

# Weekly News

St. Luke's Episcopal Church  
210 SE Ninth St., Bartlesville, Oklahoma 74003  
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**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME SUNDAY MORNING!!**

**DON'T FORGET TO SET YOUR CLOCKS SATURDAY NIGHT!!**

**YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS SUNDAY SERVICE!!!!!!**

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## Help Needed!



As I listened to Dan, Jen, Heather, and Jeff last Sunday, I was so moved by how many places in the community we touch. I know many of you reach out to people on a daily basis. We will be hearing from more of our members in the weeks to come. It does, however, always seem like the needs of our community just keep coming at us.

Our beautiful hospice house, Journey Home, is in serious need of some volunteers. The renovations are complete, and beautiful. Light and peace pervade the new spot. There are places for families to find comfort. Most importantly, there are rooms for 6 guests to stay their last days in comfort and serenity. However, only 3 rooms can be utilized at the moment because there is a critical lack of volunteers. Note these 3 important areas where we can be of service:

**Front desk help:** This is a job that involves greeting families, making people comfortable, answering the phone, providing some information. The shifts are morning 9:00-1:00, afternoon 1:00-5:00, and evening 5:00-8:30. Specifically, slots are available Monday, Tuesday, or Thursday afternoon; Saturday morning; Tuesday or Friday evening.

**Assistant caregiving:** This is a position that provides hands-on experience with the guests. It involves sitting with them, helping roll and reposition, providing fluids, and keeping the room clean. Again the shifts are morning 9:00-1:00, afternoon 1:00-5:00, evening 5:00-8:30. Slots available are Wednesday and Saturday morning, Monday, Tuesday, Friday, Saturday evening.

Background checks and drug tests are required for all volunteers. Applications are filled out at Journey Home.

Meals: Journey Home provides meals for anyone who is there--guest, families, staff, and volunteers. The Home is receiving a freezer this week. Fresh dinner meals (for a count of 8), frozen breakfast items such as muffins or breakfast burritos, or frozen crock pot meals are needed. With the approach of cooler weather, soups and stews would be a great idea. If you would like to sign up to provide a meal once a month or once a week, it would be very appreciated. If you would like to help stock the freezer, the need is great. Mike and I plan to cook too much on occasion and bag it appropriately for the freezer. Comfort food is important to families who are grieving and waiting.

To help, please contact Journey Home directly. Marian Collins is in charge of volunteers. Her phone number is 918-876-4184. If you have more questions about the volunteer spots, contact Deacon Lauri, 918-766-2473.

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**Reminder: High School Sunday School  
will meet on  
Sunday, November 4 at 9:15 am.**

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### **WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP GROUP**

Women's Fellowship Group will meet on Thursday, November 8, 2018, from 5:30 to 7:00 in Metcalf Hall. Our hostesses are Sally Lindsey (beverages) and Georgia Gates and Jo Baughman (appetizers). Please join us for a great time of fellowship and a wonderful opportunity to catch up on each other's lives. Hope to see you then!!

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### **Family promise addresses local homelessness and transforms lives one family at a time....Calling all Volunteers!**

Our final week to host families in 2018 is fast approaching! Rodgers Hall will once again be converted into comfortable living spaces for our families during the week of [November 18-25](#). Volunteer signups will continue for the next 2 Sundays at Metcalf Hall after the [10:30](#) service. We will need many hands to make the week run smoothly. Please consider offering a couple of hours to make and share a meal with our guests, offer conversation or childcare, or stay overnight at the church. Stop by early to get your preferred spot! Alternately, you may call or email Jen Peterson. [918-397-7779jenrpet1971@gmail.com](mailto:918-397-7779jenrpet1971@gmail.com)

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### **Church Women United**

#### **World Community Day Celebration – November 2**

Church Women United invites all to a celebration of World Community Day, Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> at First Church, 4715 SE. Price Rd. A 9:30 a.m. Brunch will be followed by "Reaching Toward Wholeness" as we search to feel safe, cared for, and connected to our local and world communities. Global music and rhythms will be used to bring God's message of harmony and love. Feel free to bring any percussive instrument or just come to enjoy God's message through rhythm.  
Information: 918-337-2118 Pat -- St. John Representative to Church Women United

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## School Supplies!

Our teachers are still in need of some school supplies!  
Please check their lists of needs posted in the hallway near Metcalf Hall.  
Any donations can be dropped off at the church office.  
Thank you for your continued support!!

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## Coffee Hour – Volunteers Needed!

Do you enjoy a cookie or two with your coffee after the 10:30 service?  
If so, we could use your help by volunteering on a Sunday.  
The sign-up sheet is in the kitchen and on the counter on Sunday.  
You only need to 40 cookies and clean up afterwards, (coffee cups & laundry).  
Right now, we only have 3 volunteers between now and the end of the year.  
Thank you! – Rita Childers

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## PIES, PIES AND MORE PIES!!

CONCERN is preparing Thanksgiving dinners for our community and, once again, St. Luke's will be providing pies – 185 of them! Please either bring frozen pies and put them in the freezer in the little room at the far west end of Metcalf Hall, or you can write a check to St. Luke's Church indicating "CONCERN Pies" in the memo line.



