

# Parish Pulse

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# Pastor's Notes

# Council Meetings

5th-LN 7pm

11th-C 7pm

12th-F 7pm

19th-ML 7pm

26nd-T 7pm

\*20th-Parish Board-9am

Hi UCLP,

We are quickly approaching Thanksgiving season and I have a lot to be thankful for!

First, I would like to thank everyone who played a part in my installation service! The committee that organized food and decorations, the kids and the choir for providing beautiful special music and the whole congregation who has welcomed me as your pastor. The service was the perfect "official" start to my ministry with you all.

Next, I am thankful for everyone that came before this congregation and to this day continue to support me. My family brought me up in church and taught me what a life of faith can look like. I am grateful for the educational institutions, Concordia College and Wartburg Seminary, that formed my understanding of scripture and ministry.

Finally, I am thankful for God for making this all happen. I feel a little bit like a celebrity making an acceptance speech when I give God a blanket thank you, but it is core to what I believe. We know that God is the creator and sustainer of all things. It was and will always be the love of God flowing through people and through the things that we create. It is the love that came before us and the love that will outlast us. Which brings me to this piece of scripture from the book of Psalms:

"O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever." Psalm 107:1 Thanking God for his steadfast love allows us give thanks for everything that we have in our lives. So, as you are reflecting on what you are thankful for in this past year I encourage you all to think about how God's love has made it happen.

Thank you!

Pr. Katie Ohren-Shipman

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# Pastoral Acts for October

# Concordia

# Affirmation of Baptism:

Bristen Desrosier, Easton Fredericks, Austin Fuglseth, Evan Haas, Connor Haaven, Owen Jensrud, Riley Kohl, Koa Larson, Indigo Oistad, Eve Revier, Mya Strem;

Pr. Dan Morton

# Faaberg

# Affirmation of Baptism:

Brennan Gullickson, Olivia Harstad, Chloe Olson:

Pr. Katie Ohren-Shipman

### **Funeral:**

*Cynthia Alma Vatthauer;* Pr. Katie Ohren-Shipman

# Little Norway Affirmation of Baptism:

Ella Kronschnabel;

Pr. Dan Morton

# Maple Lake

# Affirmation of Baptism:

Brynn Bolstad, Aubryn Johnson, Vincent Landsrud, Katelynn Lunak, Macy Petry, Paisley Raaen;

Pr. Dan Morton

### Funeral:

Curt James Qualley; Pr. Dan Morton

# **NOVEMBER 2025**

# Concordia Worship Participants

Thank you for serving in this capacity!
If you are unable to serve on the Sunday listed please exchange with someone on the list and notify the church office.

9:30 a.m. Worship

Altar Guild: Heather Larson Jami Revier

NOV. 2

**Ushers:** Isaac Ness & Tim Fuchs **Greeters:** Wayne & Cheryl Hegg

Lector: Larry Erdahl

Acolytes: Anna Nelson & Kinsley Olson

**Communion Assistants**:

Natty & Lori Messick; Cindy Leiser

Live Stream: Eve Revier

NOV. 9

Ushers: Matthew Larsen & Andrew Larsen

**Greeters**: Tim & Andrea Sykes

Lector: Jan Baune

Acolytes: Russell & Ryder Chisholm

**Communion Assistants:** 

Chad & Stacy Christianson Family

Live Stream: Eve Revier

**NOV. 16** 

**Ushers:** Daryl Haas & Lane Haas **Greeters**: Lee & Cindy Abrahamson

Lector: Verna Norland

Acolytes:

**Communion Assistants:** 

Donna Christianson, Cindy Abrahamson,

Sandy Rasmussen

Live Stream: Eve Revier

**NOV. 23** 

**Ushers:** Lyle Fuchs and grands

Greeters: Aaron Broden & Stacey Oftedahl

Lector:

