WELCOME

Advent | Christmas|Epiphany|Lent|Easter | **Pentecost**

To our visitors We are glad you have joined us to share in the gifts of our gracious Lord as we worship Him together in spirit and truth by receiving His Word and Sacraments. We invite you to pick up information and our Wittenberg Way newsletter at our welcome desk. If you have questions concerning the Christian faith or the Lutheran tradition, please let us know as our pastor would love to speak with you.

Children are welcome in our services Grace is a church family and we believe like any family we learn by doing things together. Bulletins are available for children that coincide with the liturgical calendar and scripture readings. We encourage parents to guide their children throughout the service, helping them to the learn the language of the faith through the liturgy. A nursery with sound is located in the hallway outside the sanctuary to the right just before the glass door to the courtyard.

Holy Communion Our fellowship in the Lord's Supper follows the Lutheran tradition grounded in the teaching of Holy Scripture. As one baptized into the Name of our Triune God and confessing the real presence of Christ's body and blood in the Supper for the forgiveness of sins you are warmly invited to join us around the table for Holy Communion. If you are not communing but wish to be blessed, then simply cross your arms at the rail and you will be blessed by the celebrant.

Giving to Grace

- Your weekly envelopes or those in the pews
- Online from your bank website
- Scan the QR code to the right
- On the Grace Giving Page at gracesandiego.com
- Time & Talents - contact Pr. Brian

Please silence cell phones and be mindful of those preparing for worship.

Restrooms are available in the hallway outside the sanctuary.

ASSISTIVE LISTENING AVAILABLE

As We Gather

All Saints is a day we remember that God's family is a lot bigger than the faces in this room. We're part of a story that stretches across centuries, peoples, and zip codes. We remember the saints who came before us—not because they were perfect, but because God was. And we rejoice that, in Christ, neither death nor distance can break the bonds of a family held together by His grace.

Collect:
Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Revelation 7:9-17
9 After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number,
from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before
the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in
their hands, 10 and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God
who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" 11 And all the angels were standing
around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they
fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, 12 saying, "Amen!
Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and
might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." 13 Then one of the elders
addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where
have they come?" 14 I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are
the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and
made them white in the blood of the Lamb.15 "Therefore they are before the
throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on
the throne will shelter them with his presence. 16 They shall hunger no more,
neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat. 17
For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide
them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their
eyes."

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**** bold indicates standing***

Worship Assistants

Pastor	Rev.BrianThomas
Deaconess	Doris Snashall
Director of Music	Dale Sorenson

Serving Today

Elder	Ted Nilsen
Altar Guild	Michael Tow
Crucifer	Ande Gertz
Acolytes	JJ and Toby
Lector	Deaconess Snashall
Usher	Jackson Huntley
	John Downey

Serving 11/8/26

Elder	Steve Hollman
Altar Guild	Gloria Berge
Crucifer	Ande Gertz
Lector	Chris Latham
Usher	John Downey
	Harold Nichols

Prayer List

For Strength and Healing

Dave, Jose, Dale, and Madison

For Our Missionaries & Seminarians

Rev. Dr. Tardelli Voss, Vicar Rowan Turner, and Vicar William Baker

For Our Military Members

Hannah Downey, Nathan Farish, Joshua Simmons, Jon Lushenko, and Daniel Fohey

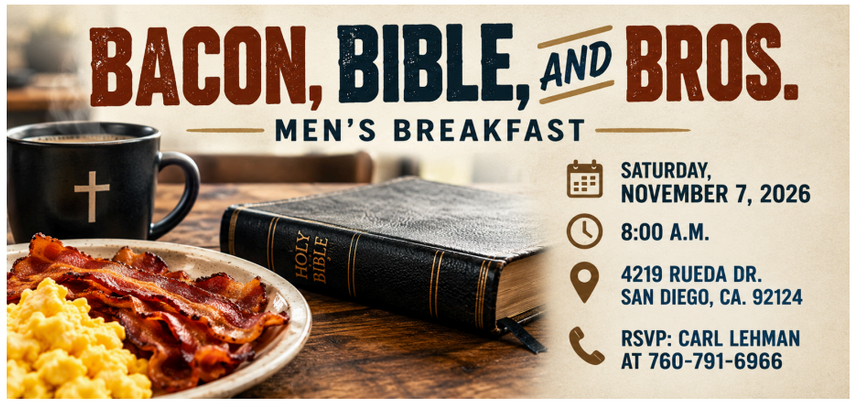
(If you are in the military, please send your info to elsyglc@gmail.com to be added to the prayer list)

For Those Unable to Attend

Joyce Rochester, Herb Foelber, and Janice Keitel

Announcements

Sunday School for all ages today at 10:30 a.m. Children will meet in the den; Adults in St. Mark's Classroom.





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