

# Augustana Lutheran Church

## Good Newscaster - November 2011

*A thriving multicultural congregation of peacemakers and justice-seekers  
serving Jesus Christ while welcoming and affirming the gifts of all.*

### Augustana Lutheran Church

*Serving Portland and  
the World to the Glory  
of God since 1906*

### We Invite You to Sunday Worship

†8:30 am Contemporary  
†11:00 am Classical  
†4 pm Open Circle  
†6:00 pm Jazz

*All Saints Sunday  
November 6*

*Stewardship Banquet  
Wednesday, Nov. 16  
5-6p reception  
6-7:30p Dinner and  
Program*

*Thanksgiving Eve  
Ecumenical 5-Church  
Worship Service  
Wednesday, Nov. 23  
7:30 p.m. at Augustana*

*Advent Festival  
for all ages  
Sunday, Nov. 27  
9:50-10:50 a.m.*

*Rose City  
Mixed Quartet  
Sunday, Nov. 27  
6 p.m. jazz service*

See complete calendar at  
[www.augustana.org](http://www.augustana.org) - go to  
This Month and click on  
church calendar.

*"See what love God has given us, that we should be called children of God,  
and that is what we are." I John 3:1*

Beloved, we are God's children now. What a wonderful statement for us to hear each and every day of our lives. With all that people are dealing with in their lives and in the life of our nation and God's world, this is a powerful reminder of who we are and whose we are. It is also an equally powerful reminder of who every other human being is, who they are and whose they are.

Every year we are blessed to have many baptisms at Augustana. It is a gift to the person and to our community of faith. When meeting with families about baptism, I always tell them that at birth we are all a precious child of God. Baptism is our entry into Christ's church that we might be a blessing to the world around us as the hands and feet of Christ, for healing and hope, for justice and peace, for reconciliation and renewal, for inclusion and radical acceptance and for faith, hope, and love.

As we move into the month of November we celebrate all of God's gifts and our mutual call to ministry and the work of the church that we share in our baptism. This was highlighted over the past month with the outstanding Augustana Honors Evening when we lifted up our lay staff, musicians, nursery attendants and pastoral associates in an overflowing ballroom filled with thanks and love. As the month began we had the Augustana

Auction that was a great night of fellowship and joyfully raised \$16,052 for the vital ministries of the church, along with your regular faithful offerings. In the midst of all this, our Worship hours and Sunday School continued to thrive, as did the numerous ministries of the church!

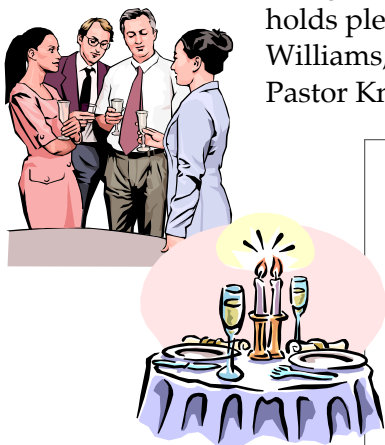
Now in the shorter and cooler days of November, worship takes on new light as the leaves are changing with the colors of fall. This is a time when we lift up our call to be good stewards and to grow in our giving. This is a time to renew our call as children of God to do justice, love kindness and walk humbly with our God. Over the past six weeks we have lost six people as heaven gained six new saints. One was 55, two others in their 80's and three in their 90's. What a witness their lives were of faith active in love. On All Saints Sunday we will celebrate the saints who have gone before us in faith. Beloved, we are God's children now, in heaven and on earth. May we move boldly forward as Christ's servant church with Good News to share.

Christ's joy and peace,

Pastor Mark Knutson

**Our Stewardship Season is underway with the theme, “In Our Giving We Are Enriched.”** There will be Mission Moments, Bible Studies, sermons, the Wednesday, November 16 Stewardship Banquet, with Sunday, November 20 being the Dedication of Pledges.

Pledges will be dedicated through December 4. Our goal is to have over 100 households pledge this year. Committee members include Alden Peterson, Su Hanset, Elliot Williams, Rose Christopherson, Roger and Joyce Olson, Ben Joy, Jenny Schmidt, and Pastor Knutson.



