Emmaus Lutheran Church
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The Emmaus Companion

Bi-Monthly Newsletter

Dearly Beloved Saints of Emmaus - The Lord be with you!

As Carol has undoubtedly already told you, the secular holiday season of Thanksgiving and Christmas is fast approaching. For those of you keeping score at home, we here in the office have been pregaming Christmas since my first meeting with Carol in May…

This time of year, comes with a host of extra planning and preparation of meals, coordinating schedules, cleaning and decorating homes to receive guests, and spending time with friends and family. These things can, and should be, a source of joyful expectation and happiness.

However, the business of all the extra festivities can cause great stress and anxiety.
The joy of the holidays can also come with the sadness of remembering those who are no longer sitting around our family tables or laughing in our living rooms.

When the fevered business of the world and emotional strain of the world's holiday season weigh heavy upon our hearts, we do well to refocus our attention on our Lord and Savior Jesus who says to us,
"Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest" (Matt 11:28).

It is Jesus, our God and Lord, who is the ultimate source of all true thanksgiving. From Him our lives, and all things have come. He is the one who has given to us His Holy Spirit in Baptism and continually pours this same Holy Spirit out upon us as His Word is read and preached. By the hearing of His Word, our faith is strengthened to receive the saving benefits of the forgiveness of our sins and eternal life in His name.

Having received these gifts by faith, we are enabled to rightly respond in worship and praise. The Church gives us extra opportunities for such worship on Wednesday nights, both on Thanksgiving Eve and during Advent, on Christmas Eve, ***and Christmas Day***. While the world madly dashes around, the Church gives us respite and rest as we slow down, taking four weeks to reverently prepare for the coming of our King in glory, which has been guaranteed by His first coming among us in His flesh as the child of Mary.

While we must for a time grieve the loss of our loved ones, we nevertheless rejoice with St. John at the vision of the eternal joy of all the saints who have gone before us in the faith. They now stand in the nearer presence of Jesus, clothed in the white baptismal garment of Christ's righteousness and with the victor's palm in their hands. Until that day when we are joined with them, our Lord continues to knit us together with them in the mystical body of His Son in our participation in His Holy Supper.

So join us, won't you? Come to these extra opportunities for worship. For in these ways, the reading and preaching of God's Word, the receiving of the forgiveness of sins, and the reception of the Holy Body and Precious Blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus your soul will find perfect rest. Here, in your Father's house, joined together with His family, His Son has set the table of the greatest Thanksgiving meal, the feast of victory and salvation.

Ever,
Pastor Gramzow

A WORD FROM THE PASTOR

Parish Planning Meeting Minutes
September 8, 2026
Attending - Jeff Frownfelter, Jerry Campbell, Carol Chandler, Robert Carey, JoAnn & Norm Riemer, Gary Strakis, Pastor Gramzow
Absent -Tim Birtchman

Opened with prayer
Last month's minutes read and approved.

Treasurer Report
All bills are paid and current and the church remains in the black.
Has arranged a meeting with grant writing person. They will be looking into other grants.

Property Board:
Jerry and Gary pulled Ethernet cables to Pastor's office phone and also to extended care room to be converted to Copy room and financial secretary office.
Charlie and Gary will repair the Pantry foundation on north side.
Looking to seal coat the small parking lot.
Real Comfort Solutions:
1. Performed inventory survey to complete the annual maintenance quote. Quote will include boiler support and AC units on the rooftop to be cleaned, and filters replaced twice a year. Waiting for the quote to be completed and delivered to Emmaus for approval.
2. Quote to replace water level site tube on boiler and replace motor on actuator.
3. Still waiting for a custom-built coil for Sanctuary.

Elders Report
Discussed Elder topics.
Started to discuss the book Has American Christianity Failed?

Pantry Report
401 Households, 1597 individuals (this was a record) and 37 returning patrons.
9/14 we will get a gleaners delivery.
We are getting a large supply of beans from the government and will store them in bins at the church.
Ron Corn loves church history and wants to be on the 125th Anniversary committee.