Acolytes: Russell & Ryder Chisholm

**Communion Assistants:** 

Loren & Bonnie Abel; Carol Swenby

Live Stream: Connor Fuchs

NOV. 25-Parish Thanksgiving-7:00 pm

**Ushers:** Chad & Karin Braun **Greeters**: Parish Members **Lector**: Parish Member

Acolytes:

**Communion Assistants:** 

Cindy & Craig Engelstad; Parish Member

**Live Stream**: Brandon Neibauer-Adams

**NOV. 30** 

**Advent Candle:** 

**Ushers:** Ben & Caleb Sather **Greeters**: Justin & Kristi Benson

Lector: Acolytes:

**Communion Assistants:** 

Chad & Karin Braun; Scott Braun

**Live Stream**: Bjorn Messick

Concordia Council is exploring new lighting for the fellowship hall and possibly other areas of the church. Future bulletins will include more information on this, including plans for a special congregation meeting to vote. This special meeting has the tentative date of December 7, 2025. Stay tuned for more info!

### Concordia Lutheran Church Council Meeting October 20th, 2025

President Brandon Neibauer-Adams called Concordia's Church Council meeting to order @ 7:02 pm on October 20th, 2025. Those present were Brandon Neibauer-Adams, Katie Ohren-Shipman, John Walters, Jared Brainard, Janadee Fuchs, Anna Duckstad, Salome Hanson, Verna Norland and Sue Lindberg.

Brandon opened with devotions from Psalm 57.

Secretary's Report: The September report was reviewed via email and accepted as presented. (Jared/Jami) M/S/A

Treasurer's and Financial Secretary's Report: Reports were given and accepted as reported. (Verna/Sue) M/S/A

Pastor's Reports: (Katie) Confirmation will be October 26th with 11 students being confirmed at Concordia. God bless you all.

Parish Report: (Verna) The Parish Board is donating a thank offering of \$1000 to the Synod in support of missions in honor of the Ordination and Installation of Pastor Katie. The Thanksgiving Parish Service will be Tuesday, November 25th at 7:00 p.m. at Concordia Church. The Thanksgiving offering will be donated to the Food Shelf and the Care and Share. Checks can be made out to their individual churches with the charity of their choice marked on the memo line. Coffee will be served following the Thanksgiving Service. Jamie Morvig continues as our SAM and Kari Morvig, Lindi Christianson, and Teresa Sandness are working on their education, with plans to help area churches.

### Committee Reports:

Home & Church Life: (Anna) Cake will be served after church services Sunday October 26th, in honor of the Confirmands. Plans are being made for a parish wide Turkey Bingo event in November.

Outreach: (Janadee) A smaller tv has been installed in the narthex for updates.

Parsonage: (Jared) Trevor Desrosier completed the first quarterly inspections of the parsonage. He has a list of items needing attention and will ask him to begin the process of these repairs, prioritizing the most important first.

Education: (Tina) A motion was made, seconded, and passed to obtain a ministry related credit card for educational supplies only. (Verna/Anna) M/S/A The points from this card will be donated to ministries.

Daycare: (Verna) With increasing Sunday School students, rooms are available in the education unit as needed.

Worship: (Jami) Advent begins November 30th. The balcony piano will be moved to make room for technical equipment. A motion was made, seconded, and passed to purchase another year of contemporary service membership (John/Janadee). M/S/A

Management and Finance: (Jared) Quotes for new LED lighting broken down for all areas of the church were received from A-Matic Automation LLC DBA Fertile Electric (Ross Roehr). This information will be brought to the congregation for review.

