

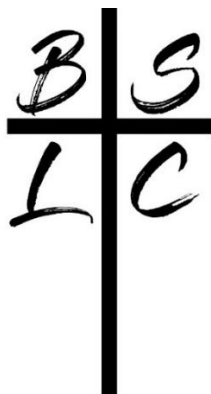
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Sunday, December 28, 2025
First Sunday after Christmas
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The Lord's Supper: Our congregation practices "Close Communion" in that only those who are united with us in our teachings, are invited to commune with us. This is based on the fact that Christ wants His Church united in its teachings based solely upon His written Word, and communing at an altar is a public statement that we accept the teachings of that congregation. Therefore, we invite all communicant members of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod to receive The Lord's Supper with us. If you have questions about this practice or would like to learn more about the teachings of our church, please speak with an Elder or the Pastor

WELCOME & GREETINGS

FELLOWSHIP FORMS

OPENING HYMN

He Brings Peace

What can a Baby do in this world
It seems so out of control
What can this tiny Baby of God
Bring to a world dark and cold

Chorus
He brings peace
He brings love
He brings hope
To a world in need
He brings peace
He brings love
He brings victory
And His hope calms our fear
And His love never ends
He brings peace love
Hope and victory

What can this Child
Alone in this world
Do to correct what is wrong
God in our flesh became one of us
If we believe we will know
Chorus

INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

P If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As an ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

INTROIT

Jeremiah 31:15–17; Hosea 11:1

P: When Israel was a child, I loved him,

C: **and out of Egypt I called my son.**

P: Thus says the Lord: "A voice is heard in Ramah,

C: **lamentation and bitter weeping.**

P: Rachel is weeping for her children;

C: **she refuses to be comforted for her children, because they are no more.**

P: Thus says the Lord: "Keep your voice from weeping,

C: **and your eyes from tears,**

P: for there is a reward for your work, declares the Lord,

C: **and they shall come back from the land of the enemy.**

P: There is hope for your future, declares the Lord,

C: **and your children shall come back to their own country."**

ALL: **Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

P: When Israel was a child, I loved him,

C: **and out of Egypt I called my son.**

KYRIE

LSB 152

- A In peace let us pray to the Lord.
C **Lord, have mercy.**
A For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.
C **Lord, have mercy.**
A For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.
C **Lord, have mercy.**
A For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.
C **Lord, have mercy.**
A Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.
C **Amen.**

THIS IS THE FEAST

LSB 155

- C **This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God.

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

Power, riches, wisdom, and strength, and honor, blessing, and glory are His.

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

Sing with all the people of God, and join in the hymn of all creation:

Blessing, honor, glory, and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

For the Lamb who was slain has begun His reign. Alleluia.

**This is the feast of victory for our God.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray.

O God, our Maker and Redeemer, You wonderfully created us and in the incarnation of Your Son yet more wondrously restored our human nature. Grant that we may ever be alive in Him who made Himself to be like us; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 63:7–14

⁷I will recount the steadfast love of the Lord,
the praises of the Lord,
according to all that the Lord has granted us,
and the great goodness to the house of Israel
that he has granted them according to his compassion,
according to the abundance of his steadfast love.

⁸For he said, “Surely they are my people,
children who will not deal falsely.”
And he became their Savior.

⁹In all their affliction he was afflicted,
and the angel of his presence saved them;
in his love and in his pity he redeemed them;
he lifted them up and carried them all the days of old.

¹⁰But they rebelled
and grieved his Holy Spirit;
therefore he turned to be their enemy,
and himself fought against them.

¹¹Then he remembered the days of old,
of Moses and his people.
Where is he who brought them up out of the sea
with the shepherds of his flock?
Where is he who put in the midst of them
his Holy Spirit,

¹²who caused his glorious arm
to go at the right hand of Moses,
who divided the waters before them
to make for himself an everlasting name,
¹³who led them through the depths?

Like a horse in the desert,

they did not stumble.

¹⁴Like livestock that go down into the valley,
the Spirit of the Lord gave them rest.
So you led your people,
to make for yourself a glorious name.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE

Galatians 4:4–7

⁴When the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, ⁵to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons. ⁶And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, “Abba! Father!” ⁷So you are no longer a slave, but a son, and if a son, then an heir through God.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

HYMN OF PRAISE *Holy Child Within the Manger*

Holy Child within the manger,
long ago yet ever near;
Come as friend to ev'ry stranger,
come as hope for ev'ry fear
As you lived to heal the broken,
greet the outcast, free the bound
As you taught us love unspoken,
teach us now where you are found

Once again we tell the story,
how your love for us was shown
When the Image of your glory
wore an image like our own.
Come, enlighten with your wisdom,
come, and fill us with your grace.
May the fire of your compassion kindle
ev'ry land and race.

