SILOAH CHURCH & SCHOOL NEWS
NOVEMBER 22, 2026

ONLINE LOVE OFFERINGS *– November 13th to November 20th*
General Offerings - $640.00; GOHRFG - $40.00.
GRAND TOTAL OF ONLINE LOVE OFFERINGS – $680.00.
All given for the Lord's work. Thank you!! Thank you!!

IN-PERSON LOVE OFFERINGS – November 15, 2026;
Expansion Fund – $25.00; General Offerings - $1,006.00;
Miscellaneous Fund - $12.00; Missions Fund - $35.00;
Reserve Funds - $31.00; Sunday Café - $47.00 (Bereavement)

GRAND TOTAL OF IN-PERSON LOVE OFFERINGS $1,156.00.
All given for the Lord's work. Thank you!! Thank you!!

Last Sunday Worship Service In-Person Attendance – 67
Last Sunday Holy Communion In-Person Attendance - 47

UPCOMING EVENTS
WLHS Daddy Daughter Dance – December 12 – 6:00pm
WELS Seminary Chorus – December 13 - 3:00PM

Poinsettia plants are on sale and will end on December 6th. The cost will stay at $15.00 for a 6" potted plant. The choice of colors are the same RED or WHITE. Acceptable payment is CASH or CHECKS (**Payable to Siloah Altar Guild**).

NOTICE: There is a misprint on the November Calendar. The setout of Christmas Decorations will be November 29th after service. Casual wear is permissible.

SILOAH'S MISSION STATEMENT
It is our God-given mission ***to witness*** *to the full and free forgiveness of sins through Jesus Christ,* ***to learn*** *more about God's grace,* ***to live*** *as examples of God's grace and* ***to labor****, lovingly, to share God's grace, all to the glory of God alone, until Jesus comes again.*

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Presiding Minister: Rev. Dr. Paul Steinberg, Pastor

Please pray for:

Siloah Partners who are sick and shut-in:

Hershel Adams, Denise Baker, Tyrone Carter, Carol Davis, Ricky Davis, Gail Dunlap, Lee Dora Gray, Marcia Gray, Dorothy Griffin, Ollie Hill, Margie Jackson, Ken McGhee, Ann McIntyre-Carter; Marcia Perkins, Charmaine Perry, Sharon Risiner, Fallon Sims, Katie Turner, and Willie Mae Williams.

Please pray for:

Friends of Siloah Partners who are sick and shut-in: ***Bethany Baldwin*** *(daughter of Deborah Smith),* ***Clarence Baldwin*** *(Father-in-law of Deborah Smith),* ***Laveina Davis*** *(mother of Irma Jones),* ***Reese Dangerfield*** *(granddaughter of Charmaine Perry),* ***Michael Jones*** *(cousin of Rozwell Brown),* ***Kthy Knox*** *(daughter of Willie Mae Knox),* ***Elijah Nunn*** *(grandson of Marcia Perkins),* ***John Wigley****, Jr.(brother of Joyce McGhee) and* ***Barry Woodard*** *(brother of Peggy Woodard).*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!! Tashenia Teat – 11/27; Margie Jackson – 11/28; and Ann McIntyre-Carter – 11/29.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARIES!!! no anniversaries this week

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY- Adult Bible Class – 9:00am; Sunday School – K5-8th Grade; Teen Bible Study -9th–12th- 9am; Worship Service – 10am/ School singing
Tuesday - Northside Ministries Bible Study – 11:00am
Tuesday – Food Pantry/Food Drive – 12:00pm – 2:00pm
Wednesday – Thanksgiving Eve Services – Garden Homes – 6pm
Thursday – Thanksgiving Day Services – 10am

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***Pentecost Series:** The Bible Answers Siloah's Questions*

***Today's Theme:** Why Don't We Ever Talk About Politics In Church?*

November 22, 2026

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Guest Check In: www.VisitSiloah.com

Prayer Requests: www.PraySiloah.com

Welcome

O Come to the Altar

Verse 1
Are you hurting and broken within
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin
Jesus is calling
Have you come to the end of yourself
Do you thirst for a drink from the well
Jesus is calling

