

# Steeple News

## Bible Studies

### **Ladies Bible Study 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month**

November 7<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m.

A Study of Ephesians, Session One: Is Grace Real?

Focus Verse: "For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing: it is the gift of God." Ephesians 2:8

### **Bible Study with Rev. Hans Lillejord**

Tuesday, Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 a.m.

## Game Nights at New Sweden Church

2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday this month

Come join the fun and fellowship.

## Good Samaritan Shoebox Project

Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, is the final day to return your filled Christmas shoeboxes. We hope to fill 50 boxes this year. Please be a part of donating to this charity for children at Christmas. Your support and generosity are greatly appreciated!

## Fundraiser for Historic Manda School



### Manda School BBQ Supper

Supper served at 5:00 \$20  
Music & Auction begin at 6:00



For reservations, please send a check to:  
Friends of Manda School  
PO Box 50385, Austin, Texas 78763  
Your tickets will be held at the door.  
For questions or to volunteer, contact  
Susan Erickson at 512-413-6027 or  
susanericksontx@gmail.com

This event is sponsored by the "Friends of Manda School",  
dedicated to the preservation of the last 2-room school-  
house in Travis County.

## Delights of December

Ladies, if you haven't been able to attend the Delights of December, you have missed "the best event of the year". The Christmas spirit fills the room with lights and beautiful tables decorated in many different settings: nature, Disney, skating rink, Hawaiian theme, and many more. Try to get your ticket in advance and/or use your creative skills to prepare a table that you feel will be a "Delight". Call Terry Ramm at 512-619-2249 for tickets for a delicious meal and a fun filled event of the holidays.

## CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to Makina & Riley Mabry!!

Hendrickson High School won the UIL State Marching Contest, 1st place - Area D Champions.

They are going to STATE!!

## Cemetery Policy

The cemetery policy has been amended. If you would like a copy of the latest policy, please contact the church office or Terry Johnson.

## Poinsettias

WELCA will be selling poinsettias to help decorate the church for the Christmas season. This all helps support the Down Home Ranch. Be on the lookout for the information at church.

## Please visit our website!

[www.newswedenelca.org](http://www.newswedenelca.org)

Sermons, calendar, events, newsletters, and more can be found here.

## HEB Cards

Reminder about the HEB gift cards as you get ready for your Thanksgiving dinner. New Sweden Lutheran Church benefits 4% from the sale of these gift cards at no extra expense to you. Gift cards can be purchased from Kim Strong.

*Church Services*

Sunday School ----- 9:30 a.m. each Sunday

Worship Service ----- 10:30 a.m. each Sunday

*Holy communion -----First and Third Sundays*

***As the church that serves the countryside,  
we commit ourselves to share in Christ's love in action  
through our congregation, community,  
and the world.***

New Sweden Evangelical Lutheran Church  
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 Manor, Texas 78653  
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 Office Secretary: Susan Rountree

# November 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 All Saints Day	2
3 9:30 am Adult Sunday School 10:30 am Worship Service <i>Holy Communion</i> Flowers: Kim & JJ Strong; Jaden's birthday	4 11:30 am Swedish Interest	5	6	7 6:30 pm Ladies Bible Study "Is Grace Real?"	8	9 Johnson Reunion (Yvonne Carroll) Parish Hall
10 9:30 am Adult Sunday School 10:30 am Worship Service Flowers: Final day to return shoeboxes 5:00 pm Manda School fundraiser	11 7:00 pm Evangelism	12 10:00 am Bible Study	13	14 7:00 pm Game Night	15	16
17 9:30 am Adult Sunday School 10:30 am Worship Service <i>Holy Communion</i> Flowers: Pastor Hans; Mavis's birthday	18	19 7:00 pm Council Meeting	20	21 7:00 pm Game Night	22	23
24 9:30 am Adult Sunday School 10:30 am Worship Service Flowers: Mavis Takatsuka; Pastor Hans's birthday  11:45 am Potluck & Fellowship	25	26 10:00 am Bible Study	27	28 Thanksgiving Day	29	30

**Acolytes:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Riley Mabry, 10<sup>th</sup> Elena Twohig, 17<sup>th</sup> Jack Sutton, 24<sup>th</sup> Makina Mabry  
**Altar Guild:** Sharon Robbins, Kim Strong  
**Communion Assistants:** Karen McManus, Kendra Silvus  
**Pastor's Communion Assistants:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Cheri Burleson, 17<sup>th</sup> Jenny Jordan  
**Greeters:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Jamie Lundgren, 10<sup>th</sup> Jenny Jordan, 17<sup>th</sup> Michelle Wenzel, 24<sup>th</sup> Jacqueline Zalkovsky  
**Lectors:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Geoff Zimmerman, 10<sup>th</sup> Kendra Silvus, 17<sup>th</sup> Bob Morris, 24<sup>th</sup> Warren Lundgren  
**Ushers:** Byron Jordan, David Ramm, Joey Stearns