

# GraceNotes

## THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF GRACE

### From the Pastor



#### Pastor's Page

There are many interesting and powerful reflections being offered by people of faith during this time when our National elections are

but a few days away. These reflections often reflect on the process of voting, and how our faith guides, or should guide our voting.

These reflections are important. However, there is a simple truth about this month, and our community and nation: The Election Day is November 5<sup>th</sup>. Time continues on after that. In a devotion Jill and I read recently, author Valerie Kaur offers this reflection:

*What does it mean to return to a kind of wholeness where the way that we love informs what we do in the world and what we do in the world deepens our love?...*

*What I want to remind us all is that as much as we must fight for our convictions and stand for what is*

*just, remember that all those people who vote against you are not disappearing after Election Day or Inauguration Day. We have to find a way to live together still. The only way we will [move forward] is if we hold up a vision of a future that leaves no one behind, not even our worst opponents...*

*We don't see those spaces modeled [often] in the world around us. We have to create them in the spaces between us. Oftentimes it means listening over time, being in relationship. Human beings mirror each other, so if you come with daggers out, they come out daggers out...I invite people to take their wounds [and] their opponents' wounds into spaces of re-imagination – of imagining an outcome, a policy, a relationship that leaves no one outside our circle of care, not even “them...” This kind of labor, this kind of revolutionary love, it's not the sacrifice of an individual, it's a practice of a community.*

**Continued**

Being a community of faith here at Grace offers us opportunity to “practice community” that God desires. Through study together – through the Color of Compromise book study, Worship Text Study on Thursday evenings – or through engaging the community around us at the WARM Cold Weather Shelter, Wednesday Community Meals, or other ways of serving and simply being present that are available through Grace...In worship every Sunday, on All Saints Sunday, our 131st Anniversary Sunday, and especially worshipping with Christ Tabernacle Church of God in Christ on November 24<sup>th</sup>; in our Christian Coalition for Equity and Justice (CCE&J) work with Christ Tabernacle...And perhaps most importantly, at any time when, after saying “Thanks be to God!” at the end of worship, and heading into daily life, God gives us spaces to live out “thy kingdom come, on earth as in heaven;” to live out, “and who is my neighbor?” (Luke 10:25-37)”

The Psalms are filled with powerful reminders of where we stand – and then move forward – on days like Election Day, Inauguration Day, and all the days between and beyond. I invite you to pray Psalm 146 in the days leading to November 5<sup>th</sup>, beyond to January 6<sup>th</sup>, and beyond:

*Praise the LORD!*

*Praise the LORD, O my soul!*

**2** *I will praise the LORD as long as I live;*

*I will sing praises to my God all my life long.*

**3** *Do not put your trust in princes,*

*in mortals, in whom there is no help.*

**4** *When their breath departs, they return to the earth; on that very day their plans perish.*

**5** *Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the LORD their God,*

**6** *who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them; who keeps faith forever;*

**7** *who executes justice for the oppressed;*

*who gives food to the hungry.*

*The LORD sets the prisoners free;*

**8** *the LORD opens the eyes of the blind.*

*The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down;*

*the LORD loves the righteous.*

**9** *The LORD watches over the strangers;*

*he upholds the orphan and the widow, but the way of the wicked he brings to ruin.*

**10** *The LORD will reign forever, your God, O Zion, for all generations.*

*Praise the LORD!*

<sup>1</sup>Change Through Relationship, Valarie Kaur, adapted from “Becoming a Sage Warrior,” Daily Meditations, October 28, 2024, Center for Action and Contemplation.

We finished September with a surplus of \$2,095, which puts the year-to-date deficit at \$353 compared to a deficit of \$8,776 at the end of September in 2023. Expenses and receipts are below budget, but the result is a deficit for the year to date. The Finance Committee and Council will continue to monitor the financial status.



The Congregation’s response to the communications from the Finance Committee is greatly appreciated. The committee is cautiously optimistic that Grace will finish 2024 without a deficit as it continues to monitor income and expense monthly.

