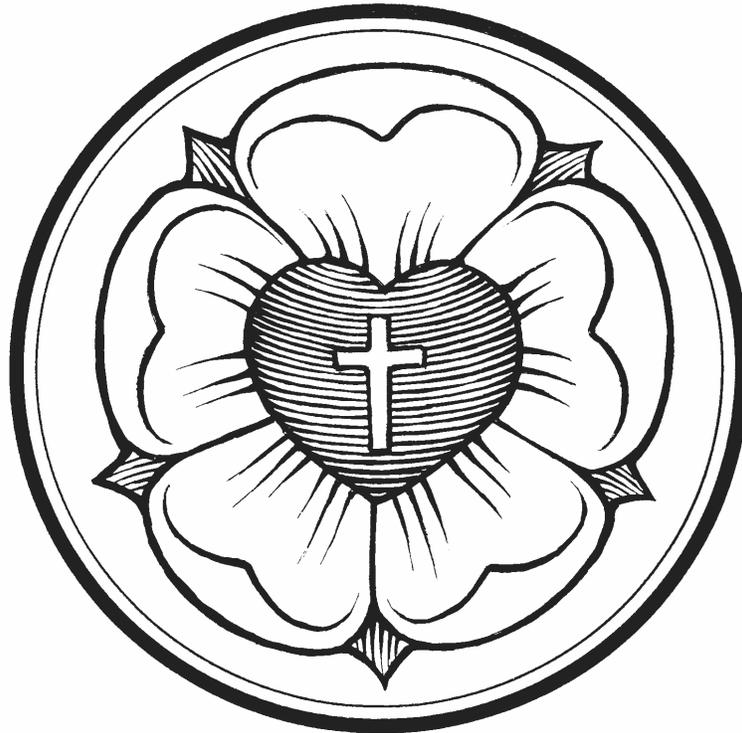




304 South Street  
Collinsville, Illinois 62234  
618-344-3145  
[www.holycross-collinsville.org](http://www.holycross-collinsville.org)

The mission of Holy Cross is to communicate the love of God in Jesus Christ to our members, community, and world, as we bring people to their Savior through baptism, make disciples through education, and care for our members and community in acts of love. (Matthew 28:19-20 and 1 Thessalonians 5:11)

October 31, 2021  
Reformation



### Those Who Serve Us

	8:00	10:30
Preacher:	Rev. Kyle Wright, II	Vicar Christopher Hill
Liturgist:	Vicar Christopher Hill	Rev. Kyle Wright, II
Acolyte:	Ava Fedder	Brady Mueth
Organist:	Mrs. Joy Elowsky	<

**645 Built on the Rock**

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 1 Built on the Rock the Church shall stand<br>Even when steeples are falling.<br>Crumbled have spires in ev'ry land;<br>Bells still are chiming and calling,<br>Calling the young and old to rest,<br>But above all the souls distressed,<br>Longing for rest everlasting. | 4 Here stands the font before our eyes,<br>Telling how God has received us.<br>The altar recalls Christ's sacrifice<br>And what His Supper here gives us.<br>Here sound the Scriptures that proclaim<br>Christ yesterday, today, the same,<br>And evermore, our Redeemer.        |
| 2 Surely in temples made with hands<br>God, the Most High, is not dwelling;<br>High above earth His temple stands,<br>All earthly temples excelling.<br>Yet He who dwells in heav'n above<br>Chooses to live with us in love,<br>Making our bodies His temple.             | 5 Grant, then, O God, Your will be done,<br>That, when the church bells are ringing,<br>Many in saving faith may come<br>Where Christ His message is bringing:<br>"I know My own; My own know Me.<br>You, not the world, My face shall see.<br>My peace I leave with you. Amen." |
| 3 We are God's house of living stones,<br>Built for His own habitation.<br>He through baptismal grace us owns<br>Heirs of His wondrous salvation.<br>Were we but two His name to tell,<br>Yet He would deign with us to dwell<br>With all His grace and His favor.         |  |

*Text: Public domain*

*Stand*

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

**P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C** who made heaven and earth.

**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

**C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

**P** O almighty God, merciful Father,

**C** I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

**P** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

*Stand*  
**Introit**

*Psalm 34:1–2, 11, 22; antiphon: Psalm 119:46*

I will speak of your testimonies before kings, | [O Lord,]\*  
and shall not be | put to shame.

