FOUNTAIN CONNECTION

November 2026



FOL's Web Site: www.suncitylutheran.org



Happy Thanksgiving FOL! Come to Friendsgiving on Nov 22nd!



Bd of Trustee's Mtg, Nov 5th, 9 am

Bd of Elder's Mtg, Nov 15th, after Bible Study

Men's Breakfast, Tue, Nov 17th, 8:30 am, Royal Café, Sun City

Church Council Mtg, Nov 8th, after Bible Study

Mid-Week (Tue) Bible Studies, 10 am

Chancel Choir rehearsals, Sun mornings, 8:30 am



Thanksgiving Eve services will be held on Wednesday, Nov 25th starting at 4 pm. On Thanksgiving Day, Nov 26th, there will be no church services, and the FOL office will be closed. **Noisy Mites Collection will be on Sunday, Nov 29, 2026**



Come to Fellowship Hall on Nov 2nd starting at 1 pm and participate in the HAND and FOOT card game. Men, Women, Family and Friends are invited to come. Beginners or Experienced Players are Welcome. Join us on the 1st Monday of the month. Water and Iced Tea will be provided OR bring a beverage of your choice (Alcohol-free). If you want, bring a simple snack to share. Direct Questions to: Tammy Ohm 815-791-6991



Come to the next Ladies Luncheon on Nov 12th,starting at 11:30 am, in Fellowship Hall for a "Be Thankful Potluck". Iced Tea and water will be provided. **Please feel free** to bring another ***non-alcoholic*** beverage of your choice. This gathering is ***Open*** to all women of Fountain of Life and guests. Please sign up on the clip board, which is either in the Narthex, or in Fellowship Hall. If all items are filled, come anyway. You can bring something next Month!!! If at the last minute you find yourself able to attend, PLEASE join us. There is always lots of food! Direct questions to Tammy Ohm by calling her at: (815)-791-6991 or email her at: ohmrn98@comcast.com The next Ladies Luncheon will be on Dec 10th , starting at 11:30 in Fellowship Hall. The luncheon theme will be: : Holiday Celebration (Appetizers).



FOL Fellowship Movie Event ……Everyone is Invited!

"***Young Washington"*** on Nov 14th (Saturday) starting at 2 pm in Fellowship Hall. Before he led a nation, George Washington was a young soldier thrown into a global conflict. With alliances crumbling and war closing in he must choose who to trust and confront the leader he's becoming. Main actors: Andy Serkis, Ben Kingsley, Kelsey Grammar, Mary-Louis Parker and William Franklyn-Miller. Popcorn, Soda, Candy, and Munchies, will be provided!!! Sign-up sheets are located in the Main Narthex, Handicap Narthex and in Fellowship Hall. Direct questions to Tammy Ohm by calling her at 815-791-6991.



Please come and participate in the ***Mexican Train***, which is a simple game of dominos, on Nov 16th starting at 1 pm in Fellowship Hall. Men, Women, Family, Friends, Beginners and experienced players. Water and Assorted Iced - Tea will be provided or bring any (alcohol-free) beverage of your choice. Chips and Salsa provided, other simple snacks to share are welcome but not required. Direct questions to: Tammy Ohm (815) 791-6991



Attention all FOL male members - Are you interested to come and have breakfast with Pastor Rogers every 3rd Tuesday each month and discussing various topics? The next breakfast will be on Tue, Nov 17th, starting at 8:30 am, and it will be held in the Royal Café in Sun City. Please advise Don Schukei in advance so a private room can be reserved. Please call him at (602) 370-5562. Thank-You.



Sign-Up to come to FOL's "Friendsgiving 2026" on Sun, Nov 22nd, right after church services. The turkey will be provided. Members are asked to bring a side dish for this event. Come and enjoy an early Thanksgiving meal with other FOL members. Don't miss out! Sign-up sheets are available in both church entrances and in Fellowship Hall.



Help decorate FOL for the Holidays on Sat, Nov 28th starting at 8:00 am, FOL members are asked to come and assist with placing decorations throughout the FOL Campus. Guess what? The more people that show up for this event, the less time it takes for the rest of us to complete it. Even if you are only able to untangle Christmas lights and check them out, that task alone would be a big help.



Christmas Craft Event on Dec 5th, Saturday starting at 1 pm in Fellowship Hall taught by Marlene Bonneville. Please bring a hot glue gun if you have one. Sign-up sheets are available in both church entrances and in Fellowship Hall. Dec 1st is the deadline to sign up, so we can have enough supplies. Thank-You

Here FOL's Financial Report as of the end of the 3rd Quarter (Sep 30)

GENERAL FUND	Actuals Sept. 2026	Actuals as of 9/30/2026	Budget as of 9/30/2026	Percent Budget
Income Through Regular Donations	27,427.14	240,259.97	254,867.67	0.94
Income through Special Gifts	20,100.00	48,149.00	17,268.14	2.79
Net Income	47,527.14	288,408.97	272,135.81	1.06
Expenses	38,767.00	298,953.07	315,703.46	0.95
Net Income/Expenses	8,760.14	-10,544.10	-43,567.65	0.11

Direct questions to the Church Treasurer Mary Ann Lowell or call her at (623) 670-6870

Ever wanted to learn how to crochet? Now, here's your chance

Tracia Hunter will be teaching the basic stitches and how to read a pattern. Meetings will be flexible to Tricia's schedule. Experienced Crocheters are welcome. Interest sign-up sheets are available in both church entrances and in Fellowship Hall. Direct questions to Tammy Ohm (815) 791-6991



Starting on Nov 1st through ***Nov 29th Last Day***, the FOL will be conducting a Food Drive. Please bring ***non-expired and non-perishable*** items to the church. There will be a cart outside in the breeze way. **On Tuesdays**, bring donated items to Fellowship Hall and there will be table set up by the folding wall. Here are some examples of what to consider to bring: canned or dry beans, peanut butter, canned vegetables/soups with no or low sodium, canned tuna in water, pasta, and cereals. All donated food will go to the Valley View Community Food Bank in Sun City. Direct questions to Gary Hobbs at 480-225-6803

FUTURE EVENTS in early December – Watch out for them

Dec 2nd – Wed – First Advent Service (4 pm) and Dinner. Sign up sheets will be available soon.
Dec 5th – Sat, starting at 1 pm – Christmas Craft taught by Marlene Bonneville. Sign up deadline is Dec 1st.
Dec 6th – Sun – Homemade Christmas Cookies – All FOL bakers are encouraged to participate and share.

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The FOL Office hours are from 9 am to 2 pm, Mon-Thurs. The FOL Office is closed on Fridays & weekends. The FOL office phone number is (623) 933-8246 or send an email message to the Executive Secretary at: execsecretary@suncitylutheran.org