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Thanksgiving Service

November 16, 2025

Announcements

Potluck—following worship today

Join us in the gym today following worship for a Thanksgiving potluck! We invite you to fellowship with your Concordia friends and family over this special meal.

Sunday School – Fall 2025

Sunday School will be held again on November 16th. The theme will be God's blessings as part of our Thanksgiving service. Following the children's message, children will go with our Sunday School teachers to the gym for the lesson of the day. The lesson will feature a Bible story, take home lesson based on the theme of the day, and a craft, activity, and/or game. Children ages 4-12 years are welcome! Our Sunday School teachers this year are Arlene Calderone and Robin DeCoudres and they are excited for another year of Sunday School! Check out the large schedule poster in the back of church to make sure all the Sunday School dates are in your calendar!

Upcoming Events

November 23rd—Christ the King Sunday; worship at 10am

November 30th—First Sunday of Advent; worship at 10am

December 7th—Greening of the church

December 12th—Lakeshore Brass Christmas Spectacular at 7pm; tickets available at concordiafaith.org/concerts and lakeshorebrass.com

December 21st—Children's Christmas Drama during 10am worship service

December 24th—Christmas Eve service at 5:00pm

December 25th—Christmas Day service at 10:00am

Praying the Psalms

“Know that the Lord is God.

It is He that made us, and we are His;

We are His people,

And the sheep of His pasture.” Psalm 100

Join us on a 150 day journey through the Psalms of the Bible as together we walk more closely in faith. One Psalm a day for the next 150 days. Each week, a brief introduction to the next 7 Psalms of the week for your daily reading and reflection with a Facebook posting of the selections and links to the full Psalm selection on our website.

The “Psalm of the Day” is posted on the church website: concordiafaith.org at the button “Praying the Psalms” or directly at concordiafaith.org/psalms. The Psalms for the entire week will be posted on the website prior to Monday. Daily Psalms will still be published on our social media accounts: Facebook: ConcordiaFaith; Instagram: @concordiafaith



Prelude **“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come” with Choral Introit**
 Music by George J. Elvey, Arranged by Joel Raney
 with pianist Roberta Terchi Nocentini

Welcome

A Medley of Thanksgiving Songs

Hymn **ELW #879 “For the Beauty of the Earth”**

1 For the beauty of the earth,
 for the beauty of the skies,
 for the love which from our birth
 over and around us lies:

Refrain

Christ, our God, to thee we raise
this our sacrifice of praise.

2 For the wonder of each hour
 of the day and of the night,
 hill and vale and tree and flow'r,
 sun and moon and stars of light:

Refrain

Christ, our God, to thee we raise
this our sacrifice of praise.

Hymn **ELW #694 “Sing to the Lord of Harvest”**

1 Sing to the Lord of harvest
 your songs of love and praise;
 with joyful hearts and voices
 your alleluias raise;
 by him the rolling seasons
 in fruitful order move;
 sing to the Lord of harvest
 a joyous song of love.

Hymn con't

ELW #694 "Sing to the Lord of Harvest"

- 2 God makes the clouds drop fatness,
the deserts bloom and spring,
the hills leap up in gladness,
the valleys laugh and sing.
God fills them with his fullness,
all things with large increase
and crowns the year with goodness,
with plenty and with peace.

ELW 876 "Let The Whole Creation Cry"

- 1 Let the whole creation cry,
"Glory to the Lord on high!"
Heav'n and earth, awake and sing,
"Praise to our almighty king!"
Praise God, angel hosts above,
ever bright and fair in love;
sun and moon, lift up your voice;
night and stars, in God rejoice.
- 2 Servants striving for the Lord,
prophets burning with the word,
those to whom the arts belong
add their voices to the song.
Pow'rs of knowledge and of law,
to the glorious circle draw;
all who work and all who wait,
sing, "The Lord is good and great!"