**I will bless the LORD at | all times;\***  
**his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.**

My soul makes its boast | in the LORD;\*  
let the humble hear | and be glad.

**Come, O children, lis- | ten to me;\***  
**I will teach you the fear | of the LORD.**

The LORD redeems the life of his | servants;\*  
none of those who take refuge in him will | be condemned.

**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***  
**and to the Holy | Spirit;**

**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***  
**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

I will speak of your testimonies before kings, | [O Lord,]\*  
and shall not be | put to shame.

**Kyrie**

*LSB 152*

**A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**A** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all  
let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**A** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**C Amen.**

**947 All Glory Be to God on High**

1 All glory be to God on high  
And thanks for all His favor;  
No harm can touch or terrify  
A child of God forever.  
God shows His good and gracious will  
And grants His peace, the world to fill—  
All strife at last has ended.

2 We praise and laud and worship You;  
We give You thanks forever,  
O Father, for Your rule is true  
And just and changes never.  
With boundless pow'r, Your mighty reign  
Fulfills whatever You ordain.  
Lord, grant us ev'ry blessing!

3 O Jesus Christ, the only Son  
Begotten of the Father,  
Your saving death has made us one  
With God and with each other.  
O Lamb of God, to You on high  
In our distress we sinners cry,  
Have mercy on us, amen!

4 O Holy Spirit, our delight  
And source of consolation,  
Protect us from the devil's might  
Through Jesus, our salvation,  
Who by His death upon a tree  
Has rescued us from misery:  
To this we hold forever.

## **Salutation and Collect of the Day**

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** Let us pray. Almighty and gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on Your faithful people. Keep us steadfast in Your grace and truth, protect and deliver us in times of temptation, defend us against all enemies, and grant to Your Church Your saving peace; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C** **Amen.**

*Sit*

### **First Reading**

*Revelation 14:6–7*

<sup>6</sup>Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people. <sup>7</sup>And he said with a loud voice, “Fear God and give him glory, because the hour of his judgment has come, and worship him who made heaven and earth, the sea and the springs of water.”

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

**Anthem:** (8:00) *God is Our Refuge and Strength-Allen Pote*

### **Epistle**

*Romans 3:19–28*

<sup>19</sup>Now we know that whatever the law says it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be stopped, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. <sup>20</sup>For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin.

<sup>21</sup>But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— <sup>22</sup>the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: <sup>23</sup>for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, <sup>24</sup>and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, <sup>25</sup>whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God’s righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. <sup>26</sup>It was to show his righteousness at the present time, so that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.

<sup>27</sup>Then what becomes of our boasting? It is excluded. By what kind of law? By a law of works? No, but by the law of faith. <sup>28</sup>For we hold that one is justified by faith apart from works of the law.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## **656 A Mighty Fortress Is Our God**

- 1 A mighty fortress is our God,  
A trusty shield and weapon;  
He helps us free from ev'ry need  
That hath us now o'ertaken.  
The old evil foe  
Now means deadly woe;  
Deep guile and great might  
Are his dread arms in fight;  
On earth is not his equal.
- 2 With might of ours can naught be done,  
Soon were our loss effected;  
But for us fights the valiant One,  
Whom God Himself elected.  
Ask ye, Who is this?  
Jesus Christ it is,  
Of Sabaoth Lord,  
And there's none other God;  
He holds the field forever.
- 3 Though devils all the world should fill,  
All eager to devour us,  
We tremble not, we fear no ill;  
They shall not overpow'r us.  
This world's prince may still  
Scowl fierce as he will,  
He can harm us none.  
He's judged; the deed is done;  
One little word can fell him.
- 4 The Word they still shall let remain  
Nor any thanks have for it;  
He's by our side upon the plain  
With His good gifts and Spirit.  
And take they our life,  
Goods, fame, child, and wife,  
Though these all be gone,  
Our vict'ry has been won;  
The Kingdom ours remaineth.

*Text: Public domain*

*Stand*

### **Holy Gospel**

*John 8:31–36*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the eighth chapter.

**C** **Glory to You, O Lord.**

<sup>31</sup>So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, “If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, <sup>32</sup>and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.” <sup>33</sup>They answered him, “We are offspring of Abraham and have never been enslaved to anyone. How is it that you say, ‘You will become free’?”

