

St. Thomas The Apostle Anglican Church

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"KEEPING IN TOUCH – November 2024"

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A FEW DATES TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR

Tuesdays (1pm)

Bible Study: The weekly joint bible study will be held at St. Tom's for the month of November.

Note: The study is based on the upcoming week's readings, so you do not need to have attended in the past to join in. It's a very lively group and everyone is welcome!



Thursdays (1pm)

Midweek Holy Communion Service: Pastor Craig invites you to join him every Thursday afternoon for a smaller, quieter gathering for worship followed by a time of discussion and learning.

Thursdays (1 pm)

ACW Meetings: Every 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month.

Tuesdays (10am-2pm)

Learn how to make milk bag rugs at St. Paul's Lutheran church, beside Trinity, and/or bring your dry & clean outer milk bags to be used. Contact Marlene Mercer for details.

Sat Nov 16th (10-2)

Join us at St Tom's for our Frosty Fair – featuring a Bake Table outside tables and a Tea Room offering Soup, sandwich and sweet

Sat Nov 2nd (4pm)

Deanery "All Saints" Evening Prayer: at St. Columba, Waterloo

Sun Dec 1st (10am)

Joint Service with St. Luke's: Pot Luck Luncheon and Fellowship to follow service



Frosty Fair & Tea Room

"3 in 1" → Do some Christmas shopping, treat yourselves to a nice little lunch, then stop by the bake table and take home some of their famous home-baked goodies to enjoy later.



Saturday, November 16th
10 am – 2 pm



Christmas Gift Baskets / All Sorts of Crafts / Bake Table

+ Enjoy homemade soup, sandwich, a sweet treat & a drink for only \$10

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from the kitchen of Dorothy Hayes thanks to Marlene Mercer

Dorothy's Butter Tarts

Pastry

1 lb	Tenderflake Lard	5 cups	all purpose flour
1	egg	1 tbsp	white sugar
2 tbsp	vinegar		cold water

Mix lard and flour together. In a 1 cup measuring cup, mix egg, sugar and vinegar and top with cold water. Add to the dry ingredients and mix well. Pastry will roll out better if it is chilled.

Filling

1	egg	5 tbsp	melted butter
1 cup	brown sugar	2 Tbsp	milk
1 tsp	vanilla		

Multiply ingredients by the number of dozen tarts being made. Stir ingredients well. If raisins or pecans are wanted in the tart, add to the tart shell before adding filling mixture. Bake tarts at 395F for 10 mins, reduce heat to 375F and bake for an additional 7 mins.

A reflection from “YouVersion”

Good Grief

Can anything good come from grief? From mourning a deep loss? From weeping over a profoundly heavy heartache?

While grief is a necessary part of life, no one longs to grieve. But in the second beatitude—a series of promises Jesus made about God’s Kingdom—Jesus said this:

“Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.”

Matthew 5:4 ESV

No one can appreciate rain more than someone who’s lived in the desert. No one can value food more than someone who’s truly been starving. And no one can know God as their Comforter like someone who’s desperately needed comfort.

Death, decay, and disappointment are a part of this world. But even in our sorrow and suffering, God stands ready to comfort us—in unique and meaningful ways that only He can.

The Holy Spirit is often called the “Comforter,” as well as “Helper,” “Counselor,” and “Advocate.” This is who He is. Even in our grief, He’s the God who meets us right where we are.

And so, how does God comfort us? He does this through His Spirit, through His Word, and by working in and through His people.

Do you have the eyes to see how He’s pursuing you? Have you opened your heart to His comfort?

If you are a follower of Christ who is mourning today, remember: Jesus Himself promised that you will be comforted. He’s always good, He’s always faithful, and He’s right here, ready to help.