**STEWARDSHIP BANQUET: Wednesday, Nov. 16**

Mark your calendars! This year's stewardship banquet promises to be a great time of fellowship as we talk about our hopes, dreams and financial gifts for this year. The evening will begin with a wine, sparkling cider and cheese reception in the Fireside Room, followed by a delicious dinner prepared by Joanne Mecklem and Sue Van Winkle. There's no charge, so just come and enjoy! Please sign up so we know how much food to prepare.

**Reception: 5:00 - 6:00pm**

**Dinner & program: 6:00 - 7:30pm**

*A simple and convenient way to give:* This fall, consider signing up for electronic giving. Augustana relies on the financial support of the congregation and electronic giving offers an easy way to give on a recurring basis. To give electronically, see [www.augustana.org](http://www.augustana.org) and locate the link to the electronic giving page. Thank you!

**Annual Ecumenical Thanksgiving Eve Service, Wednesday, Nov. 23, 7:30 p.m.** at Augustana. Our partners are the SW Asian Vicariate, Rose City Presbyterian, Rose City United Methodist, and St. Michael's Episcopal. Invite friends to join in an inspiring one-hour service joining hundreds of voices in singing accompanied by brass and the preaching of the Good News.

**Begin the Advent Season with Two Great Augustana Traditions:**

**Intergenerational Advent Festival** for all ages is **Sunday, November 27, 9:50-10:50 a.m.** in the Fellowship Hall. Join us for this activity- and goodie-filled time, decorate an Advent log, children make the yearly Advent banner, there's a piñata for the young children, and fun for everyone as we prepare for the Advent and Christmas season together. This has grown to such a large gathering that we are moving it to the Fellowship Hall.



**Rose City Mixed Quartet at the 6 p.m. Jazz Service, Sunday November 27:** This outstanding quartet has helped to kick off the Advent season at Augustana since 1996.

**World AIDS Day:** The Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon HIV/AIDS Day Center breakfast will be December 1, from 7:20-8:30 a.m. at Concordia University. Sign up for the Augustana table by calling the office.

*We pray for:*

**John Combs**  
**Carrie Erdmann**  
**Keith Erdmann**  
**Mary Gauthier**, we pray for her comfort during the final stages of liver and colon cancer.  
**Sheila Grant**  
**Brian Gregory**

**Shirley Greyfox**  
**Joshua Herman**  
**Sam Huntting**  
**Coston Kaplinski**  
**Kevin Maurer**, Su Hanset's nephew, and his friend  
**Peter Minus**  
**Cliff Newquist**  
**Cathy Nichols**  
**Marian O'Neill**

**Astrid Pieretti**  
**Becky Roth**  
**Floyd Satterlee**  
**Jerrime Shelton**  
**Bob Steen**  
**Betty Terhaar**  
**Robert Wallace**  
**Sheila Watson**  
**Thom Watson**  
**We continue to pray for the**

**people of Japan; for peace in Egypt, Libya, Iraq and Afghanistan, in the middle east and throughout the world, for the restoration of love, care, and the rebuilding of communities devastated by war and disaster. We pray for those in military service, that they**

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**Worship each Sunday at  
8:30 & 11 a.m., 4 & 6 p.m.  
Sunday School for all ages at 9:50 a.m.**

**Sunday, November 6**     *All Saints Sunday*  
Revelation 7:9-17; Psalm 34:1-10, 22; 1 John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:1-12

**Sunday, November 13**  
Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18; Psalm 90:1-8 (9-11) 12; 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11; Matthew 25:14-30

**Sunday, November 20**     *Christ the King*  
Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24; Psalm 95:1-7a; Ephesians 1:15-23; Matthew 25:31-46

**Sunday, November 27**     *Advent I*  
*Advent Festival 9:50-10:50 a.m.; Rose City Mixed Quartet with Jazz Service at 6 p.m.*  
Isaiah 64:1-9; Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19; 1 Corinthians 1:3-9; Mark 13:24-37

*Great News for Augustana!*

**The Augustana Honors Staff Appreciation Night** was simply outstanding! A sold-out ballroom at the Columbia Edgewater Country Club was indeed a night to remember as we celebrated our lay staff, musicians, nursery attendants and pastoral associates. Many thanks to Dennis Brooks, Tamrah Knutson, Joyce Tsongas and Pastor Mark; to Mark and Paula Foat, Kathy Allen Kirsch, Sara Baker, Andrea Robideau, Su Hanset, Joanne Mecklem, Lisa Joy Switalla, Allen Brown, Kevin Hillegass; to the Augustana Church Council and President Jenny Schmidt, and the Augustana Foundation and Chair Liz McKanna for their enthusiastic support of this historic evening! We thank the Foundation for helping to underwrite the awards and dinner so all could attend.