Chorus
O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Verse 2
Leave behind your regrets and mistakes
Come today there's no reason to wait
Jesus is calling
Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy
From the ashes a new life is born
Jesus is calling

Chorus
O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Bridge
Oh what a Savior
Isn't he wonderful
Sing alleluia Christ is risen
Bow down before him
For he is Lord of all
Sing alleluia Christ is risen

Chorus
O come to the altar
The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with
The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Verse 3
Bear your cross as you wait for the crown
Tell the world of the treasure you've found

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Stand

Gathering Rite

P: We gather as Witnesses of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
C: Amen.
P: Our mission is to learn more and more
C: About God's grace.
Live as examples
Of God's grace
and to Labor in love
To share God's grace.

We join to confess our sins:
We are sinful and show our sinfulness by our words and actions. We fail to carry out our mission because of our laziness, lack of generosity, fear and lack of trust in Your Holy Spirit. Forgive us because of Jesus. Renew us by Your Holy Spirit. Lead us in Your plan.

God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit forgive all of your sins. You have been washed at your baptism by the blood of the Lamb, Jesus. As God's children learn, live and labor in Franklin Heights, Milwaukee and around the world.

Amen.

Prayer

Blessed Lord, you have given us your Holy Scriptures for our learning. May we so hear them, read, learn, and take them to heart that, being strengthened and comforted by your holy Word, we may cling to the blessed hope of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen.

Be seated

Gospel Choir Sings: God Provides

Reading

Jeremiah 29:7

7Also, seek the peace and prosperity of the city to which I have carried you into exile. Pray to the LORD for it, because if it prospers, you too will prosper."

Children's Message

Reading

1 Peter 2:13–17

[13]Submit yourselves for the Lord's sake to every human authority: whether to
the emperor, as the supreme authority, [14]or to governors, who are sent by him
to punish those who do wrong and to commend those who do right. [15]For it is
God's will that by doing good you should silence the ignorant talk of foolish
people. [16]Live as free people, but do not use your freedom as a cover-up for
evil; live as God's slaves. [17]Show proper respect to everyone, love the family of
believers, fear God, honor the emperor.

This I Believe (The Creed)

Verse 1

Our Father everlasting
The all creating One
God Almighty
Through Your Holy Spirit
Conceiving Christ the Son
Jesus our Savior

Chorus

I believe in God our Father
I believe in Christ the Son
I believe in the Holy Spirit
Our God is three in One
I believe in the resurrection
That we will rise again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus

Verse 2

Our judge and our defender
Suffered and crucified
Forgiveness is in You
Descended into darkness
You rose in glorious life
Forever seated high

Bridge

I believe in You
I believe You rose again
I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord

Chorus 2

I believe in life eternal
I believe in the virgin birth
I believe in the saints' communion
And in Your holy Church
I believe in the resurrection
When Jesus comes again
For I believe in the Name of Jesus

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Sermon Theme – Why Don't We Ever Talk About Politics In Church?

Sermon Text:

1 Timothy 2:1–2

[1]I urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people— [2]for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness.

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During Offering Gospel Choir Sings: Great Is Your Mercy

Stand

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

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

Prayer

Lord, hear my prayer, listen to my cry for mercy;

in your faithfulness and righteousness, come to my relief.

Spare us, Lord, from the lies of the devil and the attacks of our conscience. Comfort and save us in your patient compassion.

Have mercy on us, Jesus.

Guide us, Lord, to the wisdom of your Word and the power of your promises. Take away our confusion and doubt.

Have mercy on us, Jesus.

Hear us, Lord, when we come to you in prayer. Make us confident to take you at your word and to follow you in faith.

Have mercy on us, Jesus.

Empower us, Lord, to walk in your ways and live in your truth. Fill us with your love, that we may love you and one another.

Have mercy on us, Jesus.

Let us pray.

Eternal God, merciful Father, you have appointed your Son as judge of the living and the dead. Enable us to wait for the day of his return with our eyes fixed on the kingdom prepared for your own from the foundation of the world; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Almighty God, by your Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified. Receive our prayers for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocations and ministries they may truly serve and honor you; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Lord's Prayer

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.

