

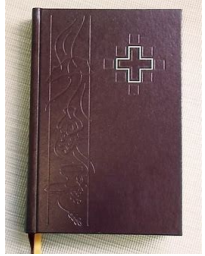
# Holy Lamb Lutheran Church

2541 Forestbrook Road  
Myrtle Beach, SC 29588

## October 2023

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

### OF HYMNS AND HYMNALS



At the congregation's meeting on September 24, it was duly noted that there is some dissatisfaction with Divine Service, Setting Two. The irony here is that Pastor Steve's congregation in New Jersey disliked Setting One. The services are the work of the Inter-Lutheran Commission on Worship which met in the 1960s and early 70s.

The ILCW (as it was called) was composed of at least four members representing the Lutheran Church in America, the American Lutheran Church, the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Canada, and the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Several mergers have left the LCMS the only survivor.

The movement toward a more contemporary and unified liturgical norm for Lutherans in America began with the realization that all our hymnals were old and dated. **The zeitgeist**, *the spirit of the times*, brought the realization that our hymnals represented ethnic expressions no longer needed. Formerly there were German Lutherans, Norwegian and Danish Lutherans, Swedish, Finnish and Slovak; others too. But we were all now Americans. We wanted an American way of worship. The ILCW did an amazing job rewriting and producing new liturgical forms, and composing new hymns. Introducing these was another matter.

Lutherans were not alone, the zeitgeist does not work in a vacuum. Vatican II was playing out in the 1960s among our Catholic brothers and sisters. In the 1970s the Episcopalians were also at work revising their BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER.

The ILCW's work was slowly shared with the Missouri Synod through paperback booklets. The best thing they published was **the Three Year Lectionary**. The lectionary offered our churches a three-year cycle of readings. The Roman Catholics were working on a similar project; and it caught on; other protestant denominations adopted the three-year idea as well. The new lectionary replaced the one-year system we had used since the Reformation. God's people now heard more of the Bible read aloud in worship than ever before.

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In the early seventies, some of our churches adopted **WORSHIP SUPPLEMENT** giving the LCMS a peek at things to come. This book available in red or blue, was designed to compliment.

**THE LUTHERAN HYMNAL**. It offered us new worship settings, and some fantastic new hymns.

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing  
At the Name of Jesus  
From All Thy Saints in Warfare  
I Bind Unto Myself This Day  
In Adam We Have All Been One  
Immortal, Invisible God Only Wise  
Now the Silence, Now the Peace  
O Love How Deep  
Sing My Tongue  
Thy Strong Word Did Cleave the Darkness

And many others that are now found in **LUTHERAN WORSHIP**.

Eventually the ILCW finished its work and published **THE LUTHERAN BOOK OF WORSHIP** (green cover). Not everyone in the Missouri Synod was happy with it and eventually the Synod opted to publish a revised version with a royal blue cover, **LUTHERAN WORSHIP**. Another book would take time to publish and some LCMS congregations refused to wait. They bought what came to be referred to as LBW. Once **LUTHERAN WORSHIP** was published Missouri Synod was using three different worship books.

Not mentioned so far is what we call Divine Service Setting Three. This is the Common Service which came to Lutherans from the nineteenth century and translated into English. It is the form of worship we learned from **THE LUTHERAN HYMNAL**. (By-the-way THE LUTHERAN HYMNAL was not well received when it was published in 1940. And, it was never made or declared the official hymnal of our Synod.)

What hasn't been said up to this point is that the service outline continues to preserve a Lutheran -ized version of the Latin Mass. Just as the sacred scriptures preserve for us the Word of God, so the Divine Service preserves among us Christian tradition and the Lord's Supper. There are some things you just don't play with. More on that next time: and I promise, not so long.

Pastor Steve

Call Committee Report  
Keep the prayers coming!

Call Committee - And Then There Were Ten!

There is an update to the news that Pastor Hollar shared during the congregation meeting on September 24<sup>th</sup>. Since then, Pastor heard from another nominee who also said he is willing to take a call.

The call committee received the information for the original nine during a meeting on Tuesday, September 26<sup>th</sup> and will receive the additional info as soon as possible.

We need to remember that our Lord and Savior already knows who our next pastor will be, we just have to follow his lead.

Please continue to pray as the Committee reviews all the information provided. Thank you.

Linda Snyder,  
Call Committee Secretary



LWML NEWS

October 1 is Mite Box Sunday. Please put your mite box or money from mite box in a plastic bag and deposit in the large purple mite box. Don't forget to pick up another box if you are leaving yours. Checks are also accepted made out to Holy Lamb and in the memo area put LWML MITES. Thank you for all your donations.

