ALTAR FLOWERS: Today's altar flowers are given by Bill & Maredith Robertson in grateful thanks for Bill's healing and for all of God's blessings.

LIVING YOUR FAITH: Today we continue *Every One His Witness* in Bible Class. Come and learn how to share the good news of Jesus through natural, relational, and contextual conversations.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: All women are invited to attend Bible study this Tuesday at 1:00 pm. The topic is *Demystifying the Proverbs 31 Woman.*

CHOIR PRACTICE: Choir practice is this Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. All are encouraged to lend their musical talents to the church choir.

NEWSLETTER: Check your e-mail or mail slot for the November newsletter.

PORTALS OF PRAYERS: Pick up your regular print October-December 2018 issue of *Portals of Prayer* from the bookshelves in Luther Hall.

CHURCH LIBRARY: We have a library full of books covering topics such as: theology, devotion, prayer, Christian living, spiritual growth, family, parenting, marriage, divorce, singlehood, aging, death, grief, Bible commentaries, DVDs, music CDs, and much more. We also have a section for children and another for teenagers. Check it out!

PROPERTY OR FACILITY ISSUES: If you notice something here at church that needs repair or attention, please let the Board of Trustees know by sending an email to <u>bot@ds-lcms.org</u>.

WORK DAY: The Board of Trustees invites members to join us on Saturday, October 27 as we tackle projects both big and small, inside and outside. Watch for more information.

OKTOBERFEST: Thrivent is sponsoring the annual Oktoberfest on Sunday, October 28 at 11:30 a.m. Please sign up on the sheets in Luther Hall if you are attending and/or to bring a dish to pass.

FALL YARD WORK: Our youth group is ready to assist you with raking leaves, cleaning gutters, etc. Donations will help them attend next summer's Higher Things youth conference. See Lori Mumme to schedule the youth.

SHOP WITH SCRIP: The next turn-in date is October 21. See Judy Yuenger to buy pre-purchased cards.

MANNA REBATES: As of August 19, you may elect to receive 50% of your profit percentage back as a cash rebate. These rebates will be paid directly to you in the form of a quarterly check. The more you purchase using physical cards, reload, reload now, and scrip e-cards, the more you will earn. Any questions, please contact Lisa Cruz (630-636-6390 or <u>dslcmanna@yahoo.com</u>).

EDUCATION & EDIFICATION: Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public. This week's teachings include: Responding to the Roman Catholic Case for a Celibate Priesthood, The Birth of Moses, Stealing, Bearing False Witness, and more. You can listen live or on-demand at <u>www.issuesetc.org</u> and on the LPR mobile app.

UPCOMING CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

Sunday Bible Classes	Sundays @ 10:45 a.m.
Women's Bible Study	October 2 @ 1:00 p.m.
Book of Concord Study	October 16 @ 7:00 p.m.
Men's Bible Breakfast	October 20 @ 8:30 a.m.