A few questions and ideas to consider throughout the week…

What parallels do you see between our first reading and Micah 6:8? Why does God say "I hate, despise your festivals" and to "take away from me the noise of your songs"? With whom do you most identify in the parable of the 10 bridesmaids? How does it impact your perception of the story when you read it from a different point of view?

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**New Five-Week Bible Study**

What do we, as Lutheran Christians, do with the verses in the bible that often get used to condemn the LGBTQIA+ community? Join the RIC team after worship on November 1, 8, 15, and 22 as we answer that by diving into the bible. Each session is standalone, so come for as much or as little as you can.

**Serving at MTKO**

SoH will be serving at MTKO next on Friday, November 13th. To sign-up to donate food items or to volunteer, see the binder in the lobby. Please deliver your items to the church by Wednesday evening, November 11.

**Scan here for our mobile donation site:**

Please pray for our Spirit of Hope family and friends. In the Military:
*Stephen Austria; Peyton Lange (grandson of Chuck & Marcia Carlson); and Ross Witters (son of Nancy Witters)*
*Prison Ministry: Pr. Rob Corum*

**Prayer Requests - Padlet**

The easiest way to get to our Padlet Prayer Request is the link in our Spirit of Hope app for your smart device! Once you launch the Spirit of Hope app you will find the link near the middle labeled: "Padlet Prayer Request". You may use your smart device to scan this QR code to connect to Padlet Prayer Requests.

**Connect with Spirit of Hope**

Use this QR Code below to let us know you'd like to hear from someone at Spirit of Hope.

Council Member Available Today
Cindy Grothen

Altar Flowers sponsored by
the Wienhold Family
in honor of Joel's birthday

**November 8, 2026**
**10:00 am**

# Today's Worship

Welcome

Songs: *Come Now is the Time to Worship; Cry of My Heart*

Call to Worship

Prayer of the Day

Greeting

Song: *How Can It Be*

Scripture Readings: Amos 5:18-24; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18; Matthew 5:1-12

Children's Message — Pam Bencken

Message: "Prioritizing Lamp Maintenance" — Pr Day Hefner

Song: *Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers, ELW#244*

Affirmation of Faith

Offering

Confession & Forgiveness

Communion: Remember Me

Song: *Let Us Break Bread Together, ELW#471*

Prayers & Lord's Prayer

Ministry Opportunities

Blessing

Song: *Lifesong*

Dismissal

Below is a list of bible studies, meetings, and events. To view a complete list and details please visit our website or mobile app.

**Group Bible Studies -**
11/8 @ 11am – Reconciling Scripture for Lutherans Book Study
11/12 @ 6:30pm – Gather Bible Study
11/15 @ 11am – Reconciling Scripture for Lutherans Book Study
11/15 @ 7pm—Everyday Spirituality

**Youth Faith Formation -**
11/8 @ 11am—Fellowship Sunday
11/8 @ 6:30pm—Confirmation

**Group Meetings -**
11/16 @ 1:30pm – FALC Drum Circle
11/16 @ 6:30pm—Piecemakers Quilting

**Upcoming Worship & Events -**
11/12 @ 10am - FALC Worship
11/13 @ 5pm – Serving a meal at MTKO
11/15 @ 10am—In-person and Livestream Worship
11/19 @ 10am – FALC Worship
11/22 @ 10am – In-person & Livestream Worship

