



Old Testament **Isaiah 66:15024**

“For behold, the LORD will come in fire,
and his chariots like the whirlwind,
to render his anger in fury,
and his rebuke with flames of fire.

¹⁶ For by fire will the LORD enter into judgment,
and by his sword, with all flesh;
and those slain by the LORD shall be many.

¹⁷ “Those who sanctify and purify themselves to go
into the gardens, following one in the midst, eating
pig's flesh and the abomination and mice, shall come
to an end together, declares the LORD.

¹⁸ “For I know their works and their thoughts,
and the time is coming to gather all nations and
tongues. And they shall come and shall see my
glory, ¹⁹ and I will set a sign among them. And from
them I will send survivors to the nations,
to Tarshish, Pul, and Lud, who draw the bow,
to Tubal and Javan, to the coastlands far away, that
have not heard my fame or seen my glory. And they
shall declare my glory among the nations. ²⁰ And they
shall bring all your brothers from all the nations as
an offering to the LORD, on horses and in chariots
and in litters and on mules and on dromedaries, to
my holy mountain Jerusalem, says the LORD, just as
the Israelites bring their grain offering in a clean
vessel to the house of the LORD. ²¹ And some of them
also I will take for priests and for Levites, says the
LORD.

²² “For as the new heavens and the new earth
that I make
shall remain before me, says the LORD,
so shall your offspring and your name remain.

²³ From new moon to new moon,
and from Sabbath to Sabbath,
all flesh shall come to worship before me,
declares the LORD.

²⁴ “And they shall go out and look on the dead
bodies of the men who have rebelled against me.
For their worm shall not die, their fire shall not be
quenched, and they shall be an abhorrence to all
flesh.”

The Epistle **Revelation 7:9-14**

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude
that no one could number, from every nation, from
all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before
the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white
robes, with palm branches in their hands, **10** and
crying out with a loud voice, “Salvation belongs to
our God who sits on the throne, and to the
Lamb!” ¹¹ And all the angels were standing around the
throne and around the elders and the four living
creatures, and they fell on their faces before the
throne and worshiped God, ¹² saying, “Amen!
Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving
and honor and power and might be to our God
forever and ever! Amen.”

¹³ Then one of the elders addressed me, saying,
“Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from
where have they come?” ¹⁴ I said to him, “Sir, you
know.” And he said to me, “These are the ones
coming out of the great tribulation. They have
washed their robes and made them white in the
blood of the Lamb.

Holy Gospel **John 1:43-46**

The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He
found Philip and said to him, “Follow
me.” ⁴⁴ Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city
of Andrew and Peter. ⁴⁵ Philip found Nathanael and
said to him, “We have found him of whom Moses in
the Law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of
Nazareth, the son of Joseph.”

⁴⁶ Nathanael said to him, “Can anything good come
out of Nazareth?” Philip said to him, “Come and
see.”

HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

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WELCOME! We, the members of Holy Cross Lutheran Church, worshipping here this morning, are honored to have you with us, and hope that your being here will prove helpful to your spiritual life. Please come and worship with us again.

WE WILL BE CELEBRATING THE LORD'S SUPPER during the Dual Parish worship service at St. John's next Sunday morning. Please fill out a communion registration card today if you plan to use this Sacrament for the strengthening of your faith and place it in the basket at the back of the church.

THOSE USING THE MEANS OF GRACE LAST WEEK:

Worship Service: 86; Visitors: 6; Bible Class: 5 Sunday School: 17

HOLY CROSS CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK of October 16 to October 23

TODAY: Register for Holy Communion

Dual Parish Choir Practice at St. John's, 4:00 p.m.

Couples' Club Meeting, 6:00 p.m.

TUES.: LSA Volleyball at Higginsville, Gr 4,5,6 at 5:30PM; Gr 7&8 at 6:30PM

WED.: LSA Mid-week Chapel Service, 8:05 a.m. at Trinity (ALL are invited!)
Senior Choir Practice at Trinity, 7:00 p.m. (for Reformation)

THUR.: Men's Bible Study at Classic, 7AM

Women's Bible Study at Trinity, 9:30 a.m.

LSA Volleyball at Marshall, Gr 4,5,6 at 6PM; Gr 7&8, 7PM

SAT.: Volleyball Tournament at LSA for Grades 4,5,6

LWML Sedalia Zone Fall Rally at St. Paul, Stover, Reg. at 9:00 a.m.

Saturday Evening Worship Service at Trinity, 6:30 p.m.

NEXT SUN.: Service of Praise and Thanksgiving with Holy Communion;

celebrating the 145th Anniversary at St. John's, beginning at 10:00 a.m.
(No Sunday School or Bible Classes held)

GREETERS: October – Jim Goosen; November – Randy Harms.