**Financial Status**

<b>2024</b>	<b><u>Difference</u></b>
January	-\$2,699.72
February	-\$3,630.70
March	\$2,531.28
April	\$1,387.76
May	-\$4,838.63
June	\$8,929.18
July	-\$4,895.46
August	\$318.49
September	\$2,095.08
October	\$0.00
November	\$0.00
December	\$0.00
<b>YTD</b>	<b>-\$352.72</b>
<b>2023 (thru June)</b>	<b>-\$8,776.32</b>

Red – Deficit Black – Surplus

***The Finance Committee***

Ron Almarode  
 Jerry Kite  
 Vivian Proctor

Allison Fink  
 Susan Myers

Chuck Goodrich  
 Pastor Pingel



Grace is celebrating their **131st Anniversary** this fall. Celebration Sunday will be **November 17**. We are planning a potluck lunch for after the service that Sunday. Please sign up to attend the lunch and give us an idea of how many will be attending. There are also sign up sheets for you to bring a dish for the luncheon. **Please note: We have a member who has an allergy to potatoes so we are asking that you not bring any dishes with potatoes as an ingredient.** We will be needing several vegetarian dishes. All sign up sheets are now located on the tables against the back wall of the narthex. If you have any questions about the lunch, please contact Karen Walck.



**New way to respond to God's Grace with our Offerings!** Many people are turning to technology to offer their offerings to God in thanksgiving for all that God has done! You can use the QR code in this announcement to make your gift through your cell phone, through Tithely, a secure giving method that's been used by many at Grace for years.



FRIENDS  CHRIST

**Bishop Milton comes to Grace and Christ Tabernacle!** Sunday, November 24th, Bishop Phyllis Milton of the Virginia Synod, ELCA will be joining Grace to worship at Christ Tabernacle Church of God on Christ at **10:15 a.m.** November 24th. She will preach, and then, at the luncheon afterward, will speak about her experience as the first black and female Bishop of the Virginia Synod. This is an historically important event in the life of the Church!



**A Notice about our Website** - Our website has not been updated in a few Sundays. Bulletins and events in particular are a few weeks behind in posting. Our "webmaster's" spouse has had some serious health issues, which has put a pause in his ability to update the site. Thankfully, Randy Fink, Allison's spouse, has agreed to facilitate the website. We're thankful for his sharing of gifts! Please be patient over the next few weeks as the Website is updated.



**Grace Quilters**, along with other area churches, sent quilts to western North Carolina as a relief gesture in October.



**Martin Luther's Birthday Celebration at Basic Brewing!** We celebrate next Sunday, November 10th, starting at 6:15 p.m. to grab food and a beverage, and begin celebrating brother Martin and singing at 6:45 p.m.! We've invited all the area Lutheran churches, and are co-sponsored by our neighbors at St. John Episcopal. Come raise a glass, as brother Martin did, and give praise as we sing together!



**Youth Service Event on November 10<sup>th</sup>** - Grace joins First Baptist, St. John Episcopal, St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic and Westminster Presbyterian for an ecumenical service event at Embrace Community Center from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Embrace serves in many ways, from a Community Garden, to offering clothes to youth and families, hosting other community organizations, as well as an Augusta Health clinic.



**Flowers** - Each week we have flowers to remind us of the Resurrection, that God has raised us up, that God has created a very good world for us to live in. The **2025 Flower Chart** has been put up behind the 2024 chart in the Nave. Please consider signing up to provide Altar Flowers for Sunday services. You can either sign up on the flower chart in the Nave or call the church office.



**Lutheran Disaster Response** - In the midst of great devastation, especially in and around the Asheville, NC area, there is great need. ELCA's Lutheran Disaster Response is internationally known as one of the most efficient and reliable responders to such a crisis. Your donations are 100% given to help those in need. Make checks payable to Grace with "Disaster Response" in the memo line.



**Food Pantry Collections:** A huge thanks to everyone as you continue to bring food for the food bank box near the office. **New Notice!!!** There is a need for diapers, especially sizes 3-6. Your donation is much appreciated. To date, we have collected over **4,509** pounds of food (we have made **forty-five deliveries**, twenty-one to Main Street United Methodist, and twenty-four to Calvary United Methodist, Stuarts Draft).



Thank you to everyone who has responded to this year's **Stewardship** emphasis with their commitment cards. There is still time if you haven't. For Grace's planning purposes, please submit your commitment card **this week**. Blank cards are in the Nave if needed.

**Kitchen Guidelines**—For those who use the fellowship hall and kitchen here at Grace, there are now guidelines for use posted in a green notebook in the kitchen. Please take a moment to read through the information and contact Karen Walck (765-450-9920) if you have any questions or you have a suggestion for adding additional information. We hope that all groups, both internal and outside organizations will follow these guidelines.