Hymn con't

"ELW 876 "Let The Whole Creation Cry"

- 3 Men and women, young and old,
raise the anthem loud and bold,
and let children's happy hearts
in this worship take their parts;
from the north to southern pole
let the mighty chorus roll:
"Holy, Holy, Holy One;
glory be to God alone!"



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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

P: Almighty God our Father, your generous goodness comes to us new every day. By the work of your Spirit lead us to acknowledge your goodness, give thanks for your benefits, and serve you in willing obedience, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

Children's Message



Hymn of Praise

ELW #881 "Let All Things Now Living"



1 Let all things now liv - ing a song of thanks - giv - ing to
 2 God rules all the forc - es: the stars in their cours-es and



God the cre - a - tor tri - um - phant - ly raise,
 sun in its or - bit o - be - dient - ly shine;



who fash - ioned and made us, pro - tect - ed and stayed us, who
 the hills and the moun - tains, the riv - ers and foun - tains, the



still guides us on to the end of our days.
 deeps of the o - cean pro - claim God di - vine.



God's ban - ners are o'er us, God's light goes be -
 We too should be voic - ing our love and re -



fore us, a pil - lar of fire shin - ing forth in the night,
 joic - ing; with glad ad - o - ra - tion a song let us raise



till shad - ows have van - ished and dark - ness is ban - ished, as
 till all things now liv - ing u - nite in thanks - giv - ing: "To



for - ward we trav - el from light in - to light.
 God in the high - est, ho - san - na and praise!"

First Reading

Deuteronomy 8:7-18

For the Lord your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. You shall eat your fill and bless the Lord your God for the good land that he has given you. Take care that you do not forget the Lord your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today.

When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid wasteland with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock, and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, "My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth." But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

L: Word of God. Word of Life.

C: Thanks be to God.



1 Come, ye thank-ful peo - ple, come; raise the song of har - vest home.
 2 All the world is God's own field, fruit un - to his praise to yield;
 3 For the Lord our God shall come and shall take his har - vest home;
 4 E - ven so, Lord, quick - ly come to thy fi - nal har - vest home.

All be safe - ly gath - ered in ere the win - ter storms be - gin.
 wheat and tares to - geth - er sown, un - to joy or sor - row grown.
 from his field shall in that day all of - fens - es purge a - way;
 Gath - er then thy peo - ple in, free from sor - row, free from sin,

God, our mak - er, doth pro - vide for our wants to be sup - plied.
 First the blade, and then the ear, then the full corn shall ap - pear.
 give his an - gels charge at last in the fire the tares to cast,
 there, for - ev - er pu - ri - fied, in thy gar - ner to a - bide.

Come to God's own tem - ple, come, raise the song of har - vest home.
 Lord of har - vest, grant that we whole - some grain and pure may be.
 but the fruit - ful ears to store in his gar - ner ev - er - more.
 Come, with all thine an - gels, come, raise the glo - rious har - vest home!

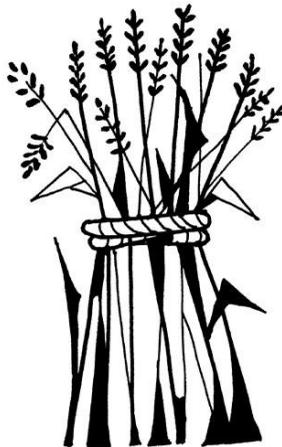
Second Reading

Hebrews 10:11-25

The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. As it is written, “He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever.” He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

L: Word of God. Word of Life.

C: Thanks be to God.



Gospel Acclamation

ELW #870 "We Praise You, O God"

verses 1 & 2

1 We praise you, O God, our re - deem - er, cre - a - tor;
 2 We wor - ship you, God of our fa - thers and mo - thers;
 3 With voic - es u - nit - ed our prais - es we of - fer

in grate - ful de - vo - tion our trib - ute we bring,
 through tri - al and tem - pest our guide you have been.
 and glad - ly our songs of thanks - giv - ing we raise.