Fall Crossword



ACROSS

1. Halloween treats
9. Warm chocolate drink
11. Cone shaped basket
12. Orchard crop

DOWN

2. Golden yellow
3. Cold, gusty wind
4. Place for education
5. Surface ice crystals

SEPTEMBER

NOVEMBER

OCTOBER

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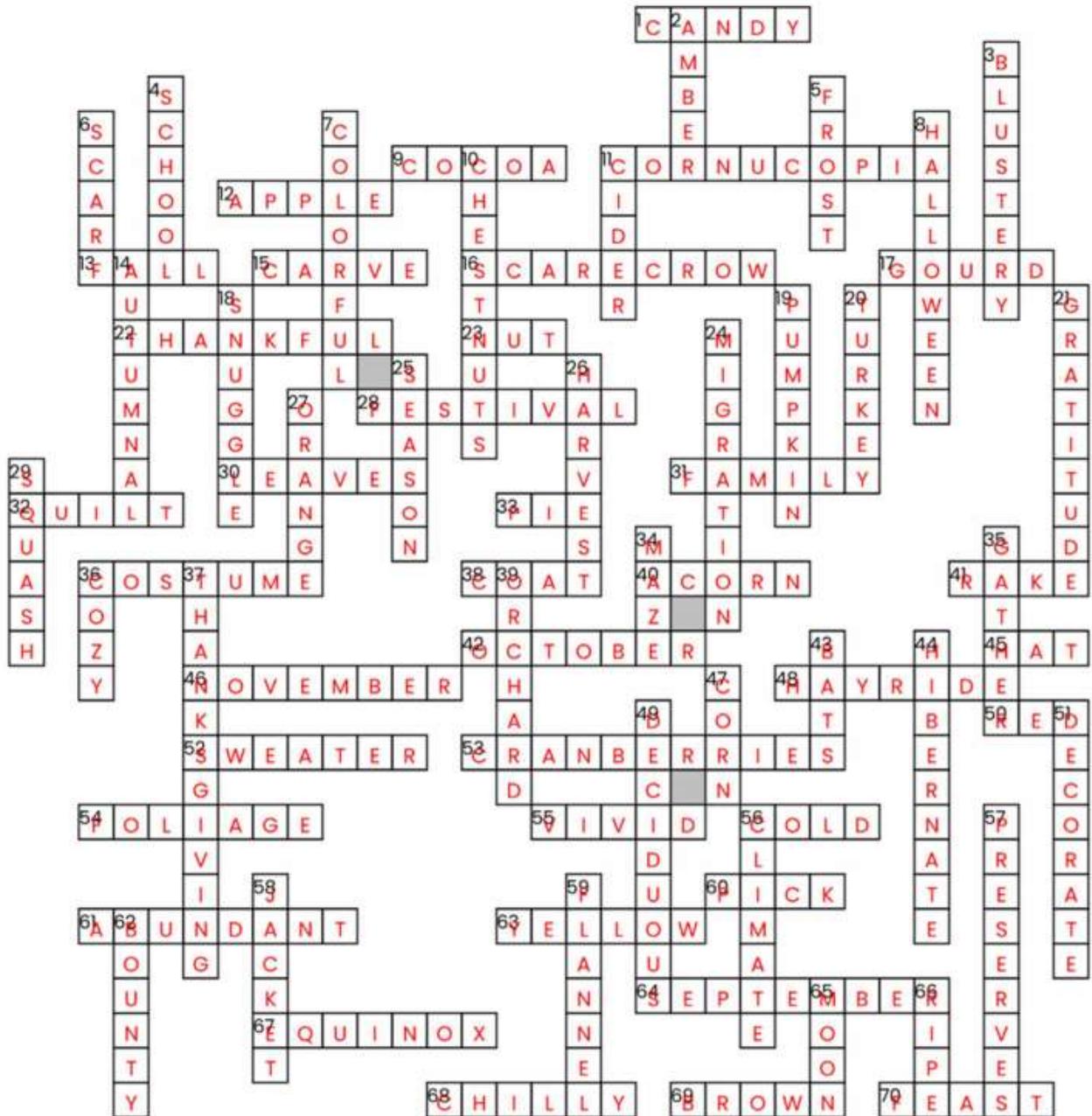


13. Season after summer
15. Sculpt design into pumpkin
16. Figure to deter birds
17. Decorative pumpkin-like fruit
22. To feel fortunate
23. Fruit with nutshell
28. Large scale celebration
30. Foliage
31. Group of related individuals
32. Hand sewn fabric blanket
33. Baked fruit and pastry
36. Halloween disguise
38. Warm outer garment
40. Oak tree seed
41. Clean up leaves
42. First full month of fall
45. Knit cap
46. Eleventh month
48. Fall wagon ride in hay
50. Bright fall foliage color
52. Knit top
53. Tart red berry
54. Brightly colored fall leaves
55. Colorful
56. Very low temperatures
60. Harvest fruits and vegetables
61. Substantial food crop
63. Color between orange and green
64. Ninth month
67. Solar equator crossing
68. Cold and shivering
69. Caramel color
70. Celebration with large meal
6. Neck warmer
7. Beautiful fall foliage
8. October 31 holiday
10. Popular roasted nuts
11. Pressed apple juice
14. Fall season
18. Cuddle up
19. Orange squash
20. Thanksgiving bird
21. Appreciation
24. Seasonal animal movement
25. Climatic period of the year
26. Gather crops
27. Light reddish-yellow
29. Pumpkins and gourds
34. Path in corn field
35. Bring together for celebration
36. Warmth and comfort
37. Harvest celebration
39. Fruit farm
43. Flying, nocturnal mammals
44. Sleep through winter
47. Yellow cereal grain
49. To shed leaves in fall
51. Thematic ornamentation
56. Local weather conditions
57. Fruit spread
58. Windbreaker
59. Soft woven fabric
62. Plentiful amount
65. Natural Earth satellite
66. Mature fruits and vegetables



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Something to think about

The English name of Yahweh, which is believed to be the most accurate pronunciation of God's name, comes from the four characters in Hebrew that translate in English to YHWH. When we add the vowels to this essentially unpronounceable name, we get Yahweh. But from the Hebrew we find that His name may only be properly understood using the sound of breath!

To simplify the process, say it out loud in English, YAHWEH. First an inhale, YAH (pronounced yoah). Next and exhale. WEH (pronounced way).

Do you see it? The name of God is in the actual breath itself! Ruach Elohim (meaning the Spirit of God and the Giver of Breath) takes the form of Yahweh when He breathes on Adam in the Garden of Eden. (Genesis 2:7) The first gift and impartation from the Living God to make a living man in His NAME. There is power in His name to bring the lifeless to life.

Taken from **Breath of Life**, p.26, by Daniel Kooman, Red Arrow Media, LLC. 2020

Amazing to think that every breath we take is an inhalation and an exhalation of God's name!

Thanks Chris Cody for this