Advent Lutheran Church York, PA

Festival of Harvest



Advent Lutheran Church The Twenty-First Sunday After Pentecost Festival of Harvest

October 14, 2018 8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Preludes (Please silence all cell phones)

"Fantasia on Ton-y-botel"
"Aria on a Chaconne"

Richard Purvis
Joel Martinson

Pastoral Greetings and Announcements

Gathering

- * A Confession of Sins for Harvest Sunday
 - P: In the Name of the Father, the Son (+), and the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

- P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and each other.
- P: Most merciful God,

All: We confess our captivity to sin. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by the wrongs we have done and the good we have not done.

- P: We have misused your creation, used your gifts carelessly, and have acted ungratefully. Hear our prayer and in your mercy
 - C: Forgive us and help us.
- P: We use the fruits of the harvest, but forget that you have blessed us with these gifts. Hear our prayer and in your mercy
 - C: Forgive us and help us.
- P: We are full and satisfied, but ignore the cries of the poor and those who hunger. Hear our prayer and in your mercy
 - C: Forgive us and help us.

^{*} Please stand if able.

P: You created us to care for your creation, but we have misused and exploited it for selfish ends. Hear our prayer and in your mercy

C: Forgive us and help us.

- P: We store up riches on earth, but are not rich in faith, hope, and love of you. Hear our prayer and in your mercy
 - C: Forgive us and help us.
- P: Almighty God, have mercy on us. Forgive our failure to be good stewards of your creation. Renew us and lead us to re-dedicate ourselves to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

P: The Almighty God is rich in compassion and mercy, slow to anger and of great kindness. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Jesus Christ, I forgive you all your sins, in the Name of the Father, the Son (+), and the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

- * Entrance Hymn, #693 "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"
- * Greeting
 - 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.

* Kyrie

The Kyrie will be sung by the cantor, repeated by the congregation, and after each petition. The words, "Kyrie eleison" (Greek) are from the early church and mean, "Lord have mercy."



In peace, let us pray to the Lord...

C: Kyrie, Kyrie Eleison

For the holy church of God, that the Light of the Lord will guide it, let us pray to the Lord... *C: Kyrie, Kyrie Eleison*

For the salvation of the world, that Christ the Lamb of God will bless it with peace and harmony, let us pray to the Lord... *C: Kyrie, Kyrie Eleison*

For all our brothers and sisters in need, that the Lord will use us to assist them, let us pray to the Lord... *C: Kyrie, Kyrie Eleison*

For ourselves and our community, that our lives might share the Light of Christ, let us pray to the Lord... *C: Kyrie, Kyrie Eleison*

* Hymn of Praise

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* Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray...

C: Amen.

Word

L: A Reading from Amos.

Seek the Lord and live, or he will break out against the house of Joseph like fire, and it will devour Bethel, with no one to quench it. Ah, you that turn justice to wormwood, and bring righteousness to the ground! ... They hate the one who reproves in the gate, and they abhor the one who speaks the truth. Therefore because you trample on the poor and take from them levies of grain, you have built houses of hewn stone, but you shall not live in them; you have planted pleasant vineyards, but you shall not drink their wine. For I know how many are your transgressions, and how great are your sins— you who afflict the righteous, who take a bribe, and push aside the needy in the gate. Therefore the prudent will keep silent in such a time; for it is an evil time. Seek good and not evil, that you may live; and so the Lord, the God of hosts, will be with you, just as you have said. Hate evil and love good, and establish justice in the gate; it may be that the Lord, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

(Amos 5:6-7, 10-15)

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

L: A Reading from Hebrews.

Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account. Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need. (Hebrews 4:12-16)

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

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C: Alleluia, Lord to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, Alleluia.

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

As he was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: "You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.' "He said to him, "Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth." Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, "You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions. Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is

easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." They were greatly astounded and said to one another, "Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said, "For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible." Peter began to say to him, "Look, we have left everything and followed you." Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses, brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first." (Mark 10:17-31)

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon Pastor Dan Biles

Hymn of the Day, #694

"Sing to the Lord of Harvest"

Installation of New Disciples at 11:00 a.m.