We lay it be - fore you; we kneel and a - dore you;
 When per - ils o'er - take us, you will not for - sake us,
 With you, Lord, be - side us, your strong arm will guide us.

we bless your ho - ly name; glad prais - es we sing.
 and with your help, O Lord, our strug - gles we win.
 To you, our great re - deem - er, for - ev - er be praise!

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

The Gospel

Luke 20:27-36

²⁷ Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him ²⁸ and asked him a question: "Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. ²⁹ Now there were seven brothers; the first married a woman and died childless; ³⁰ then the second ³¹ and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. ³² Finally the woman also died. ³³ In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her."

³⁴ Jesus said to them, "Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage, ³⁵ but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. ³⁶ Indeed, they cannot die anymore, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Gospel Acclamation ELW #870, verse 3 (page 12)

Sermon

Rev. Nicholas Zook

Grace Araya was honored with the Bright Promises Foundation Community Impact Award on October 22nd, coincidentally the day before her 2 year anniversary as CEO and President of Concordia Place. The award recognizes Grace's outstanding leadership in early childhood education over the last two decades as a preschool teacher, center director, Statewide role at Illinois Action for Children and at Concordia Place. Her leadership in the New Neighbors Initiative supported over 200 newly arrived migrant families with access to our childhood and youth programs and our efforts to provide clothing, food and children's items to families living in nearby shelters.

Hymn of the Day

ELW #826 "Thine The Amen"



1 Thine the a - men thine the praise al - le - lu - ias an - gels raise
 2 Thine the life e - ter - nal - ly thine the prom - ise let there be
 3 Thine the tru - ly thine the yes thine the ta - ble we the guest
 4 Thine the king - dom thine the prize thine the won - der full sur - prise
 5 Thine the glo - ry in the night no more dy - ing on - ly light



thine the ev - er - last - ing head thine the break - ing of the bread
 thine the vi - sion thine the tree all the earth on bend - ed knee
 thine the mer - cy all from thee thine the glo - ry yet to be
 thine the ban - quet then the praise then the jus - tice of thy ways
 thine the riv - er thine the tree then the Lamb e - ter - nal - ly



thine the glo - ry thine the sto - ry thine the har - vest then the cup
 gone the nail - ing gone the rail - ing gone the plead - ing gone the cry
 then the ring - ing and the sing - ing then the end of all the war
 thine the glo - ry thine the sto - ry then the wel - come to the least
 then the ho - ly ho - ly ho - ly cel - e - bra - tion ju - bi - lee



thine the vine - yard then the cup is lift - ed up lift - ed up.
 gone the sigh - ing gone the dy - ing what was loss lift - ed high.
 thine the liv - ing thine the lov - ing ev - er - more ev - er - more.
 then the won - der all in - creas - ing at thy feast at thy feast.
 thine the splen - dor thine the bright - ness on - ly thee on - ly thee.

Apostle's Creed

**C: I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the Virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

He descended into hell.

On the third day he rose again.

**He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Prayers of Intercession

P: We give thanks for the ministries of Concordia. Our church is called to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ by living out Jesus' commandments: Love God. Love your Neighbor. The church is called to love all our neighbors as the way we love God with our all.

A: Almighty God, from whom come all good gifts and an abundance of blessings, we remember and give thanks for your loving kindness made fully known to us through our Savior, Jesus Christ.

C: We give you thanks, O Lord.

A: For the blessing of your bountiful creation and the gifts of harvest that mature and sustain our lives.

C: We give you thanks, O Lord.

A: For our nation, and the leaders you call to bring justice, peace, and prosperity to all your people.

C: We give you thanks, O Lord.

A: For the joys and comforts of our lives; for homes and families, for our friends and neighbors; for relationships of love, support and encouragement in our journey of faith.

C: We give you thanks, O Lord.