**The Augustana Auction** was fantastic with a record attendance of over 130, and over \$16,000 raised which is also a record. Many thanks to Mark Foat, chair; to Paula Foat, Joyce Olson, Joyce Kindschuh and so many who helped to make this possible; to the Men’s Group, and all the volunteers who made it such a memorable night. Proceeds will go towards the vital ministries of Augustana.

<b>Worship</b>	09/11	250	10/09	202	
<b>Attendance</b>	09/18	202	10/16	232	
08/28	148	09/25	226	10/23	222
09/04	145	10/02	284	10/30	211

<b>Weekly</b>	09/11	\$7,348	10/09	\$6,933
<b>Offering</b>	09/18	\$5,865	10/16	\$7,225
08/28	\$4,244	09/25	\$5,072	10/23
09/04	\$6,607	10/02	\$7,599	10/30

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come safely home soon; **Oz Kirkham**, nephew of Rose Christopherson and John Combs, being deployed to Afghanistan; **Jack Brink**, deployed to Afghanistan. Jack is a Kiowa helicopter pilot. We pray for him and the family (wife Rebecca, daughters Elizabeth and Paige); **Ron Brown**; **Josh Firth** in Iraq; **Cody Addis**, friend of the Wells family, being deployed. **We pray for our sisters and brothers in need**

**throughout the world** that they may receive help and hope. **We pray for peace and tolerance, love and respect for all. We pray for all youth in need.**

**Prayer Requests:** During the prayers of the church, you have an opportunity to offer prayers. We pray for those who cannot physically join us for worship but who are key members of our faith community at Augustana:

**Homebound: Joyce Fee, Cliff Newquist**

**In Memoriam:** We lift up in prayer the families of **Dorothy Woodard, Marie Reifenberg, and Lois Grumm** upon the deaths of their loved ones. We give thanks for their lives and the new life they now share in Christ. Their stories will be posted online and in the Narthex.

Welcome to new members **Claudia and Fred Scholtz, LeAnne Jabs and Mike Connors** who were received on Reformation Sunday. A good number of individuals will be joining in November and December as well.

**Mayaworks Sale at Augustana, Sun., Nov. 6th, 9:30am to 2:00pm.** Mayaworks is a cooperative of Guatemalan women artists striving to improve the lives of their families by selling their beautiful handmade products. This is a great time to do some Christmas shopping, support a great organization and spend some fun time together. To help out contact Maria Grumm 503-289-6966 or Maile Grumm 503-236-9212.

**On Sunday, Nov. 20** the Mt. Hood and Plum Clusters of our Synod are hosting a combined 10:00 a.m. service at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 1244 NE 39th Ave. For those who are not involved in Sunday School and Forum, we encourage you to attend your regular service at Augustana with your pledges to dedicate, and then tithe an extra hour by going to support our cluster congregations.

**Nov. 6 Daylight Saving Time** begins; set your clocks back one hour the night of the 5th!

**Join Adult Forum:** We meet at 9:50 a.m. in the Fireside Room.

**Speaking of Forum,** we need folks to provide hospitality for adult forum in the way of cookies and coffee. Please call the church office if you're able to help occasionally.

**Church Council / Committee night is Tuesday, Nov. 8** beginning at 5:45 with supper, committees at 6p, and Council at 7:15p. All are welcome.

**We are in our Stewardship Season: "In Our Giving We Are Enriched."**

**Contemporary Choir** rehearses on **Tuesdays** at 7:30 p.m. and **Classical Choir** rehearses **Wednesdays** at 7:15 p.m. All are welcome to join us.

**Join us in the Fellowship Hall** from 9:50 to 10:50 am Sundays for a casual fellowship time with coffee and treats. It's a great place to make new friends and catch up with old acquaintances. Questions? Call LeAnne Jabs at 503-493-0512.

