

“Encounter”, the ecumenical youth group for grades 7 and up, is on Sunday nights. We meet at Hy-Vee where attendees are able to snack on food and have a soda or Starbuck beverage. Friends are invited to come to this gathering of fun. Activities begin at 6:30 pm and end around 8:00 pm.



Poinsettias will be used at our Christmas services. If you would like to order one in memory or in honor of a loved one, contact the church office at 376-6148. Please indicate if you will be picking them up after the Christmas Day Service or if you will leave them here to be delivered to the shut-ins or nursing homes. Please leave the name of the person or persons you are giving one for. The cost of a poinsettia will be \$10. **The deadline to have your order in is**

Friday, December 3. Thank you!

*The office will be closed on
Thursday, November 25 &
Friday, November 26 for
the Thanksgiving Holiday.*



*Happy Thanksgiving!
To You And Your Family*



Happy Thanksgiving

**The Community Thanksgiving Meal
will not be held this year.**

The money received from your Thanksgiving offering envelope supports outreach ministries: “507”, Love, INC. and Sharing Seeds. Thank you for your generous donation that supports local Christian outreach ministry!

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November 21, 2021 – Christ the King Sunday

GATHERING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS/WELCOME TO Todd & Christina Wietzema

INTRODUCTION TO CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (p. 94)

SONG ELW 389, “Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing” (vs. 1, 2 & 5)

THE JOURNEY: ADVENT

READING: Isaiah 40:1-11

SONG ELW 257, “O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” (vs. 1, 2 & 7)

CHRISTMAS

READING: John 1:1-14

HYMN OF THE DAY

ELW 298, “The Bells of Christmas” (vs. 1)

EPIPHANY

READING: Isaiah 60:1-6

SONG ELW 302, “As with Gladness Men of Old” (vs. 1)

LENT

READING: Isaiah 53:1-11

OFFERING & CGC MOMENT

*GREAT THANKSGIVING/DIALOGUE (p. 144)

*PREFACE/HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (p. 144)

*THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE (p. 145)/*LORD’S PRAYER (p. 145)

*INVITATION TO COMMUNION (p. 146)

*COMMUNION (p. 146)/LAMB OF GOD (p. 146)

COMMUNION SONGS ELW 803, “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

ELW 335, “Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross”

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (p. 146)

SENDING OF COMMUNION (p. 136)

THE JOURNEY CONTINUES: Easter

READING: Acts 10:34-43

SONG ELW 365, “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today” (vs. 1 & 2)

PENTECOST

READING: John 20:19-22

SONG ELW 400, “God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind” (vs. 1)

ORDINARY DAYS

READING: John 15:1-9

SONG ELW 685, “Take My Life That I May Be” (vs. 1-3)

CLOSING PRAYER

CHRIST THE KING

CHILDREN’S SERMON

SONG ELW 434, “Jesus Shall Reign” (vs. 1, 2 & 5)

*DISMISSAL

SUNDAY SERVANTS

ASSISTING MINISTER/LECTOR: Lisa Waldner
ACOLYTE: Kylee Milbrath
SOUND: Pat Demuth
POWERPOINT: Glenda Lais
PIANIST: Cindy Anderson
VAN DRIVERS: 11-21 Midg White (360-3215)
11-28 Leroy Merkel (360-6730)
COFFEE: Robert & Bonnie Bents & Ed Philipp
GREETERS: Leroy & Rosie Merkel
FACEBOOK LIVE: Carrie Adams

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance

Attendance Last Sunday: 89 Attendance a year ago: 0
Attendance Last Wednesday: 10

Gift Cards will be available in the office during office hours and during coffee hour on Communion Sundays. Thank You!

The church bus will be running on Sundays from now on. If you would like a ride, please contact Natalie in the office by Friday morning to be added to the list.



Members: Don Grant, Todd Poppema, Dave Livingston, Linda Towne, Al Luig, Janice Berger, Sandy Rogers, Todd Hallstrom, Charlene Wachter, Marilyn Frisch, Julie & Denny Christensen, Dianne Sanderson, Betty Nelson

Members in Nursing Homes: Albert Mattisen, Bobbie Elvin, Sandra Marsh

Members in Care Facilities: Fred Wietzema, Bob Dieter, Joan Doeden, Jean Bender

Family Members & Friends: Arlene (Fern Burmeister's sister), Butch Zeiner (Valerie Veen's brother), Maverick Thalberg (Fern Burmeister's great-grandson), Josh Hansen (Mary Ingenthron's son), Lee Morrison (Terry Morrison's son), Tom Morgan (Sandy Randall's dad), Brad Martens (Valerie Veen's son)

Our service men and women and Love INC

FELC SCHEDULE FOR November 22-28, 2021

Monday 22	9:00AM	BULLETIN DEADLINE
Tuesday 23	7:00AM 2:00PM	Early Risers Bible Study GriefShare
Wednesday 24	7:00PM	Thanksgiving Eve Service @ 1 st Methodist
Thursday 25		<i>Thanksgiving Day</i> <u>OFFICE CLOSED</u>
Friday 26		Pastor's Sabbath Day <u>OFFICE CLOSED</u>
Saturday 27	9:00AM – 7:00PM	Centennial Hall Reserved
Sunday 28	9:00AM	Worship – 1 st Sunday in Advent

Radio Broadcast Sponsor: In memory of Gloria & Aaron Widboom by their family.
(Service time is 8:00 am on the radio 104.3 FM.)

Ecumenical Thanksgiving Eve Service will be held on Wednesday, November 24, 2021 at 7:00 pm at United Methodist Church. United Methodist has invited First Lutheran and Westminster Presbyterian Church for our annual Thanksgiving service. Everyone is invited — bring a friend. Pie fest to follow.

2021 Offering – The last day to get your offering in for 2021 will be Tuesday, December 28. Please drop it off during office hours. All offering received through the mail will need to be in before Christmas. This allows us to get it deposited for this year. Thank you!

Worship & Music Team is looking for new members. We meet on the second Monday of the month at 6:00 pm. If you are interested, please contact Diana White.