

# Lutheran Church of Our Saviour

**December 1, 2024** 

Weekly

Announcements



### Happening This Week: December 1st-December 8

#### Sunday, December 1st—First Sunday of Advent

Special Activity Day for Youth of All Ages

#### 9:00 a.m. Choir Practice

We will go over this weeks hymns and music, continue our preparation of hymns for our Lessons & Carols Service taking place on December 8th, and look at some new anthems.

#### 9:15 a.m. Sunday School—Special Activity Day

Fun Times! With breakfast snack included.

#### 9:15 a.m.—9:45 a.m.

Join Pastor Wilck in the Reformation Chapel for a deeper discussion of the lessons of the day.

#### 10:00 a.m. Communion Service

The start of Advent is the beginning of a new church year. And a new season. Our liturgy will reflect this change with different service music, hymns, prayers, and format. Look busy! Jesus is coming!

#### Monday, December 2

#### 5:30 p.m. Communications Committee

Our second meeting to discuss ways to help spread the word about Our Saviour.

#### 6:30 p.m. Scouts BSA

Pack/Troop 0243 meet and participate in outdoor adventures, community service, character development, and a whole lot of fun.

#### <u>Tuesday, December 3</u>

#### 10:00 a.m. Bible Study

Join Pastor Wilck for biblical discussions, & movies. Come join the discussion. 6:30 p.m.

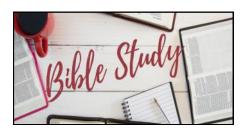












#### <u>Wednesday, December 4</u>

#### 6:30 p.m. Alpha Course

Pam Spencer leads that group that explores our faith.

#### <u>Thursday, December 5</u>

#### 6:30 p.m. Bell Choir

Members of the Bell Choir will meet and practice our pieces for December 8th and beyond.

#### <u>Saturday, December 7</u>

#### 9:30 a.m. Christmas Altar Guild Preparation

Let by Cheryl Stone, the Altar Guild will get together in the Sacristy and Narthex to clean and prepare the implements used for worship for Advent and Christmas.

#### Sunday, December 8—Second Sunday of Advent

#### 9:00 a.m. Bell Choir—10 minute practice

Members of the Bell choir will go over today's piece.

#### 9:10 a.m. Choir Practice

Please meet in the choir room.

#### 9:15 a.m. Pageant Practice

The children will meet in the Sanctuary or downstairs to begin going over the pageant service. Follow the directions of the Sunday School teachers.

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### **Ongoing and Future Activities and Events**

#### Cornucopia Fall/Holiday Food Drive

Now until December 8th! Bring in those food items!

#### The Angel Tree

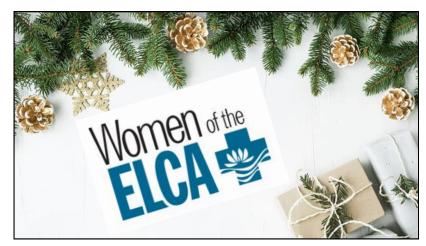
Jerry Stich has put up the Angel Tree, now, it's our job to take an angel from the tree and follow the directions for purchasing gifts for children both within our own church and those at Coldwater House of Mothers and Children (Open Door Mission)

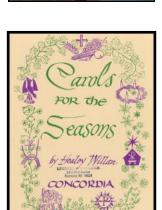
#### Lessons & Carols for Christmas

Please plan on enjoying a wonderful service of Lessons and Carols for the Season. This service features beautiful settings of Christmas Carols by composer Healey Willan rendered by our choir and soloists.

#### WELCA Christmas Luncheon

Tuesday, December 10th at 11:30 a.m. (at the church) Secret Pals will be revealed. AnnMarie MacBride will serve as hostess and lead devotions. Sign up or talk to AnnMarie if you have questions.







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#### Jubilees Christmas Luncheon

On behalf of the Jubilees group, Dick Ransom and Deb Ciccone cordially invite you to a Luncheon in the Hastings Room at Brook Lea Country Club on December 17th. We will gather at 11:45 a.m. for a meal featuring your choice of: French Dip Sandwich with Fries, or Cobb Salad with Chicken, Bacon & Roll, or a Turkey Club Sandwich with chips. A vegetarian salad is also available. Your meal comes with coffee, tea, or soft drink and Christmas Cake for dessert. Total cost including tip is \$25.00.

We will enjoy great food fellowship and carol singing lead by Bob Newbury.

#### Christian Book Club

January 21, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. The book we will be reading is Lifemark by Chris Favre. A story about adoption, what makes a parent a parent, reconnecting with birth parents and how God is at work through it all.

(the movie will be shown Saturday, January 18th at 2:00 p.m.)

### **Our Saviour Church Council**

Steve Brady, President .2 year term	
Ann Seppa, Vice President	$\boldsymbol{y}$
Heidi Kozireski, Secretary	
Deb Ciccone, Treasurer 1 year termFinance	
Dave Cuff1 year termMissions	
Lois Dannenberg	
Charlyne Hickey, at large1 year term Reformation Archives	
Frank Johnson2 year termProperties	
John Macksamie2 year termMissions	
Ruth Otto 3 year term Worship	
Mary Ellen Saur, at large1 year term Stewardship	
Pam Spencer1 year termEvangelism, Alpha	
Rainer Stellrecht1 year term	
Carol Werth2 year termCLC	





### Service Schedule

Date	SERVICE LEADER	USHER	LECTOR	GREETER	Communion Assistant	Cross Bearer
Dec 1	Mary Ellen Saur	Deb & Mike Frey	Mike Frey	Carol Werth	Deb Frey Deb Macksamie	n/a
Dec 8	Diane Parke/ Potter	Peg Hamblin	Rod Potter	Richard & Ruth Pearce	Rod Potter Peg Hamblin	Paul Hamblin
Dec 15	Lois Dannenberg	Cindy Borzilleri	Deb Ciccone	Mary Ellen Saur	Cindy Borzilleri & Ed Jarvis	n/a
Dec 22	Pam Brady	David Nowatka	Steve Brady	Jason Stone	Steve Brady & Carol Werth	John Macksamie

## **Birthdays This Week**

Abigail Wiesmore	December 3
Becky Wiesmore	December 3
Sue Neal	December 4
Dick Ransom	December 4
Kevin Gear	December 6
Lance Strasser	December 6
Sharon Nazarian	December 7

## **Anniversaries This Week**

John & Deb Macksamie—December 1st (40 Years!)