Announcements

Every Praise

Chorus

Every praise is to our God
Every word of worship with one accord
Every praise every praise is to our God
Sing hallelujah to our God
Glory hallelujah is due our God
Every praise every praise is to our God

Bridge

God my Savior
God my Healer
God my Deliverer
Yes He is yes He is
(Yes He is yes He is)

Ending

Every praise is to our God
Every word of worship with one accord
Every praise every praise
Every praise every praise
Every praise every praise
Every praise every praise
Every praise every praise
Every praise every praise
Every praise every praise is to our God

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Blessing

The almighty and merciful Lord—the Father, the ✝ Son, and the Holy Spirit—bless us and keep us.
Amen.

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"Love One Another!"

Siloah Lutheran Church
Mission Statement

It is our God-given mission to **WITNESS** to the full and free forgiveness of sins through Jesus Christ in our community.

Our Objectives are:

- To **LEARN** more and more about God's grace through his Word and Sacraments in worship, Bible study, and our Christian school for strengthening of our faith, fellowship, and families.
- To **LIVE** as examples of God's grace as we gather to encourage one another and to help the physically and spiritually needy in our congregation, our community, and the world.
- To **LABOR** in love to share God's grace, the sweet message of the gospel, with our diverse community and all with whom we come in contact.

<u>Actions steps from today's worship:</u>

Learn More and More: Read Acts 4-6 for the Early Church use of elders

Live as Examples: Take time to talk to a fellow Siloah attender about how worship is and share your thoughts with an elder or Pastor Steinberg

Labor in Love: Start a conversation asking someone what their church is like. If they respond they do not have one, invite them to Siloah.

Read it and share it today.

Where can I find God?

WELS
Christ's Love. Our Calling

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Christmas is a time for searching. People go from one store to another in search of one specific gift. When they finally find that special present, they feel a sense of relief and accomplishment.

What are you looking for this Christmas season? Many of us spend a lot of time looking but not finding. We look for peace in our lives, but the strains of work and stresses of our relationships bring tension and turmoil. We look for understanding about why our lives have taken the direction they have only to be left pondering and wondering. We look for happiness but find only sorrow. We ask the question, "What's life all about?" We wonder, "What have I accomplished?" We are left searching for answers.

All life's questions really boil down to one. Those who have found the answer to this question also have the answers to the question of peace, understanding, and happiness. This question may be asked more at this time of year than at any other. If your life needs meaning, peace, understanding, and happiness, then you need to first ask the big question: "Where can I find God?" Long ago some ordinary blue-collar workers—some shepherds—were presented with the answer. These shepherds were told that the world's Savior was born in the small town of Bethlehem. Was it true? They went to investigate. And they found God!

"When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, "Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about." So they hurried off and found Mary and Joseph, and the baby, who was lying in the manger" (Luke 2:15,16).

Where can we find God? The Bible takes us back to Bethlehem, where we join the shepherds in beholding the Son of God who took on our human nature and was born into the world. He came to seek and save all of us who had lost our connection with God. He came to give us the answer for finding God. We find God through him because he is the Savior who has opened the way to life with God.

No more searching. Jesus is the answer for finding God.

You are invited to dinner with us!

Advent Meals at Siloah Lutheran Church in Hoffmann Hall.

WEDNESDAYS IN DECEMBER

December 2, 2026
Meal: 5:30 P.M. Service: 6:30 P.M.

December 9, 2026
Meal: 5:30 P.M. Service: 6:30 P.M.

December 16, 2026
Meal: 5:30 P.M. Service: 6:30 P.M.

The Seminary Chorus presents

A Service of Lessons and Carols



You are warmly invited to join the Seminary Chorus on December 13, at 3:00 or 7:00 pm for a concert of Scripture and sacred song celebrating the promised Savior. Bring family and friends; all are welcome. The Seminary Chorus, directed by Prof. Aaron Christie, is a choir composed of men studying for the pastoral ministry at Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary, Mequon, WI.

The 3:00 pm concert will be live streamed at vimeo.com/WLSLive.



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