Old Business: September 22nd the air conditioner at the church wasn't working. With an upcoming wedding Friday and the Installation of Pastor Katie, on Sunday, 2 quotes were obtained for repairs. Via text messages, a motion was made, seconded and passed to have Joel Larson install a new pump unit (\$6725) rather than just replace the compressor as the pump system was 22 years old. (Jami/Anna) M/S/A Quotes for new tables and chairs for the Fellowship Hall will be obtained. The current tables and chairs will be used for the Concordia Fair Stand. This decision will be finalized at the November council meeting.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made and passed @ 8:21p.m. (Jared/John). M/S/A Concordia's next council meeting will be November 11th, 2025.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer, Submitted by Sue Lindberg, Secretary

# Little Norway Cotober Anniversaries & Birthdays Anniversaries Birthdays

25-Allan & Diane Erickson

01-Don Larson

05-Ryan Benson 23-Kayla Pierre

09-Kim Larson

28-Joan Kronschnabel

21-Hailee Benson

14-Cynthia Kaste -Garrett Lisburg

**November Deacon**-Joan Kronschnabel **Janitor**-Trustees

**Altar Guild & Communion Prep** 

Lynn Jacobson, Jennifer Larson, Stacie Kronschnabel

Esther/Mary Circle- Nov 6th-2:00pm at LN

**Dorcas Circle-** Nov 10th-7:00pm at LN

November Readers- Nov. 2-Heidi Benson Nov. 9-Mark Gullickson

Nov. 16-Lucy Fuglseth Nov 23-Colleen Kaste Nov. 30-John Gullickson

Little Norway will have Mission Sunday on November 9 at 9:00 service. A potluck lunch will follow. Our guest speaker will be Elaina Wickman, director of Northlands Rescue Mission and Food Pantry. Northlands Mission is a Christian-based emergency shelter for adults and families experiencing homelessness and food insecurities. Offerings will be given to the Northlands Rescue Mission.

### LITTLE NORWAY COUNCIL

October 1, 2025

Members Present: Pastor Dan, Mark Benson, Heidi Benson, Colleen Kaste, Teri Johnson, John Gullickson, and Jamie Morvig

Mark called the meeting to order.

Pastor Dan led us in prayer.

**Pastor's Report**: Confirmation at Little Norway on the 5<sup>th</sup>, Ella Kronschnabel. Possible 3 additional SAMs.

Secretary Report: Jamie read the minutes from the September meeting.

Colleen motioned to approve. Heidi second/passed.

**Treasurers' Report**: Colleen reported she will take the computer into GV Technologies for cleaning and updating.

**Vice President Report-** John gave the Parish report, hired 2 new youth group leaders, looking to update some equipment for the live stream.

**Deacons**: Mission Sunday will be November 9<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am service, Northlands Rescue Mission. Potluck after with both groups working together.

Education: No report
Trustees: No report

### Unfinished Business:

- a) Quotes for church parsonage for heating and cooling coming in.
- b) Parsonage lawn? Reseeding- Lee Duckstad will give update
- c) Church sign- once the road work on #12 is done we can look to complete.

### New Business:

- a) Little Norway Church Service time change to 9:00am October 5<sup>th</sup>
- b) Review the charities given for last year, discussion to increase giving to \$9500 and possible reallocation funds.
- Maintenance on parsonage, Blake inquired if he would do some of the minor maintenance. Billing to go to LN.

Teri motioned to adjourn, Heidi seconded/ motion passed.

Next meeting: November 5, 2025

Devotions: Kristen Larson

Lunch: Brent Bakke

Adjourned with Lord's Prayer

Respectfully submitted by Jamie Morvig

# \*Parish Office Hours\*

# Parish Office Hours are Monday-Thursday, 8:30-4pm. Fridays- 8:00-1:00pm.

If at any time you need a Pastor, you may reach Pastor Dan at 320–260–6955 or Pastor Katie at 320–287–4184 Thank you.

Please have the announcements in the office by Tuesday afternoon. Thank you!

Check out the Parish Facebook page & website for the latest Parish news & announcements!



Facebook Page-United in Christ Lutheran Parish, Fertile MN



Website-https://unitedinchristlutheranparish.org



If you have something you would like included in the Parish Pulse, on the Facebook page, or on the website, please send to: uclpnews@gmail.com



Fertile-Beltrami Area Food Shelf Hours: 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month 3-6pm by appointment only or for emergencies. Please contact this number. 218-945-3065.

Address for Food Shelf is PO Box 373-Fertile, MN 56540



# Faaberg Announcements

### November 2025

Ushers – for November are Milo and Peggy Ystenes.

WELCA - will meet on Thursday, November 6 at 9 am. Thank Offering Devotions: Dorothy Harstad.

Quilting will follow meeting on Thursday and continue Friday, November 7 from 9 a.m. to noon.

We will be decorating for Christmas on Saturday morning, November 29 starting at 9 a.m.

Afternoon Bible Study - will be held Monday, November 10 at 1:30 pm.

# MAPLE LAKE NEWS/ PARISH NEWS

As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord! Joshua 24:15

How are we doing with this? Are we serving God in our homes and are we serving God in God's house? I would hope the answer is "yes" on both counts! But, being aware of our human-ness, maybe the business part of church takes priority. It might be easier to discuss the need to caulk the balcony window than it is to discuss how we can help a family in a crisis situation. Jesus has called us to care for one another, to show love, as He loves and to help one another. Perhaps, in building relationships and caring, the business of maintenance and funding would fall into place as we seek to do His will. Serving the Lord – what a privilege and responsibility as a child of God!

Some prayer concerns, opportunities this month:

- -for the Qualley family as they mourn the loss of Curt.
- -for our Sunday school leaders
- -for our young people in the congregation
- -for Anne Pederson as she adjusts to her new apartment at Fairmeadow Assisted Living
- -for those in our congregation who are facing medical challenges
- -for those who struggle with financial concerns
- -for those who have lost loved ones due to suicide

We pray to God to comfort, enable and bless each individual.

Pastor Gary Hatcher, who served us in the late "70's, is retiring after 48 years of ministry! A surprise party is being hosted by 2 churches he serves in lowa on December 7th. Information, invitation to attend is available on the table in the entry. If you would like to send a greeting, send to: Christine Meier, 26657 Highway 52, Garnavillo, IA 52049. What a treat it was to have Pastor Gary and Jackie in our community! I know Pastor Gary came to the closing service of Hitterdal church and can't remember for sure if he made the 125th Anniversary celebration of Maple Lake in 2007 or not. It would be great to see them again!

We are presently in the middle of a quilt raffle here at Maple Lake. A beautiful quilt, made by Sue Kronschnabel, will be raffled off on Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>. You can purchase a ticket for \$5.00, or 5 for \$20.00 from any one of our WELCA members. Proceeds will go to the WELCA treasury for special projects and charities.

### Coming up:

WELCA meets Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. for potluck/ business meeting/LWR project. Council meeting Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. Parish Thanksgiving service Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> {Tues) at 7:00 pm.

Greeters and custodians for November: Nick and Lisa Aakhus and family – Thank you!

It is time to sign up for being a greeter or custodian for a month in 2026! Please consider this as a way to serve and to teach your kids the importance of stewardship! Everyone appreciates your service.

We give praise to God for His many blessings this month of Thanksgiving!

Peace, Marlene

### Maple Lake Church Council Minutes

Date: October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025, at Maple Lake Church. Meeting called to order at 7:04 p.m.

Attending: Marlene Block, Brenda Langved, Sue Kronschnabel, Mike Slevin, Pastor Dan, & MaryBeth Swanson.

**Devotions:** Opening devotions by Marlene. The council will continue to pray for our church members. Each council member will pray for 6 members this month.

Secretary's Report: MM/S by Mike Slevin/Sue Kronschnabel to accept minutes as presented. MC.

**Treasurer's Report**: It was a normal month for bills. The \$20,000 CD will be coming due. With no obvious need it was discussed to reinvest the interest. MM/S by Sue Kronschnabel/Mike Slevin to accept minutes as presented. MC.

**Pastor's Report:** Confirmation and youth group are off to a strong start and are going well. The pastors are busy with many meetings. Jamie Morvig is continuing the grief share meetings.