Fellowship Board
We will have a meal on September 13th.
We have made plans for the Pastor Appreciation Meal on Oct 18th.
We will start getting "host" for our Advent meals soon.
Plans are being made for Breakfast with Santa

Outreach Meeting
The following board members attended our September 1, 2026, meeting: Robert Carey, JoAnn Riemer, Karla Frownfelter, Elwyn Parks, Sandy Duncan, and Tresa Strakis. Sherry Jett and Kenny Colton were excused.
We first got an update on the **PANTRY** from Robert. He read through the "Pantry News" that had appeared in the August 23 church announcement sheet. These "Pantry News" are a good source of information for the congregation. We discussed several issues about the Pantry, including what would be a good way to get them to come to our church service. The next day that there is a Gleaners Donation Day at the Pantry is Monday, September 14.
We spent a little time discussing how things went at the **FAM JAM** that was held on Saturday, August 15. Of the 49 registered guests, 32 of them were children of various ages. We also had 12 helpers, so our attendance total was 59. This was paid for with Thrivent funding + $88.75 taken out of our Freewill offering stash of donations. We also had a $237.60 donation to purchase banners for advertising. Our Emmaus parishioners were very generous in donating school supplies for us to pass out. The excess school supplies that did not get passed out at our event were sent to our Pantry for distribution there. The guests really

enjoyed putting the “giant” on the wall, playing “Bible Bingo” and doing the bowling, and they seemed to enjoy the story/song experience when we went into the sanctuary.
We spent quite a bit of time planning out the details of the upcoming **OCTOBERFEST**, which will be Friday, September 25, from 5:30-7:30. At last year’s event, the estimated attendance was 80. We will be paying for this year’s event with $250 in Thrivent Money. Karla is in charge of the event with Tresa as her assistant. This event is already being publicized at the Pantry with flyers. The menu features brats & hot dogs, German potato salad, sauerkraut, green beans, chips & pretzels, applesauce, delicious homemade desserts + assorted drinks. Karla is planning to ask the congregation members to make some donations to help out with the food. We hope to have some live music for entertainment, and plan to bring out the cornhole games to use in addition to the playground and basketball hoops. On the Wednesday before, September 23, the Senior’s Bible class will put together some Outreach Bags to pass out. These will include a little candy, a Christian bracelet, a Bible verse card, and information about Emmaus Lutheran Church.
The last thing we took care of was signing up for **SUNDAY TREATS** for the next several Sundays. Our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 6.

Pastor’s Report
Preached and Celebrated 4 Services
Attended 9/1 Elders Meeting
Reached out to Confirmation Parents Classes begin tomorrow 9/9 @ 4:30pm
Took over Sunday morning Bible Study 9/6 - finishing book of James Open to suggestions for next topic/book for study.
Starting Thursday Bible Study 9/10 @ 6pm Book of Genesis
Take over Wednesday Morning Bible Class whenever current study is finished Propers for the upcoming Sunday.
Attended 8/15 FAM JAM
Met Pat Hickman 8/19
New Thank you letters written for endowment contributions and church attendance recognition for visitors
Preached @ Concordia Greenwood 8/21 for Catechetical Retreat
1st Communion Visit 8/28 - Alma Haven’t heard back from any of our other shut-ins Need new phone number for Diane Switzer
Attended Synod Convention debrief 8/29 @ Concordia Greenwood
Attended 1st Winkel 8/13 @ St. Peter’s

New Business
Moving office - conference room
New copier is here and we will be setting up new training shortly.

Respectfully Submitted,
Carol Chandler

Parish Planning Meeting Minutes
October 13, 2026

Attending- Jeff Frownfelter, Jerry Campbell, Carol Chandler, Robert Carey, Norm & JoAnn Riemer, Gary Strakis, Tim Birtchman, Pastor Gramzow

Open with devotion
Last month’s minutes approved.

Treasurer Report
All the bills are paid, and we are in the black.
$3200 boiler repair needs to be done, and the Endowment will pay for that.

Properties Report
Jake and I applied asphalt crack fillers and 2 skim coats of seal to the parking area between the alley and gym entrance. We also moved three heavy conference tables into the classroom adjacent to the gym and set up Kathy's office adjacent to the gym.
Koorsen inspected fire extinguishers which also included the pantry on October 6 which cost $212. Informed that 5-6 extinguishers will expire and need to be replaced at next year's inspection. The cost of each extinguisher will be approximately $75 for next year, a total approximate cost of $800.
Secured siding on shed to prevent animals from entering. Set up DeCon poison in the 2nd floor classroom in the southwest corner; pest presence was found weeks ago, but no new signs at this time.
Charlie and I completed the pantry foundation repairs. Material costs were approximately $200.
Real Comfort solutions received the custom coil for AC repair, recharge system with 410 refrigerant and the steam-valve actuator motor. Schedule tentative replacements for 10/14 thru 10/15.
Waiting for an annual maintenance quote. I need to start up boilers and replace broken sight glass.
Will contact Chardon to set up a schedule to monitor chemical ratings for the sanctuary boiler.
Fransico has agreed to do our snow removal again this year.

