

Saint Luke is traditionally identified as the author of both the Gospel of Luke and the Acts of the Apostles. Many scholars believe that Luke was a physician who lived in the Greek city of Antioch in Ancient Syria. His feast day is commemorated on October 18th.



Saint Luke Displaying a Painting of the Virgin, Giovanni Francesco Barbieri, called Guercino, 1652-1653

Inspired by Christ, living and growing in faith, we are a loving and open community of worship, witness, and service in God's world.



Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship Psalm 124 Please stand as you are able.

✤ Gathering ✤

Following the call of God's Spirit, the community of faith gathers, welcoming one another and praying for God's mercy to fill the church and the world.We invite you to use the prelude time to prepare your heart and mind for worship.

Bryllupsdag på Troldhaugen (Wedding Day at Troldhaugen) Edvard Grieg (1843-1907)

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If it had not been the LORD who was on our side let Israel now say **if it had not been the LORD who was on our side, when our enemies attacked us,** then they would have swallowed us up alive,

when their anger was kindled against us;

then the flood would have swept us away,

the torrent would have gone over us;

then over us, would have gone the raging waters.

Blessed be the LORD,

who has not given us as prey to their teeth. We have escaped like a bird from the snare of the fowlers; the snare is broken, and we have escaped.

Our help is in the name of the LORD,

who made heaven and earth.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit

As it was in the beginning is now and will be forever. Amen.

Gathering Hy



Gathering Hymn	Great Is Thy Faithfulness ELW # 733			
	1 Great is thy faith - ful-ness, O God my Fa - ther; there is no 2 Sum-mer and win - ter and 3 Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur - eth, thine own dear			
	shad-ow of turn-ing with thee; thou chang-est not, thy com- stars in their cours-es a - bove guide; thou chang-est not, thy com- pres-ence to cheer and to guide; strength for to - day and bright			
	pas-sions they fail not; man - i - fold wit-ness hope for to - mor-row, bless-ings all mine, with ten thou-sand be - side!			
	Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Morn-ing by			
	morn-ing new mer-cies I see; all I have need - ed thy			
	hand hath pro - vid - ed; great is thy faith-ful-ness, Lord, un - to me.			
Apostolic Greeting	 Music: FAITHFULNESS, William M. Runyan, 1870–1957 Text and music © 1923, ren. 1951 Hope Publishing Company, Carol Stream, IL 60188. All rights reserved. Used by permission. P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. C: And also with you. 			
Prayer of the Day	Almighty God, you inspired your servant, Luke to reveal in his gospel the love and healing power of your Son. Give your church the same love and power to heal, and to proclaim your salvation among the nations to the glory of your name, through Jesus Christ, your Son, our healer, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen			

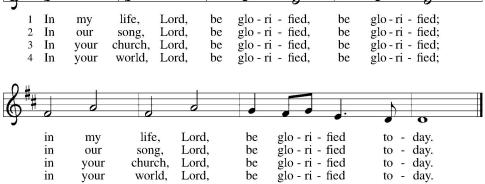
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₩ Word ₩

The Word of God comes alive for the gathered community. As God speaks to us in scriptures read, sung and preached.

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Lord Be Glorified W&P 89



Text: Bob Kilpatrick, b. 1952

Music: BE GLORIFIED, Bob Kilpatrick Text and music © 1978 Bob Kilpatrick Music, assigned 1998 to The Lorenz Corporation. All rights reserved.

⁸Bring forth the people who are blind, yet have eyes, who are deaf, yet have ears!
⁹Let all the nations gather together, and let the peoples assemble.
Who among them declared this, and foretold to us the former things?
Let them bring their witnesses to justify them, and let them hear and say, "It is true.'
¹⁰You are my witnesses, says the LORD, and my servant whom I have chosen, so that you may know and believe me and understand that I am he.
Before me no god was formed, nor shall there be any after me.
¹¹I, I am the LORD, and besides me there is no savior.
¹²I declared and saved and proclaimed, when there was no strange god among you; and you are my witnesses, says the LORD.
¹³I am God, and also henceforth I am He; there is no one who can deliver from my hand; I work and who can hinder it?

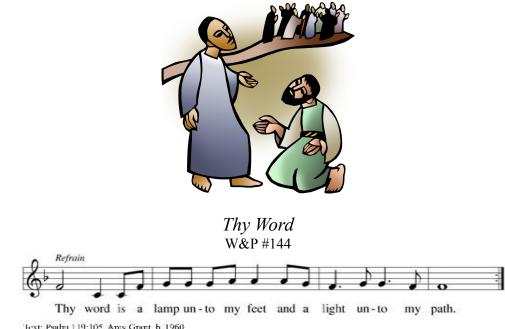
- R: Word of God, Word of Life.
- C: Thanks be to God.