**College Care Packages**—Each November, a small group of Grace members gather to pack boxes of goodies for our college students around the time of their Fall semester final exams. It's a short term task each year, and the students really appreciate being remembered by their congregation back home. This year, Allison Fink and Linda Meyer are coordinating this effort. We're encouraging members to donate homemade goodies or some other goodies to be included is the care packages. We will be packing the boxes at 9:00 a.m. on November 23 in the conference room - please join us if you like. Please leave your goodie donations in the History room by Friday morning, November 22. Thank you!



Dear Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church

Greetings from Ometepe Island, **Nicaragua**. I hope all your congregation is doing fine and receiving the blessings of the Lord Jesus.

I want to give you thanks for the money that you sent to me to help me getting my plantain farm started. This has been a great help and blessing to me and my family. I know that God will help us in this new project and also I know that He used you to support me. I am very thankful.

Please keep us in your prayers.

God bless you so much

Hellen Vindas

Missionary in Nicaragua

**The Mission Church “San Felipe Educa”  
Alajuelita, San José, Costa Rica**

July 26, 2024  
Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church,  
Waynesboro, Virginia, USA

My very dear brothers and sisters:

I greet you with much love, and I hope that the grace of the Lord prospers you in everything, especially in all your ministries that you carry out for the Glory of the Lord.

I have received the money that, with much love, you have sent for the poor of God, here in Alajuelita, San José, Costa Rica, which I am very grateful for, because with it we can satisfy urgent needs.

Of course, my commitment is to honor the Lord with that money and to be responsible with the effort that you make in favor of those who have less.

With deep gratitude,

*Rev. Efraín Campos Briones*  
Pastor/sociologist.

**Iglesia Misión “San Felipe Educa”  
Alajuelita, San José, Costa Rica**

26 de julio 2024

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church,  
Waynesboro, Virginia, EE. UU.

Muy estimados hermanos:

Les saludo, con mucho amor, y deseo que la gracia del Señor les prospere en todo, especialmente en todos sus ministerios que realizan para la Gloria del Señor.

He recibido el dinero que, con mucho amor, han enviado para los pobres de Dios, aquí en Alajuelita, San José, Costa Rica, lo cual agradezco mucho, pues, con ello podemos satisfacer necesidades urgentes.

Por supuesto que mi compromiso es honrar al Señor con ese dinero y ser responsable con el esfuerzo que ustedes hacen en favor de los que menos tienen.

Con profundo agradecimiento,

*Revdo. Efraín Campos Briones*  
Pastor/sociólogo

**November's First Sunday Gathering** after worship will feature a presentation and book-signing by Pastor Mark Radecke. His book, *LOVE'S PURE LIGHT*, is a collection of ten Christmas sermons he preached at Susquehanna University's annual Christmas Candlelight Service. Attended by more than 1,500 members of the campus and surrounding community, the Candlelight Service is one of the University's most cherished traditions. Pr. Radecke served as Chaplain to the University and Associate Professor of Religion from 1997 until his retirement in 2013. Susquehanna is a college of the ELCA.

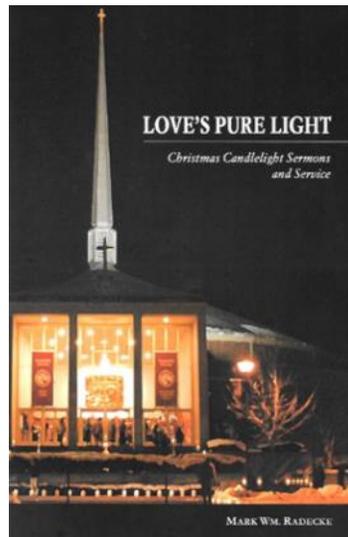
Copies of the book, suitable for Advent-Christmas devotions and gift giving, will be available at the November 3 Gathering as well as after worship in the narthex the following two Sundays. The cost for each book is \$10 and all proceeds will be donated to the ELCA's World Hunger Appeal.

