Prayer Requests

Joys: Week of 11-15-26 – Please lift blessings and joy for PJ Colebrook's newest grandson born on 11-15-26 at 7 lbs. 5 oz. Parents Sean Colebrook, Jr. & Brenda, named their baby Sean Colebrook, III. Joanne Croft's friend, Cindy Chrisman, for whom we prayed over the last two months, returns to work as a 2nd grade teacher. All honor, praise and glory to God.

Concerns: Week of 11-15-26 – Louise Bishop's prayers for rain received; Jo Fuller's sister JoAnn; Fuller's grandson Wesam; Pat Howard's daughter Erin; help for Duda; KN's family Cody; Larry West.

Ongoing prayers: Doug & Carolyn Drake; Skip & Pat Fenton; Laura Holloman; Pat Howard & her daughter, Erin; Dave & Vicki Hunt's s-i-l Todd; Mary Kristensen; Rev. Steve & Pam McNeal Laue; Gerald & Sharon Marchant; Tom & Donna Masterson; Maury & Rozanne Malaise; Ron & Karen Rezny; Roy & Margaret Sims; Arline Slocumb; Faye West.

Prayers for Friends and Family: David Hoffman's brother, Chris (CA); Kendra Hoffman's nephew, Jordan (WI); Richard Holdsworth's sister, Virginia (age 95 in NY); Pat Howard's granddaughter, Caitlin's friend Savannah (NE); Norma Lombardi's sister, Antoinette (age 100 in NY); Jan Mills' sister, Greta (age 96 in MO); Jan Mills' niece, Lettie (in MO); Andrea Muzzarelli's daughter, Heather (in IL); Kathy N's mom's best friend, Juanetta (age 101 – in TX); Leslie Oredson's father, Robert (in MN); Faye West's brother & s-i-l, Ray & Lonnie West in Hospice (in MN).

For Family and Loved Ones of the Following People Who Died: Norma Lawson (12-15-25); Juanita Howard (12-27-25); Joanne Wilson (12-27-25); Terri Nekvinda (12-30-25); Raymond Drake (1-3-26); Thelma Rush (3-13-26); Darlene McSparran (3-13-26); Gladys Kelley (3-27-26); Tony Kalinski (4-2-26); Elaine Cooper (4-22-26); Dave Hoffman (4-24-26); Mona Parmar (5-8-26); Ed Rockwell (6-12-26); Frank Castle (8-2-26); Robert (Bob) Davis (9-2-26); Emily Cox (10-13-26).

Come and feast with prayer, the church's banquet:
Lord, You are good and Your love never ends. Thank You for every kind thing You have done for us and through us. Every good gift comes down from You. Thank You, Lord, for all Your creation, for the good earth that provides many resources for a full life, and fellowship with friends and family. Jesus, thank You for dying and rising for us. Because of You, we are forgiven and given new life. Holy Spirit, thank You for living in us. You comfort us, guide us, and teach us to pray. Fill our hearts with a thankfulness that lasts well beyond this day. Through us Your love manifests itself in the way we care for one another. Lord, we have plenty today. Help us remember those who do not. Show us how to feed the hungry, welcome the lonely, and help the homeless. Make us wise stewards of all You give. Amen.

Our Military in Service: **(** = serving overseas)**
Air Force: SSgt. Kathryn Jones, TSgt. Kyler Sengsavath **
ANG: SrA Morgan Ailslieger, TSgt. Malika Sengsavath
Army: Sgt. Matthew Farris**, WO2 Wesley Meadows **
Marines: Cpl. Trayton Stewart
Navy: E-5 Nicholas Rinker, ATC Echo Smith, Lt. Nav03 Karl Kristensen



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Service of Scripture, Prayer and Music

November 22, 2026, 10:30 am
Thanksgiving Sunday and
Christ the King Sunday

Prelude	"Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart"	Henry Smith arr. Jan Sanborn

Welcome/Announcements

***Call to Worship**
Leader: God is our refuge and strength.
People: We can acknowledge our weakness and confess our sins before God who protects us and carries us.
Leader: God is our fortress.
People: We know we are secure in God's grace and mercy.
Leader: We sin.
People: We confess that we are spiritually blind. Some of our sins we know—the thoughts and words and deeds of which we are ashamed—but some are known only to You.
Leader: In the name of Jesus Christ, we ask forgiveness.
People: Open our eyes to Your grace that we might walk in Your ways and bring glory to Your name.
Leader: God has not forsaken or forgotten us. We are God's own dear children. God forgives.
All: May God give us strength to acknowledge sins, ask for forgiveness and to give it. Amen.

– Adapted from: Trinity Lutheran Church, Lisle, Illinois
https://thepastorsworkshop.com/liturgy/because-god-is-our-refuge-and-strength

***Opening Song**	All Creatures of Our God and King	UMH 62 vv 1-3, 7
Offering		
Offertory	"Rejoice, the Lord Is King!" Celebration Choir	Larry Shackley
***Doxology**	Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow	UMH 94
***Offertory Prayer**		
Children's Message		
Good News		
Scripture	2 Samuel 12:1-13	Kathleen Puntar
Song of Praise	He Is Exalted	TFWS 2070
Sermon	The Open, Honest, Kind Truth	Pastor Misty Howick
Call To Prayer	Draw Me Close	Kelly Carpenter
Silent Prayer		
Pastoral Prayer		
Lord's Prayer		
***Closing Hymn**	Give Thanks	TFWS 2036
***Benediction**		
***Postlude**	"All Glory, Laud, and Honor"	arr. Mark Hayes

***Please stand as you are able**

Worship Service and Music

Rev. Misty Howick Pastor	Jeffrey Conger, Sue Wilson, Scott South & Joanne Croft – Praise Team	Chaplain Kathy Norris Pastoral Assistant
Jeffrey Conger Director of Music	Randy Wilson Audio/Visual Manager	Alex Lunardi Accompanist