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# October, 2021 Newsletter Wílson Lutheran Church



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## PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

October 2021 - Season After Pentecost

## Sunday, October 3 - Pentecost 19

- Color: Green
- ELW Setting: Setting I with Holy Communion
- Readings: Genesis 2:18-24; Psalm 8; Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12
- Holy Gospel: Mark 10:2-16: Jesus announced and enacted in history the new reality of God's surprising activity. These two stories demonstrate this new reality: Women and children are accepted and valued, not dismissed as inferior to adult men.

## Sunday, October 10 – Pentecost 20

- Color: Green
- ELW Setting: Setting I
- Readings: Amos 5:6-7, 10-15; Psalm 90:12-17; Hebrews 4:12-16
- Holy Gospel: Mark 10:17-31: Jesus has been teaching his disciples about what is most valued in God's eyes. Now, a conversation with a rich man brings his message home to the disciples in a way that is surprising but unforgettable.

## Sunday, October 17 – Pentecost 21

- Color: Green
- ELW Setting: Setting I with Holy Communion
- Readings: Isaiah 53:4-12; Psalm 91:9-16; Hebrews 5:1-10
- Holy Gospel: Mark 10:35-45: On the way to Jerusalem the disciples ask Jesus to grant them seats of honor. Jesus responds by announcing that he and his followers will "rule" through self-giving service.

## Sunday, October 24 – Pentecost 22 (Confirmation)

- Color: Red
- ELW Setting: Setting I
- Readings: Jeremiah 31:7-9; Psalm 126; Hebrews 7:23-28
- Holy Gospel: Mark 10:46-52: Bartimaeus comes to Jesus with faith, asking that he might see again. Recognizing Jesus' identity, Bartimaeus is the first person to call him "Son of David" in the Gospel of Mark.

## Reformation

"Rooted in the past and growing into the future, the church must always be reformed in order to live out the love of Christ in an ever-changing world. We celebrate the good news of God's grace, the Jesus Christ sets us free to do this life-transforming work. Trusting in the freedom given to us in baptism, we pray for the church, that Christians will unite more fully in worship and mission." (Sundays and Seasons Year B 2021, Augsburg Fortress)

## Sunday, October 31 – Reformation Sunday

- Color: Red
- ELW Setting: Setting I with Holy Communion
- Readings: Jeremiah 31:31-34; Psalm 46; Romans 3:19-28
- Holy Gospel: John 8:31-36: Jesus speaks of truth and freedom as spiritual realities known through his word. He reveals the truth that sets people free from sin.

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

Wilson Lutheran Church serves to provide all people the opportunity to become disciples of Jesus Christ, encourage faith and obedience to Christ and, through diverse opportunities for evangelism, serve God's people in our communities, nation, and throughout the world.

**Pastor's Office Hours:** Pastor Bob may be reached at the church office, 715-772-3150, Wednesday through Friday, and Saturday morning. In the event of an emergency or hospitalization, he can be reached at 715-235-4900 (home), 612-270-3838 (cell), or by email at <u>PastorBob@wwt.net</u>.

**Pastor Vacation:** Pastor Bob will be taking a few days off beginning Thursday, October 7, returning Wednesday, October 13. Pastor David Natzke will preside at our October 10 worship service. Should you need to reach him in an emergency, you may contact him by calling his cell phone number: 612-270-3838.

**Food Pantry Support:** Thank you for you continuing support of our Food Pantry program, serving the five area food pantries: Baldwin, Elmwood, Glenwood City, Spring Valley, and Woodville. Your September donations again filled the Food Pantry box, with those contributions going to Woodville food shelf.

People continue to seek help from food pantries, so your contributions are especially welcomed. Don't forget to include items like paper products and personal care supplies. Bring your donations when you come for Sunday worship, or drop them off at church during the week. Thank you for supporting your neighbors in need.

Wilson WELCA: WELCA meetings are cancelled until further notice.

**Wilson Council:** The next regular meeting is scheduled for 12:30 p.m. Thursday, November 11. All members of the church are welcome to attend.