Children's Message

Children's Dismissal Song



Reading Isaiah 43:8-13 Set in the framework of a court of law, this poem describes God calling Israel to the witness stand to testify to the fact that God alone is the true God.



Text: Psalm 119:105. Amy Grant, b. 1960 Music: THY WORD, Michael W. Smith, b. 1957

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventeenth chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

¹¹On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹²As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³they called out, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!" ¹⁴When he saw them, he said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶He prostrated himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷Then Jesus asked, "Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? ¹⁸Was none of them found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹Then he said to him, "Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well."

P: The Gospel of Our Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon *Please be seated.*

Gospel Verse

as you are able.

Luke 17:11-19

A Samaritan leper

becomes a model for

thanksgiving. He does not take for granted

the kindness shown to

him but takes time to

thank Jesus and to

glorify God.

Please stand

Gospel

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Following the sermon, we will take a moment of silence to reflect on today's gospel message.

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Hymn of the Day Please stand as you are able.



When Memory Fades ELW # 792			
1 When mem-'ry fades, 2 As frail-ness grows, 3 With - in your Spir - it, good-ness lives un - fad - ing.			
when eyes we love grow dim, and minds con-fused, in wea - ry arms which worked their ear - nest fill, The past and fu - ture min - gle in - to one.			
speak to our souls your ag - ing ser - vants la - bor now to fin - ish All joys re - main, un - shad-owed light per - vad - ing.			
speak to our hearts, by pain and fear a - bused. their earth - ly tasks, as fits your mer - cy's will. No val - ued deed will ev - er be un - done.			
O God of life We grieve their wan - ing, Your mind en - folds - all fi - nite acts and off-'rings.			
with pa - tient your arms, un - wea - ried, shall up - hold Held in your heart, our death-less life is won.			
Text: Mary Louise Bringle, b. 1953 Music: FINLANDIA, Jean Sibelius, 1865–1957 Text © 2002 GIA Publications, Inc. 7404 S. Mason Ave., Chicago, IL 60638. www.giamusic.com 800.442.3358 All rights reserved. Used by permission. Outside USA: Music © Breitkopf & Härtel, Wiesbaden.			

Prayers of the Church	P: Holy God, your Spirit came upon us in the waters of baptism and brought us into the communion of saints. Renew in us the grace of baptism, by which we share in Christ's death and resurrection.		
	A brief silence.		
	A: Mighty God, your Son Jesus brought healing and wholeness to all. Bring your healing presence now to all who are sick or in pain. Grant hope to all who are discouraged or in despair. Lord in your mercy		
	C: hear our prayer.		
	A: Compassionate God, the strength of those who suffer, bring hope and peace to all who are in mental, physical, or spiritual distress. Lord in your mercy,		
	C: hear our prayer.		
	A: Almighty God, source of human knowledge, give skill, wisdom, and compassion to all who provide medical care. Lord in your mercy,		
	C: hear our prayer.		
	A: Loving God, our creator and redeemer, give gentleness and courage to family members, friends, and caregivers of those who suffer. Lord in your mercy,		
	C: hear our prayer.		
	A: God of great and abundant mercy, with your presence sustain all for whom we pray. Drive away their suffering, give them firm hope, and strengthen their trust in you; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.		
	C: Amen.		
Laying on of Hands	P: Sisters and brothers, I invite you to come and receive a sign of healing and wholeness in the name of the triune God.		
Rest	P: Trusting in the transformative power of God's loving Spirit, let us pray for the church, the world, and all in need. Let us pray		
	Living God, through the laying on of hands, grant comfort in suffering to all who are in need of healing. When they are afraid, give them courage; when afflicted, give them patience; when dejected, give them hope; and when alone, assure them of the support of your holy people. We ask this through		
	Christ our Lord.		
	C: Amen.		

Greeting of Peace | P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

After the greeting, please share a word of peace with your neighbors.

✤ Offering ♣

Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church is supported through the generous gifts of time, talent and treasure of our friends and members. In order to fulfill our mission and ministry, we need to receive approximately \$6,000 in offerings each week. We thank you for your support and partnership in the proclamation of the good news.



Anthem

If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee Georg Neumark arr. Jody W. Lindh

If Thou but suffer God to guide thee and hope in him through all thy ways. He'll give thee strength, what e'ebe tide thee, And bear the through the evil days; Who trust in God's unchanging love Build on the Rock that naught can move.

