

#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

# Saturday, September 20, 2025 - Sunday, September 28, 2025

# **Saturday September 20**

6:00 pm Communion Worship led by Pastor Jim from Vermillion, SD

**Sunday September 21** 

9:30 am Communion Worship led by Pastor Jim from Vermillion, SD

10:30 am Coffee & Fellowship 10:45 am Sunday School

**Tuesday September 23** 

9:00 am Quilting

12:10 pm Noon Time Bible Study

**Friday September 26** 

(Church building is closed)

Saturday September 27

6:00 pm Worship led by Pastor Kari Foss, Aberdeen, SD

**Sunday September 28** 

9:30 am Worship led by Pastor Kari Foss, Aberdeen, SD

10:30 am Coffee & Fellowship 10:45 am Sunday School

## **Brown Bag Drive-Up Lunch**

Tuesday, October 7 from 11:00am-1:15pm

Drive up to the Iowa Ave. SE entrance from the north (3rd St)

Lunch includes a pork sandwich, chips, coleslaw, cookie, pickles, and water.

Price is \$10.00 (cash or check) [A 2nd sandwich may be added for an additional \$5.]

Sold by pre-orders only beginning Tuesday, September 17 (No early orders please.)

Call 605-354-5454 by Thursday, September 25 5:00pm.

We will gladly deliver to a business or residence with a minimum of 10 bag order.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS AT ALC**

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	CLC Annual Popcorn (& more!) Fundraiser
Friday & Saturday, November 14 & 15	Lefse Making
Saturday, December 6	Advent Brunch

#### **Thought to Ponder**

"Faith goes up the stairs that love has built and looks out the windows which hope has opened."

# AMERICAN LUTHERAN CHURCH SEPTEMBER 20 & 21, 2025 GUEST PASTOR THIS WEEK – JAMES 'JIM' FOWLER, VERMILLION, SD

If you would like to receive our American Lutheran Church weekly news via e-mail, please phone – 605-352-8514 extension 1 or e-mail us at alc@midconetwork.com.

Visit the ALC Website www.alc-huron.org

## **WORSHIP SCRIPTURE READINGS**

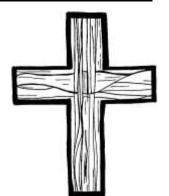
## Pentecost 15 September 20 & 21

1st Reading Amos 8:4-7
Psalm Psalm 113
2nd Reading 1 Timothy 2:1-7
Gospel Luke 16:1-13

## Pentecost 16 September 27 & 28

1<sup>st</sup> Reading Amos 6:1a, 4-7 Psalm Psalm 146 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading 1 Timothy 6:6-19

Gospel Luke 16:19-31



**Holy Communion** will be celebrated during both worship services this weekend. Please let those who are serving communion know if you would like to receive a **gluten-free** wafer and/or **white** grape juice located in the center of each cup tray.

**Church building will be closed** on Friday September 26.

Please contact Rosie at 605-354-5454 if you need to access the building.

In order to honor all the members of American Lutheran who have served in the military, we need your help. If you have served in any branch of the US military, please contact Bev Freng 605-350-0868 or Fern Marie Mattke 605-354-3787 and give them the branch of service and years served. You may also drop a note in the weekly offering if that is easier. Thank you for your help.

**Money Collected in the "Change Cans"** during worship now through December 31 will go to ALC Christian Learning Center to help them purchase a new laptop and educational toys. If you would like to support this ministry while worshipping remotely, please mail donations to the church office marked for the "CLC Change Can".

**QUILT SILENT AUCTION**: Due to the generosity of those who placed bids on the quilts made by our ALC Quilters, \$930 was raised! This will certainly help us replenish our quilting supplies so that we might continue this outreach ministry. Thank you to all who placed bids, you are certainly appreciated!

The Altar Flowers are given in memory of Herman & Jeanne Bauder.

**The Radio Broadcast** of the 9:30 am Sunday Worship service is given by the Anderson family in loving memory of Ila Anderson.

