## November 2023 Council Highlights

- The Children's Christmas Program will be held Sunday, December 17 during regular worship time in the sermon slot.
- Christmas caroling will be Sunday, December 3 starting at 4:00 p.m. by going to Valhaven and make our way to Valley Lakes and end with fire pit carols in the parking lot.
- There will be only one service on Christmas Eve at 4:00 p.m.
- On Sunday, December 24 the regular 9:30 a.m. service will be our last Advent Service.
- The pictorial directories have been completed and are being passed out. Thank you to the Evangelism Committee for their many hours of work put in to complete the project.
- A call to an exterminator will be made to get someone to spray the flies to get rid of them.
- It has been decided to do away with the dishwasher in the kitchen. It is no longer being used. (We no longer have the dishes.)
- St. Mark's 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary will be celebrated on Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, with a potluck meal for the congregation following Sunday church service. The centerpieces on the tables from the Soup Supper will be given away through a drawing following the meal.
- The HR Committee met to work on job descriptions. The position of Bookkeeper will be in-house after the installation of software on a new computer in early 2024.
- There will be NO Council meeting in December. The next meeting will be January 9, 2024. Installation of Council members will be on Sunday, January 7, during regular service time.