Only be still and wait His leisure in cheerful hope with heart content. To take what e're the Father's pleasure And all discerning love hath sent; No doubt our inmost wants are known to Him who chose us for His own.

Sing, pray, and keep His ways unswerving, In all thy labor faithful be, and trust His word; though undeserving, Thou yet shalt find it true for thee. God never will forook in need The soul that trusts in Him indeed. Offertory Please stand as you are able.



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•	Give thanks with a grate - ful heart, give thanks to the Ho - ly One,
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J	And now let the weak say, "I am strong," let the poor say, "I am
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	rich," be-cause of what the Lord has done for us. Give thanks!
	Henry Smith 2: GIVE THANKS, Henry Smith
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Offertory Prayer

- Christ, our Savior.
- C: Amen.

	₩ Meal ₩
	We lift our hearts with praise and thanksgiving as the table is set, and we receive the bread and wine—the humble meal through which we are fed by the presence of Jesus the Christ and united as the body of Christ in the world.
Great Thanksgiving	 P: The Lord be with you. C: And also with you. P: Lift up your hearts. C: We lift them to the Lord. P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
	 C: It is right to give our thanks and praise. P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joywe praise your name and join their
You Are Holy ELW #525 Sing twice. First time in unison. Second time:	Du är he - lig, du är hel. Du är all - tid myck-et mer You are ho - ly, you are whole. You are al - ways ev - er more
Lectern side begins with Part 1, Pulpit side begins with Part 2.	än vi nån - sin kan för - stå, du är nä - ra än - då. than we ev - er un-der - stand. You are al - ways at hand.
	Väl - sig - nad va - re du som kom - mer hit just nu, Bless-ed are you com-ing near. Bless - ed are you com-ing here
	väl - sig - na - de vår jord, blir till bröd på vår jord. to your church in wine and bread, raised from soil, raised from dead.
	Du är he - lig, du är hel - het, You are ho - ly, you are whole - ness,
	du är när - het you are pres - ent. he - la kos - mos lo - var dig! Let the cos - mos praise you, Lord!
	Ho - si - an - na, $Sing ho - san - na$ $ho - si - an - na,$ $in the high - est!$
	ho - si - an - na, Sing ho - san - na! ho - si - an - na vår Gud. Sing ho - san - na to our God!
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Words of Institution

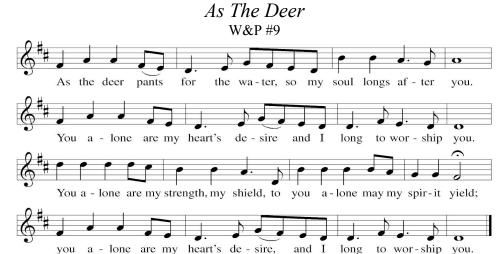
Lord's Prayer C: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Invitation to Communion Please be seated



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Post-Communion Blessing Please stand as you are able. P: Come to me all who are tired and heavy laden, and I will give you rest. The table has been prepared. All are welcome.



Morgenstemning (Morning Mood) from Peer Gynt Suite Nº 1, Op. 46 Edvard Grieg (1843-1907)

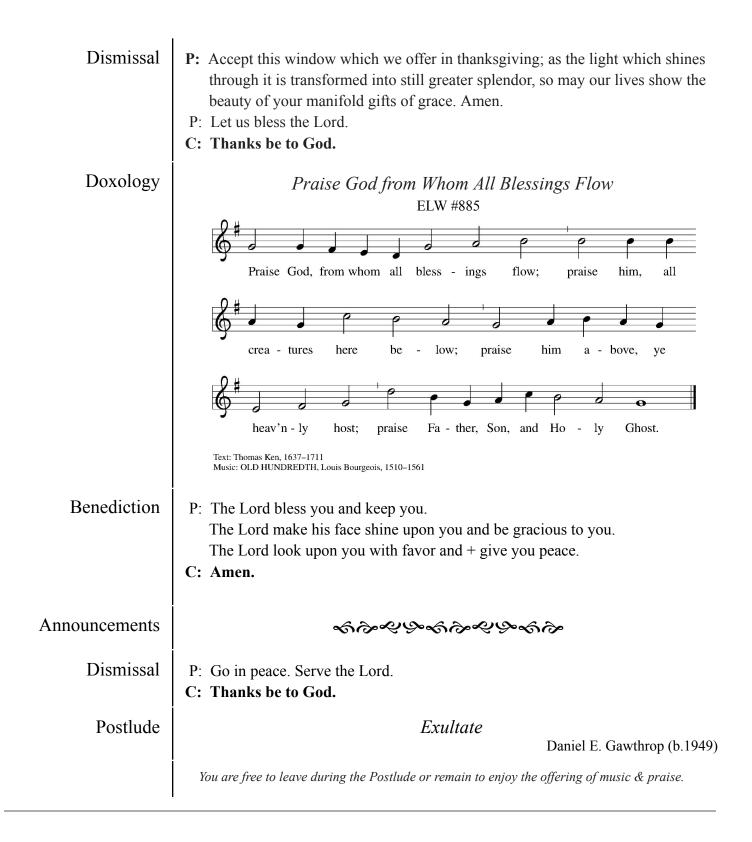
Holy Communion will begin in the front of the church, nearest where the pastor and assisting minister will distribute the bread and wine. Please take either a glass of red wine or white grape juice from the full tray and place your emptied glass into the extra tray which is in front of the first pew.

