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Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9am-4pm

November 23rd – December 6th, 2025

| Day | Time | Opportunities to Join Us |
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| Sunday, November 23 | 9:00 AM | Service of the Word |
| | 10:15-11:30 AM | Sunday School - PreK-HS |
| | 10:30 AM | Fellowship followed by Bible Study |
| | 6:00 PM | Bible Study - Couples |
| Monday, November 24 | 6:00 PM | Cub Scouts |
| Wednesday, November 26 | 2:00 PM | Midweek Worship with Holy Communion |
| | 6:00 PM | Thanksgiving Eve Service with Holy Communion and Pie Social |
| | 8:00 PM | AA Meeting |
| Thursday, November 27 | 11:00-1:00 PM | Community Thanksgiving Meal - Fellowship Hall |
| Happy Thanksgiving | | |
| Sunday, November 30 | 9:00 AM | Service of the Word with Holy Communion |
| | 10:15-11:30 AM | Sunday School - PreK-HS |
| | 10:30 AM | Fellowship followed by Bible Study |
| | 6:00 PM | Bible Study - Couples |
| Monday, December 1 | 7:00 PM | Elders Meeting |
| Wednesday, December 3 | 9:00 AM | Mercy Meal Packing |
| | 2:00 PM | Midweek Worship with Holy Communion |
| | 5:00 PM | Advent Meal |
| | 5:30 PM | Bell Choir Rehearsal |
| | 6:10 PM | Choir Rehearsal |
| | 7:00 PM | Advent Worship Service |
| | 8:00 PM | AA Meeting |
| Thursday, December 4 | 9:00 AM | Mission Sewing |
| | 11:00 AM | Communion at St. Williams |
| | 1:00 PM | Bible Study |
| Saturday, December 6 | 8-10 AM | Youth Pancake Fundraiser - Milbank Elementary School |

We lift up in prayer today and throughout the week...Barb Davis, Jeff Davis, Rev. Kurt Ziemann, Mark Angerhofer, Tom Lavin (Pastor Davis' uncle), Tim Krause, Rev. Birtell, George Smith, Steve Bogenrief, Irma Hofhenke, Rev. Johnson, Rev. Bauer, John Schamber, Edna Angerhofer, Shirley Bowen, Ken & Mae Saeger, Steve Underwood, Audrey Harms, JoAnn Hicks, Heather Peiker, Buddy Karges, Kathy Underwood, Rev. Arthur Drehman, Judy Frerichs, Doug Dexter, Sharon Bogenreif, Hudson & Carter Rudebusch.

If you are interested in learning more or have questions about an activity on our calendar, please contact the office. We encourage all to participate, even if you have not attended a meeting or event before, you are welcome.

Sunday School Christmas Program Rehearsals & Schedule:

The Christmas program is quickly approaching, and we are starting our rehearsals! We deeply desire your children will participate in the program this year, as we are relying on their presence for a successful performance.

Sunday School will run from 10:15-11:30 am until the program date. We <u>will meet</u> on November 30th. Attendance consistency makes it easier for the kids as they prepare to share this story with you on 12/14.

Upcoming:

- November 26th at 6 p.m. Thanksgiving Eve Service & Pie Social to follow served by the Elders.
- November 27th 11–1 p.m. Community Thanksgiving Meal here in the fellowship hall.
 Please bring your donated items to church TODAY. Thank you.
 Salads and Pies can be brought on Wednesday evening or Thanksgiving morning by 9:00 a.m.
- November 29th 9 a.m. Annual Church Christmas decorating: many hands make light work.
- November 30th is the First Sunday of Advent. **Devotionals are available today.**
- December 3rd at 7:00 p.m. is our first Advent Mid-Week Service. A Soup Supper will be served by the Youth Group starting at 5 p.m. Youth group members please arrive to help at 4:30 and bring a pan of bars or 2 dozen cookies. Thank you!
- December 6th 8-10 a.m. Youth Pancake Fundraiser at Milbank Elementary School.
- December 7th 3 p.m. Caroling Join us for Caroling at the Nursing Homes with Pizza afterward. Meet in the Fellowship Hall,
- December 14th 9 a.m. Sunday School Christmas Program during our normal worship time.

Stewardship Section:

Colossians 1:18a – "And he is the head of the body, the church." We are part of the Body of Christ; He is our Head. Where He goes, we follow. His thoughts direct our actions. This is how the people of God learn how to give and why they give. Because Jesus gives, indeed He gives all He has.

Special Mission of the Month: Grant County Food Shelf

Each month collections from the "Special Mission Offering" envelope are donated to the mission of the month that was determined at the voters' meeting. If you give electronically, you may now give to the special mission automatically through our provider. The church office would be happy to assist with questions.

Our Church Services:

- Sunday 9:00 a.m. YouTube live or replay by searching "Emanuel Lutheran Church, Milbank, SD"
- KMSD 1510AM or KMSD 95.1FM Sunday 10:00 a.m.
- ITC Customers Channel 95 or 172 Tuesday 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. (or video on demand)
- Midcontinent Customers Channel 3 Tuesday 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., Sunday 8:30 p.m.

South Dakota District LCMS: 888-385-7330 www.sddlcms.org find monthly district news & events.

LCMS Ministry Resources: (There are wonderful resources available to us each week)

- Main Street Living Available locally on NBC (KDLT) or online at www.mainstreetliving.com
- The Lutheran Hour Available locally Sunday at 7:00 a.m. KDIO 1350AM & KMSD 1510AM
 Or online at https://www.lutheranhour.org/
- Listen Live or replay radio programs and podcasts KFUO Radio www.kfuo.org