<sup>34</sup>Jesus answered them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. <sup>35</sup>The slave does not remain in the house forever; the son remains forever. <sup>36</sup>So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** **Praise to You, O Christ.**

## **953 We All Believe in One True God**

- 1 We all believe in one true God,  
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,  
Ever-present help in need,  
Praised by all the heav'nly host;  
All He made His love enfolds,  
All creation He upholds.
- 2 We all believe in Jesus Christ,  
Son of God and Mary's son,  
Who descended from His throne  
And for us salvation won;  
By whose cross and death are we  
Rescued from all misery.
- 3 We all confess the Holy Ghost,  
Who from both in truth proceeds,  
Who sustains and comforts us  
In all trials, fears, and needs.  
Blessèd, holy Trinity,  
Praise forever be to Thee!

*Text: Public domain*

Sit

**Sermon**

(10:30) Psalm 46: 1&11

<sup>1</sup>God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

<sup>11</sup>The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.

Stand

**Prayer of the Church**

**P** Friends in Christ, I urge you all to lift up your hearts to God and pray with me as Christ our Lord has taught us and freely promised to hear us.

God, our Father in heaven, look with mercy on us, Your needy children on earth, and grant us grace that Your holy name be hallowed by us and all the world through the pure and true teaching of Your Word and the fervent love shown forth in our lives. Graciously turn from us all false doctrine and evil living whereby Your precious name is blasphemed and profaned. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** May Your kingdom come to us and expand. Bring all transgressors and those who are blinded and bound in the devil's kingdom to know Jesus Christ, Your Son, by faith that the number of Christians may be increased. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Strengthen us by Your Spirit according to Your will, both in life and in death, in the midst of both good and evil things, that our own wills may be crucified daily and sacrificed to Your good and gracious will. Into Your merciful hands we commend *[name(s)]*

† Prayers have been requested for: Paul Koopman, Kenneth Korsmeyer, Duane Turner, Nancy Eckert, Clarence Fenton, Chris & Linda Rodenberg, Mike Pellegrin, Cathy Leffler, Mike Berta, Bob Watt, Nicholas Eckert, Sue Hanraty, Mike Byers, Reedith Dammer, Gary Langley, Ernest Smith, Bob Boulch, George Heuser, Ruth Caswell, David Aubrecht, Steven Aubrecht, Jane Brese, Doris Spanhotz, Betty Schaulat, Karen Simpkins, Ethan Bohlen, Tim Flynn, Lauren Sidwell

† Long term: Dianna Moore, Tom Arnotti, Rev. Jim Hoppes, Nancy Althardt, Harper Williams, Alicia Flath Rayner, Mike Barthel, Ron & Mona Klein, Steve Crimmins, Larry Berkel, Michelle Baggett, Ann Boulch, Stephanie Stosberg, Earnest Smith, David Wentzel, Dorothy Frey, Blake Bohnenstiehl, Isabella Boyer, Karen Hendricks, Rachael LaCroix, Brandon Ponce, Judy Reynolds, Greg Herbets, Ashley Rieck, Carolyn McDonald, Mary Holcomb, MaryAnn Wright, Fred Poddig Sr., Amy Davis, Gerrit Gillespie, Theresa Gramlich, Paul Wood, Sonja Witte, Colton Tourville, Frieda Maack, Sandy Coleman, Mike Cluck, Fred & Kelly Kurtz, Patricia Eberhart, Sonja Yagow, Doug Rankin, Ron Bopp, Chrissi Bergt, Dennis Shasteen

† Our missionaries: Pastor Joel Fritsche—Dominican Republic, Pastor Wilhelm Weber—Wittenberg, Germany, Pastor Nicholas Salifu—Ghana, Africa and all who are in need, praying for them at all times: Thy will be done. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Grant us our daily bread, preserve us from greed and selfish cares, and help us trust in You to provide for all our needs. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Forgive us our sins as we also forgive those who sin against us so that our hearts may be at peace and may rejoice in a good conscience before You, and that no sin may ever frighten or alarm us. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

**P** Lead us not into temptation, O Lord, but help us by Your Spirit to subdue our flesh, to turn from the world and its ways, and to overcome the devil with all his wiles. Lord, in Your mercy,

**C** hear our prayer.

- P** And lastly, O heavenly Father, deliver us from all evil of both body and soul, now and forever.  
 Lord, in Your mercy,  
**C** **hear our prayer.**  
**P** We trust, O Lord, in Your great mercy to hear and answer us; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.  
**C** **Amen.**