Holy Child within the manger,
lead us ever in your way,
So we see in ev'ry stranger
how you come to us today.
In our lives and in our living
give us strength to live in you,

That our hearts might be forgiving
and our spirits strong and true.

HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 2:13–23

P: The holy gospel according St. Matthew second chapter.

C: Glory be to God

¹³When [the wise men] had departed, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said, “Rise, take the child and his mother, and flee to Egypt, and remain there until I tell you, for Herod is about to search for the child, to destroy him.” ¹⁴And he rose and took the child and his mother by night and departed to Egypt ¹⁵and remained there until the death of Herod. This was to fulfill what the Lord had spoken by the prophet, “Out of Egypt I called my son.”

¹⁶Then Herod, when he saw that he had been tricked by the wise men, became furious, and he sent and killed all the male children in Bethlehem and in all that region who were two years old or under, according to the time that he had ascertained from the wise men. ¹⁷Then was fulfilled what was spoken by the prophet Jeremiah:

¹⁸“A voice was heard in Ramah,
weeping and loud lamentation,
Rachel weeping for her children;

she refused to be comforted, because they are no more.”

¹⁹But when Herod died, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared in a dream to Joseph in Egypt, ²⁰saying, “Rise, take the child and his mother and go to the land of Israel, for those who sought the child’s life are dead.” ²¹And he rose and took the child and his mother and went to the land of Israel. ²²But when he heard that Archelaus was reigning over Judea in place of his father Herod, he was afraid to go there, and being warned in a dream he withdrew to the district of Galilee. ²³And he went and lived in a city called Nazareth, that what was spoken by the prophets might be fulfilled: “He shall be called a Nazarene.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

**C I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.**

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,

the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again according to the
Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living
and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and
glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

HYMN

What Child Is This

LSB # 370

What child is this, who, laid to rest,
On Mary's lap is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet
While shepherds watch are keeping?
This, this is Christ the king,
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing;
Haste, haste to bring Him laud,
The babe, the son of Mary!

Why lies He in such mean estate
Where ox and ass are feeding?
Good Christian, fear; for sinners here

The silent Word is pleading.
Nails, spear shall pierce Him through,
The cross be borne for me, for you;
Hail, hail the Word made flesh,
The babe, the son of Mary!

So bring Him incense, gold, and myrrh;
Come, peasant, king, to own Him.
The King of kings salvation brings;
Let loving hearts enthrone Him.
Raise, raise the song on high,
The virgin sings her lullaby;
Joy, joy, for Christ is born,
The babe, the son of Mary!

SERMON

No Longer a Slave

Galatians 4:4–7

Sermon Theme: Christ was born to deliver us from slavery for sonship.

Sermon Goal: That the hearers rejoice in the blessings that are theirs because Christ has redeemed them from slavery so that they might be sons of God.

Gal 4: 4 But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, ⁵ to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons. ⁶ And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, “Abba! Father!” ⁷ So you are no longer a slave, but a son, and if a son, then an heir through God.

Introduction: We’re always Christmas people,...

- I. Boxing Day...
- II. Christ Was Born to Deliver Us from Slavery for Sonship.
- III. He, Jesus, came in “the fullness of time.”
- IV. Therefore, we now live as sons and heirs of God (Gal 4:5–7).

Conclusion: Spiritual Boxing Day

OFFERING

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH

P: Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

P: Lord, we are the people of Your promise, to whom You have revealed Your Son as Savior and Redeemer. Bless Your Church, that we may enjoy the gift of good and faithful ministers. Prosper Your Word and bring to fruition its proclamation in every place and time. Lord, in Your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

P: O God, You give us the gift of each other. Renew our fellowship as the Body of Christ. Grant all things beneficial for husbands and wives, the single, those who desire marriage, and the lonely who yearn to know the comfort of friends and family. Lord, in Your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

P: O Lord, our Lord, how excellent is Your name in all the earth! Out of the mouths of babes and nursing infants You have perfected Your praise. Silence the enemy and the avenger. Turn the hearts of all who, like Herod, would despise children or destroy the unborn for selfish gain. Show Your forgiveness to those who are penitent. Give Your comfort to all women who mourn the loss of infants, and fix our eyes on Christ, who for a time was spared but has shed His blood for our salvation. Lord, in Your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