Apostles' Creed (omitted at 11:00 a.m.)

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P: With the whole church, let us confess our faith...

Prayers of the Church

P: ...Lord, in your mercy.

C: Hear our prayer.

The Peace is Shared.

Meal

Offering

"Bread of the World"

Chapel/Chancel Choir; Bill Fordney, director

Dennis Eliot

Congregational Offertory

"Let the Vineyards..."

Hymn #182

* Offertory Prayer for Gifts

* Great Thanksgiving

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- * Eucharistic Prayer
 - P: Holy God, mighty Lord, gracious Father: Endless is Your mercy and eternal Your reign. You have filled all creation with light and life; heaven and earth are full of Your glory. For as often as we eat of this bread and drink of this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.
 - C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.
 - P: Therefore, gracious Father, with this bread and cup we remember the life our Lord offered for us we await His coming in power to share with us the great and promised feast.
 - C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.
 - P: Send now, we pray, Your Holy Spirit may live to the praise of Your glory and receive our inheritance with all Your saints in light.
 - C: Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.
 - P: Join in our prayers with those of Your servants of every time and place until He comes as victorious Lord of all.
 - C: Through Him, with Him, in Him, with the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is Yours, almighty Father, now and forever. Amen.
- Lord's Prayer (Traditional Form)

Distribution

(Please sing "Lamb of God" (p. 146), Hymns #490, #772, and conclude with "Jesus Remember Me", Hymn #616)

* "Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise"

Hymn, #204

* Post-Communion Prayer

Sending

- * Benediction
- * Recessional Hymn, #681 "We Plow the Fields and Scatter"
- * Dismissal

P: Go in peace...

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

"Carillon"

Gordon Young

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AN INVITATION

Believing that the Christ who is truly present in this Holy Sacrament is Lord of His Church and this Supper, and this same Lord Christ calls all believers to "take and eat . . . ," WE INVITE THE BAPTIZED OF ALL FAITH TRADITIONS who seek to commune with the crucified and risen Lord to participate in this Holy meal.

DIRECTIONS FOR CONTINUOUS COMMUNION

Please fill out a Communion Record Card and give it to the Usher as you are invited to come forward. Stand to receive the Elements. Adults not receiving communion, as well as young children who have not yet celebrated their first Communion, are encouraged to come forward to receive a blessing. To commune: After you have received the bread from the Pastor on your side of the church, please walk to the person holding the tray. When the tray of communion glasses is presented to you, select wine (amber colored) or grape juice (purple colored) according to your personal preference. Should you have difficulty removing the communion glass from the tray indicate to the Server your preference and it will be presented.

WE WELCOME THOSE who are visitors with us today. We wish to share with you every element of our congregation's life. Please sign a Visitor's Card and give it to an usher. If you are interested in having the Pastor call or in becoming a member of Advent, please check the appropriate box.

THE ALTAR FLOWERS ARE PRESENTED to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Richard N. and Margaret Ruth Arnold, my father and mother by *Mary-Louise Keller*.

THE FLOWER IN THE SANCTUARY is in loving memory of Edgar Askey by his family: Paul; Meredith; Penelope; Max; Megan; and Linda. Also, in appreciation of Pastor Biles for all he has done for Advent on Pastor Appreciation Sunday - *Linda Askey*.

WE WELCOME THE FOLLOWING DISCIPLES received today during our 11:00 a.m. service: Matthew Lauer and daughter, Samantha; and Ata and Janiene Shahidi.

HARVEST HOME IS TODAY and Advent will be collecting canned goods and pantry items to be donated to the Bell Family Shelter. Financial contributions are also welcome. Make your check payable to Advent Lutheran Church and mark Harvest Home in the memo line. Thank you for sharing your gifts with others in need.

