Music and Scripture for today:

Prelude	*Thanksgiving Medley* The Sr. Bell Choir	Arr. Hurlbutt
Lovefeast Music	*The Old Rugged Cross Made the Difference* Seth Randleman, soloist	Gaither
	How Great Is Our God	Arr. McDonald
Offertory	*Built On a Rock*	Althouse
Holy Scripture	Mark 3:31-35	
Sermon	"Christian Faith Means Christian Family"	
Postlude	*This Is My Father's World*	Traditional English Melody

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There will be no Children's Church or Kid's Worship today.

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The flowers in the church today are in honor of Gabe Smith's 12th birthday and C.B. Billing's 10th birthday by their grandparents Percy and Jeanette Snyder.

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The rosebud in the sanctuary today is to celebrate the birth of Wells Anderson Waite, son of Connor and Isabelle Waite, born on November 11. Congratulations to them and to proud grandparents Jay and Jenny Edwards and great-grandparents Jerry and Sherry Edwards.

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These Brothers and Sisters in Christ were elected during Church Council on Sunday, November 15, 2026:

Board of Elders: Mike Hardison, Lee Hines, Carol Ann Little, Vince Young
Board of Trustees: Michael Brann*, Ray Lambeth*, Laura Overcash, Richard Reich
Christian Board of Education: Hellen Bee, Tracie Llewellyn, Amy Stotzer
Head Usher: Chuck Stone
*2nd Term

Please pray for these people, our boards, and everyone in positions of servant leadership here at Friedberg.

Circle 2 has New Crop Pecans available for sale after worship today in the lower parking lot! Look for a gray Honda CRV with the hatch open. They are $12.00 per 1 pound bag of shelled halves. Folks can contact any Circle 2 member or text Michelle Tucker at 336-408-0477. Pecans will not be available at Piedmont Fence.

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If you ordered a 2027 Moravian Daily Texts, it has arrived! Please pick up your copy from the church office. Regular print copies are $13.00, and large print are $15.00.

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Our Honduras Mission Team is raising funds to transport a generator to Kaukira, Honduras. This generator is needed for their January 2027 trip, where they will use it to wire the clinic they began work on this past January. To get the generator shipped, pay customs fees and import duties, obtain necessary materials to wire the clinic, etc., the mission team needs close to $6,000. Anyone who wants to donate, please reach out to Karen Hill at 336-399-1154. Thank you!

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Christmas Decorations: Our church will be decorated for Christmas on the following days:

Sunday, November 22 at 12:30 p.m.: move decorations from storage closets to sanctuary
Monday, November 23 at 9:00 a.m.: assemble and decorate trees, and decorate inside/outside church
Tuesday, November 24 at 9:00 a.m.: finish decorating if needed

All are invited, and you can drop-in any time that works for your schedule. If you have any questions, please contact Sue Freitag at 336-403-6445.

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Women's Fellowship Candle Trimming: If you don't like to drive at night, we are offering an opportunity to fellowship while trimming candles on **Tuesday, December 1, at 10:00 a.m. Also on Tuesday, December 1, at 6:00 p.m.** we will have our candle trimming potluck supper. Officers will also be installed that evening.

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First Friday Breakfast is December 4th! It's our annual Advent Breakfast and Christmas Music Program with the Friedberg Men's Quartet and Pianist Mike Lambeth. Join us for fellowship, inspiration, and breakfast!

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Friedberg Stitching and Crafts Group will be on hold until January 2027. We look forward to starting up again at that time!

The Third Annual Jonathan Frank Memorial Blood Drive is on Sunday, December 13, in the Family Life Center. You may log into redcrossblood.org, call the church office at 336-764-1830, or call me at 336-978-5537. Thank you! Chuck Stone

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Christmas Lovefeasts and Candle Services: This year, our three services will take place on **Sunday, December 20, at 7:30 p.m.**, and on **Thursday, December 24, at 4:30 and 7:30 p.m.** There will be a 30-minute Band Prelude prior to the services. Doors open for seating one hour before the services. These services are a wonderful opportunity for our church family to join with our family members and friends in the community, as we celebrate the birth of our Savior Jesus Christ.