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Oct. 23 – Dual Parish Worship Service at St. John's
Nov. 6 – Marvin Dieckman and Charles Cordes

ACOLYTES: Oct 16—Brooklyn Cross; Oct 23—Jenna Harms; Oct 30—Tyler Hickman; Nov. 6—Destiny Kestner; Nov. 13—Grand Louiselle; Nov. 20—Morgan Mummert; Nov. 27—Brooklyn Cross.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Oct 16—Edna Simon; Oct 23—Dual Parish Worship at St. John's; Oct 30—Delores Stelling; Nov 6—Lillie Stelling.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS Matthew Kurz; members and loved ones in nursing homes or restricted to their homes, including Wilbert Meyer, Marge Burdick, LaRuth Vajen, Helen Harms.

QUARTERLY VOTERS' ASSEMBLY will be held after our worship service TODAY,. **THE DUAL PARISH CHOIR** will practice THIS AFTERNOON, in the balcony at St. John's, beginning at 4:00 p.m. If you like to sing, please join us!!

HOLY CROSS IS INVITED TO THE 145TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION at St. John's with a special Dual Parish Worship Service with Communion next Sunday morning, Oct. 23, beginning at **10:00 a.m.** Rev. Jim Wilshusen, Dual Parish Pastor of Emanuel, Sisseton and Zion, Waubay, SD, will be the guest preacher, with Rev. Fred Hertwig, as the liturgist. Following the service there will be a contributed potluck noon meal in the church basement (drinks and table service will be furnished), followed by a Cemetery Walk portraying the founding fathers of St. John's. The day will conclude with fellowship and light refreshments in the church basement.

SECRETARIES OF ALL ORGANIZATIONS are asked to submit an article of the happenings and events of their group for the past three months for the Quarterly Newsletter. Please email your article to karen.oelrichs@gmail.com or call Karen at 668-2425 by noon on Monday, October 24th. Thanks for your help!

THIS YEAR'S CIRCUIT REFORMATION SERVICE will be on Sunday, October 30 at 7 p.m. All choirs in the circuit are invited to participate! We will have a practice prior to the Reformation Service at 4 p.m. on Oct. 30. You are welcome to join the Trinity choir which will practice at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, Oct. 19th and 26th. (No practice on October 12th.)

SEDALIA ZONE LWML FALL RALLY will be held at St. Paul's, Stover, this Saturday, Oct 22, hosted by Holy Cross, Mt. Hulda, and St. John's, Cole Camp and St. Paul's, Stover. Registration begins at 8:45 a.m. with breakfast pastries served in the basement. For a cost of \$7.00, lunch will include soup, sandwiches, chips, cupcakes and beverage. The meeting begins at 10:00 a.m. The keynote speaker is Wanda Pritzel, of Ministry Support and Congregational Services at Lutheran Family Service in Iowa. Both a love offering and ingathering will be taken for Lutheran Family Services. Suggested items include: diapers (size 3 and up), baby lotion, powder, and wipes. There will also be a general offering.

DO YOU HAVE READY ANSWERS for such questions as "Why do bad things happen?" and "Why does God say, 'No'?" Get help at the Mission U witness workshop "Answering the tough Questions" to be held in Schnell Auditorium in the Lutheran School in Cole Camp on Saturday, Nov 5, from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Registration forms are available from Marvin Dieckman, Charles Cordes, or Randy Meyer and are due by October 30. **THANK YOU TO EVERYONE** who helped with the Cole Camp Fair float for Holy Cross. Your help was greatly appreciated.

THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS - A listing of possible events that action teams may be applied for is hanging in the back of the church by the calendar. This list is just to give a guideline on dates when action teams must be applied for and to let anyone know if someone has already taken that event. You can sign your name or just write applied. You may also add events at the bottom of the page. If you need help applying, just call Mike Dieckman at 596-1822.

REHEARSALS of the chorus for the annual performance of Handel's *Messiah* will be each Sunday, Oct. 23 thru Nov. 27 from 2-4PM at Sacred Heart Church in Sedalia. The performance date is December 4 at 3:00 p.m. Interested singers are invited!

Today's Service

***L.W.M.L. Sunday
Printed Order of Worship***

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Hymn of Praise: 811
"Oh, That I Had
a Thousand Voices"

The Readings:
Isaiah 66:15-24
Revelation 7:9-14
John 1:43-46

Sermon Hymn: 833
"Listen, God Is Calling"

Offertory Hymn: 783
"Take My Life and Let It Be"

Closing Hymn
"Serve the Lord with Gladness"