### Old Business:

- Sue Kronschnabel has made a quilt for a fundraiser raffle. Please contact a WELCA member if you would like to purchase a ticket. Thank you Sue for the beautiful quilt.
- The Sunday school kids were reminded about noisy offering. MaryBeth will remind them about where the extra change is located and encourage them to give during the service.
- The balcony window needs to be caulked. After looking at the window, Marlene decided it was a task she could do and will fix it.
- 4. The Nominating committee have received their letters and will begin contacting members for 2026 committees. This year's members are John Swanson, John David Swanson, and Kari Morvig.

### **New Business:**

- There is one last push for members to be included in the directory. Marlene will contact the families from Maple
  Lake that have not yet submitted a photo or information for the directory.
- Pastor Hatcher, who served Maple Lake & Hitterdal in the late '70s, is retiring. If you would like to send a card, there is information in the entry way.

### Other Business

- 1. At the next council meeting we will review the 2026 budget.
- 2. The Parish Thanksgiving service will be November 25th at 7 p.m. at Concordia.
- 3. We will have no pastor on 10/19 and again on 12/21.
- Anne Pederson is all moved into her new apartment at the assisted living. If you'd like to visit her, she's in room
   13.

Adjourn: MM/S to adjourn by Sue Kronschnabel/Mike Slevin. MC. Adjourned with the Lord's Prayer at 7:46 p.m.

Next council meeting: 7:00 p.m. on November 19th, 2025 at Maple Lake Church.

## Trinity Lutheran Church Council

October 22, 2025

Members present were Joni Page, Jolene Billing, Barb Hamre, Pr Dan Morton, Mark Langved and Kristy Langved.

Vice-president Joni Page called the meeting to order at 6:55. Pr Dan gave the pastors report. No pastor Sundays will continue for a while. The youth group is going well, having an average of 40 kids involved.

Kristy gave the secretary's report. Mark made a motion to accept it as read, seconded by Jolene and carried.

Jolene presented the treasurer's report. Kristy made a motion to file for audit, seconded by Barb and carried.

OLD BUSINESS: Dean will be delivering the school kits to LWR tomorrow.

NEW BUSINESS: The parish council has asked that each church contact members that have not yet put anything in the online directory. Kristy drafted a letter to this effect. After a correction, Kristy will make copies and mail it to the 10 active members not in the directory yet.

Trustee's report: Mark reported that he had trimmed the bushes around the church. He asked about snow removal and Joni volunteered Jim Page to clean the parking lot and Mark will clean the sidewalks. Mark asked that we put the budget on the November meeting agenda.

We closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Kristy Langved



# United in Christ Lutheran Parish Board Meeting October 9th, 2025

President Kip called the meeting to order at 9:00 am. Those present were Kip Fontaine, Verna Norland, Belinda Fjeld, Kristy Langved, Jeff Gullickson, John Gullickson.

Verna led devotions on I Thessalonians 5:28 "Pray without ceasing, give thanks in all things."

Secretary's report: MM/S by John/Kristy, to accept the report. MC

**Treasurer's report:** Jeff gave the report. A new contract has been drawn up with Pitney Bowes. The September issue of the Pulse did not have to be self-stamped. MM/S by Verna/John, to accept the report, MC.

**Pastor's report:** Confirmation was held at Maple Lake & Little Norway on Oct. 5th. Grief Share has started with SAM Jamie; there are 10 participants. The Theological gathering went well but there was no rep from the insurance company. They will be meeting with all the SAM's next Thursday. There are 26 7th & 8th graders in Confirmation and the Youth Group has been well attended.