**Men's Club invites you to join us for breakfast** every Saturday morning at 8:30.

**Property Volunteer Work Party,** each Thursday morning from 9-11 a.m. Come join us!

**Habitat for Humanity** projects continue throughout the year. If you would like to find out more, contact Ansel Johnson at 503-287-2715.

**NeighborSpace Hospitality:** Coffee, treats, and conversation, Thursdays, 2-4 p.m.

**Circle Van Trip,** Call Betty Johnson, 503-288-3919 for info.

**Augustana Book Group - join us!** We meet at 6:30 p.m. in homes and enjoy a potluck meal before the discussion. Call Amy, 503-618-1458 for more in-

formation.

**Nov. 15** @Jan & John Wacker's, *The Saint and the Sultan: the Crusades, Islam and Francis of Assisi's Mission of Peace* by Paul Moses

**Fri. Dec. 9** @ Darrell & Joanne Mecklem's, Christmas Ships party

**We Need You! The Advent Fair** will be held on **November 27**, the first Sunday in Advent. But we need some folks to plan and carry out the morning's activities. Please call Amy at 503-618-1458 for questions, information, and to volunteer.

**During these times, food is needed more than ever.** Food may be placed in the narthex. **Food cupboard items** we can use here at Augustana are: **canned vegetables, canned fruit, mac and cheese, protein such as tuna, chicken, Vienna sausages, and hearty soups** (don't need broth). Thanks!

**Moses Movers Tool Trailer Storage** Beginning in January we need a safe location, preferably inside a garage or warehouse or building, to store our Tool Trailer. The dimensions are 16 feet 2 inches long, including hitch and trailer; 6 feet wide; 8 feet 4 inches tall. If you have a storage structure or know **anyone** that might have a structure that works please contact the church office, 503-288-6174. Thanks.

**Augustana College Ministry** seeks addresses and e-mail addresses for our college students and folks in military service. Please contact Beth Boyce at [BoyceES@aol.com](mailto:BoyceES@aol.com), to provide addresses.

**SOCIAL MINISTRY OUTREACH: Lutheran World Relief Fair Trade Coffee:** The new shipment of coffee, cocoa, tea and chocolate has arrived!! It will be available Sundays between the morning services. This is your opportunity to stock up on some wonderful products that support small farmers in many countries in Africa, Asia and Latin America. We have several types of coffee including decaf, green tea and other teas, three different chocolate bars and cocoa. Visit us in the Narthex and check out the goodies. (If you have a special request, please let Joanne Mecklem know; call her at 503 936 6806) Thanks so much for your support!! *Social Ministry Committee*

**Wallace Medical Concern needs your help!** For the past 2+ years we have been providing a simple meal once a month (1st Thursday) for the 10-12 doctors and nurses who volunteer at WMC. Please sign up to bring a meal; the sign-up sheet is in the narthex. We're looking forward to a representative from WMC coming to an Adult Forum to tell us more about their mission. Thank you! *Social Ministry Committee*

**Youth News:** Youth Night is every Sunday from 5:30-7:30 p.m. All high school youth and friends are welcome. Watch for a Youth Newsletter to youth and parents.

Friends are always welcome. For more information, contact Solomon Trimble at 503-753-2498. Watch for text messages and facebook updates.

**Christmas Boxes for House of Zion Lutheran Church:** Each year we support this vital program for 200-300 migrant families by providing supplies for and packing Christmas food boxes. We need your help with gifts of money as well as helping pack food boxes on Friday, December 9 in Woodburn. Please sign up on the poster in the narthex. Thank you!

**On behalf of the Northeast Emergency Food Program,** Whole Foods Market 4301 NE Sandy Blvd is hosting the "Taste of Thanksgiving" **Thurs., Nov. 10, 5-8 pm.** For a \$5 donation to NEFP, guests will receive a full holiday meal and more. Whole Foods will have samples from every department as well as music. NEFP will have representatives present to provide information about our organization. Whole Foods Hollywood also has another benefit for NEFP this fall in the form of a 10-cent refund on reusable bags and is planning a giving tree for the holiday season.

**Worship in Pink Follow-Up** For all the women who received a Mammography Promise Card at one of the worship services on October 23rd, please remember to turn them into the basket in the Narthex. The Health Servant Team needs to turn them into Portland Worship in Pink organizers by mid-November. Any questions about it, please call Sue Best at 503.358.6884

or email her at [thetallgirl@mac.com](mailto:thetallgirl@mac.com).

