

Pastor for Parish Life
The Rev. John H. Brock
Report for November 2023

Recurring Events:

- Staff meeting
- Pastoral Care
- Production / Live Stream Prep meetings
- Live Stream Worship, In Person Sunday / Saturday
- Children's Message
- Sunday Preach: October 7/8 *What Does This Mean: Grace and Judgement*
- October 21/22 *What Does This Mean: Money & Power*
- Write weekly Prayers of the Church (along with Every Member Prayer list) and Pastoral Care report
- Friday Prayer Service/On Call weekend October 27-29
- Council
- Property Committee

Additional things:

- Brother's Tuesday Bible Study and prep October 10th
- Cumberland Conference meeting at St. Mark, Mechanicsburg
- Funeral Planning & Service: Anna Auman; Ruth Kumler
- Home / Hospital / Phone Visitations
- Member Conversations at Trinity
- Financial Aid to several non-members
- Give / Serve / Lead meeting
- Affirmation of Baptism wrap-up class for 9th grade - reviewed two year program, what worked, what they would recommend to make better, and did one of Pastor Brock's (in)famous "pop" quiz
- Affirmation of Baptism class 7th & 8th grade: Third Commandment
- Affirmation of Baptism worship, October 28 (Saturday Worship)
- Take part in the New Member Luncheon
- Emcee the Senior Connect Luncheon on Line Dancing
- Attended the Trunk or Treat event

Other things:

- Attended an informal meeting of Allegheny Synod pastors in Bohlsburg, PA, with ELCA Foundation Regional Gift Planner Sister Marianne Brock
- Had lunch with Rev. Martin Zimmann of United Lutheran Seminary concerning scheduling and planning for the Ministry From the Second Chair event
- Was able to attend a talk by NPR's Steve Inskeep (host of Morning Edition) at Midtown Scholar Bookstore, hosted by WITFs Scott LaMar. He was there promoting his new book on Abraham Lincoln. It was a very interesting discussion

God's peace,
Pastor John Brock