Copies can be purchased sooner or by mail by contacting Pr. Radecke at [radecke@susqu.edu](mailto:radecke@susqu.edu)

*"Chaplain Radecke speaks in a way that just grabs your attention and keeps it throughout his whole message. When I saw that he had published these sermons, I ordered one for my girlfriend and one for myself. Very inspirational ... a ray of hope in these dark times."*

~Amazon Book Review

**Mark Wm. Radecke** serves as Chaplain at Susquehanna University in Selinsgrove, Pennsylvania. He holds degrees from Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg (M.Div.), Trinity Lutheran Seminary (S.T.M.), and Princeton Theological Seminary (D.Min.). He is the author of the CSS titles *In Many and Various Ways*, *In Christ — A New Creation*, and *God in Flesh Made Manifest*.



*For tickets or information, contact  
Susan Myers 434-760-1660  
OR  
Jane Stein 540-649-0979*

## **Silent Auction of “Holiday Sweets and Treats”**

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual WARM Blessings event will be held on Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup> at First Baptist Church in Waynesboro, VA. The event will feature a dinner, a unique silent auction, and music provided by The Faithful Men.

This date has been chosen as it is the night before the WARM Cold Weather Shelter opens for the 2024 -2025 season. The Staff and Board of Directors are inviting our community to come together to offer blessings for the Cold Weather Shelter and the programs of WARM.

A little information on our unique silent auction: This event is also being held at the beginning of the Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons: the planning committee feels this is a special time for many folks to share their kitchen specialties with others in our community. You are invited to offer your support to this fundraiser by offering your kitchen specialties in the form of a contract. The contract will be handled as an item for the “Holiday Sweets and Treats” silent auction. A person will bid on the contract with the highest bidder receiving the item by contacting you to make arrangements for the date and time they would like to pick up the item from you. You may designate the time period the item will be available along with the notice you require for the item to be available.

The Sweet and Treats silent auction was a big success last year and we will be so excited and grateful to place your contract on the silent auction table this year.

Your support is so appreciated by WARM and those served by WARM.



JOIN US FOR

# WARM BLESSINGS

DINNER AND CONCERT BY  
THE FAITHFUL MEN

SILENT AUCTION FOR HOLIDAY SWEETS & TREATS

**November 24, 2024**

5:00 - 8:00 PM

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**First Baptist Church**

301 S. Wayne Ave, Waynesboro VA

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\$60 per ticket

CALL WARM OFFICE TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT

540-324-8166



## **GRACE - WARM Cold Weather Shelter**

**Collecting Toiletries:** Travel/hotel-size - shampoo/conditioner, soap, toothpaste, lotion; toothbrushes, brushes/combs.

**Collecting Breakfast/Snack Food Items:** cereal, fruit cups, soft nutri-grain bars, fruit juice boxes, nabs, individual portion bags of chips/cookies

**Please place items in box outside Church Office, in back of the Nave, or on table in back of Choir Room downstairs.**

*Before we open December 9, we will collect fresh fruits (soft - bananas, grapes, oranges) and milk.*

### **Volunteer Opportunities for December 9 - 16, 2024; Sign-up Sheets in back of Nave before/after services**

- **Set-up Team December 8** after Service to organize, set-up for check-in, Fellowship Hall tables/chairs.
  - ◆ We will break down tables/chairs as needed, and set-up long tables/chairs; sweep floors if needed.
- **Set-up Team December 9** at 7:15 a.m. with WARM/guests to set-up cots
  - ◆ WARM brings cots; we need a few volunteers to help assemble cots, working with volunteer-guests;
  - ◆ We will also move tables/chairs as needed.
- **Check-In each evening December 9 - 15** 3-4 volunteers/evening
  - ◆ Assist WARM Staff Host to welcome guests, assist with sign-in and with shower sign-up,
  - ◆ Make guests feel welcome, let them know we care, participate in time of fellowship, make coffee.
  - ◆ Join us for dinner! Let our guests know that God's love is present in their lives!

- **Show Host each evening December 9 - 15** 1 volunteer/evening
  - ◆ Call guests per sign-up sheet at shower time; offer toiletries and towel.
  - ◆ Monitor shower schedule and collect towels.
  - ◆ Join us for dinner!
  
- **Meal Teams** - We have 7 Meal Team Leaders leading meal teams in preparing dinner for up to 50 people (early estimate).
  - ◆ Volunteers provide food, prepare food, serve food and/or clean-up. Join a team!
  - ◆ Seeking 1 or 2 volunteers each evening to assist preparing sack lunches after dinner clean-up is completed!
  