*Sit*

**Offering:**

*Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word-S. Drummond Wolff*

*As the Church Community, we who are Holy Cross use our resources together to care for the needs of our neighbors and proclaim the gospel to all who need to hear it. As members of this community, of Holy Cross, if you would like to work toward these goals, one way you can do this is by giving an offering through the plate in the back, through the mail, or through the "Donate Now" button on our website. Thank you for the time, prayers, and offerings you joyfully give in service of our neighbor and the gospel!*

+ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT +

*Stand*

**Preface**

*LSB 216*

- 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 Him thanks and praise.**  
**P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. Grant us Your Spirit, gracious Father, that we may give heed to the testament of Your Son in true faith and, above all, firmly take to heart the words with which Christ gives to us His body and blood for our forgiveness. By Your grace, lead us to remember and give thanks for the boundless love which He manifested to us when, by pouring out His precious blood, He saved us from Your righteous wrath and from sin, death, and hell. Grant that we may receive the bread and wine, that is, His body and blood, as a gift, guarantee, and pledge of His salvation. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C** **Amen.**

**Lord's Prayer**

- C** **Our Father who art in heaven,**  
**hallowed be Thy name,**  
**Thy kingdom come,**  
**Thy will be done on earth**  
**as it is in heaven;**  
**give us this day our daily bread;**  
**and forgive us our trespasses**  
**as we forgive those**  
**who trespass against us;**  
**and lead us not into temptation,**  
**but deliver us from evil.**  
**For Thine is the kingdom**  
**and the power and the glory**  
**forever and ever. Amen.**  
**P** In the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, at His command, and with His own words, we receive His testament:

## The Words of Our Lord

LSB 217

- P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My  $\text{†}$  body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My  $\text{†}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

## Pax Domini

- P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.  
**C** Amen.

## Agnus Dei

LSB 198

- C** O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace.  
Amen.

*Sit*

## Distribution

*After receiving the Body and Blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ return to your seat. If you are **not a member** here at Holy Cross or one of our sister LCMS congregations, **please come up anyways and cross your arms**. While we are unable to share communion with you without first having a conversation, we would love to give you a blessing to welcome you to Holy Cross. This practice also helps us maintain peak COVID-19 safety, as it ensures that no one passes by another person unnecessarily. Thank you!*



## 702 My Faith Looks Up to Thee

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 My faith looks up to Thee,<br>Thou Lamb of Calvary,<br>Savior divine.<br>Now hear me while I pray;<br>Take all my guilt away;<br>O let me from this day<br>Be wholly Thine!                 | 3 While life's dark maze I tread<br>And griefs around me spread,<br>Be Thou my guide;<br>Bid darkness turn to day,<br>Wipe sorrow's tears away,<br>Nor let me ever stray<br>From Thee aside.             |
| 2 May Thy rich grace impart<br>Strength to my fainting heart;<br>My zeal inspire!<br>As Thou hast died for me,<br>Oh, may my love to Thee<br>Pure, warm, and changeless be,<br>A living fire! | 4 When ends life's transient dream,<br>When death's cold, sullen stream<br>Shall o'er me roll,<br>Blest Savior, then, in love,<br>Fear and distrust remove;<br>O bear me safe above,<br>A ransomed soul! |

## **973 Thy Word Is a Lamp**

- ref Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet  
And a light unto my path.  
Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet  
And a light unto my path.
- 1 When I feel afraid, think I've lost my way,  
Still You're there right beside me.  
And nothing will I fear as long as You are near.  
Please be near me to the end. Refrain
- 2 I will not forget Your love for me, and yet  
My heart forever is wandering.  
Jesus, be my guide and hold me to Your side;  
And I will love You to the end. Refrain

*Text: © 1984 Meadowgreen Music Company, admin. EMI. Used by permission: Holy Cross Lutheran Church no. 10001176*