Karen Bombria, President, LWML of Holy Lamb

Prayer Requests

Unless otherwise requested, prayer request information will be announced in worship, shared with our prayer chain, and published in our bulletin or newsletter. To respect the privacy of those for whom we pray:

With regards to health issues last names will not be given in worship or in print unless they are members of Holy Lamb.

Information regarding conditions, diagnosis, or procedures will be given only at the initial church announcement, not in print.

Please update the church office of your prayer request by the newsletter deadline or fill out a prayer request form which are on the podium in the Narthex.



Holy Lamb Financial Profile—Giving

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Month of Sept. (to date)	\$10,755	\$14,148
Year to Date Needs	\$133,099	\$137,943

## Stewardship Committee Report

*“If there is among you a poor man of your brethren, within any of the gates in your land which the Lord your God is giving you, you shall not harden your heart nor shut your hand from your poor brother, <sup>8</sup> but you shall open your hand wide to him and willingly lend him sufficient for his need, whatever he needs.”*  
*Deuteronomy 15:7-8*

The Stewardship Committee meets on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month after the 10:30am service.

Our current committee members are:

Cheryl Bingham, *Chair*; Eileen St. Clair, Duane St. Clair, David Bingham, Ron Hajduk, Caroline Twentier, Bill Steele, and Reyne Harris.

**Here are some of the projects the team is working on.**

1. **Help4Kids Microwaves** – We received a request for a total of 13 small microwaves to help families have a way to cook the food they’ve received. In a week’s time, members of Holy Lamb donated 13 new microwaves to give to Help4Kids! God’s Blessings for your support!
2. **Praying in Color:** This ministry continues with Eileen St. Clair facilitating. If you know of anyone in need of this ministry, contact Eileen.
3. **First Time Visits with Local Guests:** To date, we've had 5 in-person visits with local visitors who've joined us for worship service. Our visits have all gone well and were well received. We are currently working on 2 more visits.
4. **Visitor Thank You Card Outreach:** To date, we've sent out 40 thank you cards to out of town visitors who've joined us for Worship Service. Thankfully we’ve only had 2 returned with an invalid address. We want to plant seeds to those who've joined in hopes that they'll visit us again.
5. **Time & Talent sheets:** We're looking at sending these out to congregation members in the January/February time period.
6. **Pledge Funding Sunday:** The team will be looking at sending this out in early January. As a reminder, The pledge cards are a commitment between the member and God.

If you have any ideas or are interested in joining us, please let us know.

In His Service,

*Cheryl Bingham, Chairperson*





## **4 TEACHING POSITIONS OPEN NOW!**

Holy Lamb hosts Coastal School Ministries with four 50 minute classes from Forestbrook Middle School. Coastal School Ministries is looking for teachers to fill 4 positions.

- Do you love the Bible?
- Do you love our public-school students?

**You can teach Bible classes to public school students and get paid to do it!**

### **\*HELP WANTED\***

Interested in certified teachers, retired school teachers AND non-certified potentials.

Benefits include:

- All Horry county school holidays off – WITH PAY!
- Summers off – WITH PAY!
- 2 teachers per class so the work is divided!

Email [info@coastalsm.com](mailto:info@coastalsm.com) for your teacher application today!



## **Expansion Ministries Committee**

The expansion ministry committee meets once a month on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month. We are working on or have completed the following projects. If you have any ideas for a ministry or questions, please contact one of the committee members, Darcy Taiani, Cheryl Bingham, Reyne Harris, Ron Hajduk, Phil Harris, and David Bingham.

### **Visitor Packets**

The visitor packets will be made available for new visitors in October. The packet will contain a pamphlet about what we believe, a summarized list of the events and ministries at Holy Lamb, an introduction letter, the church information card, a current newsletter & a church pen. If you have any ideas, please let a committee member know.

### **Church Signs**

We have just started discussions about updating the church sign that is on Dick Pond Rd as well as looking at other possibilities of placing signs out with the church information. Work on this project will be started in November. If you have any ideas, please let a committee member know.

### **Luther's Brew Crew (LBC) Quarterly Microbrew Meeting**

In October, we will have our first quarterly microbrew group meeting, Luther's Brew Crew (LBC), which is open for both men and women. We will be meeting on Saturday October 21<sup>st</sup> at 4:00 PM at the *Cafe Old Vienna* in their beer garden to celebrate Oktoberfest. The address is 1604 N Kings Hwy, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577. If you are interested and plan to attend, there is a signup sheet in the Narthex, or if you have any questions, please contact Dave or Cheryl Bingham. Please note that if you are not a beer drinker do not let that stop you from coming. Most Microbrews serve wine and liquor.