- **Overnight Hosts** are needed, 1 volunteer/night. If you prefer to pair up, that's fine too - we'll take 1 or 2 each night.
  - ◆ Join us for dinner or arrive after (by 8pm), your choice!
  - ◆ Assist WARM Staff Host overnight; YOU get to sleep overnight, we'll have the "Beethoven Suite" prepared.
  - ◆ Assist preparing sack lunches.
  - ◆ In the morning, make coffee, put out breakfast items and sack lunches, clean up.
  
- **Clean-Up Team** - after guests leave each morning, we complete some basic cleaning.
  - ◆ Light cleaning duties - check floors (sweep/mop if needed), dispose of any open food/drink. Lysol bathrooms/showers.
  - ◆ Check dining tables - need new tablecloths?
  - ◆ **Laundry Volunteers** - please sign up if you can wash/dry/fold towels (at church or at your home).

**Question? Suggestions? Need more info? Wanna volunteer?**

**Contact Susan Myers 434-760-1660 or [sparkelmyers@gmail.com](mailto:sparkelmyers@gmail.com)**





# NOVEMBER 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>27</p> <p>Reformation Sunday</p> <p><b>8:30 a.m.</b> Adult Sunday School</p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b> Service of Holy Communion Confirmation</p> <p><b>Potluck Celebration</b></p>	<p>28</p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Color of Compromise Book Study (Conference Room)</p>	<p>29</p> <p><b>9:30 a.m.</b> Quilting Group (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Round Tables (Fellowship Hall)</p>	<p>30</p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b> Prayer Group</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Yoga</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Community Meal (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>6:30 p.m.</b> Bell Choir Practice</p> <p><b>7:15 p.m.</b> Choir Practice</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Grace Walkers</p> <p><b>12:30 p.m.</b> Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Bible Study (Conference Room)</p> 	<p>1</p> 	<p>2</p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b> Racial Equity &amp; Justice Vigil (Christ Tabernacle)</p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b> Yoga (Seminar Room)</p> 
<p>3</p> <p>All Saints Sunday</p> <p><b>8:30 a.m.</b> Adult Sunday School</p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b> Service of Holy Communion</p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b> First Sunday Fellowship</p> <p><b>11:15 a.m.</b> Children's Sunday School Confirmation Class</p>	<p>4</p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Color of Compromise Book Study (Conference Room)</p>	<p>5</p>  <p><b>9:30 a.m.</b> Quilting Group (Fellowship Hall)</p>	<p>6</p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b> Prayer Group</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Yoga (Seminar Room)</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Community Meal (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>6:30 p.m.</b> Bell Choir Practice</p> <p><b>7:15 p.m.</b> Choir Practice</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Grace Walkers</p> <p><b>12:30 p.m.</b> Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> CCE&amp;J Christ Tabernacle</p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Bible Study (Conference Room)</p>	<p>8</p> 	<p>9</p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b> Yoga (Seminar Room)</p>



# NOVEMBER 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<p>Twenty-Fifth Sunday After Pentecost</p> <p><b>8:30 a.m.</b> Adult Sunday School</p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b> Service of Holy Communion</p> <p><b>11:15 a.m.</b> Children's Sunday School</p> <p>Confirmation Class</p> <p><b>2:00 p.m.</b> Youth Ecumenical Service Project Embrace</p> <p><b>6:15 p.m.</b> Martin Luther's Birthday Celebration Basic City</p> 	 <p><b>VETERANS DAY</b></p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Color of Compromise Book Study (Conference Room)</p>	<p><b>9:30 a.m.</b> Quilting Group (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>4:00 p.m.</b> Finance Committee (Conference Room)</p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Worship &amp; Music (Conference Room)</p>	<p><b>10:00 a.m.</b> Prayer Group</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Yoga (Seminar Room)</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Community Meal (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>6:30 p.m.</b> Bell Choir Practice</p> <p><b>7:15 p.m.</b> Choir Practice</p>	<p>Grace Walkers</p> <p><b>12:30 p.m.</b> Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Virginia Organizing (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>7:00 pm</b> Bible Study (Conference Room)</p>	 <p>Office Closed Today</p>	<p>11:00 a.m. Yoga (Seminar Room)</p>



