandsager

Involved in the mission of the church who have ties to St. John's

The Savior (El Salvador) Lutheran Church in El Cocuy, Colombia;
Iambi Lutheran Church in Iambi, Tanzania; Katie Larson, ELCA missionary in Colombia

Prayer Requests / Stephen Ministry Requests

Stephen Ministry Requests

St. John's Stephen Ministers offer care to those in a variety of difficult situations. If you or someone you know would benefit from some time with a Stephen Minister, contact one of the pastors at 645-4429.

Wednesday Night



**Served from 5:15–6:15 p.m.
in St. John's Hall**

Menu for Wednesday, October 30:
Bacon Cheeseburger Tater Tot Hotdish
(Vegetarian Option Available)

All are welcome!

*Wednesday Meals are made and served completely by people donating their time and talents.
Dessert contributions are always welcome and needed!*

This Week At-a-Glance

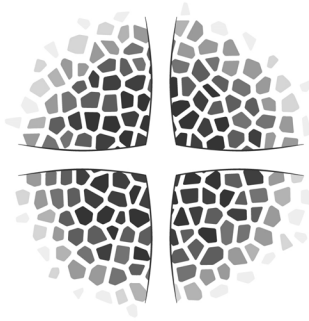
The full calendar of events and building usage can be accessed
on our website at www.StJohnsNorthfield.org.

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| Monday, Oct. 28 | 9:00 a.m. | Out'n About, St. John's Hall |
| | 12:00 p.m. | Lunchtime Text Study via Zoom |
| Tuesday, Oct. 29 | 7:45 a.m. | Tai Chi Class, Fellowship Hall |
| | 9:00 a.m. | S.A.I.L. Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall |
| | 10:00 a.m. | Staff Meeting, Fireside Room |
| | 10:30 a.m. | Writing Group: "Inspired Pens," St. John's Library |
| | 1:00 p.m. | Worship Planning for Staff, Fireside Room |
| | 7:00 p.m. | St. John's Foundation, Fireside Room |
| Wednesday, Oct. 30 | 3:45 p.m. | Afterschool Programming (Kindergarten-Grade 5), St. John's |
| | 5:15 p.m. | Wednesday Night Meal, St. John's Hall |
| | 6:15 p.m. | Confirmation (Grades 6-8), Fellowship Hall |
| | | High School Youth Group, Youth Room |
| | 7:00 p.m. | St. John's Chorale, Room 209 |
| Thursday, Oct. 31 | 7:45 a.m. | Tai Chi Class, Fellowship Hall |
| | 9:00 a.m. | Quilting & Bandage Rolling, Fellowship Hall |
| | 5:00 p.m. | Laura Baker Services Association, St. John's Hall |
| Friday, Nov. 1 | 9:00 a.m. | S.A.I.L. Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall |
| | 7:00 p.m. | NAMI Support Group, Fireside Room |
| Saturday, Nov. 2 | | No Scheduled Activities - Building Closed |
| Sunday, Nov. 5 | 8:30 a.m. | Worship / Nursery, Sanctuary <i>(For the schedule between services, please see page 11)</i> |
| | 10:45 a.m. | Worship / Nursery, Sanctuary |
| | 6:30 p.m. | Rehearsal - CVRO, St. John's Hall |

Lectionary Readings for Next Week (November 3):

All Saints Sunday

Isaiah 25:6-9 † Psalm 24 † Revelation 21:1-6a † John 11:32-44



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