THE QUILTS ON DISPLAY TODAY FOR HARVEST HOME BLESSINGS were made by Advent's Small Group Ministry "Advent Quilter's Sewing Love and Comfort". The Adult Quilts will be going to Hershey Medical Center's 7th floor Cancer Treatment Center; the Children's quilts will be going to York Hospital's Pediatric and NICU. This is the 3rd year Advent's Small Group Ministry has participated in Harvest Home. Many thanks to Advent's quilters, Mary Anne Gallagher, Carol Miller, Rose Dube, Pat Henry, Cathy Schneider, Dawn Lutz, Paula Rineer, Lisa Deeter, Lettie Jackson, Joanne Ironstone, Susan Caruso, Lois Conway, and Marilyn Oestereich.

FAIR TRADE COFFEE, TEA, AND CHOCOLATE will be available for purchase **TODAY** following each worship service.

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR THE LOVELY SHAWL THAT I RECEIVED from the dear, sweet ladies at Advent. It's beautiful and I appreciate it very much – *Phyllis Bixler*.

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF CONGREGATIONAL VOTE for a new pastor will be held following the 10:00 service next Sunday, October 21 (Note there is only one service this day where the candidate for pastor will preach.) A "Meet the Candidate" evening is scheduled for Saturday, October 20, from 6:00 to 9:00 pm. (Please bring a dessert to share—see sign-up sheet later in bulletin). Information packets on the candidate (one per household) are available in the vestibules. PLEASE DO NOT DISCUSS THE CANDIDATE outside of the Advent membership.

LEISURE GROUP MEETS THIS TUESDAY – If you made your reservation, we will see you at Noon for a covered-dish luncheon. We will have Kerry White entertain us; he is so much fun! He is a retired teacher from Eastern High School who composes, sings, and plays the guitar; but first and foremost, he is a humorist. So get ready to laugh and have a good time!

BIBLE STUDY will meet this Tuesday at **11:00** a.m. and **7:00** p.m. and focuses on Paul's Letter to the Ephesians. This is Pastor Biles' final Bible Study.

YOUTH GROUP NEWS – Listed below are the upcoming activities for the youth in grades 6-12. If you plan on participating in an event, please let Paula know so she can plan accordingly.

- **TODAY CROP Walk** Help us fight hunger and walk the York Metro CROP Walk. We will be leaving around 1:30 after eating a bagged lunch after the late service. You could also meet us at the park. The walk is at John Rudy Park starting at 2:30. They say the walk is 6 miles but we can make it shorter if needed.
- October 28th Youth Meeting 6:00-8:30 Starting with dinner then having some planned activities and games. Friends encouraged to join us!

CROP WALK – Join the youth as they help combat hunger by walking in the York Metro Crop Walk. You can help them help others in three different ways. Remember we walk because they do! Thank you for supporting the youth in this outreach ministry.

- You can walk with us **today** at John Rudy Park. The walk starts at 2:30 with registration beginning at 1:30.
- You can contribute money to help defeat hunger. Our youth will be collecting
 donations for their walk during the coffee socials today. You can pay cash or use
 a check made payable to Church World Services York Metro Crop Walk.
- You can pray for the success of the walkers and the walk.

BLOOD DRIVE SCHEDULED: The Bloodmobile from Central Pennsylvania Blood Bank will be at Advent this Wednesday, October 17, from 3:00 to 7:30 p.m. (see insert later in bulletin). Sign-ups are today during the coffee socials or call Judy Peters at 717.757.1850. Walk-ins are welcome the day of the blood drive. Please bring a friend! Follow signs to registration in the Gathering Area at the entrance from the rear parking lot. Let us give personal thought and prayer on this life-giving service for the people in our community.