Pantry Report
Your Emmaus Food Pantry served 1,274 individuals over 13 days in September from 328 households. 40 of those returned a second time after 13 days
We picked up 1,100 lbs of food last Monday to get us through to this Tuesday's government and Gleaners order. Thank you to those who can help us with the intake
We also received food and clothing donations this week from St Paul's and Calvary, Aldi's, Dollar General and our faithful individual donors
We can always use spaghetti sauce and pasta, tuna, peanut butter, soup and whatever cereal is on sale.

Fellowship Board
Monthly meals are well attended.
October we will celebrate Pastor Appreciation Sunday along with a Baby Sprinkle for the Gramzow family.
Plans are in the works for December. We have Breakfast with Santa and Advent dinners. Ellwyn will host one, the other 3 are available if any board would like to volunteer to host.

Outreach Board
Robert Carey, JoAnn Riemer, Karla Frownfelter, Elwyn Parks, Sandy Duncan, Tresa Strakis were present at our meeting. Sherry Jett and Kenny Colton did not attend.
The meeting began with a prayer given by JoAnn Riemer.
We next talked about how things were going at the **PANTRY.** It was mentioned how nice it is that regular pantry updates are printed in the church announcement sheet. We have so many sister churches who contribute to our pantry, that we decided to make sure these updates are provided for these congregations as well. And as always, Robert gave us the daily concerns of what we should be praying about and things we can do to help.
We next went through the **OCTOBERFEST** report which is attached, along with the financial report. In general, we were pleased with our September 25 event this year. It was very nice to see Pantry people, church people, and former school students + some people from the neighborhood enjoying the wonderful fall evening and the delicious German menu.
We discussed the options for giving a **THANKSGIVING DINNER** this year. We want to do something for the community but have not made a final choice as to whether it will be on Thanksgiving Day or the Saturday after. We even discussed other options. We will make a final decision at our November Outreach meeting.
We spent a little time going through the very nice **VISITOR GIFT BAG** sample that Elwyn had gotten for us from Calvary. We want to put an Emmaus pen, a cup/mug, a small flyer about the church, and perhaps a seasonal devotion in the Emmaus gift bag and plan to ask Pastor Gramzow if he has any other ideas for this before we start. Then there is the question of "How do you hand them out?"
We did talk briefly about one upcoming event in 2027- **EVERYBODY'S BIRTHDAY PARTY**. There's no date set for this yet and we need to decide if it will be a church only event OR if we will go back to inviting outsiders to make it an OUTREACH EVENT? This event is lots of fun and features Pizza/Bingo &/Or other games/Sing

Happy Birthday to Everyone/Big Birthday Cake and Punch /Prizes for various categories?/ AND Everyone gets a "present"!
Of course, our board members signed up to do the After Church **TREATS**.
The closing prayer was said by Robert Carey.
Our next meeting is Tuesday, November 3 at 6 p.m.
Oktoberfest Report
Octoberfest 2025 took place on Friday September 25 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. The weather for this year's event was perfect so we could be outside! Hallelujah! This year's event was expertly handled by Karla Frownfelter and Tresa Strakis. The outdoor set-up was handled by Jeff and Karla Frownfelter and Gary and Tresa Strakis. Jeff has acquired a gas grill for us to use for our grilling in addition to the other charcoal grill. Karla had received $250 Thrivent funding to pay for this event. Tresa Strakis was her shopping assistant for this event. The financial report is on a separate sheet. **NO CHURCH FUNDS WERE SPENT ON THIS EVENT!** The food consisted of German sausages and hot dogs expertly grilled by our volunteers, served on buns with your choice of various condiments, pretzels, homemade German potato salad, green beans, sauerkraut, and an assortment of yummy desserts including, chocolate cake, a yummy nut strudel, + a homemade peach dump cake. We also had the addition of German Hamburgers this year. These were donated by Horst Hildebrandt and were Superb! They are a mix of beef and pork and really big and extra thick! Most of us ate ½ of one. They were a yummy addition to our menu! The drinks were an assortment of various soda pops and bottled water. Guests were also given small Outreach Bags and a half sheet flyer about upcoming events at Emmaus. These had been prepared on Wednesday, September 23 by the senior's Bible study class. They consisted of 2 candies, a Christian bracelet, a Bible verse card, and information about Emmaus Lutheran Church. They were quite popular. Thanks to Sandy Duncan for donating the plastic bags and the candy! Any leftover homemade food was sent home with interested people in carry-out boxes.
The estimated number who came to our event was about 60 or so. In addition to our Emmaus parishioners, those who came included quite a few from the Pantry and a number of families of our former school students. The playground was very popular on the lovely fall evening. Our publicity was done in the usual way by the banners on the fence, posting flyers in the church windows & doors and passing out a lot of flyers at the Pantry. We also publicized our event at Central Christian Academy, where a lot of our former students now attend school. We have a connection there because our church member Kathy Rogers is employed there