### **Restaurant Dining Group**

This group meets monthly at a local restaurant on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month at 4:45 PM. Our October meeting will be at the *Socastee Station* restaurant on October 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:45 PM. If you are interested, please let Dave or Cheryl Bingham know or please fill out the sign up in the rack in the Narthex and we will add you to our email distribution.

### **CCU - Chanticleers Football Game**

We are planning to attend a CCU Football game on November 25th. The time of the game is TBD. If you are interested, there is a signup sheet in Narthex. The tickets cost \$45.00. We are collecting money until Sunday, October 1st and will be buying the tickets on Monday, October 2nd at 9:00 AM for sections 103 to 107.





A return attraction coming **THANKSGIVING DAY**— Church Family Potluck!

.Mark your calendars for Thursday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>. Our Holy Lamb family will be hosting a potluck for our members and their guests. There will be a sign up sheet in the narthex starting Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>. Please sign up with how many people and what you plan to bring. The doors will be open at 1 PM and we will have dinner at 2 PM followed by games and clean up. We will need help with set up and clean up. Come join us in fellowship good food and games! The deadline to signup will be November 19<sup>th</sup>.



**Saturday, Oct. 28, 2023 11am to 2pm**

**Holy Lamb Lutheran Church**  
2541 Forestbrook Rd., Myrtle Beach, SC 29588

***A FREE Family Friendly Event for Our Community!***

Games, Kids Crafts, Prizes, and more

***Also -***

Food Concessions, Baked Goods, and more

We need volunteers to help with the crafts, games, food, wear the pumpkin costume, setup and clean up. The signup sheets for the specific duties are located in the Narthex. If you have any questions, please contact David Bingham at 719-452-1398 or via email [dbngm7@gmail.com](mailto:dbngm7@gmail.com).

## Sunday Morning Bible Study

9:15 AM

We are studying the book of Galatians. In this letter, Paul clearly but briefly explains the difference between the Law and the Gospel; and why understanding the difference is of utmost importance. Join us as we dig deeper into some familiar passages, such as: “whatever one sows that will he also reap,” and “the righteous shall live by faith.”

## Tuesday Morning Bible Study

The Book of 1 Peter

9:00 AM

## Thursday Evening Women’s Bible Study

Details below on this page

6:30 PM



# Bible Study Opportunities



## Women’s Bible Study

The women’s Thursday night Bible study meets Thursday evenings at 6:30 on Zoom. All women are welcome to join us! Use Holy Lamb’s standard meeting code.

We are using the reading plans provided at [www.shereadstruth.com](http://www.shereadstruth.com). You can find the daily Scripture readings and devotion at their website or download their app. The website is free; There is also a weekly podcast that discusses that week’s readings. *We would love to have you join us! And whether or not you meet with us, this can be another easy way to develop a daily Bible reading habit. (For those men who are feeling ‘left out’, there is also a ‘He Reads Truth’ reading plan at the website!)*

We are currently studying, learning and delighting in 20 more **Psalms**. Then on **October 16-November 10** we’ll dive into a four-week study of the **OT book of Judges** that vividly shows us the tragedy of sin and our need for salvation that comes only through Jesus Christ!

If you have any questions and/or would like to join us, please contact: Darcy Taiani - call or text: 724-840-0888 or email [darcytaiani@gmail.com](mailto:darcytaiani@gmail.com).



**In His Service  
October 2023**

Altar Guild	Marsha Dunn	Darcy Taiani
Newsletter Proofer	Hayley Lauritsen (Oct. 26th)	
Bulletin Assembly	Merilynn Sell	

<b>Oct. 1</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>
Elder	N/A	Bill Steele
Ushers	Chuck Russell	Hayley Lauritsen
Ushers	N/A	Rose Ruddick
Audio	Phil Harris	Darcy Taiani
Video	N/A	Fred Reimert

<b>Oct. 29</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>
Elder	N/A	Larry Laufer
Ushers	Ed Stedina	Hayley Lauritsen
Ushers	N/A	Bill Steel
Audio	Phil Harris	Linda Snyder
Video	N/A	Fred Reimer

<b>Oct. 8</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>
Elder	N/A	Neal Riley
Usher	Ed Stedina	Warren Gall
Ushers	N/A	Paul Jankowski
Audio	Don Piel	Julia Diem
Video	N/A	Tom Marquardt