*Stand*

### **Post-Communion Hymn -(8:00) Sung by Choir**

- 1 O Lord, we praise Thee, bless Thee, and adore Thee,  
In thanksgiving bow before Thee.  
Thou with Thy body and Thy blood didst nourish  
Our weak souls that they may flourish:  
O Lord, have mercy!  
May Thy body, Lord, born of Mary,  
That our sins and sorrows did carry,  
And Thy blood for us plead  
In all trial, fear, and need:  
O Lord, have mercy!
- 2 Thy holy body into death was given,  
Life to win for us in heaven.  
No greater love than this to Thee could bind us;  
May this feast thereof remind us!  
O Lord, have mercy!  
Lord, Thy kindness did so constrain Thee  
That Thy blood should bless and sustain me.  
All our debt Thou hast paid;  
Peace with God once more is made:  
O Lord, have mercy!
- 3 May God bestow on us His grace and favor  
That we follow Christ our Savior  
And live together here in love and union  
Nor despise this blest Communion!  
O Lord, have mercy!  
Let not Thy good Spirit forsake us;  
Grant that heav'nly-minded He make us;  
Give Thy Church, Lord, to see  
Days of peace and unity:  
O Lord, have mercy!

*Text: © 1941 Concordia Publishing House. Used by permission: Holy Cross Lutheran Church no. 10001176*

## Post-Communion Collect

- A** Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C** **Amen.**

## Benedicamus

LSB 218

- A** Let us bless the Lord.  
**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## Benediction

- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.  
**C** **Amen.**

## 578 Thy Strong Word (8:00) Choir sings vs. 2 and 4

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 1 Thy strong word did cleave the darkness;<br>At Thy speaking it was done.<br>For created light we thank Thee,<br>While Thine ordered seasons run.<br>Alleluia, alleluia!<br>Praise to Thee who light dost send!<br>Alleluia, alleluia!<br>Alleluia without end!             | 4 From the cross Thy wisdom shining<br>Breaketh forth in conqu'ring might;<br>From the cross forever beameth<br>All Thy bright redeeming light.<br>Alleluia, alleluia!<br>Praise to Thee who light dost send!<br>Alleluia, alleluia!<br>Alleluia without end!                |
| 2 Lo, on those who dwelt in darkness,<br>Dark as night and deep as death,<br>Broke the light of Thy salvation,<br>Breathed Thine own life-breathing<br>breath.<br>Alleluia, alleluia!<br>Praise to Thee who light dost send!<br>Alleluia, alleluia!<br>Alleluia without end! | 5 Give us lips to sing Thy glory,<br>Tongues Thy mercy to proclaim,<br>Throats that shout the hope that fills us,<br>Mouths to speak Thy holy name.<br>Alleluia, alleluia!<br>May the light which Thou dost send<br>Fill our songs with alleluias,<br>Alleluias without end! |
| 3 Thy strong Word bespeaks us righteous;<br>Bright with Thine own holiness,<br>Glorious now, we press toward glory,<br>And our lives our hopes confess.<br>Alleluia, alleluia!<br>Praise to Thee who light dost send!<br>Alleluia, alleluia!<br>Alleluia without end!        | △ 6 God the Father, light-creator,<br>To Thee laud and honor be.<br>To Thee, Light of Light begotten,<br>Praise be sung eternally.<br>Holy Spirit, light-revealer,<br>Glory, glory be to Thee.<br>Mortals, angels, now and ever<br>Praise the holy Trinity!                  |

*Text: © 1969 Concordia Publishing House. Used by permission: Holy Cross Lutheran Church no. 10001176*

## Acknowledgments

Divine Service, Setting Five from Lutheran Service Book  
Unless otherwise indicated, Scripture quotations are from the ESV® Bible (The Holy Bible, English Standard Version®), copyright © 2001 by Crossway, a publishing ministry of Good News Publishers. Used by permission. All rights reserved.  
Created by Lutheran Service Builder © 2021 Concordia Publishing House.



304 South Street  
Collinsville, Illinois 62234-2619  
618 344-3145  
holycross-collinsville.org

## BULLETIN EXTENSION

### This Week at Holy Cross (Locations)

#### Sunday, October 31

- 6:30 pm NO Adult Information Class
- 6:30 pm NO Wildfire Youth Group
- 6:30 pm NO Financial Peace University

#### Monday, November 1

- 6:00 pm Team Esther Meeting (Cafeteria)
- 7:00 pm Boy Scouts (Fellowship Center)

#### Tuesday, November 2

- 9:30 am Quilting (Fellowship Center)
- 6:30 pm Bd. Of Caregiving (Fellowship Ctr.)