Elders Report
Met October 6th, discussed various topics.
We have 2 shut ins at this moment
Continued our study of American Christianity
Thanksgiving Eve service is at 5:30pm
New communion cups are now able to fit in the trays.

Pastor's Report
Preached and Celebrated 5 Services
1 Baptism – 9/27
Attended 10/6 Elders Meeting
Taught 3 Confirmation classes (9/9, 9/23, 10/7), Class time has changed to 4:45pm – 5:45pm, Still on track to have 30 class sessions w/confirmation on Trinity Sunday 2027
Took over Sunday morning Bible Study 9/6 - finished book of James on 9/27, Began studying the Book of Malachi 10/4
Thursday Bible Study on Genesis going well. averaging 15 attendees a week
Took over Wednesday Morning Bible Class on 9/30, Propers for the upcoming Sunday
Attended 9/25 Oktoberfest, **Would like to work closer with the Mission/Outreach board on the flyers we hand out at our future events*
Made 3 Member/Household visits (9/11, 9/16, 9/17)
0 Communion Visits this past month, Still haven't heard back from any of our other shut-ins other than Alma
Still need new phone number for Diane Switzer – wrote and sent her a letter last week (10/6)
Attended Circuit Winkel 9/10 @ Calvary, and 10/8 @ Concordia
Attended Women's Society Lunch 9/10

Attended Circuit+ Confessions Study 9/17 @ St. Peter's
Scheduled hymns through Advent (including midweek services)
Switched to DS1 on 10/4
Will use DS1 through Christmas Eve, switch back to DS3 on Christmas Day until Easter
DS4 w/Apostles' Creed will be used for Thanksgiving Eve, Advent & Lent midweek services
Will be attending Indiana District Fall Pastors' Conference 10/19-10/20 @ Embassy Suites in Noblesville, IN
Worked full(ish) days but was in office half days 9/24-10/2
Should be back to working full days in office

New Business
Parking Lot- the board has been given an proposal for making our big parking lot a "paid" lot for downtown and Fountain Square events. This would bring in more income. Several members of the board will be meeting with the company to go over the questions we have.
Thanksgiving Meal - Looking into doing "Meals in a Bag" and having turkey and hams available through the pantry.
Possibly new ideas for outreach- Open House, canopy on Saturday to let them know about the church
Lutheran High update - STEM building updates were given at the meeting.
Concordia Cemetery - Need a representative to be on this board
Endowment meeting - 125th anniversary needs a new chair; we need to get a committee going.
Oct 27 the grant consultant will be meeting with Tim, Jerry, and Gary

Special Guest - Barb Campbell, Trunk or Treat. This year we are having both indoor and outdoor booths. All the trunk and treat decorations are in the old conference room. We are having chili and cocktail wieners.

Closed with prayer
Respectfully submitted,
Carol Chandler

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Thanksgiving Outreach

This year, instead of hosting a meal, we're putting together a "Meal in a Bag," and we'd love for you to be part of it!
If you're able to give, we welcome donations of green beans, stuffing, instant potatoes, gravy, and rolls. Donations of turkeys and small hams would also be greatly appreciated.
Every contribution, big or small, helps bring a meal together. Thank you for sharing your kindness and generosity.



Oh Give Thanks Unto The Lord

We will be gathering as a Church Family to give thanks to the LORD. Please set aside an hour on Wednesday, November 25th @ 5:30pm and join us for our Thanksgiving Eve Service.