P: Merciful God, You appoint leaders and give the responsibility of authority. Protect our nation and its leaders. Grant them wisdom in their pursuit of justice. Bring Your gift of peace in the world, and give relief to those who suffer oppression. Lord, in Your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

P: Almighty Lord, You are the Great Physician. Grant healing in accordance with Your will for the sick and those who suffer. Give strength to those who give aid and care for the sick. Lord, in Your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

P: Gracious God, in Holy Communion You unite us in the body and blood of Your Son. Enable us to receive this Sacrament with faith and be strengthened by it. Bring soon, O Lord, unity of faith and doctrine so that all divisions may cease and we may be fully one at the altar. Lord, in Your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

P: Heavenly Father, all that we have comes from You. Give us grateful hearts, that we may receive Your gifts with joy and use them wisely for Your glory. May our worship this day be pleasing in Your sight. Lord, in Your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

P: Lord God, You are the bringer of true joy. Grant Your Holy Spirit to increase and sustain us in this joy and thanksgiving throughout the days of this Christmas season, until that day when at last Christ returns in His glory as Lord and judge of all. Lord, in Your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

P: Hear us, O Lord, for we are the people of Your promise and the children whom You have redeemed through the salvation accomplished through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord.

C: **Amen.**

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

PREFACE

LSB 160

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them to the Lord.**

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

P It is truly good, right, and salutary . . . evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS

LSB 161

C **Holy, holy, holy Lord God of pow'r and might:
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.
Hosanna. Hosanna.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Lord's Prayer

C **Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth
as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

**For Thine is the kingdom
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.**

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PAX DOMINI

LSB 163

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C **Amen.**

AGNUS DEI

LSB 163

C **Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world;
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world;
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world;
grant us peace.**

DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

Away in the Manger LSB # 365

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,
The little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head.
The stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay,
The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes,
But little Lord Jesus, no crying he makes.
I love thee, Lord Jesus! Look down from the sky,
And stay by my side until morning is nigh.

Be near me, Lord Jesus; I ask thee to stay
Close by me forever and love me, I pray.
Bless all the dear children in thy tender care,
And take us to heaven to live with thee there.

See Amid the Winter's Snow LSB # 373

1 See amid the winter's snow,
 Born for us on earth below,
 See, the gentle Lamb appears,
 Promised from eternal years. Refrain

ref Hail, O ever-blessèd morn!
 Hail, redemption's happy dawn!
 Sing through all Jerusalem:
 "Christ is born in Bethlehem!"

2 Lo, within a stable lies
 He who built the starry skies,
 He who, throned in height sublime,
 Sits amid the cherubim. Refrain

3 Sacred Infant, all divine,
 What a tender love was Thine,
 Thus to come from highest bliss
 Down to such a world as this! Refrain

4 Teach, O teach us, holy Child,
 By Thy face so meek and mild,
 Teach us to resemble Thee
 In Thy sweet humility. Refrain

In the Bleak Midwinter

In the bleak midwinter
Frosty wind made moan
Earth stood hard as iron
Water like a stone
Snow had fallen
Snow on snow, snow on snow
In the bleak midwinter
Long, long ago

Our God, heav'n cannot hold Him,
Nor earth sustain; heav'n and earth
Shall flee away when he comes to reign.
In the bleak midwinter a stable place sufficed,
For the Lord God Almighty, Jesus Christ

Chorus:

Gloria, Gloria!
Now my eyes have seen;
Soli Deo Gloria!
He salvation brings,
As the Lord has promised,
I may go in peace.

What can I give him?
Poor as I am
If I were a shepherd
I would bring a lamb
If I were a wise man
I would do my part
Yet what I can, I give him
Give him my heart – **Chorus**

All Is Ready Now

Quietly into the stable where the Savior sleeping lies,
we can go, for all are welcome: shepherd, angel, poor and wise.
What we have we bring and offer, earthly gifts for Child divine,
giving that which we were given, fruits of harvest, bread and wine.

'Cross the threshold of creation, Jesus comes to dwell with us,
as he was in the beginning, evermore God's gift of love.
Now he calls us to the table, gift of love to bleed and die;
manger here becomes an altar, stable Lamb is sacrificed.