PLEASE CONSIDER HELPING LOCAL FAMILIES IN NEED! While we are thinking about Harvest Home, please consider this worthwhile endeavor as well. Advent has been supporting the "Panther Pantry", Central York School District's food bank. The Panther Pantry benefits all Central York School District families who have been identified as being in need. Identified families can come to the food bank at designated times to receive food and other necessities. If students have a desperate need and families are unable to come to the Panther Pantry, items can be sent home with students in backpacks. At this time items that are in greatest need to restock the pantry are: non-perishable individual microwaveable food items (prepackaged macaroni & cheese containers for example) and deodorant. All non-perishable food items are always accepted and appreciated. A plastic bin, labeled PANTHER PANTRY DONATIONS, is located near the library area for your donations. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Julie Breighner at 717.887.4493.

FINANCE COMMITTEE meets Tuesday, October 23, at 7:00 p.m. in the office.

"MY FAVORITE QUILT" PATTERN will be up for Auction at Nawakwa in November for the annual fund raiser. The quilts were donated by the quilt ministry "Sewing Love and Comfort" by MaryAnne Gallagher and Marilyn Oestereich.

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY IS SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 4. It is at this service that we pay tribute to the memory of our loved ones we have lost throughout the year. We observe two traditions at this service. A white rose for those recently deceased members of Advent is placed near the altar. A family member is encouraged to take this rose home with them. The other tradition is to list in the bulletin for that day the names of those who have died in the past year who were members of Advent as well as friends of the congregation. While the office staff has the names of our members, we need you to submit the names of your other friends and family that you would like to have remembered. Call the office with this information no later than Monday, October 29.

TRAINING SESSION FOR ALL SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OFFICE STAFF - Sunday October 28 at 2:00 P.M. starting in the Gathering Area and conducted by Christopher Pratt and Marilyn Oestereich.

VA MEDICAL CENTER DONATIONS will be accepted October 21 through November 11. A collection box will be in the Gathering Space. There will also be a box to collect Holiday Cards October 21 through December 2 for the Veterans who are residents at the Lebanon VA Medical Center. (Do NOT seal the cards!) Full details can be found in the October Newsletter as well as on the Kiosk in the Gathering Space. Contact Lisa Deeter 717.650.6300 if you have any questions. Stay tuned for more details about the special service on Sunday, November 11 at 10:00 a.m. honoring our Veterans.

LADIES BREAKFAST & BLESSINGS BUNCH - Friday, October 26 - 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Breakfast and fellowship in Fellowship Hall. Come ready for some fall fun! Each person will have a treat bag (lunch bag size) and everyone is invited to bring a small inexpensive treat to put in their sisters' bags. This can be homemade or bought; a fun item, a sweet treat, an inspirational note or item, a seasonal item, etc. You can find packs of fun things in the dollar and craft stores. ALSO, for this meeting, please bring a scarf or fabric that you can use as a blindfold. From 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. we will be crafting our ornament for the Alternative Gifts at the Faire. We will also work on the ornaments for Cookies & Claus. Pack a lunch and bring sharp scissors if you will be staying for crafting. RSVP to Lisa Deeter, 717.650.630, by Wednesday, October 24.

ADVENT CRAFTERS - Saturday, November 17 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - Kathy Lauer is teaching the class how to construct an oval handled basket that features an angel pin/ornament attachment. See the sample on the table next to the Kiosk and pick up your registration form there. Cost is \$21.95 for the kit. Make checks payable to Kathy Lauer. Class size is limited to 16 participants. We still have a few spots as of this week. Receipt of your registration form and payment will reserve your spot for the class. Deadline to register is Sunday, November 11.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH DISASTER RELIEF – Lutheran Disaster Response brings God's hope, healing and renewal to people whose lives have been disrupted by disasters in the United States and around the world. For more information about how to give online, please visit www.elca.org or see the insert in today's bulletin.

WORSHIP AND YOUNG CHILDREN – Children grow in faith and learning by seeing, hearing, and participating in worship. Therefore, it is recommended that parents take their children with them and involve them in worship as soon as possible. To support this growth and learning, soft—covered books, worship bags of quiet activities, and children's bulletins are available by seeing one of the ushers.

For families whose children may become restless, you may take them to the Gathering Area and still be able to view a live stream of the service.

