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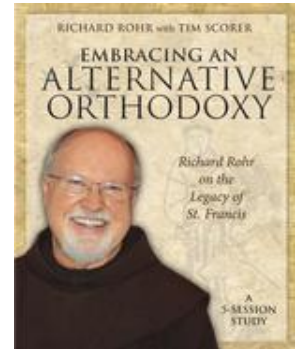
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Our Mission: To Seek, Know, Love and Serve Christ in all Persons and in all Creation

Ramblings from the Rev. . . .

*"The Christian ideal has not been tried and found wanting.
It has been found difficult; and left untried."*

G.K. Chesterton



In January, your ministry team will be undertaking a five-week study as part of their continuing education requirement. All of you are invited to join in and we do hope many of you will. The course is "Embracing an Alternative Orthodoxy."

We will meet on 5 consecutive Tuesday evenings from 7 PM to no later than 9 PM, starting on January 6, 2015. Each session will consist of a 30 minute DVD presentation in which Richard Rohr will present content and discuss it with a small group of people. Then we will discuss the topic using an accompanying workbook as a guide. This guide costs \$12, but we can provide them for anyone who needs help.

This is an opportunity to hear some of the latest trends in theological thinking, to practice certain ways of being Christian, and to consider your own spiritual path in a conscious way. The course may challenge some of the things we were all taught in Confirmation, but there will be no requirement that you agree with the presenter!

Fr. Rohr is a Roman Catholic theologian, a Franciscan monk, and founder of the Center for Action and Contemplation in Albuquerque, NM. He has written numerous books. I have one of his them, "The Naked Now: Learning to See as the Mystics See," if anyone wants to take a look.

We will also be inviting people from other churches to join us, which should create a lively and diverse group for our discussions. Please let me know before December if you want to participate so we can order books and get them to you before we begin the classes. There are no reading assignments, per se, but the workbook does present some thoughts and suggestions to consider before each class session.

This is an opportunity for mutual learning, by which I mean that everyone involved may learn from all the others. The team would like to learn from you as well as from Fr. Rohr, so please join us!

Blessings, Lynn+

5 Session Study by: Richard Rohr

“Embracing an Alternative Orthodoxy”

January 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th, February 3rd

Tuesday Nights at 7 pm

For more information, see any Team member. Please join us!

Those interested please reply by Dec. 15th

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**Wanted:**

**Someone to take the administrative duties for our church.  
For a job description call Karen in the Office. Hurry! We  
need you!**



***Snow Shoveling.....***

***We need to hire someone to shovel this  
winter...Know Anyone?***



- 11/3 ~ Jennie Coran
- 11/11 ~ Cori Davison (Jim's wife, daughter-in-law Gary & Carolyn Davison)
- 11/14 ~ Joy Frank
- 11/17 ~ Tyler Downs (Grandson of Melanie Mattsen)
- 11/20 ~ Samuel Schlieff (son of Brent & Lisa, grandson of George)
- 11/26 ~ Linnaea Crossley Yount (daughter of Jim & Samantha)
- 11/27 ~ Taylor Wright (daughter of Alan & Kate, granddaughter of Andy & Georgeann)



- 11/22 ~ Brittany Klatt(Corrin)
- 11/22 ~ Rocky Strand
- 11/22 ~ Donna Strand



- 11/28 ~ Bill & Jeanne Corrin




# November 2014 Sunday Service Lay Responsibilities

| Dates                                                                                          | Celebrants                                                                          | Acolytes               | Lectors & Lessons                      | Greeters                                 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| <p><b>2</b></p> <p>Holy Eucharist<br/>10:00 am<br/>21<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</p>  | <p>Rev. Lynn Naeckel<br/>Rev. Samantha Crossley<br/>Deacon: Lee Grim</p>            | <p>Lee Grim</p>        | <p>Georgeann &amp; Andy<br/>Wright</p> | <p>Wilber &amp; MaryAnn<br/>Tveit</p>    |
| <p><b>9</b></p> <p>Holy Eucharist<br/>10:00 am<br/>22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</p>  | <p>Rev. Lynn Naeckel<br/>Rev. Samantha Crossley<br/>Deacon: Melanie<br/>Mattsen</p> | <p>Jeanne Corrin</p>   | <p>Jeanne Corrin<br/>Mavis Tanem</p>   | <p>Flossie Knutson<br/>Carol Johnson</p> |
| <p><b>16</b></p> <p>Holy Eucharist<br/>10:00 am<br/>23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</p> | <p>Rev. Lynn Naeckel<br/>Rev. Samantha Crossley<br/>Deacon: Lee Grim</p>            | <p>Tessa Walls</p>     | <p>Tessa Walls<br/>Lee Grim</p>        | <p>Donna Day<br/>Karen Walls</p>         |
| <p><b>23</b></p> <p>Holy Eucharist<br/>10:00 am<br/>Last Sunday after Pentecost</p>            | <p>Rev. Lynn Naeckel<br/>Rev. Samantha Crossley<br/>Deacon: Melanie<br/>Mattsen</p> | <p>Melanie Mattsen</p> | <p>Mike &amp; Tricia<br/>Brennard</p>  | <p>Mike &amp; Tricia<br/>Brennard</p>    |
| <p><b>30</b></p> <p>Holy Eucharist<br/>10:00 am<br/>1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent</p>        | <p>Rev. Samantha Crossley<br/>Deacon: Lee Grim</p>                                  | <p>Lee Grim</p>        | <p>Kay Herman<br/>Ragna Godtland</p>   | <p>Kay Herman<br/>John Shewchuk</p>      |



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| SUNDAY                                       | MONDAY | TUESDAY                                                                                                        | WEDNESDAY                | THURSDAY                                                                              | FRIDAY | SATURDAY           |
|----------------------------------------------|--------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------------------|
|                                              |        |                                                                                                                |                          |                                                                                       |        | 1 Altar Guild      |
|                                              |        |                                                                                                                |                          |                                                                                       |        | Mavis<br>Tricia    |
| 2                                            | 3      | 4                                                                                                              | 5                        | 6                                                                                     | 7      | 8 Altar Guild      |
| Holy Eucharist<br>10:00 a.m.                 |        |                                                                                                                |                          |                                                                                       |        | Georgeann<br>Donna |
| 9                                            | 10     | 11                                                                                                             | 12                       | 13                                                                                    | 14     | 15 Altar Guild     |
| Holy Eucharist<br>10:00 a.m.<br>Vestry 11:15 |        |  9:30 am<br>Coffee<br>Landing |                          |                                                                                       |        | Georgeann<br>Donna |
| 16                                           | 17     | 18                                                                                                             | 19                       | 20                                                                                    | 21     | 22 Altar Guild     |
| Holy Eucharist<br>10:00 a.m.                 |        |                                                                                                                |                          | Newsletter<br>Deadline                                                                |        | Flossie            |
| 23                                           | 24     | 25                                                                                                             | 26                       | 27                                                                                    | 28     | 29 Altar Guild     |
| Holy Eucharist<br>10:00 a.m.                 |        |                                                                                                                | Messy<br>Church<br>5-7pm |  |        | Flossie            |
| 30                                           |        |                                                                                                                |                          |                                                                                       |        |                    |
| Holy Eucharist<br>10:00 a.m.                 |        |                                                                                                                |                          |                                                                                       |        |                    |