Now enthroned as king of heaven, blazing glory like the sun:
in his hands are pow'r and justice, on his lips are peace and love.
As our gifts are turned to ashes, falling down in awe we bow,
empty handed, we adore him. "Come, for all is ready now."

THANK THE LORD

LSB 164

- C **Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev'ryone what
He has done.
Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and proudly bear His
name.
He recalls His promises and leads His people forth in joy
with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia, alleluia.**

POST -COMMUNION COLLECT

- A Let us pray.
We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed
us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your
mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward
You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus
Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and
the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C **Amen.**

BENEDICTION

LSB 166

- P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.
- C **Amen.**

HYMN

Hark the Herald Angels Sing

LSB # 380

Hark! The herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King;
Peace on earth and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled!"
Joyful, all ye nations, rise,
Join the triumph of the skies;
With the angelic host proclaim,
"Christ is born in Bethlehem!" Refrain

ref Hark! The herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King!"

Christ, by highest heav'n adored,
Christ, the everlasting Lord,

Late in time behold Him come,
Offspring of a virgin's womb.
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see,
Hail the incarnate Deity!
Pleased as Man with man to dwell,
Jesus, our Immanuel! Refrain

Hail, the heav'n-born Prince of Peace!
Hail, the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings,
Ris'n with healing in His wings.
Mild He lays His glory by,
Born that man no more may die,
Born to raise the sons of earth,
Born to give them second birth. Refrain

POSTLUDE

WE GIVE THANKS & PRAISE TO GOD FOR HIS BLESSINGS: We ask for beneficial rains and the safety of all travelers.

Anniversary: James & Lisa Parish (48 yrs.)

We Pray for God's comfort for Judy & Tom Frerich's with the death of their Great Granddaughter.

***WE PRAY FOR GOD'S HEALING TOUCH:** ***WE PRAY** for those who struggle with chronic conditions or effects of aging; **Lanny Moore; Jean Niedan; Paul Wathen**, Brother-in-Law of David & Shirley Steele; **Rose McNulty; Don Richert; Mildred Gurkin.**

***WE PRAY for those who battle cancer:**

Brenda Ott, daughter of Loren & Mary Babcock; **Matt Moorhead**, friend of the Huebner's; **Erin**, Mark Cullinan's sister; **Lori Potter**, Lisa Parish's sister; **Richard Smith**, friend of Bonnie Van Cura; **Holly**, Janelle Ouderkirk's sister in law; **Bruce Tiedeman; Kate Mohr**, daughter of Chris & Bruce Reinboth; **Holly Roesser**, friend of Kerrin Tallmon; **Jeff Crymble**, friend of the Parish's; **Gail Warren; Keary Ryan; Rachelle Kowalski; Deb Murdock; Beth Janecek; John Browsers; Pat Hoagland; Lana Gibbs; Vickie Kauffold.**

***WE PRAY** for those with a variety of health concerns: **Annie Wilcox's father**, he had a stroke; **Vern Lantis**, brother -in-law of Sharon Lantis; **Robert Stevenson**, friend of Bonnie VanCura; **Heather Axtell**, friend of Bonnie Van Cura; **Pastor Stubenrouch; Byron Fritz; Angela Richards**, friend of **Gena and Mark Cullinan; Bret Skiles** , Son of Denise and Duane Skiles; **Carol Mahnken; Shirley Nielson; Dennis Young; Jeanne Brott; Lavonne Fleer**, Aunt of Raegan Anderson; **Harlan Grunden**, Uncle of Raegan Anderson; **Robert Reigan; Tom P; Shelley Kleewein; Mike DeBolt**, family of Bonnie Van Cura; **Max Wallace; Brian Mahler; Hayden & Landon**, friends of the Babcock's; **Kylar Smith; Marie Gordon; Connie Langhofer; Brian McFarland; Rick Heglin; Mike Waggener; Mary DeRiese.**

***WE PRAY** for our expectant mothers and the children they carry.

***WE PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES OR MISSION PROJECTS:**

***WE PRAY** that we would be deliberate sharers of Jesus' word, grace, and love.

WE PRAY FOR THESE SPECIAL PETITIONS:

***WE PRAY for the LCMS**, Synod President Harrison, and District President Snow & other officers of our Synod.

"WE PRAY for Pastor Hahn, Church leaders and Vacancy Pastors.