## **Open Altar Flowers and Radio Broadcast Dates**

Dates available to provide Altar Flowers are October 5, 12 & 19 and November 9, 16, 23 & 30

Dates available to provide Radio Broadcasts are September 28, October 12 and November 9, 16, 23 & 30

#### **ALC Christian Learning Center Preschool Happenings**

**We Are Learning...** Letters-Aa, Bb, Cc, Dd Shape-Heart, Numbers-1 & 2, Color-Purple **Bible Stories:** God is Our Creator **Bible Verse:** In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth (Genesis 1:1) **Classroom Visits:** SD Game, Fish and Parks Critter Box

**Do you love working with children?** The Christian Learning Center is looking for **Volunteers for our morning classes** (8:15-11:15am Monday-Thursday.) If you would like to help or have any questions, feel free to reach out to Nicole Gerber, CLC Director/Head Teacher, on her cell at 605-350-9308

Thank you to those who have donated **empty paper towel rolls, toilet paper rolls and wrapping paper rolls** to make log cabin playhouses for the classroom. Our pile of "logs" is really stacking up! Please continue to drop off your empty rolls in the donation box located in the Narthex or bring them to the CLC classroom.

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! What a wonderful week it has been! We had such an awesome crew join us on Monday to peel & dice vegetables, make soup, and set up the Fellowship Hall for our Fall Festival Soup Supper. Although our turnout was smaller than we hoped it would be, we still consider it a big success as the people that came (between 75-100) had a great time with lots of positive comments on the delicious soups, barbeques, and amazing pies and desserts. We had an abundance of food for sure and so we shared much of it with our local Salvation Army. They were delighted to receive it! We will also share some during our coffee/fellowship hour this Sunday. Our crew on Tuesday was also a wonderful group and the camaraderie & fellowship that was shared both days proved to be a blessing for all who participated. A financial report will hopefully be completed by next week. A special note of thanks to those who responded to the plea to help move all the extra tables around both for our meal and then to put the tables and the Archive Cabinet all back again to where they belonged following the supper. Thanks be to God for our brothers and sisters in Christ who attended the supper and/or supported & helped in any way.

#### **Brown Bag Lunch Volunteers Needed**

on Monday, October 6 and Tuesday, October 7 beginning at 9 am both days in the church Fellowship Hall. Unfrosted Cookie Donations are also needed.



If you wish to help, please fill out a "Brown Bag Volunteer Sign-Up" form located on Narthex & church office tables, place it in the offering plate as you enter the church or bring it to the church office. Questions, contact Rosie Harrington at 605-354-5454.

American Lutheran Church Women (ALCW) Update: There will not be an executive ALCW Board meeting in October - next board meeting will be Thursday, November 6 at 12:30 pm in the church Library.

All women of ALC are invited to join us on **Thursday, October 2 at 2:00 pm** in the dining room of Wellshire (formally The Village). We will have our monthly gathering with the residents there. There will not be a regular business meeting or formal Bible study. We will have a short program including devotions and then share fellowship and refreshments with the residents of Wellshire. If you have any questions, you may call Dorene Eckmann 605-461-9404. Do come and join us, we would love to have you come and share with us.



**Quilters** meet on Tuesdays at 9:00 am in the Youth Room. All are welcome to come and join us and stay as long as you are able. We take a few moments each week to enjoy a mid-morning coffee break. You do not need to know how to sew as there are many other things to do such as tie quilts, sort material, cut blocks, etc.

**Tuesday Noontime Bible Study** meets on Tuesdays at 12:10 pm. Our current series is "A Jesus-Shaped Life: Moving beyond facts to experience the fullness of God.". Inperson and online participation welcomed! Contact Kim Rieger if you have questions or to order a study guide.

Cares and concerns: If you are in need of a home visit, or know of someone who is sick or homebound and could benefit from a visit, please contact the church office at 605-352-8514 ext 1.

Home Communion: We are planning to begin home communion again at ALC on a regular monthly basis. If you are interested in delivering communion to members who are unable to attend worship or to make a prayer request., please contact our visitation/prayer chain coordinator Fern Marie Mattke at 605-354-3787

You are encouraged to take a **prayer list** from the narthex or church office tables and to include these brothers & sisters in Christ in your personal prayers throughout the week.

Our church services are livestreamed on Facebook." Our Sunday 9:30 am services are also broadcast on 95.3 KOKK radio, on the internet at <a href="https://huronradio.com">https://huronradio.com</a> and on our Facebook page: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/American-Lutheran-Church-105519481089895">https://www.facebook.com/American-Lutheran-Church-105519481089895</a>. You may also find a link to the service on our internet site at <a href="https://www.alc-huron.org">www.alc-huron.org</a>.

**Your regular offering is important!** Please consider mailing your offering to ALC 155 4<sup>th</sup> Street SE, Huron, SD 57350. You may also drop it off at the church office.