

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### GATHER

Music to Prepare Us  
Gathering Songs  
Introduce the Theme with Kids  
Welcome  
No Longer Strangers Prayer  
\*Meet Someone New  
Confession & Forgiveness  
Prayer of the Day

### WORD

Hosea 11:1-9  
Gospel of Mark 10:13-16  
Sermon  
\*Song after Sermon  
Prayers of the People  
Offering + Song

### FEAST

\*Setting the Table  
Great Thanksgiving  
The Lord's Prayer  
Communion + Songs  
Blessing after Communion

### SEND

What is Our Purpose?  
Purpose Sightings  
MILESTONES!  
Blessing  
\*Sending Song & Charge

*\*Kids are invited to participate throughout worship, but especially in these spots.*



LUTHERAN CHURCH

## Welcome! We are so glad you are here.

*Everything you need to participate in worship is projected on the screen.*

As followers of Jesus we have two very important resources that equip us to do "God's work with our hands" ; reading God's word and prayer.

Reading the stories in the Bible gives us a glimpse of what it means to be in relationship with God. Your story and God's story are connected. There is a flow of forgiveness, love and life between God and all of creation—including you.

Don't worry about the "right" understanding—God is with you as you read. Listen!

Don't worry about having the "right" questions—there are no WRONG questions. Simply read—ask—listen and draw closer to the God who loves you beyond your imagination!

For prayers, see below....

## Daily Bible Readings - Connecting Your Story with God's Story For the week of November 17- November 23, 2019

Sun, Nov 17: Isaiah 5:1-7; 11:1-5, *Isaiah's Vineyard Song*  
Gospel of Mark 12:1-10

Mon, Nov 18: Isaiah 1:1-20, *The Wickedness of Judah*

Tue, Nov 19: Isaiah 2:1-4, *The Future House of God*

Wed, Nov 20: Isaiah 2:5-22, *Judgment*

Thu, Nov 21: Isaiah 6:1-13, *A Vision of God in the Temple*

Fri, Nov 22: Isaiah 7:1-25, *Isaiah Reassures King Ahaz*

Sat, Nov 23: Isaiah 9:1-7, *Righteous Reign of the Coming King*

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE - Your prayers matter.

### help . . .

- for all those who struggle with faith or the institution of church
- for Bishop Jon Anderson & all synod staff
- for visitors to River of Hope & all people being stirred up by the Holy Spirit to be part of a faith community
- prayers of health and healing for those who are dealing with physical or emotional challenges **Sara, Sara, Nyssa, Jami, Anita, Carol**
- for strength in knowing God's will for my family's future
- me to be "Jesus strong" to my grown children
- for a good outcome for medical tests this week
- for healing and strength for Portia following cataract surgery
- for my sister, Sharon who is lonely since the loss of her husband
- for Jack Jaeger & his family
- for the Lane Family at the loss of their loved one, Wendy
- for those battling addiction, for those in treatment centers today and for those who love them and give them support. Give us strength, peace & a reminder of your unconditional love.

### God, teach me to pray . . .

- more often and more focused



### thanks . . .

- for consistent, faithful Laundry Love servants going to the laundromat month after month to meet Jesus
- River Team Shenandoah as they lead us in Nov worship
- for the love of the folks of River of Hope
- for our son-in-law's year of sobriety. Guide him daily.
- for Brian Tillman and his amazing gifts!
- for six years of marriage
- thanks for health and dedication for those in HHS sports

Dear God,

We are in exciting and a little uncertain times of how you want River of Hope to move forward and serve you.

Please guide us, help us to allow your Spirit to move and for us to listen!

Prayers for River of Hope to hold them to their mission, All Are Welcome.

# THE RIVER NEWS ~ November 17, 2019

Our purpose as a church (it's why we exist): We go out to transform lives through Jesus Christ.

## WORSHIP

Sundays at 10:30 am at the Hutchinson Event Center

### River Team for November - Team Shenandoah

**River Guides Shenandoah:** Chris & Lisa Kraft

Chris: 320-583-4434 cjkraft10@gmail.com

Lisa: 320-583-6784 lisa.lynn.kraft20@gmail.com

River Team for December - Team Tigris

Join us on **November 24th** for  
**Riverpalooza!**

This worship service is a celebration of what River of Hope has accomplished in the past year.

Following worship we will have a potluck. Stay and enjoy the fellowship of River of Hope.

If you can help with the potluck, please go to link below in Signup Genius to volunteer.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090D4AACAC22A2F94-riverpalooza>



## Voices of Hope

Have you always wanted to sing in a choir? Now is your chance. Join the River of Hope Choir ~ **Voices of Hope** on **December 8th** as they join together and sing during worship.

