Mt. Calvary Weekly

November 18 – November 29

Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study
11/18	6:00 p.m.	LifeLight
	7:00 p.m.	Worship with Holy Communion
Thursday	Noon	Ask the Pastor @ MOA
11/19	6:15 p.m.	Handbell Choir practice
	7:00 p.m.	Senior Choir practice
Sunday	**Last Sunday of the Church Year**	
11/22	9:00 a.m.	Worship with Holy Communion
	10:30 a.m.	Bible Class & Sunday School
Tuesday	7:00 p.m.	Prayer Shawl
11/24		
Wednesday	**Thanksgiving Eve**	
11/25	*Note: Please check to see if your Bible Study is still happening this day.*	
	3:45 p.m.	Bite by Bite
	6:00 p.m.	LifeLight
	7:00 p.m.	**Joint Thanksgiving service @ Berea**
Thursday	**Church & School offices closed!**	
11/26		
Sunday	**1st Sunday in Advent**	
11/29	9:00 a.m.	Matins Worship
	10:30 a.m.	Voters' Meeting

Happy Birthday



11/19 Todd Poppe
11/20 William Henning
11/23 Brian Dennis

Those who serve this week

Music	11/18	Dave Straiton, Karen Rehwaldt & Katelyn Krause
	11/22	Barbara Prigge
Video	11/18	Jim Kaiser
	11/22	Jon Clay
Elder	11/18	Gene Wise
	11/22	Barry Leaon
Ushers	Neal Heminger, Sid Rehwaldt, Gene Wise, Barry Leaon, Andrew Arvila, Joshua Arvila	
Altar Guild	11/18	Karen Rehwaldt
	11/22	Jane Rudsenske
Acolyte	11/22	Rachel Clay
Host/Hostess	11/22	Karen Rehwaldt & Mary Kay Forrest
Greeter	11/18	Karen Rehwaldt
	11/22	Mary Kay Forrest



Announcements

- **I'm still accepting newsletter articles for December.** We didn't get much, and I still have some time to get it out.
- **New offering envelopes are ready to be picked up!** They are in the Narthex.



- There will be no Thanksgiving Eve or Thanksgiving Day worship at Mt. Calvary. Please join us for the joint Thanksgiving Eve service at Berea Lutheran Church on Wednesday, November 25, at 7:00 PM.
- **Time to turn in your Time & Talent and Stewardship sheets!** Stewardship Sunday is past, but we will continue to accept them.
- **Funeral of Joyce Rollay:** Saturday, November 28 @ 2 pm, visitation starting at 1 pm, with a reception following over at Village Shores.
- **Volunteers to Give Rides to Visitors!** We are creating a list of people who could possibly give rides to a church visitor who needs a ride to church and a ride home. If you would be able to give such a ride, please let Jeremiah know which day you are available to offer rides and

whether you can offer a ride to church and/or a ride home. We will assume that the offer for a ride would be along your route from home to the church, unless you tell us otherwise.

- We are accepting Target & gas cards for those in need.
- **Help Welcome New Neighbors to Richfield!** We're working to connect with people as they move into the Richfield community, and we'd love your help. We're looking for volunteers who are willing to:
  - Help verify information for new residents who have recently moved into the area.
  - Deliver a homemade or store-bought baked treat as part of a warm welcome to the community.

  If you're interested in serving in either of these ways, please contact Pastor. We're putting together a team to help welcome our new neighbors and share Christ's love with those who are new to our community.

Joint Thanksgiving Eve Worship at Berea Lutheran Church

Join us for a joint Thanksgiving Eve service on Wednesday, November 25, at 7:00 PM, hosted by Berea Lutheran Church in Richfield.

As part of Berea's Thanksgiving tradition, three offerings will be brought forward during worship: regular offerings for the congregations, nonperishable food donations for VEAP, and written prayers of thanksgiving. Everyone is invited to bring food items and share a prayer of thanks. Pie and fellowship will follow the service!

If you cannot attend, you may leave nonperishable food donations on the shelf in Mt. Calvary's narthex, and they will be brought to Berea.

Please note: Because this is a joint service at Berea, there will be no worship services at Mt. Calvary on Thanksgiving Eve (November 25) or Thanksgiving Day (November 26).

CONCORDIA ST. PAUL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Saturday, December 5

3:30 pm with doors opening at 3:00 pm

St. Michael's Lutheran Church
9201 Normandale Blvd., Bloomington

THE CONCERT IS FREE, HOWEVER TICKETS ARE NEEDED FOR PLANNING PURPOSES.

A Concordia St. Paul Christmas will feature CSP's choral and instrumental ensembles, scripture readings, and vibrant arrangements of beloved Christmas hymns.

A freewill offering will be taken to support music ensembles at CSP. A dessert reception will follow.

When you go to the hospital, please try to communicate with pastor the hospital you are in and the room number (or at least the floor and unit). We are currently unsure whether this information will become restricted information in the near future; a Minnesota Supreme Court ruling suggests that this might be the case going forward. Until we see how such a ruling is implemented, we are suggesting that you let us know your specific location (room number) and advise your family to do the same.

In Christ, Pastor

Mt. Calvary Education Bible classes

Sunday		
Adult Bible Class	10:30 a.m.	Isaiah
Sunday School	10:30 a.m.	
Wednesday		
Ladies Bible Study	9:30 a.m.	*Love Rules* (Next: *Ordinary Lives, Extraordinary Grace*)
LifeLight	6:00 p.m.	Hebrews (almost done – Job next)
Bite by Bite	3:45 p.m.	Romans
Thursday		
Ask the Pastor	12:00 p.m.	Wahlburgers in the Mall of America Resumes after Thanksgiving