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<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<p>Twenty-Sixth Sunday After Pentecost</p> <p><b>8:30 a.m.</b> Adult Sunday School</p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b> Service of Holy Communion</p> <p><b>131st Anniversary Pot-Luck</b></p> 	<p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Color of Compromise Book Study (Conference Room)</p>	<p><b>9:30 a.m.</b> Quilting Group (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Executive Committee</p> <p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Council (Conference Room and Zoom)</p>	<p><b>10:00 a.m.</b> Prayer Group</p> <p><b>10:00 a.m.</b> Encircle (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>11:30 a.m.</b> Grace Women's Book Group (Stella, Bella &amp; Lucy's)</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Yoga (Seminar Room)</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> Community Meal (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>6:30 p.m.</b> Bell Choir Practice</p> <p><b>7:15 p.m.</b> Choir Practice</p>	<p><b>8:00 a.m.</b> Newcomers (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>Grace Walkers</p> <p><b>12:30 p.m.</b> Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> CCE&amp;J Christ Tabernacle</p> <p><b>7:00 pm</b> Bible Study (Conference Room)</p>	 <p><b>6:00 p.m.</b> St. James Oyster Dinner</p>	 <p>9:00 a.m. Packing College Care Packages (Conference Room)</p> <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b> Yoga (Seminar Room)</p>



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>
<p>Christ the King</p> <p><b>8:30 a.m.</b> Adult Sunday School</p> <p><b>10:15 a.m.</b> Service of Holy Communion</p> <p>Thanksgiving at Christ Tabernacle</p>  <p><b>FRIENDS IN CHRIST</b></p>	<p><b>7:00 p.m.</b> Color of Compromise Book Study (Conference Room)</p>	<p><b>9:30 a.m.</b> Quilting Group (Fellowship Hall)</p>	<p><b>Grace Holiday</b></p>	<p><b>Grace Holiday</b></p>	 <p><b>11:00 a.m.</b> Yoga (Seminar Room)</p>	<p><b>11:00 a.m.</b> Yoga (Seminar Room)</p>
						



# NOVEMBER

## Birthdays

11/06	<i>David Glover</i>	11/07	<i>Clay Rankin</i>
11/07	<i>Jill Pingel</i>	11/08	<i>Willie Keefer</i>
11/09	<i>Sam Moyer</i>	11/10	<i>Jean Morgan</i>
11/13	<i>Hannah Pingel</i>	11/15	<i>Lily Skelton</i>
11/15	<i>Ashley Stollings</i>	11/22	<i>Robert Moyer</i>
11/25	<i>Tripp Franklin</i>	11/27	<i>Woody Graf</i>
11/27	<i>Kathy Bump</i>	11/28	<i>David Schwiesow</i>
11/30	<i>Wyatt Carper</i>		



# NOVEMBER



## Baptisms

11/07	<i>Willie Keefer</i>	11/10	<i>Gary Morrison</i>
11/29	<i>Bill Meicke</i>		



**November 3**

**All Saints  
Sunday**

**Pastor Paul  
Pingel**

**Linda Meyer**

**Jean Morgan**

**Reva Franklin**

**Kathy Bump**

**Thea Franklin  
Tripp Franklin**

**Linda Meyer**

**Pat Brady  
David Proctor**

**Rick Bump  
Linda Meyer**

**November 10**

**Twenty-Fifth  
Sunday  
After  
Pentecost**

**Pastor Paul  
Pingel**

**Jean Morgan**

**Acolyte/Crucifer**

**Assisting Minister**

**Andrew Sell**

**Thea Franklin  
Tripp Franklin**

**Jean Morgan**

**Pat Brady  
Vivian Proctor**

**Pat Brady  
Jerry Kite**

**November 17**

**Twenty-Sixth  
Sunday  
After  
Pentecost**

**Pastor Paul  
Pingel**

**Gail Johnson**

**Altar Guild**

**Donna Gum**

**Kathy Bump**

**Marsha Howard**

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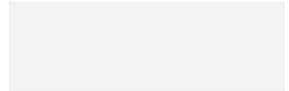
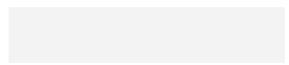
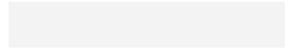
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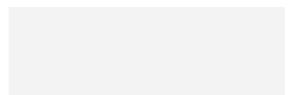
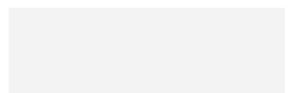
**Karen Walk**

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**November 24  
Christ the King  
Service will be  
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Church at 10:15  
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**Peggy Caister**





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