**Friend in Need:** Each year, Augustana gives over \$10,000 in direct aid including bus tickets and food to those who live on the streets or are on the edge. Gifts to the Augustana Friend in Need fund are always welcome.

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90,000
80,000
70,000
60,000
50,000
40,000
30,000
20,000
\$6,200 @ 10/23

**Volunteers for Justice and Servant Ministries** of and related to Augustana in the community are always welcome. All of us have gifts to share in partnership with others, from advocacy at the state capitol to Habitat to global work. You are welcome to work with us! See [www.augustana.org](http://www.augustana.org) if you would like to know more.

**All members** of Augustana receive *The Lutheran* magazine as part of our congregation subscription at a yearly cost of \$8 per household, paid by Augustana. Please give what you can to help offset the costs of our congregation subscription. Thanks!

*If you would prefer to receive your Newscaster electronically, please notify the church office.*

**We are entering** the last phase of our 2011 year of ministry and these are always months when the most significant part of our annual offerings are received. To achieve our year-end offering goal, we expect \$100,000 in offerings to be received from Sunday, October 23 through Saturday, December 31. May we end the year with our usual flourish of faithful and joyful giving for the vital ministry God has called us to at Augustana.

**Small-Group Gatherings**

**All are welcome!**

- † **Property Work Party, Thursday mornings, 9-10:30 a.m.** Work, fellowship, coffee!
- † **NeighborSpace: Thursdays 2-4 p.m.** Conversation, pie, and coffee.
- † **Book Club: Tuesday, Nov.15**
- † **Women's Circle Van Trip**
- † **Men's Group** meets every Saturday morning at 8:30 a.m. for breakfast, and occasionally work on projects. Women and children invited also!
- † **Women of a Certain Age** meet regularly.

**Augustana as a place of Sanctuary:** There is more information available about the cutting-edge work of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America and the Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service on immigration reform by going to [www.elca.org](http://www.elca.org). The Lutheran community has been a major mover on immigration for decades. If you would like to assist, call or email the church office. **Augustana is a Sanctuary Congregation** that recognizes

we are on holy ground in the heart of the city. A place for all people. For more information on the New Sanctuary Movement, see the Augustana website.

**WHAT IS SANCTUARY?**

Sanctuary carries several meanings in the history of faith. For one, it means Holy Ground. Just as Moses standing before the burning bush as he encountered God, we too are standing on Holy Ground. Houses

of worship are sanctuaries where we encounter God in awe and reverence, thanksgiving and joy.

Sanctuary also means a place of refuge. As the old Lenten hymn begins, "Jesus, refuge of the weary, blest Redeemer whom we love," God's house is a refuge from all the troubles that we encounter. The steeple and the cross invite the world to God's house of prayer for all people today, as it has for centuries.

# November Worship and Hospitality Schedule



8:30 a.m.	November 6	November 13	November 20	November 27
<b>Greeters</b>	Kathy and John Kirsch	Roseta Akin Cheri Beaulaurier	MaryLee Major Lee Haugen	Fred and Claudia Scholtz
<b>Reader</b>	Kathy and John Kirsch	Roseta Akin	MaryLee Major	Judy Schwartz
<b>Assistant</b>	Karen Kinzey	Judy Schwartz	Christina Schmidt	Sue Best
<b>Acolytes</b>	Rachel Thompson	Adam Joy	Tanner Adams-Hansen	Rachel Thompson
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Karen Kinzey Joanne Mecklem	Ben and Kelli Joy	Kathy and John Kirsch	Michael Hayes Richard North
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>				
<b>Greeters</b>	Anna Bandick Julia Peters	Don Lombard Candy Chapman	Roy and Joyce Kitzmann	Beverly and Richard North
<b>Lector</b>	Beth and Bob Boyce	Sue Van Winkle	Roy Kitzmann	Alison Embler-Brown
<b>Assistant</b>	Christi Bohmbach	Richard North	Alison Embler-Brown	Gary Olmon
<b>Acolytes</b>	Cody Rowley	Noah Fort	Justin Cameron	
<b>Cookies</b>	Kathy Jones	Don Lombard	Roy and Joyce Kitzmann	Beverly North
<b>Coffee Cleanup</b>	Kathy Jones	Richard North	Richard North	Richard North