Your offerings will also be received as the usher directs you toward the front of the church for communion.

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer	 A: Blessed be your name, O God, for we have feasted on your Word, Christ the joy and delight of our hearts. Strengthened by this food, send us to gat the world to your banquet, where none are left out and all are satisfied. In Jesus' name we pray. C: Amen. 				
	We receive the blessing of God and leave in peace, Sent out to live the way of Jesus for the sake of the world God loves.				
Blessing of the Window of the Ark					
Window of the Ark of the Covenant	 P: Brothers and sisters in Christ: Today we seek God's blessing as we gather with thankfulness to rededicate this stained glass window which witnesses to the mystery of faith and the glory of God. P: All your works praise you, O Lord. C: And your faithful servants bless You. P: Throughout the generations, men and women have confessed your mystery and love and power. Today we witness again to our faith and trust in you. C: We believe in God: who befriended a wandering people, calling them from slavery into freedom; yet who in Rahab, Tamar, Ruth, Bathsheba, Cyrus, Darius, and many others called outsiders to be agents of God's purpose. We believe in Jesus: who was revered by Persian sages, sought and found asylum in Egypt, preached the love of God to Syrians, attracted Greeks to his cause, found his first evangelist in a Samaritan, saw incomparable faith in a Roman, had his cross shouldered by a Libyan, and ascended above his native land that he might be present in all places. We believe in the Holy Spirit: who at Pentecost proved that heaven has no favored mother-tongue; who, in the baptism of an Ethiopian, denied racism a foothold in faith; and who, in the ancient and modern worlds, founded churches in different cultures. We believe that God is supremely known in Jesus. Yet we affirm that God is present among people who do not own Christ as their Lord. We believe that the kingdom of God is bigger than the Church, and that the love of God is beyond understanding. Therefore we celebrate that God's ways are not our ways, that God knows whom God chooses, and reserves the right to surpass all human expectation. Blessed be God forever. 				



WELCOME

We thank you for celebrating the love of Jesus Christ with us this week, and we invite you back again for prayer and worship. We will continue to have Sunday services online. We hope the message of God's grace will guide and strengthen you as you grow in love and faith in your daily life.

Your Worship Leaders Today	Pastor	
	Organist	Dr. Kristina Rizzotto
	Worship Assistant	Mary Sabatke
	Communion Assistant	Michelle McCreery
	Altar Servers	Cathy Carlson & Kathy Hering
	Reader	Kathy Fredell
	Usher	Ellie Holmquist
	Coffee Hosts	Linda Nelson & Mary Jubenville
	Worship Tech Assistant	Jim Olson
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Staff	Pastor	Rev. Dr. Arden D. Haug
	Director of Music	Dr. Kristina Rizzotto
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	Design & Communication Director	Michelle McCreery
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Worship is live-streamed each week & remains available for viewing on www.youtube.com/@LOTIChurch.

CALENDAR

Sunday, Oct 22	9:30 am	Worship with Holy Communion	Sanctuary & YouTube
	10:30 am	Coffee Hour	Fellowship Hall
Monday, Oct 23	11:00 AM	Norwegian Glee Club	Fellowship Hall
	6:30 pm	Hymnus Angelicus	2nd Floor Large Group
	7:00 pm	AA	Fellowship Hall
	7:00 pm	Prayer Group	Zoom
Tuesday, Oct 24	11:00 AM	Kenwood School luncheon	Fellowship Hall
	4:00 pm	John Riley Memorial	Patio
	7:00 pm	Men's AA	Patio/Fellowship Hall
	7:00 pm	AA/Recovery & Spirituality	Christy Room
Wednesday, Oct 25	10:00 AM	Bible Study	Library
	12:00 pm	Staff Meeting	Christy Room
	6:00pm	Confirmation Dinner	Library
	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Thursday, Oct 26	12:00 pm	Al Anon	Fellowship Hall
	7:00 pm	Church Council	Christy Room
	7:30 pm	Growlers & Theology	Parsonage
Friday, Oct 27	5:00 pm	Women's Book Club	Home of Deb Gilroy
Sunday, Oct 29	9:30 am	Confirmation Service with Holy	
		Communion	Snctuary & YouTube
		Sunday School	Sunday School Rooms
	10:30 am	Coffee Hour	Fellowship Hall
	4:00 pm	Friends of the WildFlower Garden Event	Fellowship Hall