You are invited to attend Calvary's 57th Annual Holiday Bazaar on Saturday, November 14, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 6111 Shelby St. You can find details at clcs.org/bazaar. Shop a variety of crafty and talented vendors, check out the many great items in the Silent Auction, explore the new and gently used items in the Rummage Sale Attic, and discover homemade goodies in the Country Kitchen. For those who find themselves hungry, breakfast and lunch items may be purchased in the cafeteria. Cafeteria proceeds support Calvary's ongoing El Salvador mission. This year's project recipients from Holiday Bazaar earnings include:

- Purchase of a tetherball set-up and tire swing for the school playground
- Support of the Compassion Ministry Team's *Memorial Cross* project
- Support for Johnson and Marion County food pantry, *the Refuge*
- Support of the Children's Ministry with the purchase of a Sno-Cone Machine

Our very own Bob Stevens and Tresa Strakis will have booths at this event

Saturday, December 6th!

9am—11am

Emmaus Gym



There will be breakfast, crafts, cookie decorating, hot chocolate bar, face painting, Letters to Santa, and you can even sit on Santa's lap!

If you would like to volunteer for this event, please let the church office know!

Advent Schedule
Our Wednesday Advent schedule will be as follows

Wednesday, December 2nd
Luke 4:14-22

Wednesday, December 9th
Matthew 11:11-15

Wednesday, December 16th
Luke 1:26-38

Wednesday, December 23rd
Matthew 3:7-11

Christmas Eve Night (5:30pm)
"CHRISTmas Eve Candlelight Service"

Christmas Day (9:00am)
John 1:1-14

ADVENT MEALS

Each Advent season, we gather together before each Wednesday church service to fellowship with one another. A meal is provided each week during Advent. Please join us at 5:30pm before the service at 7:00pm.

Dec. 2— Ellwyn (Baked Potato Bar)

Dec 9— Board of Fellowship (Ham)

Dec 16— TBD

Dec 23 - TBD



DECORATE THE SANCTUARY

On Saturday, November 28th at 9:00am, we will decorate the sanctuary. We need at least 6-8 people willing to help out. We will need someone that is willing to go up on a ladder as well. With many hands, it makes for less work and it should only take about an hour.



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PARISH PLANNING MEETINGS are held the 2nd Tuesday of every month **(Nov. 10 & Dec 8) at 6pm**. The business of the church is conducted at these meetings and any church member is welcome to attend, to ask questions, express concerns, make comments, ect. Please let the Church office know the day before that you will be attending.

Ladies Society

You're Invited to Our November & December Gatherings!

We'd love to see you at **Happy Days on Thursday, November 12, at 12 noon**! Come enjoy a meal, friendly conversation, and time together.
Then, mark your calendar for our **annual December gathering on Thursday, December 10, at 11 a.m. at the Golden Corral in Greenwood**. We'll join the Pantry volunteers for a wonderful opportunity to visit and celebrate the season together.
We hope you'll join us for both gatherings—it's always brighter with you there!

ELDER MEMBERS

Members in need of ministry care or with spiritual concerns should call one of the Elders:

Dave Duncan	317-783-3726
Scotty Jett	317-490-9742
Norm Riemer	317-862-4344
Jeff Frownfelter	812-929-2495
Tim Birtchman	317-788-0021
Gary Strakis	317-332-0937

Lutheran High School

LuFest - February 19, 2027

Grab your friends and join us for an unforgettable night celebrating and supporting Lutheran High School at the beautiful Indiana Roof Ballroom. Early Bird Tickets are NOW AVAILABLE until December 18th at LuFest.org.

Applications Open

Open enrollment for the 2027-2028 school year is underway at Lutheran High School! Ready to become a Saint? Applications are open for students entering grades 9-12. Apply today and take the first step toward becoming a Saint!
Questions? Contact Lindsay Ruth, Director of Admissions at admission@lhsi.org.

REVERSE

ADVENT CALENDAR

EACH DAY ADD AN ITEM TO A BOX.
ON CHRISTMAS EVE DONATE THE CONTENTS TO THE **FOOD PANTRY**

December 1-	box of cereal
December 2 -	peanut butter
December 3-	stuffing mix
December 4 -	boxed potatoes
December 5 -	macaroni and cheese
December 6 -	canned fruit
December 7-	canned tomatoes
December 8-	canned tuna
December 9-	dessert mix
December 10-	jar of applesauce
December 11-	canned sweet potatoes
December 12-	cranberry sauce
December 13-	canned beans
December 14-	box of crackers
December 15-	package of rice
December 16-	package of oatmeal
December 17-	package of pasta
December 18-	spaghetti sauce
December 19-	chicken noodle soup
December 20-	tomato soup
December 21-	can corn
December 22-	can mixed vegetables
December 23-	can carrots
December 24-	can green beans



FEED THE HUNGRY

Bible Study Opportunities

Women's Bible Study 2nd and 4th Monday of the Month7pm in the Conference room

Senior's Bible Study Class Wednesday mornings @ 9:30 a.m. We look forward to our new study. Now would be a great time to join us. Anyone who is free on Wednesday at that time would be welcome to join our lively discussion as we learn more about our Christian walk with Jesus. Pastor Gramzow is the leader of this group.