## September 9, 2021 Council Meeting Highlights: (Complete minutes are available in the church office.)

- Landscape work was successful as there was no leakage after the heavy rains.
- Feed My Starving Children have not set up any dates yet for volunteers to package food.
- No updates on the progress of cemetery signs.
- Barb Lamb will look into purchasing battery candles, for those who are attending the Christmas Eve service, to hold in place of lit candles. She will also check into the cost of purchasing new cushions for the pews.
- After discussion it was decided that Katie Hague, Sunday School coordinator, will make the decision if COVID would delay Sunday School beginning on September 26.
- Barb Lamb made a motion to accept the transfer of New Members, LeRoy, Karen and Anna Esanbock from Gethsemane, second by Barb Knopps. Motion carried.
- Barb Knopps made a motion to send the budgeted offering to Synod Assembly and Assembly for World Hunger, second by David. Motion carried.
- It was decided to continue with the current COVID Guidelines Wilson Lutheran is following.

**Council Vacancy:** The church council is seeking an individual to complete the remainder of Chuck Lamb's term, which will conclude at the end of this year. The person filling that vacancy would be eligible for election to a three-year term, beginning in 2022. Council meets at 12:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. If you would like to find out more about the council, are interested in filling this vacancy in the short term, or standing for election to a three-year term beginning next January, please contact Chuck Walz or Pastor Bob.

## **COVID PRECAUTIONS**

In as much as the surge in COVID cases continues in St. Croix and surrounding counties, council has decided to keep the precautions in place for a while longer. Council will review the situation at the October meeting. WE long for the day we can lift these precautions.

- Pews remain separated by any empty row between them to provide 6 feet of separation.
- The Offering Plate is located at the top of the stairs and will not be passed during the service.
- People are invited, but not required, to wear masks. Adult and children's masks are available on the table in the narthex for those wishing to use them.
- We continue to serve Communion as we have since returning to in-person worship, but ask you to observe safe distancing between family groups when you come forward.
- If you do not wish to receive Communion up front, Pastor will gladly bring it to you. Just tell the ushers you would like that done.
- We will continue to sing the Sending Song only but, in most cases, limit it to two verses. Verse numbers will be listed in the service folder.

Most importantly, if you are not feeling well – whatever the reason may be – we encourage you to remain home. We love you and will miss you, but we will love you just as much from afar and welcome you in person when you are well. We are all tired of COVID, but as the cases in St. Croix, Dunn, and Pierce counties continue to rise, we hope you will understand the need to return to these precautions.

Amazon Smile: If you shop on Amazon.com, a small percentage of your purchase can be contributed to support various non-prophet organizations, <u>at no additional cost to you</u>. To make that happen, instead of signing on to your Amazon.com account, sign on to <u>smile.amazon.com</u> instead. The two are exacting the same sites, but "Smile" allows you to select one of several organizations to direct your Amazon contribution. Select your charity of choice by clicking on "Supporting" on the left end of Amazon menu bar. Several options are available, on of which is Lutheran World Relief (just a suggestion O). Since its inception, Amazon Smile has contributed more than \$320 million to charities worldwide. (Lutheran World Relief has received more than \$47,000)

**Fall Supper and Silent Auction:** Trinity Lutheran Church, Hammond, will hold its Fall Supper and Silent Auction on Thursday, October 7, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. The meal will include scallop potatoes, ham, coleslaw, buns, pickles, milk, coffee, and homemade pies. A Free Will Offering will be received.

The Silent Auction items, including homemade crafts and baked items, will be on display for the support. The auction runs until October 10<sup>th</sup>.

**God Pause:** A daily devotion will be waiting in your email each morning if you sign up for "God Pause". Provided by Luther Seminary in St. Paul, the scripture lessons appointed for the coming Sunday form the basis for each day's devotion. To sign up, go to luthersem.edu/godpause or, if you have received this newsletter electronically, by clicking on this link: <u>https://www.luthersem.edu/godpause/</u>

**Thank You:** I would like to thank my church family for the cards and well wishes. A special thank you to Pastor Bob for his calls and prayers. You're the best. God's Blessings, Vicki Glampe.

**Habitat for Humanity – ReStore:** If you have furniture, tools, building materials, windows, doors, lighting, or other construction, or home furnishing items you no longer need, you might consider donating them to the Habitat for Humanity ReStore location at 749 Ryan Drive in Hudson.