**November Altar Guild**  
11 am: Joyce Olson, Sue Van Winkle

**New Acolytes are welcome at all services. Children may begin in 5th grade and continue through High School.**

## November Birthdays

*God's Blessings to our members celebrating birthdays! If your birthday is not listed, please call the office; we need the date!*

*Thanks.*

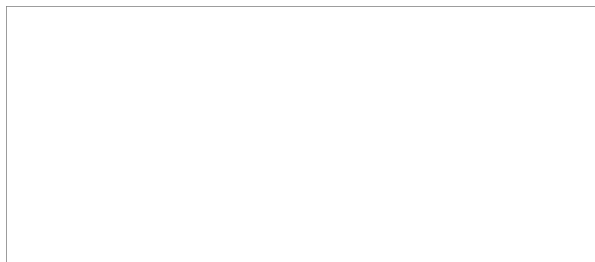
	Eva Williams	11/07	Aaron Briggs	11/22
	Elizabeth Adams-Hansen	11/08	Talia Deady	11/22
	Martin Goplen	11/09	Twila Kjensrud	11/22
	Pat Jacobson	11/11	Lindy Rider	11/22
	Connor Tadic	11/11	Lisa Switalla	11/23
	Bill Watney	11/11	Norma Trimble	11/23
	James Kills Small	11/14	Tami Zeidlhack	11/24
	Shelby Knutson	11/16	Paloma Trujillo	11/25
	Samuel Vargas	11/16	Andrew Anderson	11/26
	Martin Bell	11/17	Deanna Boe	11/26
	Joe Flock	11/18	Justin Ferko	11/26
	Joseph Foat	11/18	Paula Foat	11/26
	Amy Running	11/18	Elizabeth McKanna	11/26
	Bill Cameron	11/19	Nancy Gray	11/27
	Robert Olney	11/20	Wayne Forsgren	11/28
	Elsa Roberts	11/20	Cameron Knutson	11/29
	Ian Spafford	11/20	Margaret Hesla	11/30
	Colleen Benson	11/21	Paula Hudlow	11/30
	Rebekah Witham	11/21		
Sarah Kindschuh	11/03			
Laura Nixon	11/03			
David Cooper	11/04			
Molly Paterno	11/04			
Sydney Hamilton	11/05			
Tessa Jaloviar	11/05			
Jasper Rank	11/05			
Ellecia Williams	11/05			
Janel Draz	11/06			
Eric North	11/06			
Cathy Windal	11/06			
Olivia Jaloviar	11/07			

