



**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**  
**Saturday, November 22, 2025 – Sunday, November 30, 2025**

**Saturday November 22**

6:00 pm      Worship

**Sunday November 23**

9:30 am      Worship  
 10:30 am      Coffee & Fellowship  
 10:45 am      Sunday School

***(November 24-26 ALC delivering Meals on Wheels this week)***

**Tuesday November 25**

9:00 am      Quilting  
 12:10 pm      Noon Bible Study

**Thursday November 27 Thanksgiving Day**

Church Building & Office Closed & No CLC Classes

**Friday November 28**

Church Office Closed & No CLC Classes  
 9:00 am      Decorate church sanctuary for the Advent & Christmas season

**Saturday November 29**

6:00 pm      Worship

**Sunday November 30**

*No Sunday School today*  
 9:30 am      Worship  
 10:30 am      Coffee & Fellowship with Huron Salvation Army Food Drive

**Please note:** ALC will not have a Thanksgiving Eve worship service (Wednesday, November 26) this year. You are invited to bring your Thanksgiving food pantry donations to the Narthex pantry collection box or to the church office during the month of November.

**UPCOMING EVENTS AT ALC**

**Saturday, December 6**-----Advent Brunch  
**Tuesday, December 9 & Thursday December 11**-----ALC CLC Christmas Programs  
**Sunday, December 14** -----ALC Sunday School Christmas Program  
**Monday, December 15**-----Christmas Cookie Deliveries  
**Tuesday, December 16**-----ALC CLC Day at Godfather's Pizza

**AMERICAN LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**NOVEMBER 22 & 23, 2025**

**GUEST PASTOR THIS WEEK – KARI SANSGAARD**

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](mailto:alc@midconetwork.com).

Visit the ALC Website [www.alc-huron.org](http://www.alc-huron.org)

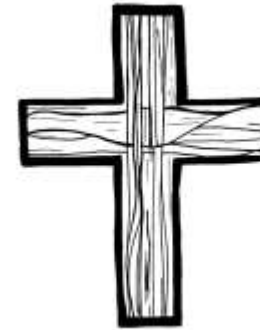
**WORSHIP SCRIPTURE READINGS**

**Christ the King November 22 & 23**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading    Jeremiah 23:1-6  
 Psalm            Psalm 46  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading    Colossians 1:11-20  
 Gospel           Luke 23:33-43

**Advent 1 November 29 & 30**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading    Isaiah 2:1-5  
 Psalm            Psalm 122  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading    Romans 13:11-14  
 Gospel           Matthew 24:36-44



**We would like to thank everyone** who assisted with our **Lefse Fundraising** efforts this past week. We had such an outstanding group of volunteers where we shared fun and fellowship that folks from all over town look forward to and support this effort. We made over 190 bags of lefse and **there are still some packages available**. If you would like to purchase a package, please contact Pam at 605-350-1428 to place your order. Thanks again and we will have a full breakdown of the sales and expenses when all of the packages are sold. Thanks again to everyone for their help and support. *American Lutheran Church Women.*

**Come, Join Us for our Annual Advent Brunch!** As Advent arrives and we prepare to celebrate the birth of the Christ Child, we invite you to join us for our annual Advent Brunch to be held **Saturday, December 6 at 10:00 am in Fellowship Hall**. We will enjoy fellowship, food, and entertainment. To make a reservation, to request a ride to the church and/or if you would like to help prepare, serve, or clean up, you are asked to either text or call: Bev Freng 605-350-0868 or Fern Marie Mattke 605-354-3787. There is no charge for the brunch. **We look forward to seeing you! All are welcome!**  
*(This event is being sponsored by our ALC Women and a Thrivent Action Team Grant.)*

**Advent & Christmas Season Decorating at ALC** On **Friday, November 28 at 9am**, we will be decorating church sanctuary for Advent & Christmas

season and on **Friday, December 5 at 9am**, we will decorate Fellowship Hall & bulletin boards for the Christmas season. We are in need of some helping hands (men and women) to accomplish this. Of course, we will take time out for coffee & fellowship. Come and stay for as long as you can. All help is welcome!



**The Altar Flowers** are given by Gene & Melinda Ellenson in celebration of their anniversary on November 29.

**The Radio Broadcast** of the 9:30 am Sunday Worship service is a gift from ALC Endowment Board spreading the good news to our listening audience.

### Open Altar Flowers and Radio Broadcast Dates

**Dates available to provide Altar Flowers are**  
December 24 & all of January & February

**Dates available to provide Radio Broadcasts are**  
December 7 & 28 and all of January & February



### ALC Christian Learning Center Preschool Happenings

**We Are Learning...** Letters- Jj, Kk, Ll, & Mm *Shape-Square, Numbers-5 & 6, Color-Red.* **Bible Stories:** Moses & the Red Sea  
**Bible Verse:** 'See how very much our Father loves us, for he calls us his children, and this what we are!' (1 John 3:1) **Activities last week:** Learning Christmas Concert songs, Craft time.

**The Annual CLC November Giving Trees** are up in the church Narthex and by the CLC entrance door. Everyone is invited to take handprints from the trees, purchase the items listed and return them to the trees, CLC or church office.

**SD Fall Popcorn Fundraiser:** We do have a few extras packages of popcorn, Macey's Mints and Taffy. Please contact CLC or stop by the classroom if you would like to buy something.

**Money Collected in the "Can for Cash for CLC"** so far is \$612.

If you have any questions about ALC CLC, please feel free to reach out to me via email at [clc.alc@midconetwork.com](mailto:clc.alc@midconetwork.com) or by phone (605)352-8514 extension 2.

Ms. Nicole, ALC CLC Director

We are collecting food & monetary donations for the **Huron Salvation Army Food Pantry** during the month of November. A list of the most needed items may be picked up on the Narthex & office tables. Thanks to an anonymous donor, the first \$200 of cash donations will be matched. We will also be accepting food and cash donations during the Coffee & Fellowship hour following morning worship on **Sunday, November 30.**

Please place your food items in the marked boxes in the Narthex or bring to the Nov 30 Coffee event. You may also drop off donations at the church office.  
(Food Pantry Drive is supported by a Thrivent Action Team Grant.)



**The American Lutheran Church Women (ALCW) & ALCW Executive Board** will meet again on Thursday, December 4.



**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.". In-person and online participation welcomed! Contact Kim Rieger if you have questions or to order a study guide.

### **Lutherans Outdoors South Dakota '300 Camp For All' Fund**

Your gift helps cover the cost of registration for children, youth, and families in need, ensuring that everyone can experience the joy, growth, and community of camp. To donate, please fill out a Gift Intent form located on the Narthex & office tables.

LO Summer 2026 Camping Registration is now open.

Popular dates fill up fast so you are encouraged not to wait too long to register.



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.

If you are interested in delivering **home 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 <https://huronradio.com> and on our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/American-Lutheran-Church-105519481089895>. You may also find a link to the service on our internet site at [www.alc-huron.org](http://www.alc-huron.org).

**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.

### Thought to Ponder

"The hardest arithmetic to master is that which enables us to count our blessings."