

The God who hears and Acts

10/5: Manna in the wilderness Exodus 16:1-18

10/12: God Calls Samuel. 1 Samuel 3:1-21

10/19: God Calls David 1 Samuel 16:1-13; Psalm 51:10-14

Prayers - If you would like to have a prayer request shared with the congregation in a public manner, please email them to Deb Curtis by Thursday at 9 am rcdciowa@gmail.com. Email private prayer requests to Pastor Joel: pastorjoel@reachingoutinlove.org. Pastor Joel will share these latter requests with the prayer team.

Please Pray for:

Ginger Berggeson, Andria Huisden Brown, Crue Bucknell & Family, Phyllis Chenoweth (Judy Linsenbardt's sister), Suzanne Cook (Dee Ann's friend), Pamela Dawson, Laverne Edwards who has cancer (sister-in-law of Khane Williams), Joy Evenson, Lynn Vallandingham's sister, Wanda Brenner's friend Ashley Evers for breast cancer, Dean Godsy, Carol Howard suffering with kidney disease waiting to be put on transplant list. Marica Kennison, David Kruse, Frankie Lindquist, Chip Long, Brittney & Hunter Mahon (DeeAnn), Kay Mason, Gordie Menken, Jim Morris, McKenna Mortimer & Family, Fred Naes, Bruce and Linda Petersen, Pastor Scott for continued recovery, Kirstin Sanning (Linda Petersen's daughter), Scarlet, Marilyn Thomas (Judy Linsenbardt's sister), and Steve Walker.

(Names on this list for more than one month are removed at the end of each month unless an extension is requested.)

Military Safety: Dylan Benedict, Mason Brenner, Cassidy Culver, Lucas Frey, Lewis Kempker and Weston Herman.

Flowers: The flowers today are in celebration of Doc & Jan's 57th Anniversary.

You can contribute flowers for our altar in honor or memory of someone, to celebrate an event, or to the glory of God. A flower chart is located at the Information Center. Please indicate if you want live flowers, at a cost of \$45 provided by River City Florists or silk flowers at a cost of \$15. If choosing silk flowers, let Linda Petersen know your preferred arrangement.

OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH



I am the vine; you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing. (John 15:5)

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Calendar for the Week of 09/28/2025

Sunday:	09:00 a.m.	Classic Worship in the Worship Center
	10:00 a.m.	Brunch in the Fellowship Hall
	10:30 a.m.	Modern Worship in the Worship Center*
	10:30 a.m.	Children's Worship, upstairs to the right*
Wednesday:	07:00 p.m.	Choir Practice
	07:00 p.m.	Praise Band Rehearsal
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	10:00 a.m.	Brunch in the Fellowship Hall
	10:30 a.m.	Modern Worship in the Worship Center*
	10:30 a.m.	Children's Worship, upstairs to the right*

WE NEEDED YOU & YOU STEPPED UP! Trivia Night was a *WONDERFUL TIME & A SUCCESSFUL EVENING* but only because so many people stepped up when asked! From the amazing Italian food, desserts and salads to Marjorie's incredible pie auction it was *NOT* trivial but top notch family fun - only because so many people said YES to providing whatever help they could. We even had non-members providing food!! Always generous--this congregation NEVER DISAPPOINTS! **THANK YOU - THANK YOU - THANK YOU!** **BOTTOM LINE - WE DID GOOD!**

Please patronize our amazing sponsors who provided the fabulous team and door prizes this year for Trivia Night 2025! Before it was over with, we handed out nearly \$900 in gift cards & prizes! The people to thank when you go in for a visit are: **Arris' Pizza--Big Whiskeys--Big O Tires --Carrie's Hallmark--Colton's Steak House--Culver's--Dairy Queen--Domenico's Italian Restaurant--Longhorn Steakhouse--Mel's Diner--Plate & Pour Bakery & Coffee--Starbuck's--River City Florist--Southbank Gift Co. --Walmart--Target--West Main Pizza!** Please remember when you are out and about, stop in, ask for a manager or owner and tell them how much you appreciate and just wanted to acknowledge their support! We couldn't have done it without them!