<b>Oct. 15</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>
Elder	N/A	George Hulshart
Ushers	Pat Allison	Rose Ruddick
Ushers	N/A	Bill Steele
Audio	Phil Harris	Darcy Taiani
Video	N/A	Chuck Bumgarner

<b>Oct. 22</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>
Elder	N/A	Bill Steele
Ushers	Dave Bingham	Paul Jankowski
Ushers	N/A	Warren Gall
Audio	Don Piel	Julia Diem
Video	N/A	Tom Marquardt

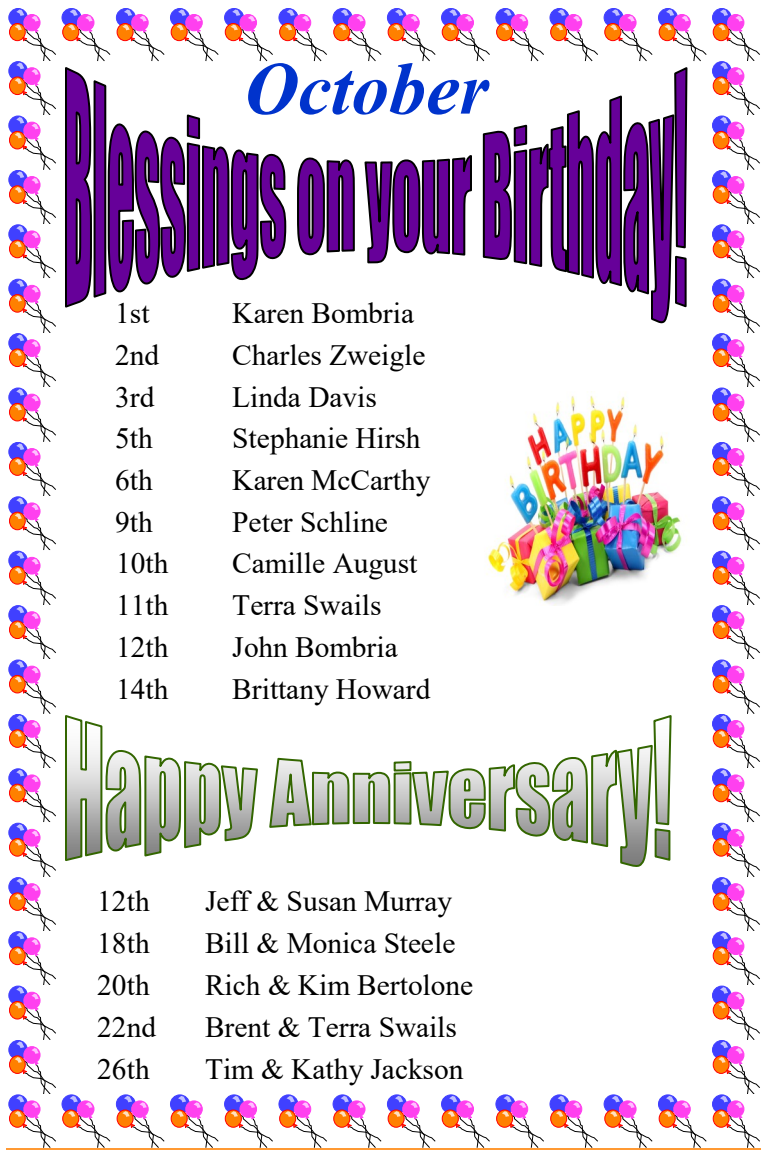
**Volunteers Needed**  
**Ushers (both services)**  
**Audio and Video (both services)**

Our church relies on volunteers to help us run our worship services smoothly. Without you, it would be difficult to do the many things we need to do. We are in need of volunteers to run the sound system (8am and 10:30am) and video (10:30am) services. Just one hour a month is all we're asking ~ male or female.

Please consider helping out with this important part of our worship services. We could always use more ushers for both services too, especially 10:30am.

Contact Bill Steele if you can help.  
Thank you!





# October Blessings on your Birthday!

- 1st Karen Bombria
- 2nd Charles Zweigle
- 3rd Linda Davis
- 5th Stephanie Hirsh
- 6th Karen McCarthy
- 9th Peter Schline
- 10th Camille August
- 11th Terra Swails
- 12th John Bombria
- 14th Brittany Howard



# Happy Anniversary!

- 12th Jeff & Susan Murray
- 18th Bill & Monica Steele
- 20th Rich & Kim Bertolone
- 22nd Brent & Terra Swails
- 26th Tim & Kathy Jackson

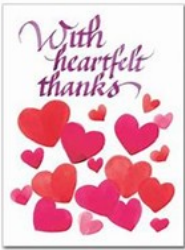
**Lutheran Hour Ministries** is a Recognized Service Organization (RSO) of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod. It provides various publications and Bible studies but its primary function is providing a weekly sermon for radio broadcast. The Lutheran Hour has been broadcast since 1933. You can listen to the Lutheran Hour on the radio every week. Stations & times are listed below.