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It's practice time again for Morning Star! It is very important for your child to attend the practices which will occur after Sunday morning worship. Below are the schedule and location:

November	December
1 – Choir Room	6 – No practice
8 – Sanctuary	13 – Sanctuary
15 – No practice	(Last Practice)
22 – Sanctuary	
29 – Sanctuary	

Kid's Worship Choir is singing all 4 verses of Morning Star at the **7:30 p.m. service on December 24**, so they will be rehearsing at these Morning Star practice times too.

Feel free to talk to me if you have any concerns or questions. Thank you! Debbie Foltz

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Unity Prayer Watch is an unbroken chain of prayer that has been a vital part of the life and ministry of the Moravian Church for decades. Friedberg's assigned portion of the prayer watch is **Tuesday, January 5, 2027, from Midnight to 8:00 a.m.** Please consider making a commitment to pray for one or more 30-minute segments of time. A sign-up sheet, along with an extensive list of prayer concerns, is posted on the bulletin board across from the church office.

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Attendance Last Sunday (11/15/26):

Sunday School (Nursery thru High School: 32/Adults: 144)	176
Worship Service (In-person: 281/Livestream: 110)	391

Nursery Volunteers Next Sunday (11/29/26):

Sunday School:	Melissa Davis, Betty Jo Martin
Worship Service – Infant:	Melissa Davis, 2nd Needed
Worship Service – Toddler:	2 Needed

If you can volunteer, please contact Amanda Fine.

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Sunday, November 22 (Thanksgiving Lovefeast)

9:15 a.m.	Band Prelude
9:15 a.m.	Prayer Partners – Parlor
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
11:00 a.m.	Worship/Livestream
12:15 p.m.	Morning Star/Kid's Worship Music – Sanctuary
12:30 p.m.	Decorating Church for Christmas
4:30 p.m.	CROSS Kids

Monday, November 23

8:00 a.m.	Walking – FLC
9:00 a.m.	Prayers and Squares
9:00 a.m.	Decorating Church for Christmas
7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts – FH

Tuesday, November 24

9:00 a.m.	Decorating Church for Christmas
6:30 p.m.	Cub Scouts – FLC

Wednesday, November 25

8:00 a.m.	Walking – FLC

Thursday, November 26 (Thanksgiving)
Church Office Closed

Friday, November 27
Church Office Closed

Sunday, November 29 (First Sunday in Advent Lovefeast)

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Sherry Edwards	Jan Mabe	Lou Snyder
Emily Essick	Brent Martin	Gray Stanfield
Jerry Evans	John Mason	Andy Stone
Gene Fishel	Darrell Metcalf	Larry Tesh
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Anne Hill	Mary Newsome	Jerry Tolley
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O beautiful for spacious skies, Matema C.M.D.
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plain!
America! America!
God shed His grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood,
From sea to shining sea!

O beautiful for patriot dream
That sees beyond the years,
Thine alabaster cities gleam
Undimmed by human tears!
America! America!
God shed His grace on thee,
And crown they good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea!

OFFERING

ANTHEM

DOXOLOGY
Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.

HOLY SCRIPTURE

MESSAGE

Now thank we all our God Nun Danket (146 A)
With heart and hands and voices,
Who wondrous things has done,
In whom His world rejoices;
Who from our mother's arms,
Has blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love,
And still is ours today.

O may this gracious God
Through all our life be near us,
With ever joyful hearts
And blessed peace to cheer us,
And keep us in His grace,
And guide us when perplexed,
And free us from all ills
In this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God
The Father now be given,
The Son, and Spirit blessed,
Who reign in highest heaven;
The one eternal God,
Whom heav'n and earth adore;
For thus it was, is now,
And shall be evermore.