A: For the gift of health and well-being, we rejoice and give thanks. For those who suffer and seek your healing in their lives, we pray your Spirit will deliver them from all illness, distress and suffering. We especially lift up Pastor Dan, Ian, Dee, Margaret, Mike, Joanne, Jocelyn, Dennis, Father Jim, Avery, Mike and Bernie. Are there others for whom we should pray? ... To you, O Lord.

C: We give you thanks, O Lord.

A: For those we love, who have gone before you and now are at rest with you, we remember and give thanks for their lives and the grace they have brought to us..

C: We give you thanks, O Lord.

A: God our creator, you have given us work to do and call us to use our talents for the good of all. Guide us as we work, and teach us to live as your sons and daughters, in the love that made us sisters and brothers through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

P: All these things, and whatever else you see that we need, grant us, O Lord our God, through Jesus Christ, for your mercy is everlasting, and your faithfulness endures from age to age.

C: Amen.

The Peace

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

C: And also with you.

You are invited to share the sign of peace with others.

Offertory Anthem

“My Lips Will Shout for Joy” by Pepper Choplin

*We encourage you to use this time for reflection & gratitude
as we prepare for communion.*

The Offering

Stewardship Pledges and offerings will be presented at the altar.



*Thank you for supporting our ministries with our financial gifts.
Scan the QR code to the left to easily make a one-time gift or
establish a recurring gift.*

Offertory Hymn

ELW #689 "Praise and Thanksgiving"

1 Praise and thanks-giv-ing, God, we would of-fer for all things
2 God, bless the la-bor we bring to serve you, that with our
3 Fa-ther, pro-vid-ing food for your chil-dren, by Wis-dom's
4 Then will your bless-ing reach ev-'ry peo-ple, free-ly con-

liv-ing, you have made good: har-vest of sown fields, fruits of the
neigh-ber we may be fed. Sow-ing or till-ing, we would work
guid-ing teach us to share one with an-oth-er, so that, re-
fess-ing your gra-cious hand. Where you are reign-ing, no one will

or-chard, hay from the mown fields, blos-som and wood.
with you, har-vest-ing, mill-ing for dai-ly bread.
joic-ing with us, all oth-ers may know your care.
hun-ger; your love sus-tain-ing show-ers the land.

Offertory Prayer

A: Blessed be our Lord for all his goodness

C: Heavenly Father, we give you thanks for the blessings you have so freely given us. We present these offerings and our pledges for the coming year in response to God's love and for the ministry of the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Liturgy of the Holy Eucharist

The 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.

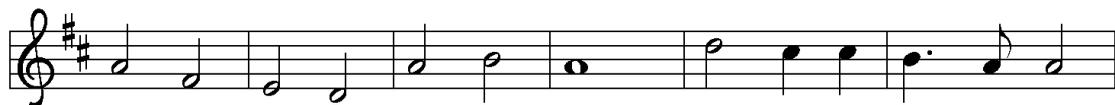
P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Preface

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should and at all times..... we praise your name and join their unending hymn.

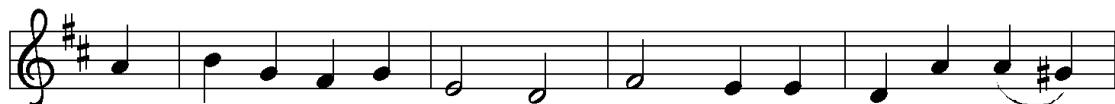
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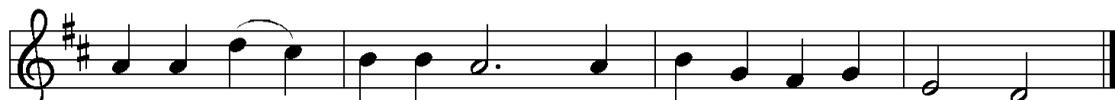
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,



heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.



Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes



in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

- P: Blessed are you, O Lord our God, Creator of the Universe.
You created world rich in resources and set before our nation an opportunity beyond measure to build a realm of justice, peace, and freedom that we might be a blessing to all the world.
- P: Even when we have abused your blessings and turned away from your ways, you have been slow to anger and abounding in mercy. You have called us back to your way and nurtured in our hearts a noble dream.
- P: Holy are you, and blessed is your Son, Jesus Christ. In the fullness of time you sent him to be our redeemer. He proclaimed good news to the poor, release to the captives, sight to the blind, and freedom to the oppressed. He healed the sick, fed the hungry, and welcomed all.
- P: On the night he was betrayed, he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, and gave it to the disciples saying:
“Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you.
Do this in remembrance of me.”
- P: When the supper was over he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said:
“Drink from this, all of you; for this is my blood of the new covenant , poured out for you and for many, for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.”
- P: By his death and resurrection he delivered us from slavery to sin and death and won for you a new people by water and the Spirit. At his ascension you exalted him to sit and reign with you at your right hand.
- P: Send your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts, that in the breaking of this bread we may know the presence of the living Christ.
May we be one body in him, and faithfully serve him in our nation and in the world.
- P: Hasten the day when the prophet’s dream shall come to pass, when justice shall roll down like waters and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream, when nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.

P: Through your Son Jesus Christ with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church , all glory and honor is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever.

C: Amen.

P: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

**C: Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.**

Communion Invitation

We invite all who are baptized in Christ to come forward for communion. All are welcome at the Lord's table. Parents of young children are asked to let the pastor know if they want their child to receive communion or a blessing.

Communion is served by continuous table around the altar, and you are asked to take a place as openings appear.

Communion Hymn

“Gracias, mi Dios” by Sheryl Martineau
soloist Sofia Fuentes

Post Communion Blessing

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

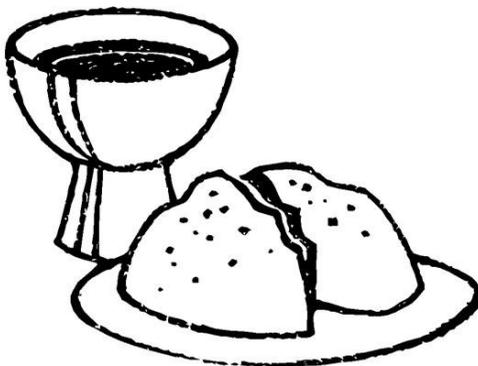
C: Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

A: Let us pray.

Holy and gracious God, you have blessed us at this holy meal and united us in the fellowship of our savior, Jesus Christ. Your generous blessings renew us to go forth to serve as your faithful people until your kingdom comes and your rule is established throughout the whole world.

C: Amen. Come Lord Jesus, Come.



Closing Hymn

ELW #840 "Now Thank We All Our God"

1 Now thank we all our God with hearts and hands and voices,
 2 Oh, may this bounteous God through all our life be near us,
 3 All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,

who wondrous things has done, in whom this world rejoices;
 with ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us,
 the Son, and Spirit blest, who reign in highest heaven,

who, from our mothers' arms, has blessed us on our way
 and keep us all in grace, and guide us when perplexed,
 the one eternal God, whom earth and heaven adore;

with countless gifts of love, and still is ours to-day.
 and free us from all harm in this world and the next.
 for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.

Announcements

Blessing

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. In the name of the Father, and of the Son (+), and of the Holy Spirit.

Dismissal

A: Go in peace. Serve the risen Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

“Dance of Thanksgiving”
based on *Nun Danket Alle Gott* by Johann Crüger
Organ Arrangement by Roberta Roland-Raybold

Today's celebrants:

Pastor: Rev. Nicholas Zook

Deacon: Chris Formeller & Kim Baratta

Lector: Marne Turner

Greeter: Veronica McMillion

Song Leaders: Marisa Buchheit, Jade Dasha, Sofia Fuentes, Benjamin Burney, Ryan Alexander

Choir members: Richard Gaul, Dan Lantvit, Kunying Li, Mary-Ann Lupa, Betsy Ries, Wilma Stevens, Linda Storbeck

Organist & Choir Director: Paul Dykstra

Stewardship Campaign—Fall 2025

Our Fall stewardship campaign for financial commitments has begun! We will be hosting a series of listening sessions and reporting sessions in advance of asking participants to submit their pledge commitments for calendar year 2026.