WRNN	99.5	FM	Sun	5:00 AM
WRNN	99.5	FM	Sun	7:00 AM
WRNN	1450	AM	Sun	7:00 AM

Now, LHM has teamed up with WFAZ out of DC & they will broadcast **The Lutheran Hour on Sundays at 1:30 pm & 6:30 pm.** Even if you are not within their local listening area, just go to their website and listen online at <http://wfax.com/>.

## THANK YOU!



I would like to thank everyone who was involved in putting together the delicious food for my farewell luncheon and for all who attended on August 21<sup>st</sup>. It was a bit overwhelming that this was done for me and I am humbled and thankful for it and all of you. Deepest and heartfelt thanks for the cards and gifts.

May God bless you all!  
Carol Stocum

### Men's Fellowship

The Men's Fellowship group will meet on Tuesday, October 10<sup>th</sup>, at 11:30 am at the Veteran's Café, 3544 Northgate Dr., MB. All men are welcome to join them.

**Please note** that these meetings take place every **second** Tuesday of the month at 11:30 am at the *Veteran's Café*

### Family Game Night We've Moved the Day and Time!

There have been requests that we move the game night time to 4pm until 7pm so we can get to the church during daylight hours. We are also going to try Saturday.



So: Next game night is Saturday October 7, 4pm- 7pm. Finger food to share. Bring your favorite game or plan to learn a new one. See ya then!!!

## Altar Guild

If you are purchasing flowers for our altar, just a reminder, please use the Flower Fund envelopes from the Flower Chart bulletin board & place in the collection plate or drop off at the church office. The cost is \$35.00. If special flowers are requested, there may be an additional charge.

**Please do not put flower payments in weekly offering envelope.**

### Flower Chart 2023

The flower chart for 2023 is **posted** on the wall in the Narthex by the church entrance. **NOTE:** Highlighted dates are those within the seasons of Lent or Advent. During these times, we refrain from placing flowers on the altar out of reverence to our Lord and Savior. However, you may still purchase flowers in memory or honor of a loved one or special event and have them in the **Narthex** as well as listed in the weekly notes.

If you have any questions, please contact Marsha Dunn or Linda Snyder.

## Cancer Issues

**Linda G.**, Carol Stocum's goddaughter

**Ken**, Monica's brother

**Sami**, friend of Dave & Linda

**Terri**, Pat Allison's daughter

**Monica Steele**

**Mary**, friend of Paul & Jane

**Rev. John Kassouf**

**Pastor Omar Krieger**

**Matt**, Son of Tom & Pat

**Michael**, Lois' B-I-L

## Flowers purchased to the Glory of God for October, 2023

October 1 ~ Given in memory of loved ones, by Ed & Sylvia Stedina.

October 8~ Given in memory of his mother, Laura Hieber, by Al Hieber.

October 15 ~ Given in thanksgiving for their 54<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary, by Bill & Monica Steele.

October 22 ~ Available

October 29 ~ In loving memory of her mother, Jane Goodrich, 1 year in Heaven, by Hayley Lauritsen.

## For Healing

**Julia**, great-granddaughter of Al Stout

**Verlene**, sister of Myrle

**Ron**, Ed's Cousin

**Nick**, friend of Lois

**Glen**, Lois' brother

**Booker**, great grandson of Paul & Jane Jankowski

**Erin**, daughter of Lois Murphy

**Scott**, son of J.R.

**Pat Allison**

**Carol Boulet**

**Merle Falke**

**Mary Lee**

**Steven Rehm**

**Bob & Myrle Rumsey**

**Theresa Zweigle**

**Norm Boulet**

**Theresa Falke**

**Karen McCarthy**

**Marty Reynolds**

**Al Stout**



# Prayer Requests

## Thanksgiving

**Chloe Lydia Dunn**, new granddaughter of Marsha Dunn, born September 5<sup>th</sup>.

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Rev. Stephen Vogt, Vacancy Pastor

**Church**

843-236-1344

**Worship Schedule**

Sundays—8:00 am & 10:30 am

**Bible Study**

Sunday Morning Bible Study	9:15 am
Tuesday Morning Bible Study	9:00 am
Thursday Evening Women’s Bible Study	6:30 pm