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Thanksgiving Lovefeast Ode

"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." – 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18, NIV

About Moravian Lovefeasts: Early Christians met and broke bread together to signify their fellowship, love and unity in the Lord Jesus Christ. In 1727, the Moravian Church revived this practice, and it has established the custom of celebrating the great church festivals by partaking together of a simple meal known as a lovefeast. The first lovefeasts of the Moravian Church in North America were held in Savannah, Georgia, during the years 1735 to 1740. The first lovefeast in North Carolina was held on the evening of the arrival of the first Moravian colonists in Bethabara on November 17, 1753.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. George's, Windsor (205 F)

Come, you thankful people, come,
Raise the song of harvest-home;
All is safely gathered in,
Ere the winter storms begin;
God, our Maker, does provide
For our needs to be supplied;
Come with all His people come,
Raise the song of harvest-home.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

(Dieners will serve buns and coffee. Please take a bun and pass the basket. Pass the coffee mugs to the next person until all are served. After the blessing, we will partake together.)

Welcome among Your flock of grace Pilgrimage (166 A)
With joyful acclamation,
Our Shepherd whom we now confess!
Come, feed Your congregation.
We own the doctrine of Your cross
To be our sole foundation;
Accept from ev'ry one of us
The deepest adoration.

O Christ, the church's Head and Lord,
You as a Shepherd lead us,
Your flock, and richly with Your word
And sacrament still feed us.
What shall we say? Lost in amaze,
Our hearts bow down before You;
For none sufficiently can praise,
Love, honor, or adore You.

Let all things now living Ash Grove
A song of thanksgiving
To God the Creator triumphantly raise,
Who fashioned and made us,
Protected and stayed us,
Who guides us and leads to the end of our days.
His banners are o'er us, His light goes before us,
A pillar of fire shining forth in the night,
Till shadows have vanished
And darkness is banished,
As forward we travel from light into light.

His law He enforces;
The stars in their courses
And sun in its orbit obediently shine;
The hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains,
The deeps of the ocean proclaim Him divine.
We too should be voicing
Our love and rejoicing;
With glad adoration a song let us raise,
Till all things now living
Unite in thanksgiving:
To God in the highest, hosanna and praise!

The God of harvest praise; Italian Hymn (579 B)
In loud thanksgiving raise
Hand, heart and voice;
The valleys laugh and sing,
Forests and mountains ring,
The plains their tribute bring,
The streams rejoice.

The God of harvest praise;
Hands, hearts, and voices raise
With sweet accord;
From field to store the grain
Bearing your sheaves again,
And in your glad refrain
Now bless the Lord.

THE MORAVIAN BLESSING

Come, Lord Jesus, our Guest to be,
And bless these gifts bestowed by Thee.
Bless Thy dear ones everywhere,
And keep them in Thy loving care. Amen

SPECIAL MUSIC

(After the partaking, dieners will collect the cups while the congregation sings the following hymns.)

We plow the fields, and scatter Wir Pflügen
The good seed on the land,
But it is fed and watered
By God's almighty hand;
He sends the snow in winter,
The warmth to swell the grain,
The breezes and the sunshine
And soft refreshing rain.

All good gifts around us
Are sent from heav'n above;
Then thank the Lord,
O thank the Lord
For all His love.

He only is the Maker
Of all things near and far;
He paints the wayside flower,
He lights the evening star;
The winds and waves obey Him,
By Him the birds are fed;
Much more to us, His children
He gives our daily bread.

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Are sent from heav'n above;
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Breakfast WITH Santa

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5
8:30AM - 11:00AM
FELLOWSHIP HALL



Enjoy free pancakes & sausage along with a photo opportunity with Santa Claus!

Donations will be accepted as all proceeds provide funding to local missions.

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LET'S TALK TURKEY!

Pick a feather. Fill a need. Share a blessing.