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayer List

Please keep the following friends & members of our community of faith in your prayers of thanksgiving or for comfort, peace, and healing:



Kathy Dahl, daughter of Phyllis Dahl; Marta Brown, daughter of Liz & Mike Brown; Graham Rawle, friend of Mark Duff & Michelle McCreery; Matthew Moen; Anna Lena Skold; Trygve Svard; David Zarling, friend of Kathy & Mark Hering; Sam Pederson, nephew of Jennifer Cook; Beth Addington & Elizabeth Muench, friends of the congregation; Natalie Mozey, daughter of Alan & Mary Poulsen; Bunny & David Anderson, sister & brother-in-law of John Bergford; David Cook, brother of Jenny Cook; Kathy Sawyer, niece of Philip Friedlund, Joey Juras & Fitz Loula, friends of the Gruys family; Dona Duff, mother of Mark Duff; Alison Reagon, friend of Mark Duff & Michelle McCreery; Lyle Kuehn, brother-in-law of Carol Kuehn, Amanda Frahm, sister-in-law of John & Alyson Frahm; Nancee Nelson, friend of Michelle McCreery.

Meditation

LOTI is available during office hours for a time of quiet meditation. You can use the sanctuary to spend time in prayer, light a candle, listen to recorded sacred music, and/or use a guided meditation tool. Please call the church office to reserve a time.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Isaac Carlson 10/22 Patience Rustad 10/23 Claire Jacoby 10/27

Kid Worship Materials

Kid worship materials are available in the Narthex (back of Sanctuary). Crayon packets and a variety of coloring pages and activity sheets are available for your children to enjoy during worship.

Nursery in the Christy Room

Parents with little ones are welcome to use the Nursery, as needed. Ushers can help you with directions or simply follow the signs provided in the back of the Sanctuary. The livestream of the service will be playing in the Christy Room for you to view.

Growlers & Theology Thursday, October 26th 7:30 PM Parsonage

The informal study of theology with *adult beverages* continues this fall. Following the model of Luther in his home in Wittenberg, Germany, Pastor Haug leads a monthly gathering. <u>pastor@loti.org</u>

Women's Book Club Friday, October 27th 5:00 PM

Home of Deb Gilroy

Our book for this month is *The Hiding Place* by Corrie ten Boom, a Dutch watchmaker who became a heroine of the Resistance, a survivor of Hitler's concentration camps, and one of the most remarkable evangelists of the twentieth century. Join us! Bring a snack to share if you like... debra.gilrov@gmail.com

Winter Gear Drive Begins Next Week October 29th

Please consider donating gently used or new winter gear to help those less fortunate stay warm this winter. We need winter coats, boots, snow pants, hats, gloves, scarves and socks for ALL AGES. There will be collection bins at both entrances to the Sanctuary. Our drive will end on November 12. Donations will go to Project for Pride in Living.

All Saints Sunday November 5th

We will celebrate All Saints on Sunday, November 5th. If there is a loved one in your family or a friend who has died in the past year, please contact the church office with the name of your loved one so that we can include them in the time of remembrance during this service.



Poinsettia Orders Due Monday, November 6th

An order form is in your bulletin today to order a poinsettia for Christmas. You may order online using the QR code or go to <u>myvanco.com</u>

Single Stem: red or white – \$10.25 Double Stem: red or white – \$16.50

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Saint Martin Fest Dinner Saturday, November 11th 5:00 PM Fellowship Hall

Please join us for this special *Oktoberfest* style, family friendly German festival.

Children will be invited to pose with the Roman soldier St. Martin and sit upon his horse. This year the adults, as well as the children, will be encouraged to participate in the St. Martin's parade of lanterns and follow St. Martin. Music will be provided by accordionist Mark Stillman. The St. Martin Dinner is the culmination of our winter clothes drive for *Project for Pride for Living*.

New Member Sunday November 12th

New members to Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church will be received on Sunday, November 12th. Please contact the church office if you would like to be welcomed as a member.



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