Families are remined to come back into the Sanctuary to receive Holy Communion and blessings for the children. As needed, childcare for youngsters from birth through three years old is available in our Church nursery on Sundays from 8:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for parents who participate in Worship. This nursery is staffed by trained personnel and is located upstairs in the former library location. See an usher for directions.

Attendance Records

	Last Week	Last Year	
Church	195	254	
Sunday School	98	90	

Last Week's Fund Offerings

Current		Benevolence	
Weekly Offering Needed to Meet Budget	\$ 9,376	Weekly Offering Needed to Meet Budget	\$ 1,423
Weekly Offering Received	\$ 17,418	Weekly Offering Received	\$ 1,101
Total Offering Needed Year-To-Date	\$375,040	Total Offering Needed Year-To-Date	\$56,920
Total Offering Received Year-To-Date	\$304,807	Total Offering Received Year-To-Date	\$49,282

Capital Campaign Update

Total Campaign Pledge	\$1,871,220.00
Total Amount Received to Date	\$1,872,868.26

MEET AND GREET

Are you coming to the Meet and Greet on Saturday the 20th? Well if you are, would you please consider baking/purchasing something for the reception? We are looking for strictly finger desserts. NO cake or pies, we do not want to make this complicated. Cookies, brownies, quick breads and pastries are perfect for this reception. Just drop off your treat in the church kitchen, either on Friday morning when the church is open or on Saturday just before the Meet and Greet.

Thanks for helping! Social Ministry Committee

Drop the slip in the offering plate and let us know what and how much you will be bringing.
Name
Dessert

Amount ____

Advent Lutheran Church

Blood Drive

1775 East Market Street, York 17402 Entrance at the Rear Parking Lot

Wednesday, October 17th 3:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Sign-ups during coffee socials in the new Gathering Area on September 30th, October 3rd, and October 14th

Walk-ins Welcome – Bring a Friend!



Everyone receives
2 FREE admission
vouchers to a Harrisburg
Comedy Zone Show.





A form of ID is **REQUIRED** to Donate

For more information: 1-800-771-0059 • 717giveblood.org

THIS WEEK AT ADVENT

Today	8:30 & 11:00 a.m.	Worship Service – Sanctuary
Harvest Home	After Services	Fair Trade
	9:30 a.m.	Cherub Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	9:45 a.m.	New Members' Class - Fellowship Hall
	Noon	Junior Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room
	1:00 p.m.	Crop Walk
		NO MTAS CHOIR REHEARSAL
Monday	6:30 p.m.	Council Meeting
Tuesday	11:00 am & 7:00 pm	Bible Study – <i>Library</i>
	Noon	Leisure Group
Wednesday	10:00 a.m.	East York Ministerium – Fellowship Hall
	3:00 p.m.	Blood Drive
	4:00 p.m.	Walking Group
	7:00 p.m.	Chapel/Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	1:30 p.m.	Prayer Team
Saturday	6:00 p.m.	"Meet & Greet" Pastoral Candidate

COMING EVENTS

October 21	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service – Sanctuary
	11:00 a.m.	Congregational Meeting
		NO YOUTH CHOIR REHEARSALS
	6:00 p.m.	Prayers & Stitches – Gathering Area
October 22	9:00 a.m.	Joy in the Morning – <i>Parlor</i>
	1:00 p.m.	Circle of Love – Fellowship Hall
October 23	7:00 p.m.	Finance Meeting - <i>Office</i>
October 24	4:00 p.m.	Walking Group
	7:00 p.m.	Chapel/Chancel Choir Rehearsal
October 25		NO PRAYER TEAM
October 26	9:00 a.m.	Ladies' Breakfast & Blessings Bunch – FH/Kitchen
	11:00 a.m.	Ladies' Breakfast & Blessings Bunch - Crafting

