





Weekly in the Word Opportunities:Sunday:Sunday School 8:45 AMWorship Service 10:00 AMWednesday:KC JaM Choir Practice 5:00 PMAdult Choir Practice 6:15 PM	Bible Lutheran Church Office Info:Office phone: (912) 826-2710Address: 812 Blue Jay Rd., Rincon, GA 31326Email: blc.rincon@gmail.comOffice Hours - Wed. & Thurs 11:30AM-3:30PM or by appointment	
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NEWS & NOTES - November 5, 2023

Altar Flowers

Todays altar flowers are given by Julie & Ken Thompson to the Glory of God and in memory of all departed saints!

<u>BYG Today</u>

Our youth group will leave today after the Anniversary Meal to go and serve with Hosanna's Helpers, the children's ministry at Forsyth Park from 2-4 pm. We hope that all can participate! Additional BYG News is printed on the back of this page.

GRITS News

This is the last week to purchase a raffle ticket! Tickets are \$20 and the six prizes are amazing! They are -- Chef Experience from The Dive (Dinner for 6 prepared and served in your home - \$750 value), \$500 cash, Overnight Stay at Plant Riverside, 4-hour inshore Fishing Trip for four, Woodwork item made by a Local Craftsman, Christmas Quilt. Drawing will be Nov. 5th at the Anniversary Dinner. This is the major fundraiser for GRITS and it allows us to help others throughout the year when needs arise. Please help us meet our goal of 450 tickets for 2023!

Also, the quarterly WOW meeting of the LCMC women will be held today at Laurel Hill Lutheran Church at 6 PM. Georgianna Steese will discuss her work at the Effingham Animal Shelter. She is asking that those attending please bring cat food or a cash donation to support this program.

Christmas Cantata Coming Soon!

Our Christmas Cantata is scheduled for December 17th during morning worship service. We would love to have more singers this year and we welcome all singers ages 11+. Rehearsals are on Wednesday nights from 6:15-7:15. Come & join us as we make a joyful noise for the Lord!

Angel Tree

Our Angel Tree is up and lovely! As you know, this ministry allows our church to bless children in the community with a nice Christmas. By putting the tree up a little earlier than normal, you can go ahead and choose the Christmas gifts you would like to contribute and get some early Christmas shopping done! Feel free to pick out your "Angels" while you are here for the Anniversary Dinner.

Additional BYG News

- It is Christmas Play preparation time! Please have your children and youth at practice this helps them to be more confident and ready to perform their songs and drama. We will use Sunday School time when possible, KC Jam time and BYG meetings. Extra practices may be scheduled to get ready for the performance of "Christmas Cupcakes" on the evening of Dec. 17th! Copies of the play and CD's will be made available to everyone who will be performing.
- November 17th the youth will go the Matthew West Concert. Please email or text Mrs. Leslie by Nov. 6th if you plan to attend so that she can secure your ticket.
- Anyone wanting to donate funds toward the purchase of Thanksgiving Baskets that the youth will be packing and delivering, please see Leslie Dickerson
- The parents of youth should go ahead and put July 9-12 on your 2024 calendar. We will be attending the LCMC Youth Gathering at the Grand View University in Des Moines, Iowa, and would love to have a large youth group attending.

() Upcoming Events:

Today - Sun. 11/5	All Saint's Sunday, BLC's 14th Anniversary Dinner after Worship, Angel Tree Sign-up, Raffle Drawing (Good Luck!)		
MonWed. 11/6-11/8	Elections Board Uses the Fellowship Hall (Election Day 11/7)		
Wed. 11/8	KC Jam 5 PM, Adult Choir 6:15 PM		
Thurs. 11/9	Worship Comm. Mtg. 6:00 PM, Property Comm. Mtg. 6:30 PM		
Mon. 11/13	Church Council Meeting 6:30 PM		
Tues. 11/14	AFPAG Foster Parents Meeting 5:30 PM		
Wed. 11/15	KC Jam 5 PM, Confirmation Class 5 PM, Adult Choir 6:15 PM		
Fri. 11/17	BYG Youth to Matthew West Concert		

And, in the not too far distant future:

- 12/4/2023 Habitat for Humanity Fundraiser Dinner
- 12/7/2023 M.O.B. Meeting at Helmly River House

12/17/2023 Christmas Cantata (during worship service) / Children's Christmas Play in the evening

		November 5	November 12	November 19	November 26	
	Acolyte/Crucifer	Grant Rutland	Jake Waldhour	Brooks Burnsed	Dylan Blaser	
	Altar Care	Rosanne Brant	Connie Zeigler	Charlene Morgan	Connie Bazemore	
	Announcer	Connie Bazemore	Connie Bazemore	Connie Bazemore	Connie Bazemore	
	Children's Moment	Leslie Dickerson	Leslie Dickerson	Leslie Dickerson	Leslie Dickerson	
TS	Council Servant	Andy Dasher	Andy Dasher	Andy Dasher	Andy Dasher	
Z	Communion Asst.	Connie Bazemore	Connie Bazemore	Charlene Morgan	Connie Bazemore	
SERVANTS	Altar Flowers	Julie & Ken Thompson	Roy & Glenda Newkirk	Richard & Karen Hall	Terry & Berta Hinely	
	Head Usher	Jimmy Helmly	Terry Hinely	Ron Morgan	Ken Thompson	
SUNDAY	Lesson Reader	Cheryl Dasher	Robert Rollins	Connie Bazemore	Rosanne Brant	
	Livestream	Worship & Music	Worship & Music	Worship & Music	Worship & Music	
S	Musician-Comm.	Karen Warnell	Karen Hall	Karen Warnell		
	Musician-Service	Karen Warnell	Karen Hall	Karen Warnell		
	Nursery Assist.					
	SS Opening	Dawn Vorel	Dawn Vorel	Dawn Vorel	Dawn Vorel	
	Yellow Ribbon Hst	Evangelism	Evangelism	Evangelism	Evangelism	
	ATTENDANCE 10/29 - SS: 30 WORSHIP: 82 LIVESTREAM: 5					
	LESSON READINGS 11/12: Amos 5:18-24 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 Matthew 25:1-13					

Joke of the Week:

Mrs. Simmons was fumbling in her purse for her offering one Sunday, when a large television remote control fell out and clattered into the aisle.

A curious usher bent over to retrieve it for her and whispered, "Do you always carry your TV remote to church?"

"No," she replied, "but my husband refused to come to church with me this morning, and I figured this was the most evil thing I could do to him legally and without getting in trouble with God."

Local Florists: