## Continuing Care

Tara Bustos, John Cook,
Nancy Crouse, Ralph Feldkamp,
Bob A. Gick, Joyce Godfrey,
Henry Harmeyer, Larry Hollman,
Steve Kumfer, Christian Miller,
Roger Nash, Trace Niblick,
George Stout, Tawfic Tillawi,
Teri Weber

## Family & Friends

Deb Alles (Joy Pape friend)
Dale Baeske
Bree Borders
(Nylund/Cook brother in law)
Sean Breininger
Jeffrey Croucher
Virginia Specht (Widenhofer family)
Lisa Stillwell (Larry & Diane Smith daughter)

## Altar Flowers

Randy & Betty Oetting
in celebration of
their 35th wedding anniversary

Virginia Olds in celebration of
Josephine Burns birthday

## Baptism Blessings

Rylan Owen Gurney
Monti Michelle Hamilton

## Tithe.ly

Concordia partners with Tithe.ly as an additional way for our members to give. Scan the QR code to be taken directly to our page within Tithe.ly. No sign up or download required.

**if you would like a visit from a Pastor while hospitalized, please call church office*


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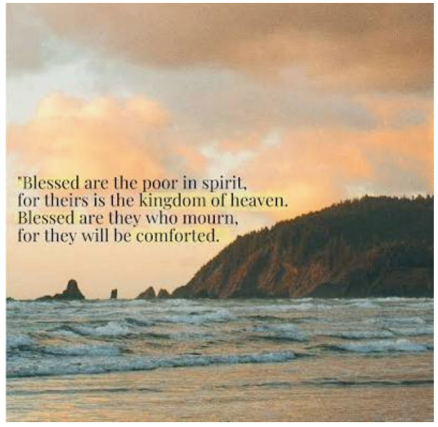
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Would you like to receive periodic emails from church about upcoming events and/or notifications about event cancellations/changes? If so, please scan the QR code to sign up. Or go to concordiachurch.org and click on "Contact" tab. Underneath the contact form is a "subscribe to news/events" button.

# Concordia Calling

*"To know Christ and make Him known"*




**This week's readings:**
Rev. 7:2-17
1 John 3:1-3
Matthew 5:1-12

**Bible study opportunities:**

Sunday mornings @ 9:45:
Centennial Hall - Traditional study on a book of Bible

Wednesday mornings @ 10:00:
Cent. Hall - *O*lder *W*iser *L*ivelier *S*aints

Thursday mornings @ 6:15:
Centennial Hall - Men's Bible Study

Thursday mornings @ 9:00:
Parish House - Women's Bible Study

## Nov 1-8, 2026

*Saturday - 31*
**Daylight Savings - "Fall Back" 1 hour tonight**

*Sunday - 1*
8:30 am Communion Worship
9:45 am Adult Bible Study
9:45 am Sunday School
10:45 am Worship

*Monday - 2*
No scheduled events

*Tuesday - 3*
8:30 pm 18+ Pick up Volleyball

*Wednesday - 4*
10:00 am OWLS Bible study
7:00 pm Concordia Church Choir

*Thursday - 5*
6:15 am Men's Bible Study
9:00 am Women's Bible Study

*Friday - 6*
No scheduled events

*Saturday - 7*
5:00 pm Worship

*Sunday - 8*
8:30 am Worship
9:45 am Adult Bible Study
9:45 am Sunday School
10:45 am Communion Worship

## Church News

### Federal SGO Program Update

Have a child or grandchild who's attending a Lutheran school? Did you yourself attend a Lutheran school? Do you care about Lutheran education? If you answered yes to any of those questions then you are invited to a special meeting where the new Federal SGO program will be explained. This program features a 100% federal tax credit of up to $1700/$3400 for individual/married couple taxpayers. There are two meeting options - November 12 @ 5:30p or November 13 @ 8:30a. Both meetings will be held at church. Reservations are requested at but not required thelutheranschools.org/events. Light snacks will be provided.

### Pastor Doug Retirement Receptions

Please join us in celebrating Pastor Doug's service to Concordia. There will be a heavy hors d'oeuvres reception following both the 5pm service on Nov 7, and the 10:45am service on Nov 8.

### SCRIP Shower for Pastor Doug

Look for a specially marked gift bag in the Narthex. Please drop your cards/gift cards of appreciation there.

### Sunday School

PreK-8 kids are invited to our Sunday school classes. Pre K thru 1st are in Miss Stapleton's room, while 2nd-5th are in the art room. Older kids are welcome to volunteer as aides or join the adult bible study in Cent. Hall. Teacher subs are also needed. Contact Mike Yurk at myurk@clcsfw.org if interested.

### Fellowship Time Help Needed

Help needed for our fellowship hour. This is an easy way to serve the Concordia family. Scan the code or speak to Amy Kaschinske for more information.

### Monthly Newsletter

Did you know there is a monthly church newsletter available? Newsletters will include important info about upcoming events as well as ministry spotlights. Newsletters are available in the Narthex.

### Seminary Food Co-op

Please consider donating to the Seminary Food Bank. November is "Christmas Baking" items. Drop off your donations in the marked bin in the Narthex.

### Inner City Mission Ministry

Needed items for **November** distribution: fresh pies (pumpkin, apple, pecan or chocolate) delivered to church by Nov 18, white cans of frosting, and red, green, gold, and blue sprinkles. We could also use reusable bags! As a reminder, this ministry is available to both church and school families. If you would like to participate and/or volunteer, please contact akaschinske@clcsfw.org by November 16.

### Women's Ministry

### Christmas Wreath Sign Ups

We will be making wreaths during our Dec 3 Women's Connections meeting. In order to have enough supplies at the ready, please sign up in Narthex if you are planning on attending. Sign ups start Nov 7/8.

### Thank You!

Thank you to all the women who attended last weekend's Women's Retreat. It was a wonderful weekend filled with fellowship, fun and food! Thank you also to all who volunteered their time and talents to make the event possible. Praise be to God!

### Parish Health Ministry

### Concordia Prayer Board

Check out the display in the Narthex where you can share a prayer request or take one to pray over during the week. Let's help carry one another's burdens and encourage our church family in Christ.

## School News

### Middle School Marshmallow Roast

6-8th grade students are invited to an evening of food and fun on Friday November 6, 6:30-8:30pm. Please bring your own chocolate and drink, marshamallows and graham crackers will be provided. Meet by the outdoor basketball hoops!