We will be taking the pies to CONCERN on November 12<sup>h</sup>.

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### ST. LUKE'S PRAYER LIST Please keep the following persons in your prayers:

***Elizabeth, Jenny, Thelma, Georgia, Diana, Millie, Bryson, Suzanne, Elaine, John, Samantha, Sydney, Ed, Evelyn, Toni, Milton, Alice, Joyce, Joseph, Lyndee, Alan, Virginia, Pris, Bill, Karen, Sue, Lee, Bonnie, Linda, Madelyn, Robyn, Annette, Ethan, Elaine, Hutch, Marjean, Alice and all members of our armed forces and their families.***

If you have a prayer request, contact our Prayer Ministry Coordinator Thelma Blackburn 918-333-7902 or TPBGEM@aol.com or the church office at 918-336-1212 or office@episcopalbartlesville.org.  
(Names on the Prayer List are rotated off every 4 weeks. If there is need for continued prayers, please let us know.)

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## LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE NOVEMBER 4, 2018

Volunteers: Please make your own substitutions

### Scriptures Sunday, November 4:

Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9;  
John 11:32-44

### Children's Chapel:

November 4:  
Erin Perry

### Nursery Volunteers:

November 4:  
Ruth Todd

### Layreaders:

November 4:  
8:00am: Jim Grillot, Judy Currey  
10:30am: Jim Warring, Penny Williams

### Sunday Coffee

#### Fellowship Hour:

November 4:  
Thelma & Glenn Blackburn  
To volunteer see the sign-up sheet  
in the Metcalf Hall kitchen or  
contact Rita Childers, 918-519-8470  
or [puvey45@gmail.com](mailto:puvey45@gmail.com)

### Sunday Plate Counter:

November 4:  
Amy Borg

### Ushers:

November 4:  
8:00am: Dean Zervas  
10:30am:  
Jim Liehr, Travis Perry

### Bereavement Committee

#### Team 2:

Barbara Martin, Laura Birk, Thelma  
Blackburn, Sally Canfield, Rita  
Childers, Debbie Mueggenborg

### Greeters:

November 4:  
8:00am: Don Davidson  
10:30am:  
Glenn & Thelma Blackburn

*Tuesday: 10-12; Sunday 9:30-  
10:30 & 11:30-12:30. All  
proceeds from sales go to St.  
Luke's Outreach Projects.  
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918-914-1155*

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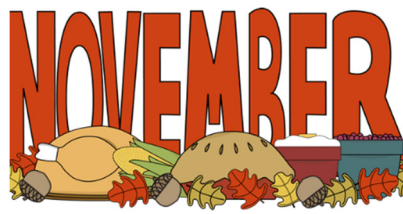
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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8:30am-4:00pm, Fridays 8:30am-12:30pm  
Holy Eucharist: Sunday 8am & 10:30am; Monday 5:30pm, Thursday 12pm

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## Birthday's & Anniversaries



1—Rachel Gurule  
2—Janet Holland  
3—Jeff Birk  
4—Mark Fregin  
5—Glenn Blackburn  
6—Laura Birk  
7—Brian Ferguson  
Fr. Steve Hood  
Ezra Ingram  
Raymond Theis  
10—David King  
11—Nancy Vanduker  
13—Steve Clark  
Wendy Hall  
15—Claire Hood  
Nicki Ingram  
Josephine McIver  
Penny Williams  
17—Nate Bonham  
Mary Miller  
Melissa Sutton  
18—Tonya Thurman  
21—Marlo Alexander  
22—Travis Sutton  
24—Barbara Martin  
30—Doug Freebern



10—Bob & Melinda Wesneski  
15—Russell & Shari Eslick  
17—Peter & Jeanne Julstrom  
22—Dennis & Debbie  
Mueggenborg  
24—John Hood & Cynthia Hall  
24—Ron & Shelly Anderson  
24—Bob & Jo Baughman



## Birthday's & Anniversaries



1—Jacquelean Fowler  
1—Pamela Bonham  
3—Nan Buhlinger  
3—Millie Harrison  
3—Jen Peterson  
4—Jo Baughman  
5—Judy Currey  
7—Janice Dreiling  
8—James Vail  
10—Jill Pletcher  
11—Shelly Anderson  
12—Kirah Lockman  
13—Bettisu Casey  
14—Robert Clark  
15—Peggy Marshall  
15—Sadie Vincent  
16—Thelma Blackburn  
16—Emily Nelson  
17—Jim Carroll  
18—Natalie Conner  
19—Debbie Mueggenborg  
20—Charlie Lee  
21—Logan Warring  
24—Sheila Taylor  
29—Lauri Watkins  
31—David Miller



9 —Dr. Joe & Betty Hardin  
17—Fr. Lee & Lynda Stephens  
23—Doug & Connie Freebern  
27—Donald & Jean Davidson  
28—Bill & Cheryl Bridendolph  
31—Travis & Erin Perry  
31—Mark & Mary Jo Peterson