Serving Our Lord and Church Today

Acolyte/Crucifer

8:30 Cody Willoughby 11:00 Lucas Strickland

Lector

8:30 Bill Schmid 11:00 Carol Myles

Cantor

Tom Powers

Communion Assistants

8:30 Cathi Wampler, Janel Stomberger 11:00 Don Dubs, Paul Pugsley

Assistant to Pastor

8:30 Patti Baughman 11:00 Cathy Schneider

Altar Guild

8:30 Gary & Kathy Lauer, Paula Rineer 11:00 Cathi Wampler, Lane & Marge Benda

Flower Delivery

Lay Hospital

Clarence & Brenda Bolinger

Nancy Dellinger

Ushers

8:30 Barry Attig (H), Ed & Connie Billet, Jonathan Stomberger,
Roger & Kathy Hudak, Mile Sulpizio

11:00 Gil Malone (H), Paul & Crystal Glusco, Rebecca Glusco,
Donald Dellinger, Elizabeth Dellinger

Coffee Social

8:30 Dana & Keith Lutz 11:00 Joel & Luanne Bergstrom

Tidy-Up Worship Area

Jill Fetter

HURRICANE MICHAEL

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The 2018 hurricane season continues to produce strong storms with potentially devastating impacts to the United States.

The latest storm, Hurricane Michael, is threatening our neighbors on the Gulf Coast with dangerous winds, heavy rainfall and storm surge. Evacuation orders and warnings are in effect across many areas, and emergencies have already been declared in Florida, Georgia and Alabama. The storm make landfall with winds upward of 150 miles per hour.

Lutheran Disaster Response is monitoring Hurricane Michael as it develops and is coordinating its response with Lutheran Services Florida, the Florida-Bahamas Synod, as well as our partners and affiliates in other potentially impacted areas. As a church, we're ready to stand by our neighbors as they recover from this storm.

Your gifts ensure that our church will be able to provide help and hope for those whose homes have been devasted or who have been otherwise affected by Hurricane Michael.

Your gifts designated for Hurricane response will be used entirely (100 percent) for direct response until it is complete. Give now to support survivors of disasters.

YES, I WANT TO HELP! Lutheran Disaster Response: Hurricane response Lutheran Disaster Response: Where Needed Most Name: Address: City: State: Zip Code: Email address:

Give through your congregation or make your check out to
Lutheran Disaster Response and send to:
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, ELCA Gifts Processing Center,
P.O. Box 1809, Merrifield, VA 22116-8009

Write "Hurricane Response" or "Where Needed Most" on your check's memo line.



Prayers of the Church are requested for:
Those Hospitalized: Richard Harz, Luther Sowers
Those Recuperating: LuAnne Bergstrom, John Uhler
Those with Ongoing Health Issues: Alexander Cucinella, Marie Fray, Dave Gifford, Ila Faye Stare, Stan Zeiders
Those Who Struggle:
Those in Need of Prayer: Sandy Cartwright, Donna Chaney, Phyllis Hershock, Kyle Mitchell, DeHaven Speicher, Kirk Summers
Those with Life-Threatening Illness : Polly Bergstrom Barnes, John DeFelice, Robin Groff, Craig Hershock, Brad Oldenburg, Jr., Charles Portz, Nathan Sulpizio
Those Serving in Combat Zones: Jose Arroyo, Jesse Butler, Jessica Deeter, Matt Olphin, Travis Reed, Mike Rudisill
PRAYER LIST UPDATE Please complete the form below for adding loved ones to the prayer list. You may either bring it to the office or drop it in the offering plate. Thank you.
Add to: \square Recuperating \square Ongoing Health \square Struggle \square In Need of Prayer \square Life-Threatening \square Combat Zones
Names:
PLEASE REMOVE:
Requested By:

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We're On A Mission

Advent is a community of Christian Believers: experiencing, witnessing, and growing in the love of Jesus, and proclaiming the Good News of the Gospel by sharing God's gift with all people . . . friends and strangers alike.

To this adventure we invite you!

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The People of the Parish

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Pr. Daniel V. Biles Interim Pastor

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Lifting Up Christ...Building Up People...Preparing the Way