Hello, Dear Church!

Happy Thanksgiving to each one of you! I hope you will enjoy all of the wonderful food, time with friends and family, and some good ol' American football this week. If you are traveling, I pray that God will grant you traveling mercies. Enjoy this time; we have much for which to be thankful. **If you will not have a Thanksgiving meal or will be dining alone, please let me know. You are welcome to join me at my house, or I will run a plate by Thursday afternoon!**

Things will be quiet around the church this week for the most part. We are participating in the annual Emerald Isle parade on Saturday, November 28th, 2026. If you are interested in helping decorate the "float" or walking/riding in the parade, please let Dorla know ASAP. We will be handing out candy, bookmarks, and little Jesus figurines.

This coming Sunday is the first Sunday of Advent. The church has been beautifully decorated; a big thanks to the crew that put that together! I hope you will join us for worship as we begin the season with "hope" and prepare to celebrate the coming of the Messiah into the world.

With love,
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