### Old Business

- Pitney Bowes This issue was resolved.
- UCLP Directory The Parish Council encourages all members to submit pictures to the directory. Chad
   Christianson continues to work on this project. We ask the office to provide an individual congregation member list
   to the council members so they can identify and contact members not included.
- Youth Directors The budget will remain the same for the rest of the year with Allie and Landon sharing Chad's
  compensation, this budget item will increase in 2026.
- Portico Pastor's Health Insurance The total cost for the Parish will decrease in 2026.
- SAM'S They participate in the weekly Text Studies and will be meeting with Pastor Dan and Pastor Katie next Thursday.
- All Parish Installation Service and Dinner at Concordia Sunday, Sept 28<sup>th</sup>. Pastor Katie thanked everyone
  that participated in the event. It was a wonderful service with Bishop Tesch presiding and presenting a "Call of
  Duty" coin to Pastor Dan and the "Letter of Call" to Pastor Katie. The Parish Choir and VBS students sang; Mark
  Erickson catered; the ladies provided bars and served dinner; the youth helped serve and clean up. There were
  312 people in attendance, with 250 meals served afterwards. UCLP thanks Thrivent for the \$500.00 donated
  through two Community Impact Cards towards expenses for the dinner.

## **New Business**

- Thank Offering to Synod in honor of Pastor Katie A motion was made to give \$1,000.00 to the Synod for mission support in Honor of the Ordination and Installation of Pastor Katie. MM/S Verna/Jeff. MC
- Thanksgiving Service All Parish service will be on Tuesday, November 25<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, with fellowship downstairs afterwards. Offering will be divided between the Fertile Food Shelf and Care and Share. Please make your checks out to your congregation, putting Food Shelf/Care and Share in the memo.
- Bulletins We discussed minimalizing the weekly bulletins and using our hymnals more.
- 2026 Budget A subcommittee of Jeff, Jamie, Pr. Katie and others will work with Jeff on the 2026 budget.
- "BEHOLD the New has Come! Project" Pr. Katie introduced this project and shared a letter from Bishop
  Tesch with us. He has invited UCLP to join this five-year project that is rooted in our baptismal promises and
  shaped to help our congregations become places that form people to step into each day mindful of their calling as
  followers of Jesus. This project is funded through a grant of \$500,000.00 given to our Synod. MM/S Belinda,
  Verna, MC

Next meeting - November 20th, 9:00 am.

MM/S by Belinda, Verna, to adjourn at 10:45 am, MC

We closed with the Lord's Prayer, respectfully submitted, Belinda Fjeld, Secretary

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# United In Christ Lutheran Parish Youth Group

Download APP; TEAM REACH use code; UCLP2526

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email; andrea,duckstad@gmail,com

Landon Franke 651-500-8390

email; nodnal95@gmail,com

Angie Petry 701-866-5043

email; petryfam@outlook,com



September 17<sup>th</sup> Jr. High 4;30-5;30 snack provided

Sr. High 6:00-7:30 supper provided

October 1st FALL CLEAN UP BRING YOUR RAKES!!

Jr. High 4:30-5:30 snack provided

Sr, High 6:00-7:30 supper provided

October 22nd Jr, High 4;30-5;30 snack provided

Sr. High 6:00-7:30 supper provided

November 5th Jr, High 4;30-5;30 snack provided

Sr, High 6:00-7:30 supper provided

November 19th Jr. High 4:30-5:30 snack provided

Sr. High 6:00-7:30 supper provided

December 3rd Jr. High 4;30-5;30 snack provided

Sr, High 6;00-7;30 supper provided

December 17<sup>th</sup> Jr. High 4:30-5:30 snack provided

Sr. High 6:00-7:30 supper provided













# Greetings from the FB Area Food Shelf

We hope everyone is having a happy and safe end of summer/beginning of autumn. It's hard to believe 2025 has gone by so fast.

We here at the Fertile Beltrami Area Food Shelf are so very grateful for the encouragement and support our area churches have given us over the past year.

As everyone realizes, it is getting harder and harder for struggling families to make ends meet. Our mission here at the Food Shelf is to help lessen this struggle. We strive to provide nutritious food and household necessities to families in need. Without your help, we could not help others.

Please remember us in your holiday giving plans. We greatly appreciate any donations. Our current most-needed items are shown below.

