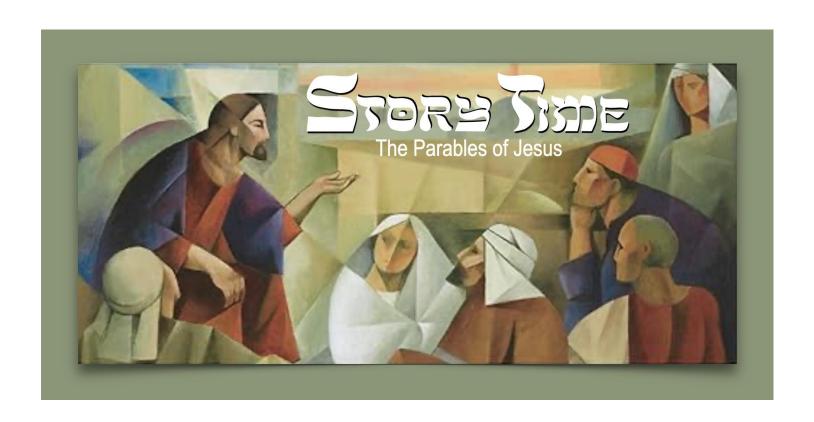


# Welcome



October 5, 2025 ~ 9:30 am

# What's Happening

#### Welcome

We're so glad you're here!. We welcome Pastor Greg Wallace back for the first time today after his three month Sabbatical. If you trust in Jesus Christ, please join us to celebrate Holy Communion, which is by intinction - you will be given a small piece of bread to dip in the wine (large side of chalice) or grape juice (small side of chalice). Need gluten free? Raise a finger. Please fill out the Welcome Card & include any prayer requests. Enjoy coffee & fellowship after worship.

### Tuesday Bible Study is Back! Oct. 7th 10am

Join Pastor Greg for Tuesday morning Bible Study in room 7 at 10am starting on Oct. 7<sup>th</sup>. We'll be learning Lessons from Elijah. All are welcome.

Saint John's Knitting Group Meets Weds., October 8<sup>th</sup> from 9 am to noon Join us for a morning of knitting, crocheting & fellowship. We make hats & scarves for the homeless and baby blankets & hats for Lifeline Pregnancy Center. Call Pam for more info at 805-710-7941.

Empty Bowls Thursday Oct 9<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 am to 1:00 pm St. Patrick's on Fair Oaks For \$25 you receive a beautifully crafted ceramic bowl donated by local artists & as much soup as you want from local restaurants with donations going to 5CHC. Special "Celebrity Servers" including Pastor Greg, will be filling your bowls.

### Dress a Girl Workshop Saturday, October 11th, 9 am to 2 pm

We meet the second Saturday of each month to prepare dress kits and sew dresses. If you don't sew, there are many things to do that don't need sewing skills. Please come to one of our workshops and see all the possibilities of working with this ministry. If you have questions, please contact Pam at 805-710-7941.

#### **Women's Ministry**

Our Women's Ministry is asking for donation of bars of soap for the Lutheran World Relief Hygiene Kits. 200 3-4oz bars are needed for the 100 kits we will prepare. There will be a collection box in the Commons. Please help us with this valuable Ministry. Blessings, Rena Weiger

Welcome Back Potluck for Pastor Greg, Sunday October 12<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm Make room on your calendar and add in this potluck get-together to welcome Pastor Greg back after his three-month long sabbatical! Bring a main dish, side dish, dessert or fruit and veggies! Be prepared to have some great conversation.

**Saint John's October Workday is Saturday, October 11<sup>th</sup> -** Lois is having knee surgery on October 10<sup>th</sup>, so we will need lots of extra help keeping up the property during the month or so Lois will be out of commission. We would appreciate your help any time during the week, too, whenever you might be available whether it's for 15 minutes or two hours. We'll need lots of hands to keep things up while Lois is recovering. Questions? Talk to Mike Johnson 805-710-7319, text or call.

# October 5, 2025 ~ 9:30 am

Singing Together Here I am to Worship

**Everything Glorious** 

Welcome

Greeting & Passing of the Peace

Scripture Reading Mark 4:1-20 Bible Pg 815

Message The Parable of the Seeds

Communion & The Lord's Prayer

Nothing Without You

Make a Way

Prayer

**Apostles Creed** 

Offering & Announcements

Blessing

Singing Together Hold Us Together

Sending



# **Prayers**

Heidi, Morgan, Irene, Patrick, Judy, Julie, Erick, Daisy, Rocky, Anthony, Nick, Penny, Sandy, Lois, Crystal, Shar, Fiona, Travis, Sarah, George, Bruce, Rena, Kay, Emanda, Sean

October Memory Verse

Let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how you ought to answer everyone.

Colossians 4:6

October Food of the Month

Canned Chili

# Info to Know

Nursery Care is available. Hearing Assisting Devices are available.

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Thanks for Serving Today

Altar Guild: Louise Taylor, Jennifer Stowe

9:30am 11:00am

Reader: Evan Reilly Patti Crable

Communion Asst: Evan & Valerie Reilly Mark Crable, (Pastor Greg)

Pat Muran (Pastor Greg)

Ushers: Debbie Belden, Jerry DeVos, Frank Drake

Jennifer Stowe

Greeters: Sandy Varley, Pam Webster

Coffee Ministry: Pam W. & Sandy V. Louise Frye

## This Week

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
11:00am Worship	Rehearsal 6:00pm Cross Traffic Practice	Study w/ Pastor Greg 11:00 – 1:30 Stephen Ministry	8 9:00am Knit a Scarf 11:00am Women's Ministry Program & Lunch 6:00pm Worship Team 6:30pm Chancel Choir	Empty Bowls	CLOSED	11 9:00am Dress a Girl Workshop 9:00am Property Day 9:00am – 11:30am Stephen Ministry Training Classes 12:00pm – 2:30pm Stephen Ministry Training Classes

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