The store had been closed for nearly two years, but a new location, space, and an online shopping option has made it possible to reopen. Dropping off items is easy and by appointment only, scheduled by email at <a href="mailto:restore@scvhabitate.org">restore@scvhabitate.org</a>, or by calling 715-318-9122.

Your donations and purchases help families with safe and affordable housing, and keeps things from ending up in our area landfills.

OF COMING EVENTS					
DATE	EVENT				
October 3	First Communion				
October 7 through 12	Pastor Vacation				
October 17	New Member Sunday				
October 25	Confirmation Sunday				
October 31	Reformation Sunday				
November 3	7 <sup>th</sup> and 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Orientation				
November 10	7 <sup>th</sup> and 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Begins				
November 12 through 16	Pastor Vacation				
November 24	Thanksgiving Eve Worship				
December 15	Service of Healing and Hope				
December 24	Christmas Eve Worship				

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP

Month	Altar Care	Communion Server	Ushers	Sundays
October	Help Needed	Peggy Timm	Duane and Pat Butler	5 Sundays Confirmation and Reformation
November	Help Needed	Ginny Overland	Dennis and Barb Blegen	4 Sundays All Saints Christ the King

#### ACOLYTE and READER SCHEDULE

Month	Date	Acolyte	Reader
October	3	Cade Stasiek	Doug Faber
	10	Charlie Lamb	Janet Brandt
	17	Ryan Peterson	Xen Larson
	24 – Confirmation	Billy Grey	Don Hogenson
	31 – Reformation	Cade Lamb	Dean Rambo
	7	Charlie Lamb	Ginny Overland
November	14	Ryan Peterson	Kathy Borton
	21	Billy Gray	Barb Kronholm
	24 – Thanksgiving Eve	Cade Lamb	Sue Faber
	28	Charlie Lamb	Barb Knopps

Birthdays			Anniversaries		
Oct 2	Jason Hague	Oct 19	Joe Witter	Oct 1	Jason & Katie Hague
Oct 4	Mark Butler	Oct 19	Brayden Witter	Oct 6	Bob & Sue Dahm
Oct 6	Diane Gedatus	Oct 22	Kurtis Kerr	Oct 27	Kale & Sarah Blegen
Oct 8	Keenan Stahl	Oct 22	Sharon Spielman		
Oct 9	Gabe Larson	Oct 22	Xen Larson		
Oct 11	Kodey Stahl	Oct 23	Chandra Lamb		
Oct 14	Beau Blegen	Oct 25	Owen Hague		
Oct 14	Eli Hague	Oct 26	Ty Anderson		
Oct 15	Lyla Spielman	Oct 27	Brett Anderson		
Oct 16	Alex Langer	Oct 29	Linda Powers		
Oct 16	Eleanor Cretney	Oct 29	Jason Gedatus		
Oct 16	Paul Deppa	Oct 30	Virginia Overland		
Oct 16	Lisa Brandvold	Oct 30	Brantley Bonte		
Oct 17	Anna Esanbock	Oct 30	Lane Butler		

## PARISH BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES - OCTOBER 2021

## FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN – PACKING DATES ANNOUNCED

Feed My Starving Children has announced a food packing opportunity scheduled for Saturday, October 30, at Woodbury Lutheran Church, 7380 Afton Road, Woodbury. We would like to have a group of at least 6 people, but no more than 10, participate in this packing event. At present, 60 slots are available in the 9:00 to 11:15 a.m. time period, and 40 in the 3:00 to 5:15 p.m. period. If you are interested in participating, contact Pastor Bob not later than Wednesday, October 13. Please indicated which time slots you would be available. As a reminder, the September newsletter article about the FMSC program is repeated below.

## FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN – PROGRAM INFORMATION

Every year, millions of children die from preventable causes such as pneumonia, diarrhea, malaria, with hunger causing nearly half of all deaths in children under five years of age.

Founded in 1987, Feed My Starving Children is a Christian nonprofit organization that answers Christ's call to feed the hungry and serve those in need. Responding to that call, FMSC strives to eliminate malnutrition and starvation in children throughout the world; hearing the cries of those in need until all are fed.

