



# This Week at Christ Lutheran

## Celebrating 92 Years in Forest Hills

### November 23, 2025

Christlutheranfh.org

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**BULLETINS, SERMONS AND LIVE WORSHIP:** Bulletins and sermons are available for download on our website. A live stream of worship services is available on our Facebook page. See the top of this page for our website and Facebook locations.

**FLOWERS:** The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God by Lois Frerking.

#### **WOMEN'S SERVICE GUILD DATES TO REMEMBER:**

Today is the last day to donate red stocking money for Cabot residents with no family. WSG will match contributions. Red stockings are on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall.

Now 'til January 25: Food and medical equipment gathering: boxes will be in the Narthex.

Now through November 30: Redeemer Lutheran School libraries collecting books for preschool, elementary and high school libraries.

December 2: Cookie packing and Fellowship Hall decorating will follow at 10am. Bring your cookies before Dec. 2 and label them for cookie packing or you may bring them on that day. Please do not have mint or anise in your cookies.

December 3, 10, 17: Advent dinners will be pot luck. Free will offering for Pastor Vincent Mroz and the deaf ministry.

January 10: Undecorate Fellowship Hall and WSG meeting at 10am.

**WELCOME VISITORS!** Please fill out a Welcome Card (located in the card holders in pews) and give to Pastor after the service and receive a special welcome gift. A mother's room and restroom are located at the left rear of the church. May you find this a place of spiritual rest and renewal.

**AS WE GATHER:** There is a phrase familiar to both preschoolers and powerbrokers. When they see that someone else has something they want, they declare, "That's mine!" seizing either toys or territory for themselves. This phrase is not unfamiliar to our God either. But where humans are motivated by selfishness, the Lord acts out of love. He claims you as His own because He loves you and He wants you to be with Him for eternity. You are His treasured possession! He will never leave you behind like a toddler may accidentally abandon her teddy bear, or neglect you like a king would treat those who supported his rival. When the Lord says, "You are Mine," you have His pledge of enduring faithfulness, today and unto eternity!

**ISSUES, ETC.:** THE FAITH ONCE FOR ALL DELIVERED TO THE SAINTS... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. Recent topics include: The Hymnal as Devotional Resource, Why Christians Should Build Cathedrals, Late First-Century Bishop Clement of Rome, The Third Use of God's Law, and more. You can listen at your convenience at [issuesetc.org](http://issuesetc.org), Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, TuneIn, the LPR mobile app and a podcast provider.

**LUTHERAN CENTER FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY:** Thanksgiving Day – football, food, family – and church. Sometimes discussions can get heated around the dinner table. Dr. Seltz presents "How to talk politics and cultural issues with friends, family, and others." See [www.LCRLFreedom.org](http://www.LCRLFreedom.org) and look under Podcasts.



**Eastern District**  
The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

# WORSHIP, FELLOW- SHIP, & SERVICE

at

## CHRIST LUTHERAN

November 23-November 30, 2025

### SUNDAY

8:45 AM Adult Bible Classes  
10:00 AM Divine Service  
11:30 AM Sunday School  
11:30 AM Confirmation Class

### MONDAY

7:00 PM AA Meeting  
7:00 PM Vocal Choir

### TUESDAY

6:30 PM Girl Scouts

### WEDNESDAY

11:00 AM Crafting  
7:00 PM Thanksgiving Service

### THURSDAY

Happy Thanksgiving!  
Office Closed

### Friday

Office Closed

### SUNDAY—Holy Communion

8:45 AM Adult Bible Classes  
10:00 AM Divine Service  
11:30 AM Sunday School  
11:30 AM Confirmation Class  
Last Day for Red Stocking Donations

To make contributions online, visit  
[christlutheranfh.org](http://christlutheranfh.org) and click on DONATE.

Date	Attendees	Offering	To date	,Budget
11-16-25	59	\$2,727	\$68,618	\$73,060

### This Week in Prayer

Frank Elaschat	Lynn Fisher
Carol Sapanara	Sandy Uram
Bill Hite	Mike and Barb Lis
Rosalie & Glenn Filler	Linda Kuenzi

### Shut Ins

Jim & Evelyn Wise	Ann Tubbs
Bob and Bette Hamill	Russell Long
June Kolb	Katherine Mastrocola
Carol Logsdon	Cathy Ertman
Audrey Karpinsky	Bob Lindke
Audrey Marvenko	

### Serving Our Country

Kyle Schoenthal	Miguel Breight
David Lisovich	Carson Starke

### Family and Friends

Rev. Mark Mozeik  
Deb, James, Tim Bassett, Kim Powers friends of the Elascats  
Michelle Lydon (sister-in-law of the Catons)  
Pat Ricketts  
Nathan Glasser (son of Randy and Cathy Glasser)  
Alex Russo (friend of Lee & Stephanie Caton)  
Justin, Christian, Joshua & Matthew Riddle (nephews of Mike Lis)  
Greg Filotei (friend of Norm & Nancy Johnson)  
Deb Albaugh (Tatia O'Connor's friend)  
Megan (friend of Lee and Stephanie Caton)  
Ruth Johnson (Norm's sister-in-law)  
Trina Ayers (friend of Stephanie Caton)  
Donna Madia (friend of Kathy Ertman)  
The Rev. Ernest Knoche  
Ken Stern (brother-in-law of Gloria)  
Jake Benedum (friend of Tammy Donaldson)  
David Kaclik (Kathy's husband)  
Dan Johnson (Norm's brother)  
Shelly Winfrey (Tammy Donaldson's sister)  
Larry Lamp (friend of Nancy Johnson)  
Linda Augustine (friend of Georgia Hanley)



The purpose of this congregation shall be to seek the honor and glory of God. The congregation exists to this end as a community of baptized Christians wherein the following is provided for: Worship, Nurture, Fellowship, Outreach and Service.