Thursday Night Study We meet at 6:00pm and we are studying the book of Genesis. Pastor Gramzow leads this study. These will be on hold during the month of December



Your Emmaus Food Pantry

We continue to serve the community thanks to your faithful contributions of work hours, financial contributions, food and clothing donations. As we head to winter and two major family holidays, please continue to support our efforts to feed our neighbors.

Wal Mart has corn and green beans and corn bread mix for 50 cents a can right now. These items are getting harder to find at Gleaners. We can always use spaghetti sauce, pasta and peanut butter. Look for sales at your favorite stores as the holidays approach please.

Our annual Gleaners meeting informed us of reasons behind the need. One in seven Americans are food insecure and one in five children are in the same situation. In Indiana that translates to 1.1 million people and 327,000 children. Poor nutrition adds $1.8 billion to health care costs in Indiana which affect all of us. The people we serve work, but 1/3 are children, elderly or disabled. 50% of Indiana wage earners working full time earn less than the bottom line to survive

While the need increases, government support to food banks has dropped 80% since COVID. 151,000 Hoosiers are at risk of losing some or all benefits and more cuts by June 1, 2028 will increase that. Gleaners anticipates that each pantry will have to double the food we provide to keep pace with those losing SNAP benefits.

Please continue to pray for good health for our workers, continued giving by our members, fellow congregations and corporate donors. May God's will be done as we continue our outreach efforts.

November Birthdays

Gloria Muhlhauser	11/08	Sandra Duncan	11/20
Harry Hildebrandt	11/10	Lee Ann Kidwell	11/23
Luka Chumley	11/17	Delinda Riley	11/23
Derek Holliday	11/19	Jake Strakis	11/25
		JoAnn Riemer	11/28



November 2026 SCHEDULE

11/1 Jeff Frownfelter
11/8 Gary Strakis
11/15 Pastor Benzinger
11/22 Bob Groth
11/25 Tim Birtchman (W)
11/29 Jeff Frownfelter

ALTAR SERVERS

11/1 Norm Riemer
11/8 Garald Evans
11/15 Jerry Campbell
11/22 Dave Duncan
11/25 Norm Riemer (W)
11/29 Garald Evans



11/1 Bob Groth
11/8 Kathy Rogers
11/15 Horst Hildebrandt
11/22 Derek Roesener
11/29 Carol Chandler



11/1 Cantwell/Smith
11/8 The Frownfelter's
11/15 The Riemer's
11/22 Whitsit/Herndon
11/29 Cantwell/Smith



Altar Guild - Rosetta Cantwell

December Birthdays

Richard Alter	12/10	Jeff Frownfelter	12/20
Robert Carey	12/11	Jessica Pulley	12/21
Carolyn Quinette	12/12	Angela Loy	12/23
Jennifer Hurst	12/15	Jesus	12/25



December 2026 SCHEDULE

12/2 Gary Strakis (W)
12/6 Tim Birtchman
12/9 Jeff Frownfelter (W)
12/13 Bob Groth
12/16 Gary Strakis (W)
12/20 Bob Groth
12/23 Tim Birtchman (W)
12/24 No Communion
12/25 Jeff Frownfelter
12/27 Tim Birtchman

ALTAR SERVERS

12/2 Jerry Campbell (W)
12/6 Dave Duncan
12/9 Norm Riemer (W)
12/13 Garald Evans
12/16 Jerry Campbell (W)
12/20 Dave Duncan
12/23 Norm Riemer
12/24 Garald Evans (Christmas Eve)
12/25 Jerry Campbell (Christmas Day
12/27 Dave Duncan



12/6 Bob Groth
12/13 Kathy Rogers
12/20 Horst Hildebrandt
12/27 Derek Roesener



12/6 The Frownfelter's
12/13 The Riemer's
12/20 Whitsit/Herndon
12/27 Cantwell/Smith



Altar Guild - Birtchman's