FMSC, believing hope starts with food, works with food science and nutrition professionals to develop nutritional meals called MannaPacks that help children grow, thrive and develop their full potential. Through its network of food distribution partners, FMSC meals are sent around the world.

Alleviating hunger in our communities, and around the world, has long been ministry at Wilson Lutheran. The congregation has done a wonderful job of supporting five local food shelves in our area by contributing food items and money to help those in need. FMSC is an opportunity for us to extend our outreach around the world by helping prepare the MannaPacks for distribution.

By giving about two hours time, plus travel to and from the packing site, hundreds of meals can be pack to meet the food needs of the world's children.

#### PEDAL PULL WINNERS

The Hague boys, Owen, Eli, and Arlan, recently participated in the State Pedal Pull competition, with Owen taking 6<sup>th</sup> place, Eli 1<sup>st</sup>, and Arlan 3<sup>rd</sup> in their age groups. Eli and Arlan will be participating in the National Competition to be held in South Dakota on Saturday, September 25. Congratulations boys! Well Done!

**NATIONAL COMPETITION UPDATE:** Eli won 4<sup>th</sup> place out of the 25 eight-year-old participants in his age group, and Arlan placed 10<sup>th</sup> among the 25 five-year-old participants in his group. Good job boys. We're proud of you.



## NATIONAL COMPETITION





#### STATE COMPETITION





## Revised Common Lectionary Daily Readings – Year B October 2021

Date	Day	Psalm	First Reading	First Reading Second Reading	
1	Friday	Psalm 8	Genesis 21:22-34	nesis 21:22-34 Romans 8:1-11	
2	Saturday	Psalm 8	Genesis 23:1-20		Luke 16:14-18
3	Sunday	Psalm 8	Genesis 2:18-24	Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12	Mark 10:2-16
4	Monday	Psalm 112	Deuteronomy 22:13-30	1 Corinthians 7:1-9	
5	Tuesday	Psalm 112	Deuteronomy 24:1-5	1 Corinthians 7:10-16	
6	Wednesday	Psalm 112	Jeremiah 3:6-14		Matthew 5:27-36
7	Thursday	Psalm 90:12-17	Deuteronomy 5:1-21	Hebrews 3:7-19	
8	Friday	Psalm 90:12-17	Deuteronomy 5:22-33	Hebrews 4:1-11	
9	Saturday	Psalm 90:12-17	Amos 3:13-4:5		Matthew 15:1-9
10	Sunday	Psalm 90:12-17	Amos 5:6-7, 10-15	Hebrews 4:12-16	Mark 10:17-31
11	Monday	Psalm 26	Obadiah 1-9	Revelation 7:9-17	
12	Tuesday	Psalm 26	Obadiah 10-16	Revelation 8:1-5	
13	Wednesday	Psalm 26	Obadiah 17-21		Luke 16:19-31
14	Thursday	Psalm 91:9-16	Genesis 14:17-24	Romans 15:7-13	
15	Friday	Psalm 91:9-16	Isaiah 47:1-9	Revelation 17:1-18	
16	Saturday	Psalm 91:9-16	Isaiah 47:10-15		Luke 22:24-30
17	Sunday	Psalm 91:9-16	Isaiah 53:4-12	Hebrews 5:1-10	Mark 10:35-45
18	Monday	Psalm 37:23-40	1 Samuel 8:1-18	Hebrews 6:1-12	
19	Tuesday	Psalm 37:23-40	1 Samuel 10:17-25	Hebrews 6:13-20	
20	Wednesday	Psalm 37:23-40	1 Samuel 12:1-25		John 13:1-17
21	Thursday	Psalm 126	Jeremiah 23:9-15	Hebrews 7:1-10	
22	Friday	Psalm 126	Jeremiah 26:12-24	Hebrews 7:11-22	
23	Saturday	Psalm 126	Jeremiah 29:24-32		Mark 8:22-26
24	Sunday	Psalm 126	Jeremiah 31:7-9	Hebrews 7:23-28	Mark 10:46-52
25	Monday	Psalm 119:17-24	Exodus 4:1-17	1 Peter 2:1-10	
26	Tuesday	Psalm 119:17-24	2 Kings 6:8-23	Acts 9:32-35	
27	Wednesday	Psalm 119:17-24	Jeremiah 33:1-11		Matthew 20:29-34
28	Thursday	Psalm 119:1-8	Exodus 22:1-15	Hebrews 9:1-12	
29	Friday	Psalm 119:1-8	Leviticus 19:32-37	Romans 3:21-31	
30	Saturday	Psalm 119:1-8	Numbers 9:9-14		Luke 10:25-37
31	Sunday <i>Reformation</i>	Psalm 46	Jeremiah 31:31-34	Romans 3:19-28	John 8:31-36

#### Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Prayer Ventures October 2021

**1** Remember in prayer countries or regions where there is conflict, civil unrest or violence, especially Afghanistan, Ethiopia, Myanmar and the Middle East. Pray that God will protect and care for people who endure conflict; have been displaced from their homes and nations; suffer loss, despair, persecution or trauma; and long for peace, healing and stability. Give thanks for the work we do together through Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service, Lutheran Disaster Response, ELCA Witness in Society, ELCA World Hunger and our partner organizations.

2 Continue praying for people and communities impacted by recent hurricanes, flooding, severe weather and wildfires, and for those working to recover from natural disasters. Pray that all will find comfort, strength and hope in God's loving presence and in the response and support of caring neighbors, faith communities, disaster response volunteers, Lutheran Disaster Response, and the global community of siblings in Christ.

**3** Give thanks for the teachings of Jesus that clarify God's desire for us to value, respect and accept people of all ages, genders and circumstances.

**4** Feast of Francis of Assisi (1181-1226) Pray that we will greet each day with a sense of awe, gratitude and respect for creation, for the organisms and creatures that inhabit the earth, for our pets, and for humanity in all its diversity and complexity — the handiwork of God entrusted to our care and love.

**5** Praise God for the gift of Jesus Christ — the Son of God, born as one of us and the "exact imprint of God's very being" (Hebrews 1:3) — who fulfills the promise of God's love and mercy and assures us of our salvation.

**6** Pray for ELCA congregations and our work together to serve our neighbor, share the story of Jesus, create vibrant communities of faith and reflect the radiant light of God's love, grace and justice in the world.

**7** Pray for congregational leaders, laypeople and health care professionals participating in the Addiction & Faith Conference ("Awakening Faith Communities to Address Addiction") in Bloomington, Minn., that they will be

inspired and further equipped to care for people who struggle with addiction, as well as their loved ones.

8 We should be humbled to know that God has crowned us with glory and honor, especially given how insignificant we seem in the vastness of God's creation. Give praise and thanks to God!

**9** Pray for the planning team of the 2022 Multicultural Youth Leadership Event, which precedes the ELCA Youth Gathering and focuses on youth of color. Ask God to nurture an inclusive, Spirit-inspired community, that we might celebrate our cultures together in the church, embodying equity, diversity, mutuality and oneness in Christ.

**10** Pray that the Word of God, example of Jesus and work of the Spirit will inspire, equip and guide us to be service-minded disciples bearing faith, hope, justice, peace and love into the world.

**11** Give thanks for the bounty of autumn and the people who tend crops and orchards that nourish and sustain us. Pray that we will work together year-round in our communities to help our food-insecure neighbors find convenient, consistent, affordable sources of healthy food.

**12** God, we ask you to teach us to appreciate life and see each day as an opportunity to do God's work in the world — serving our neighbor, sharing our faith and expressing our gratitude for God's steadfast love and compassion.

**13** Pray for soldiers serving in places of conflict, returning home from deployment or recovering from injuries or trauma. Give thanks for the people who attend to their well-being and daily needs, especially chaplains serving in the U.S. military and in Veterans Affairs hospitals, and congregation members providing care and support for soldiers and their families.

**14** Nothing is hidden from God, who knows our every thought, intention, desire and need. Give thanks for Jesus, the Son of God, who lived in the world with us and reassures us that, in every circumstance, God is approachable, full of grace, mercy and understanding.

**15** Give thanks for women today and throughout church history who have served as reformers and leaders, helping ground our church, institutions and ministries in

the good news of Jesus Christ and the work God calls us to do in the world.