Trinity Lutheran Church of Russelville, MO is having an Apple Pie Sale! Delicious Homemade pies for Sale just in time for Fall. Taking preorders in September for October pick up dates! 10 dollars each or buy 5 and get 1 free. Call 573-782-4631 for inquiries

Welcome back Luke! Many of you know we have a member who plays a little basketball and wandered away to Oklahoma. But now Luke Northweather is returning home to play for MU Tigers! We are looking at getting a group of church members together to welcome him home at his first game as a Tiger. The game is scheduled for November 7. There is a sign-up sheet at the information booth if you are interested in attending. Details will be available once we determine how many are interested in attending. See Wayne Sharp if you have questions.

Bible Studies: All Are Welcome!! – Both of these bible studies are held once a month and make use of the ELCA Gather magazine bible study which is geared towards women. The Tamar bible study meets at church and the Circle meets at our individual homes. Please make time in your schedule to attend and if you have any questions, please contact Gloria Sharp at (573)462-9758 or Deb Curtis at (573)338-3779 for details.

Tamar Circle: Meets the last Tuesday of the month at 9:30 a.m. This meeting is on hiatus for now, until Gretchen Mueller returns in September.

Hannah Circle: We will be meeting on October 14th @ 7pm. It will be at Gloria Sharp's, 1702 Canterbury Road, Jefferson City, Mo.

September Stewardship Verse: – Proverbs 16:3 – 3 Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and he will establish your plans.

Singing Alert! Our Savior's Singers [the choir] meet on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the upper level corner room. Every voice and person are most welcome to join. In our busy world we sometimes forget to take time to do the things our Gracious God would have us to do. Singing might be just what you need. If you have questions, catch me at church or shoot me an email at janzstudio09@gmail.com OR just show up!

Calendars: The Women are once again selling wall calendars. You may purchase these calendars in the narthex for \$10.00.

Chili Supper Sunday October 5, 2025 3:30-6:30 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Loman, MO. Featuring: Chili, Chicken Noodle Soup, Sandwiches, pies and cakes. Country Store- Crafts

Next Scripture Study Surprised By Joy by N.T. Wright: Many Christians believe our future in heaven is all that really matters. But that's not what the Bible teaches. Premier Bible scholar N. T. Wright brings you inside the Scriptures to grasp the full, breathtaking hope Jesus offers the world, and its impact on your life today. Gain an exciting new vision for your life on earth in light of your future in heaven. Wonderful as is the promise of heaven, a glorious hereafter is just part of what salvation is about. What about today? Jesus called his followers the salt of the earth and the light of the world. Your life here and now is of tremendous consequence, and what you believe about the future has a direct impact on how you live in the present. Starting ***October 9th at 6 p.m.*** and over 6 sessions we will be going through the study Surprised by Joy by N.T. Wright to better understand how God's salvation plays itself out in our lives here on earth.

LCFS tailgate info: The countdown is on! In just a few weeks, Lutheran Family and Children's Services will open its doors in Columbia to celebrate an incredible milestone—30 years of service and impact in Mid-Missouri. Since 1995, LFCS has walked alongside children, families, and individuals through some of life's most difficult challenges, offering support, compassion, and hope. Now it's time to come together as a community to honor all that has been accomplished and to look ahead to the future.

The Tailgate & Celebrate event will take place on Friday, October 10th, from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the LFCS Mid-Missouri office located at 916 Bernadette Drive in Columbia. The celebration is free to attend and will feature food and drinks, family-friendly activities, raffles, special guests, and tours of the office. It will be a joyful afternoon of reflection and connection, recognizing the many lives touched by LFCS over the past three decades.

Calvin's Closet Update: I have always known that this was the most amazing & generous congregation anywhere, but you really proved it in the way you stepped up for teenagers in need at Capital City High School! It took a truck and an SUV to get all the items for Calvin's closet to the school! **Thank you, thank you, thank you** for your generosity in the donated clothing, food and hygiene products! Additionally, we collected \$500 for the organizers of Calvin's closet to purchase coats and shoes in the right sizes as the need arises. Turn to your neighbor and pat yourselves on the back! What a wonderful act of kindness!