#### Wednesday, November 3

### **11:00 am Mid-Week Worship w/Communion**

#### Thursday, November 4

- 9:30 am Mission Quilting (Fel. Ctr.)
- 12:00 pm Noon Bible Study (Fel. Ctr.)
- 5:30 pm Adult Handbell (Sanctuary)
- 6:30 pm Adult Choir (Choir Room)

#### Friday, November 5

#### Saturday, November 6

### **6:00 pm Contemporary Worship**

#### Sunday, November 7

- 8:00 am Worship**
- 9:15 am Sunday School
- 10:30 am Worship**
- 11:30 am Wurstmarkt
- 6:30 pm Adult Information Class (Sanctuary)
- 6:30 pm Wildfire Youth Group
- 6:30 pm Financial Peace University (Fel. Ctr.)

**Altar flowers for this weekend** are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Robert "Bud" Eigenbrodt by his family on the anniversary of his birthday.

## **Voter's Meeting Tuesday November 16th at 7pm in the Sanctuary**

**Wurstmarkt!**—We could still use a couple more workers! Remember you need RESERVATIONS for dine-in AND carryouts! Please text Carol (618) 616-8588 or call Paul (618) 616-1249 or leave a message on our home phone (618)345-0236. Please sign up early! It makes our job a little easier and things will go more smoothly! Let's keep this tradition alive!!

**PIES, PIES, PIES for WURSTMARKT** - we will be accepting pies on Saturday November 6th and on Sunday morning!

**Adult Information Class...**Join us on next Sunday evening, November 7, **at 6:30 p.m.** Do you want to know more about the Lutheran faith? Join us next Sunday! All are welcome!

**Don't forget! Next weekend is the first weekend of the month! Bring your donations for the Collinsville Food Pantry.**

**40 Days for Life...CLOSING RALLY...**Sunday, Oct. 31, 2021 2:00-3:00 PM at Hope Clinic for Women -1602 21st St. Granite City, IL 62040....Keynote Speaker: Rev. Michael Salemink, Executive Director for Lutherans for Life. Questions? Contact Nancy Lochmann (618 540-9096) or Veronica Esker (618 792-8020).

**Pecan pie! Yes we have pecans this year.** (Limited supply). They will be shipped to us by the second week of November. Please order by texting or calling Vicki Boston at 618-972-7597. You may also email me at [veboston@charter.net](mailto:veboston@charter.net). The proceeds will go to our Youth for the next Youth Gathering. The cost is \$11.00 dollars for a 16 ounce bag of halves or pieces. Happy baking.

**November 14 is Comfort Dog Sunday!** Join Team Esther in the Fellowship Center during Bible class time for a short presentation on the ministry, especially how we've managed through Covid. You may even have the opportunity to see Esther play! We'll have goodies to eat and will accept donations at the fellowship hour and with door offerings at all three services. Any questions about this event or about the ministry in general, contact Mary Burch at 618-581-5316 or [marydburch@gmail.com](mailto:marydburch@gmail.com).

**Metro-East Lutheran High School** is happy to announce its Night of Knights Annual Auction will be an in-person event again this year. The auction will be held on Friday, Nov. 5, at the Gateway Convention Center in Collinsville. All are invited to join us! Donations are currently being accepted for auction items. All donations can be dropped off at the school office. Thank you for your support of what is our biggest fundraiser of the year.

**Metro-East Lutheran High School** invites you to an Open House on Sunday, Nov. 7, from 1 p.m.-3 p.m. Come find out more about our school community, take a tour of our campus, meet our teachers, visit with our administrators and get answers to your questions about everything from academics to extracurriculars to tuition assistance. For more information, call the school office at 618-656-0043 or email [admissions@melhs.org](mailto:admissions@melhs.org).

The deadline to have an announcement in the Extension and the weekly email is Wednesday by noon. Please send all announcements to: [bulletin@holycross-collinsville.org](mailto:bulletin@holycross-collinsville.org)

Articles for the monthly Messenger need to be sent by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month to:

[messenger@holycross-collinsville.org](mailto:messenger@holycross-collinsville.org)

#### How to use the Digital Connect Card QR Code:

1. Open the Camera app on your smart phone
2. Hold the Camera over the QR code box.
3. A link will appear. Tap the link to be taken to Digital Connect Card
4. If you do not have a smart phone, type in the link below the QR code into your computer



**“Get Wright For Sunday”** is a podcast designed to prepare you for Sunday Worship and beyond! In each episode, Pastor Wright, Vicar, and other guests discuss the lessons you hear read in worship and explore their context, meaning, and implications for you! For more information, scan the QR code or type the link on the left.