**16** Pray that the Spirit will strengthen our wisdom and skills that we might better steward our oceans, which influence weather, provide bountiful food, facilitate global trade and travel, and renew us with their beauty and power, reflecting God's creative might.

Pray that, as siblings in Christ, we will encourage and assist one another in being diligent, empathetic and humble as we serve our neighbor throughout our baptismal journeys.

Pray that during this lingering pandemic the Spirit will guide us to show patience, exercise flexibility and care for our neighbor's physical and spiritual well-being, and that it will inspire in us a spirit of sacrificial love and concern for one another, especially the most vulnerable.

**19** Pray for our elders, who strengthen our congregations and ministries with their experience, wisdom and passion for doing God's work in the world. Ask the Spirit to stir our creativity in reaching out to and engaging with elders who are homebound or in assisted-living facilities or senior communities.

Give thanks that in Christ we have a loving, patient teacher and a clear example of how to care for our neighbors in need and pursue justice, equity and healing in the world.

Give thanks that we can trust in God — our refuge, strength and hope in every circumstance.

Pray for the ELCA Innovation Lab, created to help our church respond to the opportunities and challenges of introducing more people to God's grace in an ever-changing, increasingly complex world.

Praise God that our salvation doesn't depend on who we are or what we do but comes to us as a gift of God's love and forgiveness through the life, suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Pray that our faith in Jesus Christ will reassure us that God's grace, mercy and compassion can be trusted and that only God can truly transform us and make us whole.

Pray for the work and ministries of our global companions during this time when we cannot accompany them in person. Give thanks that the Spirit continues to strengthen our relationships as siblings in Christ through prayer, technology, generosity, advocacy and shared resources.

Give thanks for our siblings in Christ who write hymns and songs that reflect on our faith, Scripture and God's work in the world, helping us express our daily joys, sorrows and concerns.

The year-round outdoor ministries and retreat centers of our church provide opportunities for spiritual growth and renewal, leadership development and ministry with youth. Pray that they will flourish as they recover from and adapt to the impact of the lingering pandemic.

Praise God for the wisdom and intent of creating a wonderfully diverse humankind and world. Pray that we will respond with awe, respect and joyful thanksgiving.

"The Lord has done great things for us, and we rejoiced" (Psalm 126:3). Give joy, praise and thanksgiving to God!

Pray for our neighbors who are, in increasing numbers, homeless or on the verge of becoming homeless. Give thanks for communities of faith that respond with food, shelter, clothing, social services and health care, and that work diligently to end homelessness.

*Reformation Day* The impact of Martin Luther and other reformers has special significance for the global community of Lutheran Christians. Give thanks that we are set free by the grace and light of God to grow, change, confess our flaws and failings, and ground our church anew in the word and truth of God in Jesus Christ.

## OCTOBER 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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3 9:00 Worship with Holy Communion <b>First Communion</b> 10:00 Sunday School	4 Pastor's Sabbath	5 Pastor's Day Off	6 6:00 p.m. 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation	7 <b>Pastor Bob Vacation _</b> 10:00 St. Croix Conference Meeting	8	9
10 Pastor Bob Vacation 9:00 Worship 10:00 Sunday School		, ,	13 6:00 p.m. 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation	14 12:30 Wilson Council Meeting	15	16 10:00 a.m. Acolyte Orientation
17 9:00 Worship with Holy Communion <b>New Member Sunday</b> 10:00 Sunday School <b>Newsletter Deadline</b>	18 Pastor's Sabbath	19 Pastor's Day Off	20 6:00 p.m. 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation - Parent / Confirmand Meeting	21	22	23 10:00 a.m. Confirmation Rehearsal
24 9:00 Worship <b>Confirmation</b> 10:00 Sunday School	25 Pastor's Sabbath	26 Pastor's Day Off	27	28 2:00 p.m. Pastor's Spiritual Direction	29	30
31 <b>Reformation Sunday</b> 9:00 Worship with Holy Communion 10:00 Sunday School	November 1 Pastor's Sabath	2 Pastor's Day Off	3 6:00 p.m. 7 <sup>th</sup> and 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Orientation	4	5	6