HOPE is called by God to look beyond ourselves. We walk together in faith, treasuring all people and sharing with them the love, hope, and acceptance that is in Christ".

Sunday, November 8, 2026
24th Sunday after Pentecost
Unless noted, all Hymn & Page numbers are found in the ELW

GATHERING

Prelude		
Call to Worship		
Confession and Forgiveness		
Gathering Hymn	*Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers*	#244
Greeting		
Kyrie		p. 157
Now the Feast and Celebration		p. 167
Prayer of the Day		

WORD

First Reading	Amos 5: 18-24	
Psalm 70		
Second Reading	1 Thessalonians 4: 13-18	
Gospel Acclamation		p. 190
Gospel Reading	Matthew 25: 1-13	
Message		
Hymn of the Day:	*Wake, Awake, for Night Is Flying*	*#436*
Apostles' Creed		
Prayers of the People		
Sharing the Peace		

THANKSGIVING OF THE WORD

Offertory	*As the Grains of Wheat*	*#465*
Offering Prayer		
The Great Thanksgiving		
Holy, Holy, Holy		p.191a
Eucharistic Prayer & Acclamations		
Lord's Prayer		
Lamb of God		p. 191
Communion Hymn	*Deep River*	See Insert

SENDING

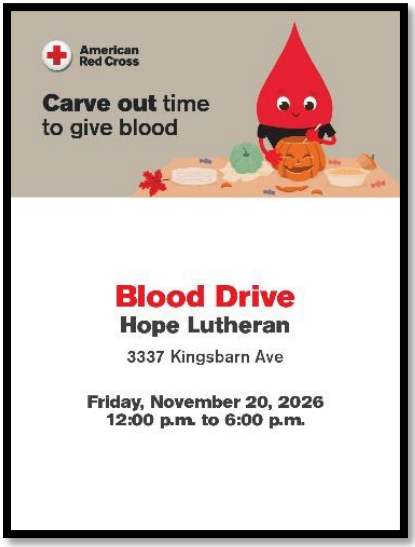
Blessing		
Sending Hymn	*Keep Your Lamps Trimmed and Burning*	See Insert
Dismissal		

Music in this service has been broadcast and re-printed under One License #A-731585. Liturgy and Prayers have been reprinted with permission under Augsburg Fortress Liturgies Annual License number SB155603 and *All We Need*: Prayer of the Day, Offering Prayer, Post-Communion Prayer, and Benediction, © 2025 Barn Geese Worship. Used by permission. Adapted by Rev. Annie Ladnier.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Looking Ahead at HOPE	
Wednesday November 11th	10:30 – Executive Ministry Meeting
Friday November 13th	All Day – Pastor's Sabbath
Sunday November 15th	9:30 – Sunday Service





Please lift up the following people in prayer

The Van Overbeke Family
David Anderson (Brother of Karen Brohaugh)
The Family of Jean Lemire Anderson (Sister in law of Karen Brohaugh)
Nomi Brandt
The family of Jeff & Ann Rosenthal
Dr. Wendolyn Slattery (Friend of Linda Jacobson)
Chuck Reid (Friend of Carl Warren)
Caitlyn Huls (Granddaughter of Olive Olson)
Kjersti Olson Duncan (Family friend of Diane Clark & Karen Rodewald)
Steve Stocker (Friend of Karen & Jeff Rodewald)
Jerry Gibson (Father of Karen Rodewald and Diane Clark)
Lisa Perlt Farley (Friend of Faye Perkins)
Sam Morrissette (Friend of Jeff & Karen Rodewald)
Doug Rudesill
Rev. Ron Johnson (Friend of Karen Rodewald)
Sue Tarr (Friend of Faye Perkins)
The Family of David Boock
Mary Klacan
Leslie Randall (Sister of Vicki Siebold)
The Family of Jill Siebold (Daughter of Gary Siebold)
Gwen Paulson and her son Chad Sequin (Friend of Bill & Kay Montgomery)
Amanda Olson (Olive Olson's daughter)
Jim Deming (friend of Marc & Martie Guthrie)
Cathy Hjersjo (Friend of Darcy Boock)
Sylvia Secrist (Friend of Paula & Phil Klacan)
Brent Larson (Friend of Bill & Kay Montgomery)
Bob Schuder (Father of Sarah Bondhus)
Marcus Stack (Friend of Steve & Karen Kaste)
Rhiannon Bondhus (Niece of Bondhus family)
Eden Annoye (Relative of Debra James)
Fatma Aljarrah (Friend of Faye Perkins)
Michael Jacobson (Brother of Linda Jacobson)
Dennis & Sandy Schultz (Friends of Bill & Kay Montgomery)
Daryl Kleeman (Brother of Darcy Boock)
Gary Siebold
David Hendrickson

HOPE Lutheran Church
3337 Kingsbarn Avenue
River Falls, WI 54022

Website:
www.hopelutheranrf.com

Office Phone Number:
715-425-9750

Pastor:
Rev. Rachel Sieja
hopelutheranpastor.rf@gmail.com

Office Administrator:
Olive Olson
hopelutheranoffice.rf@gmail.com

Sunday Schedule:
In Person
9:30 a.m.

Online:
http://youtube.com/c/HOPELutheranRiverFalls
9:30 a.m.

Leading Us in Worship

Presiding Pastor
Pastor Rachel

Pianist:
Linda Simpson

Assisting Minister:
Andrea Boock

Reader &
Prayer Leader:
Diane Clark

Ushers/Greeters:
Marc & Martie Guthrie

Communion Prep
Denise Burkett

Communion Asst.
Darcy Boock

Acolyte:
Cameron Leitch

Flowers
Lanelle Baerenwald

Coffee
Donut Sunday

AV Support:
Keith Getschel