THE WEEK AHEAD

SUN Nov 1	8:30 am 9:45 am 10:45 am 2:30 pm	Worship Bible Study Worship LDA—Spanish Church
MON Nov 2		**CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**
TUE Nov 3	9:00 am 7:00 pm	Circuit Pastor Mtg. –FH LDA— Spanish Church
WED Nov 4	9:30 am 12:15 pm	Family Music Class Next Gen Music - FH
THU Nov 5	7:00 pm 7:00 pm	LDA—Spanish Church N/A Recovery Group
FRI Nov 6	6:30 pm	AA Meeting
SAT Nov 7	7:00 am 9:30 am	Our Daily Bread Prep ODB Serve
SUN Nov 8	8:30 am 9:45 am 10:45 am 2:30 pm	Worship Bible Study Worship LDA—Spanish Church



Altar Flowers

FROM Shelly James on her twin sister Sherry's birthday! "Happy birthday Ladies!"

We are grateful to **Scarlett's Flowers**, for providing our church with a beautiful floral arrangement each week at a very reasonable price! If you're looking for flowers for a special occasion—or just because—please consider supporting Scarlett's Flowers at **4225 26th St. West** or call **941-289-2269**.

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Our Staff

Pastor:	Rev. James M. Krach
Music Ministry:	Dorothy J. Feldman Aaron Schiavone
Ministry Support:	Alicia Schiavone
Office Admin:	Cindy Stewart



Small (15") Wreath—$16
Large (20") Wreath / Cross—$20

Our annual fresh wreath sale returns!!
Delivered to you from Wisconsin!! Sign up



NOTE: If paying by check, please write "Wreath Sale" on the memo line.
If paying with cash, please place your payment in a yellow pew envelope, include your name and drop in the offering plate.

Words of Hope

Making Disciples by Sharing God's Compassionate Love

November 1st, 2026

Lutheran Women in Mission

The Joyful Servant

We invite all ladies of our fellowship to come, learn more about our LWML, enjoy fellowship, and discover how we can serve others together through faith and love! **Our next meeting is November 14th at 9:00 AM** We will be having a special **Packing Party** for our latest mission project, **Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes** Come join us as we share smiles, lend a helping hand, and pack shoeboxes filled with love and hope for children around the world. **We would love to have you join us!**

LWML LEAGUE PLEDGE

In fervent gratitude for the Savior's dying love and His blood-bought gift of redemption we dedicate ourselves to Him with all that we are and have; and in obedience to His call for workers in the harvest fields, we pledge Him our willing service wherever and whenever He has need of us.
We consecrate to our Savior our hands to work for Him, our feet to go on His errands, our voice to sing His praises, our lips to proclaim His redeeming love, our silver and our gold to extend His Kingdom, our will to do His will, and every power of our life to the great task of bringing the lost and the erring into eternal fellowship with Him. Amen.

Lutheran Women in Mission

LWML Mission Statement

As Lutheran Women in Mission, we joyfully proclaim Christ, support missions, and equip women to honor God by serving others.

ATTENDANCE Oct 25, 20926	
WORSHIP	71 / 48
BIBLE STUDY	42

Let's worship Together

Faithful Stewards ✝ God's Gifts

O Lord, I know that all I have received is from
Your hand. Gracious and loving God,
You call us to be stewards of
Your abundance and caretakers
of all You have entrusted to us.
Help me to always use Your gifts wisely and
teach me to share them generously.
Guide my mind and heart in managing my time,
talents, and resources so that they
honor You and serve others.
Send Your Spirit to work through me,
and let my faithful stewardship
bear witness to Your love.
In Jesus' name, I pray. Amen.

faith and finances

Financial Summary Through 9/31/2026

	MTD	YTD
Contribution Income	$29,455	$373,061
Facility Usage	$7,635	$63,200
Total Income	$37,090	$436,261
Expenses	$37,142	$409,201
Net income	($52)	**$27,060**

Make Giving Easy with LCEF
Support our church through secure weekly or monthly automatic giving with LCEF. To learn more, contact the church office at **941-755-3256**.

PRAYER AND CARE MINISTRY

Please help us keep our prayer list current and meaningful. Names on the **Health/Healing and Cancer lists** remain for three weeks; please resubmit if continued prayer is needed. We will continue to pray weekly for those serving in the military. If you have a prayer need, **we want to know and pray with you.** Thank you for being a caring church family that faithfully prays for one another.

HEALING/GENERAL:

Stan Pope
Doris
Gabriel Perez
Mike Drummond
Sylvia Norris
Steve
Lindsey
Polly Pearce

CANCER:

Michael Porter
Bill
Dan Lee
Luella Franke
Suzanne Spanoudakis
Thaissa
Sally Cario
Marisa Scarbrough
Becca

MILITARY:

Sean Keene
Tyler Zielinski
Brandon Soto-Fernandez
Hannah Balsbaugh
Rusty Howe

How Can YOU Be A Good Steward of God's Blessings?

God blesses each of us in many wonderful ways—with our time, talents, resources, and opportunities to serve others. **Be sure and complete the Stewardship questionnaire this week!** Remember—every gift of time, talent, and treasure makes a difference as we work together to serve God and our church family.

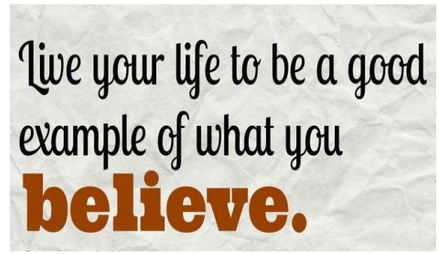
Being a Servant of Christ

	8:30	10:45
GREETERS	David Dockery Joyce Labrenz	Ann Wood
READERS	Don Raymond	Steve Wentling
USHERS	David Dockery Ken Phelps Bob Bellittera Paul Maechtle	Steve Boop Pat Boop Gene Wilson
ELDERS	Jeff Richards Bob Bellittera Dan McCallum	Steve Wentling Doug Wilson



A Look Ahead ...

Nov 1	LWML Sunday	8:30 am
Nov 14	LWML Meeting	9:00 am
Nov 21	Quilts of Valor w/Lunch	11:30 am SIGN UP
Nov 22	Wreath Order Deadline	Sign up in Narthex
Nov 25	Thanksgiving Eve Worship	6:30 pm
Nov 28	Campus / Church Christmas Decorating	9:00 am





Please join us, **Saturday, November 21st, at 11:30 a.m.** for a special **Quilts of Valor** ceremony honoring those who have served our country.

If you have never attended a Quilts of Valor presentation, you are sure to enjoy this meaningful and heartwarming event. It is a wonderful opportunity to recognize and honor the sacrifices and service of our veterans, including several members of our own church family!

The ceremony will last approximately 45 minutes, with fellowship and lunch to follow. We hope you will come, show your support, and be part of this special time of appreciation and fellowship.

Everyone is welcome! Please see the sign-up sheet in the narthex!