***WE PRAY** for our nation and its leaders and the men and women serving in our military: **Jordan Harris**, US Army in Colorado Springs; **Bailey Hutton**, US Army in Fort Hood, Tx; **Jed Wiley**, US Army; **Colton Hughes**, US Navy; **Mitchell Parish**, US Army; **Matthew Russell**, US Marine Corp.; **Benjamin Reehl**, US Army; **D. Logan Miles**, US Marines, MSAU, Quantico, VA.

Happening this month:

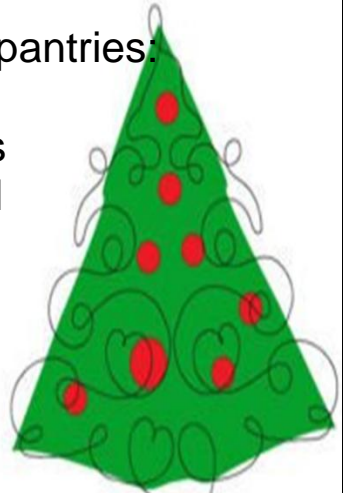
December 28 th	9:45am Bible Study 11am Worship Service- Communion
December 29 th	No Preschool – January 5th
December 30 th	8am Men's Bible Study 5:30pm Dinner 6:30 Worship Service - Communion
January 1 st	Happy New Year – Church office closed
January 4 th	9:45 Bible Study 11am Worship Service
January 6 th	8am Men's Bible Study 1:30pm Ladies Bible Study 3:00pm Linden Court Service 5:30pm Dinner 6:30 Worship Service
January 8 th	1pm LWML Afternoon Circle
January 11 th	9:45am Bible Study 10am Board of Ed Meeting 11am Worship Service- Communion LWML Officers Installation
January 12 th	5pm LWML Evening Circle 7pm Elder's Board Meeting
January 13 th	8am Men's Bible Study 10am Book Club 1:30pm Ladies Bible Study 5:30pm Dinner 6:30 Worship Service
January 15 th	1:30pm Book Club
January 18 th	9:45am Bible Study 11am Worship Service-
January 19 th	2pm Church Council 5:30pm BOOM Meeting 7pm Trustee Meeting
January 20 th	8am Men's Bible Study 10am Book Club 5:30pm Dinner 6:30 Worship Service

Tree of Love

Donations will go to 3 local food pantries:

Salvation Army
Grace Ministries
NP High School

- *Take an envelope off the tree,
- *Take out the candy cane and
- *Put your donation in the envelope in the box under the tree.



We will collect donations through the month of
December

*Thank you for donating to these very
needed food pantries.*



"Get Ready for the Best"

Guest Speaker: Rev. Germán Novelli Oliveros
Christ will return--maybe this year, maybe even today!

Pastor German Novelli helps us to prepare for the blessings and challenges of a new year. (Luke 12:36-37)

LWML MISSION OUTREACH God wants us to read the Bible so we can learn of His grace. It is the Word that provides spiritual nourishment for daily life. Reading it just once is not enough. Contemporary English versions and Bible audio recordings make reading easier. Is time the issue? Ask God to slow you down so that you make time for Him in your busy schedule. Time with God may just become the best part of your day!

In Service to the Lord

Organist Praise Team
Elders Bob Lantis, Leland Poppe, Larry Wallace & Allen Huff
Reader
Ushers Mike Steele, David Steele, Josh Thompson & Zach Parish

<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>1 Yr. Ago</u>
	129	110
<u>Offering</u>		
General Fund	\$ 5,010.00	\$ 1,897.80
Synodical Mission	\$ 0.00	\$.00
Sunday School	\$ 0.00	\$.00
Dedicated Others	\$ 39.00	\$ 272.00

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Budgeted Expense Needed Monthly for 2025	\$ 32,893.00
Year to Date Income ending November 2025	\$ 262,614.86
Year to Date Expenses ending November 2025	\$ 262,495.29

Bible Lesson for Sunday January 4th

Numbers 6:22-27 Psalm 8 Galatians 3:23-29 Luke 2:21

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Beautifully Saved to Lead to Christ

Welcome

In the name of Jesus Christ we take immense joy in welcoming you to our worship service today!

If you are a **visitor**, please complete the attendance form in your pew or fill out a Welcome Card in the pew and place it in the offering plate. **We are glad the Lord led you here today!**

We ask all attending **members** to complete the attendance form as it helps us track attendance for our computer records. There is an opportunity on the Welcome card to make us aware of your prayer request.

***Assisted listening devices are available for those who need them.**

**** A nursery is available for small children.**