## Coming Together in Song XIII

This is Common Cup's main fundraiser of the year. Come for a great afternoon of music on Nov. 24th at 4:00 pm at Christ the King Church. This is a free will offering event.

## CONFIRMATION 2019-2020

Confirmation Celebration with families and mentors.  
**November 20 - 10TH GRADE ONLY**  
**NO 7th - 8th - 9th GRADE CLASS**

November 27 - NO Confirmation - Thanksgiving

## CONNECTIONS

**Hang with Pastor Janine** Check the calendar below.

### WOMEN OF HOPE at 245 Ottawa Av SE

Meets the 1st Wed of the month **December 4 - 9:30 am**  
Contact: Heather Goodrich 320-434-0978

### MEN'S BIBLE STUDY at Caribou Coffee-Cash Wise

Meets 1st & 3rd Thurs of the month **Nov 21 - 9:00 am**  
Contact: Dave Pedersen 763-807-0993

### LUNCHTIME WISDOM WITH PASTOR JANINE

Meets Monday's at 11:45 am at Dunn Bros **Nov 18th**  
Join us as we study the Gospel of Mark.

### 55+ DINERS at King's Wok

**Nov 20 - 5:30 pm**

Contact: Elaine Quale 320-583-3590

## WE GO OUT

### 30 DAYS OF THANKFULNESS

Pick up a 30 Days of Thankfulness calendar on the Connection Table. This is a calendar to help collect supplies for Common Cup Ministries.

**LAUNDRY LOVE - November 19th** Always 3rd Tuesday of month  
Maytag Laundry, Hwy 7 Two people a shift, 9:00-noon; noon-3:00;  
3:00-6:00. Sign up for shift on the Signup Genius link on Facebook or  
Contact Allen Gislason 320-403-7004 alleng747@hotmail.com

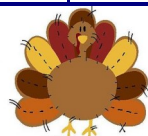
**BEER + HYMNS** at Main Street Sports Bar  
**November 26th @ 5:30 pm**

### SING-A-LONG WITH JIM NELSON

Call Jim at 320-552-9734 with questions or just show up to help gather residents - sing - help find music in book -pass out instruments.  
Harmony River: Nov 21 @ 2:30 pm & Dec 5 & 19 @ 2:30 pm  
Woodstone: Nov 21 @10 am & Dec 5 & 19 @ 10 am

## WE GIVE

What you give matters. Will you help RoH live out its purpose to see lives changed? Contact Sue Benson, Treas. with questions or to sign up for Simply Giving 320-296-4565 sbenson@hutchtel.net

November 2019						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Nov 17 Worship 10:30am	Nov 18 Pastor Janine: Office 11:45 Lunchtime Wisdom with Pr. Janine	Nov 19 Pastor Janine: Office AM - 1:00 - 3:00 Laundry Love Laundry Love 6:30 pm River Table	Nov 20 Pastor Janine: Office AM - 1:00 - 3:00 Dunn Bros 6:00 Confirmation Celebration 10th Grade Only with families and mentors	Nov 21 9:00 Men's Bible Study - Caribou Cashwise	Nov 22 Pastor Janine's Day Off Office Closed	Nov 23
Nov 24 Worship 10:30am <b>Riverpalooza</b>	Nov 25 Pastor Janine: Office 11:45 Lunchtime Wisdom with Pr. Janine	Nov 26 Pastor Janine: Office AM - 1:00 - 3:00 Starbucks- Target 6:00 Beer & Hymns	Nov 27 Pastor Janine: Office AM - 1:00 - 3:00 Caribou/Einsteins  <b>NO Confirmation</b>	Nov 28 Office Closed  <b>Happy Thanksgiving</b>	Nov 29	Nov 30
Dec 1 Worship 10:30am	Dec 2 Pastor Janine: Office 11:45 Lunchtime Wisdom with Pr. Janine 6-Financial Stewardship	Dec 3 Pastor Janine: Office AM - 1:00 - 3:00 Caribou- Cashwise	Dec 4 Pastor Janine: Office AM - 1:00 - 3:00 Country Kitchen 9:30 - Women of Hope 6:00 Confirmation-Event Ctr	Dec 5 Pastor Janine working from home 9:00 Men's Study - Caribou Cashwise	Dec 6 Pastor Janine's Day Off Office Closed	Dec 7

**Office Hours: MONDAYS and THURSDAYS: 9am-3pm**

**(other days, call office as Pastor Janine, Jim or a volunteer may be in the office)**

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