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1</b> 11a Albina Ministerial Alliance L 11:45-2p Preschool LunchBunch FH 1208 Support group SS 5:30p Open Circle Saints celebration FH 6p MA SS 7p Choir & Band	<b>2</b> 12 n Foundation 12:15-2:30p Preschool LunchBunch FH 7:30p Choir rehearsal	<b>3</b> 9-11 Property Volunteers 2-4p Pie/Coffee L 6p Open Circle Sewing/Drumming FH	<b>4</b> 12 noon SA SS 1p Augustana College visit 3p Sierra service project overnight FH 8 pm NA FR	<b>5</b> 8:30 Men's bkfst 8:30-5:430 Redeemer retreat 27 9-12 Swedish sch SS rms,, N 8 p AA FR
<b>6</b> <i>All Saints</i> 8:30 a Contemporary Worship Svc 9:50a Christian Education, all ages 11 am Classical Worship Service MayaWorks Sale FH 4 pm Open Circle Worship Svc 6 pm Jazz/Gospel Worship Service 7pm AA 27	<b>7</b> 8:30-5:30 Sisters of Road 27 6p Vasa folkdance FR 7:30 p AA SS	<b>8</b> 11:45-2p Preschool LunchBunch FH 1208 Support group SS 5:45p Supper 6p Committees meet 6 p MA SS 7 p Choir & Band 7:15p Church Council	<b>9</b> 12:15-2:30p Preschool LunchBunch FH 7p Preschool FR, N 7:30 p Choir	<b>10</b> 9-11 Property Volunteers 2-4p Pie/Coffee L 6p Open Circle Sewing/Drumming FH	<b>11</b> 12 SA SS 8 pm NA FR	<b>12</b> 8:30 a Men's Bkfst 9-12:30p Swedish School 27, N, SS rms 11a Lois Grumm memorial service 8 pm AA FR
<b>13</b> 8:30 a Contemporary Worship svc 9:50a Christian Education, all ages 11 am Classical Worship service 4 pm Open Circle Worship Svc 6 pm Jazz/Gospel Worship Svc 7 pm AA 27	<b>14</b> 7:30 p AA SS	<b>15</b> 11:45-2p LunchBunch FH 1208 Support group SS 6 p MA SS 7 p Choir & Band	<b>16</b> 12:15-2:30p Preschool LunchBunch FH 5p Stewardship Reception 6p Stewardship Dinner 6p Health Servant Team L 7:30 p Choir	<b>17</b> 9-11 Property Volunteers 2-4p Pie/Coffee L 6p Open Circle Sewing/Drumming FH	<b>18</b> 12 SA SS 8 pm NA FR	<b>19</b> 8:30 a Men's Bkfst 9-12 Swedish Sch SS rms, N, 27 10a-7p native Market FH 1-3p FIA Support 27 8:00 pm AA FR
<b>20</b> <i>Christ the King</i> Dedication of Pledges 8:30 a Contemporary Worship Svc 9:50a Christian Education, all ages 11 am Classical Worship Service Native market FH 4 pm Open Circle Worship Svc 5p Open Circle Thanksgiving Potluck 6 pm Jazz/Gospel Worship Service 7pm AA 27	<b>21</b> 7:30 p AA SS	<b>22</b> 11:45-2p Preschool LunchBunch FH 1208 Support group SS 3:30p Web Team 6 p MA SS 7 p Choir & Band	<b>23</b> 12:15-2:30p Preschool LunchBunch FH 7:30p Ecumenical Thanksgiving Eve Service	<b>24</b> Thanksgiving Day	<b>25</b> 12 SA SS 8 pm NA FR	<b>26</b> 8:30 a Men's Bkfst 9-12:30p Swedish School SS rms, L,N Wedding 8 pm AA FR
<b>27</b> <i>Advent I</i> 8:30 a Contemporary Worship Svc 9:50a Advent Festival, all ages FH 11 am Classical Worship Service 4 pm Open Circle Worship Svc 6 p Rose City Mixed Quartet w/ Jazz /Gospel Worship Service 7 pm AA 27	<b>28</b> 6p Vasa folkdance FR 7:30 p AA SS	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> 7:30p Choir & Band	Stewardship Season at Augustana "In Our Giving, We Are Enriched"		

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## Important Dates

**All Saints Sunday, November 6**  
**Stewardship Banquet Wednesday, Nov. 16**  
**Christ the King Sunday, Nov. 20: Pledges dedicated for 2012**

**Thanksgiving Eve Service Wednesday, Nov. 23**  
**Advent Festival for all ages Sunday, Nov. 27**

The mission of Augustana Lutheran Church is to witness to the Good News of God in Jesus Christ in an inclusive way through a variety of expressions of worship, education, outreach, and fellowship. This mission, while centered in Northeast Portland, includes people all over our city, our state, and our world.

### 2011 Augustana Church Council

#### Augustana Lutheran Church Staff

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**Pastor:** Rev. Mark Knutson  
**Admin.Asst.:** Joyce Kindschuh  
**Liturg. Coord./Office Staff:** Beverly North  
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**Youth Ministry:** Solomon Trimble  
**Librarian:** Noelle Stello  
**Nursery:** Joey Foat, Katie Witham, Cody Rowley

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### Pastoral Associates

Rev. Roger Olson	Deaconess Julia Peters
Rev. Jake Jacobson	JillMichelle Cosart
Rev. Bill Moos	(awaiting call)
Rev. Don Voeks	Seminarians:
Rev. David Brown-miller	Norma Trimble
Rev. Ed Knudson	Andrew Schwartz
Rev. Sandy Walker	

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### Musicians

**8:30am:** Glenn Ludtke, Beverly North, Eric North  
**Organist, Choir, Children's Music Director:** Glenn Ludtke  
**Sunday School music assistants:** Jenny Schmidt, Kathy Jo Noack  
**Open Circle:** Bruce McQuakay, Isaac Trimble, Solomon Trimble  
**Jazz Service:** Marilyn Keller, Ron Steen, Kevin Deitz, George Mitchell