Pledge materials were mailed to households this past week. There are also materials for you to pick up in the back of church today.

Here is the schedule for the remainder of the stewardship campaign:

November 2nd—November 15th – Participant pledges are submitted; connections made by Church council members

November 16th – Pledge Sunday; commitment forms due

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Support the **ministries of Concordia Church** through your offerings. There are multiple ways for you to give:

- 1) Mobile: Text 'Concordia' to 73256 and follow the link or scan the QR code here
- 2) Online: Visit www.onrealm.org/concordiafaith/give
- 3) Via cash or check left in the offering plate or mailed to the church at:

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Chicago, IL 60618





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Children's Christmas Play

Sunday, December 21st at 10am

Be part of Concordia's annual Christmas drama! The Christmas Drama tells the story of Jesus' birth.

Children ages 3-11 years are invited to participate.

Roles will be assigned at the first rehearsal.

Participants must be able to attend rehearsal on December 14th during 10am worship and arrive at 9am on December 21st to dress and prepare.

Questions? Reach out to Desirae Contreras, Parish Administrator, at dcontreras@concordiafaith.org.



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DECEMBER 12, 2025

7:00PM

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Joy to the World!

Celebrate Christmas at Concordia!

3855 N Seeley Ave.



Children's Christmas Drama

Sunday, December 21st at 10am

Christmas Eve Service

Wednesday, December 24t at 5:00pm



Christmas Day Service

Thursday, December 25t at 10am

December 28th Service

Service of Lessons and Carols

Recorded service only at 10am; no in-person worship



Concordia Place Wishing Stars

Donate clothes for kids in need!
Details to come; get ready to shop!



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3855 N. Seeley

Sunday mornings:

10:00am Worship (In-person & virtual options)

Join the 10:00am livestream on Sunday mornings or view recordings of our past services on our YouTube channel.

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Welcome, and thank you for worshipping with us this morning.

Holy Communion happens at every service and is open to all baptized.

Restrooms are located in the fellowship hall; exit the sanctuary through the back and follow the stairwell downstairs.

Masks and hand sanitizer are located in the back of the sanctuary should you need either.

Questions? Contact Desirae, Parish Admin, at dcontreras@concordiafaith.org

Copyright Information:

Below is a list of all the songs that we are using in today's liturgy with their copy right information located with them.

Hymn of Praise

ELW #881 "Let All Things Now Living"

Text: Katherine K. Davis, 1892–1980, alt.
Music: THE ASH GROVE, Welsh folk tune
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Psalm Hymn

ELW #693 "Come, You Thankful People, Come"

Text: Henry Alford, 1810–1871, alt.
Music: ST. GEORGE'S, WINDSOR, George J. Elvey, 1816–1893

Gospel Acclamation

ELW #870 "We Praise You, O God"

Text: Julia C. Cory, 1882–1963
Music: KREMSER, A. Valerius, *Nederlandsch Gedenccklanck*, 1626

Hymn of the Day

ELW #826 "Thine The Amen"

Text: Herbert F. Brokering, b. 1926
Music: THINE, Carl F. Schalk, b. 1929
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Offertory Hymn

ELW #689 "Praise and Thanksgiving"

Text: Albert F. Bayly, 1901–1984, alt.
Music: BUNESSAN, Gaelic tune; arr. hymnal version
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Closing Hymn

ELW #840 "Now Thank We All Our God"

Text: Martin Rinkhart, 1586–1649; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–1878
Music: NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT, Johann Crüger, 1598–1662

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