Our turkey is back—and it's sporting feathers *with a purpose!*

The Disciples Class invites you to help neighbors in need through our annual Thanksgiving service project. Each bright feather lists a requested donation benefiting **Samaritan Ministries, Crossnore, Family Services**, or **The Dwelling House.**

When you spot our feathered friend around the church, don't just wing it—stop, choose a feather, and shop for the item listed!

Items Needed

- ☐ Baby Wipes
- ☐ Diapers or Pull Ups
- ☐ Large containers of Seasonings
- ☐ Hand Warmers
- ☐ Gloves
- ☐ Adult Socks
- ☐ Twin Sheets
- ☐ Twin Blankets or Comforters
- ☐ Natural Hair Products – Shampoo, Conditioner, Leave in Conditioner, Curl Cream *(suggested brands – Cantu, SheaMoisture, Pattern)*
- ☐ Canned Meats or Vegetables
- ☐ Men's Deodorant
- ☐ Laundry Pods
- ☐ Bath Towels

Beginning **Sunday, November 8, 2026,** place donations in the bins labeled "Disciples Class."

Benefiting:

- Samaritan Ministries
- Crossnore
- Family Services
- The Dwelling House

Together, we can turn a little "fowl play" into a whole lot of good.

Thank you for helping us share God's love during this season of giving!

FM Youth are selling fresh, live Christmas wreaths and homemade bows to raise money for families at Christmas.

Name:_____

Price: $15.00/wreath $10.00/bow

Phone Number	# Wreaths	# Bows	Pd	Ck #

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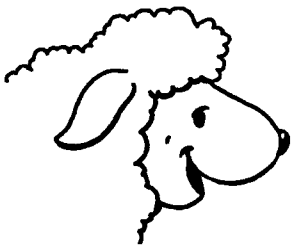

The righteous asked the Lord when they had seen Him like this. How did the King reply?

Match the code with the words to fill in the blanks.

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brothers	whatever	least
did	Mine	for
the	one	truth
you	tell	and
Me	of	I
did	sisters	these

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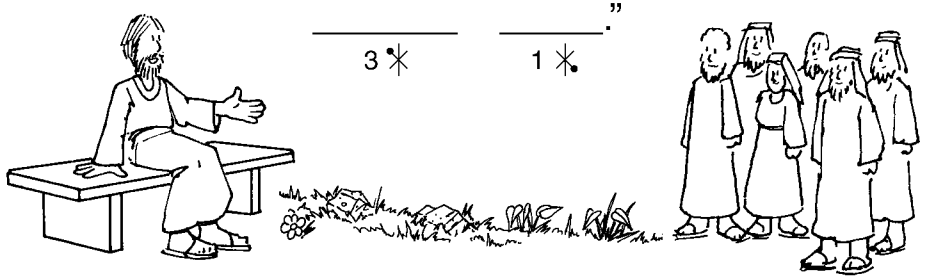

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Ages 7+ **November 22, 2026 • Matthew 25:31-46**

Serving Jesus by Doing Good

Jesus talked about the Son of Man coming. What did He say?

Write the name of each picture. Then fill in the blanks.


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14 25 36 23


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26 2 15 10


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All the nations will be gathered before the Son of Man, and He will separate the people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. Then what would happen?

Use the code here to find the words.									
	eat	King	take	goats	since	Father	needed	kingdom	prepared
	come	left	after	right	those	hungry	blessed	thirsty	something
	gave	sick	drink	sheep	world	looked	clothes	creation	inheritance

"He will put the _____ on His
2
_____ and the _____ on His
4 1
_____. Then the _____ will say to
23 10
_____ on His _____, '_____,
6 4 17
you who are _____ by My _____,
8 3
_____ your _____, the
20 13
_____ _____ for you
16 9
_____ the _____ of the
14 17A
_____. For I was_____ and you
24 5
_____ Me _____ to _____,
12 7 18
I was _____ and you _____
15 12
Me _____ to _____, …
7 26
I _____ _____ and you clothed
21 22
Me, I was _____ and you _____ _____ Me."
11 25 19



