	SUN	8:30 am 9:45 am	Traditional Worship Bible Study
	Nov 19	10:30 am	Contemporary Worship
		1:00 pm	Iglesias Lienzos De Amor
٥	MON Nov 20		OFFICE CLOSED
Анеа	TUE Nov 21	9:00 am 7:30 pm	Hope Seeds Packing Iglesias Lienzos De Amor
$\prec$	WED	8:30 am	BB4C—Beach Café—AMI
Щ	Nov 22	6:30 pm	Thanksgiving Eve Worship
Гне Wеек Анеар	THU Nov 23	Happy Thanksgiving	
Ė	FRI Nov 24	6:30 pm	AA Meeting OFFICE CLOSED
	SAT Nov 25		
		8:30 am	Traditional Worship
	SUN	9:45 am	Bible Study



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Our Staff

Nov 26

Music Ministry:

Pastor: Rev. James M. Krach Dorothy J. Feldman **Aaron Schiavone** 

Webmaster:

Alicia Schiavone Office Admin: Cindy Stewart

10:30 am Contemporary Worship

1:00 pm Iglesias Lienzos De Amor







## ALTAR FLOWERS -

In honor of Shelly James' birthday, from husband, Bob. Happy Birthday Shelly!

Our flower chart for 2024 is in the narthex. Thank you for your support of this ministry.



Be sure and provide any updated contact information and prayer requests using the CONNECT card available in the pew pockets, or call the office (941-755-3256) or email (office@hopelutheranfl.org) with new or updated information. Thank you!!



LCEF—Lutheran Church Extension Fund can make your weekly/monthly donations to Hope easy and safe. To learn more call or email the church office, 941-755-3256 / office@hopelutheranfl.org



November 19th, 2023

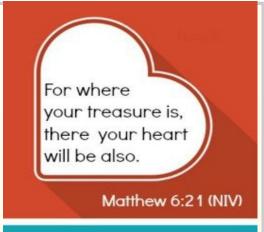
Making Disciples by Sharing God's Compassionate Love

We are very glad you're here! If you are visiting with us for the first time please stop by our information table in the lobby area, we have a gift for you!



## As We Gather this Morning—

Matthew 6 is a very interesting chapter! In this chapter Jesus is very explicit about where our hearts should be. He is explicit about which life we are to put first. Should we worry and struggle and put everything we have into this earthly life, which is fleeting from moment to moment, or should we have the ultimate goal of eternal life and life with Him? Apart from our "stewardship month," the month of November usually contains texts that remind us of Jesus' second coming and to prepare us to be ready for Him.



However, when you really think about it, our Gospel lesson today does the same thing. If we put this earthly life ahead of Jesus and thereby think of everything temporary, we are not going to be prepared for His return, or our eventual death where we will meet Him and give an account of where our heart lies. Jesus wants our trust and, as we talked about last week, He wants to have a relationship of trust and love with us. He loves us, but do we trust Him and love Him in return? That is a question only you can answer. I pray that you are ready and that through

that readiness, you are willing to give Him all of your heart! - Pastor Jim





October 2023 Month End Financials				
Contribution Income	\$26,206			
Facility Usage Income	\$8,770			
Total Income	\$34,976			
Total Expenses	\$27,488			
Net Income	\$7,488			

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE				
November 5 (9:30)	97			
Bible Study	N/A			



NEXT TIME WHEN I PREACH ON TITHING, DON'T SING 'JESUS PAID IT ALL' AS OUR INVITATIONAL HYMN

## **PRAYER LIST**

**HEALING/GENERAL:** 

Kayla Hutton **Phyllis Ferry** Roxanne Phelps Keith Miller Pat Dockery Missie Wilson Sarah Borland Bette Koch Rudy Jakob Magda Bicskei Peter Russel Paula Vaudt Daniel Lopez Judy Beatty Phil Wymer Gary Flannigan Gary Flannigan Tina Padilla

Bob & Jess Griffith Tim & Becky Schuman

CANCER:

**Bob & Lisa Burgess** Kathleen Redly **Charles Ferry** Carrie Hickman Laura Scope Brenda Namuth Marlys Harris Linda Robenolt Mike Wesbur Suzanne Gregg Brenda Namuth Ray Corbin Joyce Adams Dave Werman Jeannine Holcomb Steve Harp

MILITARY: David Neville Tyler Zielinski Hannah Balsbaugh

Please notify the church office of any updates or changes to this list. We want to pray with/ for you. Notify us by email, phone call, or by filling out a "Connect Card" and dropping it in the plate or basket as you exit the church.





The Sarasota Concert Band will be performing a medley of Holiday Hits, here on Sunday,
December 3 at 5pm. See flyer available in the narthex for more details.



Smaller (15") Cypress Wreath - \$15.00 Large Cross or Wreath - \$20.00

**Delivery week of December 4th** 



Sign up sheet in the narthex, order deadline is November 26th, proceeds from this annual fundraiser will benefit Adopt-A-Family with grocery gift cards.

**Thank You for your Support!** 



Christmas Poinsettia Sign –up Sheet in the narthex, \$8 each, proceeds will benefit Solve Maternity Homes. The Poinsettias will be assorted Red, White and Pink. They will adorn our chancel for Christmas Eve / Day worship services and may be taken home following service on the 24th or 25th.



WEDNESDAY,
NOVEMBER 22ND
6:30 PM