We are especially grateful for financial donations. We are a government-approved 501 (c)(3) charity. All donations are tax deductible. Donations may be dropped off at the Food Shelf in the Fertile Community Center or mailed to PO Box 373, Fertile, MN 56540.

\*\*\*We will be having a fundraising pancake breakfast on Saturday, November 8, 2025, at the Fertile Fire Station, from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please join us for a fun breakfast and to support a worthy cause.\*\*\* Be the blessing that others need

Thank you again for all your support!

# SUGGESTED DONATION ITEMS

Coffee (Regular/Decaf), Tea, Hot Chocolate Mac & Cheese, Ramen Noodles Pork & Beans, Boxed Stuffing Saltines, Crackers, Cookies Sugar, Flour, Baking Mixes Mayo, Pancake Syrup, Boxed Cereals

Dish Detergent, Laundry Detergent Paper Towels, Toilet Paper, Facial Tissues Tylenol/Generic Men's/Women's Personal Hygiene Items Ladies' pantiliners Sizes 2, 3, 6 and 7 Diapers, Baby Wipes



Available as an app, online, PDF, and a paper booklet printed upon completion.



# **3 EASY WAYS TO BE INCLUDED**

1-Send a message to uclpdirectory@gmail.com with your family name and an email address. We will send instructions on how you can add your information and picture.

2-Fill out an information sheet and email your family photo and we'll put it all in.

Once your email is listed in the directory, simply go the App Store/Google Play and search for Instant Church Directory and download the FREE app to begin.

Use your listed email to CREATE A LOGIN the first time you use the app. If you have trouble, email uclpdirectory@gmail.com or contact Chad at 507-626-0355.

The ML WELCA is selling tickets for a Queen size Quilt and accent Pillow and table runner. The drawing will be after church on November 30th. Need not be present to win. All proceeds will go to the WELCA. Please see one of the ladies for tickets they are \$5 each or 5 for \$20. Items are on display in the church entry. Thank you for your support.



October 5th, 2025 Maple Lake Lutheran Church confirmed six 10th graders! Pictured with Pastor Dan are: Katie Lunak, Brynn Bolstad, Aubryn Johnson, Macy Petry, Paisley Raaen and Vincent Landsrud. Each student read a special Bible verse that was important to them and explained why they chose it! The kids also participated in the church service by reading, ushering or assisting with communion. May God Bless these confirmands!



# NEWSLETTER OF THE CONCORDIA, LITTLE NORWAY, MAPLE LAKE, TRINITY, AND FAABERG CONGREGATIONS OF THE UNITED IN CHRIST LUTHERAN PARISH, ELCA

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ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

**NOTE: Our pulpit fill may l subject to change.		be Worship Schedule NOVEMBER 2025			Pastor Dan Morton tor Katie Ohren-Shipman AM Jamie Austin-Morvig
*WORSHIP TIME CHANGES*					
	November 2	November 9	November 16	November 23	November 30
C 9:30 am	Pr. Katie	Pr. Dan	Pr. Katie	Pr. Dan	SAM-Jamie
F Time: 9:0	<b>00am</b> SAM-Jamie	11am Pr. Katie	11am SAM-Jamie	11am Pr. Dan	11am Pr. Katie
LN 9:00 am	Pr. Dan	SAM-Jamie	SAM-Jamie	Pr. Katie	Pr. Dan
ML 11:00 am	Pr. Dan	Pr. Dan	Pr. Dan	Pr. Katie	Pr. Dan
T Times: 11	L:00am SAM-Jamie	9am Pr. Katie	<b>9am</b> Pr. Dan <b>11</b>	Lam NO Pastor	9am Pr. Katie

Holy Communion Schedule Changes: 1st & 3rd Sunday Little Norway & Trinity 2nd & 4th Sunday Faaberg & Maple Lake Concordia Every Sunday PARISH THANKSGIVING WORSHIP
TUESDAY NOVEMBER 25 AT 7pm AT CONCORDIA