

FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT - NOVEMBER 28 & NOVEMBER 29, 2020



Welcome. We begin a new church year today with the first Sunday of Advent. We watch for Jesus' advent, or coming, among us: His return on the last day, and His presence with us now.

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SATURDAY WORSHIP SERVICE: 5:30 PM / SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE: 9:30 AM

Cancelled

Sanctuary Stewards – Debby Durr & Amy Shrack

PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP

O Lord, my Creator, Redeemer, and Comforter, as I come to worship You in spirit and truth, I humbly pray that You would open my heart to the preaching of Your Word so that I may repent of my sins, believe in Jesus Christ as my only Savior, and grow in grace and holiness. Hear me for the sake of His name. Amen. [©LSB]

ALTAR FLOWERS

Joyce Irish is placing flowers on the altar this weekend in praise and thanksgiving to God for His many blessings.

PASTOR JOHN DREYER

Please continue to pray for **Rev. John Dreyer**, as he prayerfully seeks God's will to become Senior Pastor at Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer, or remain on staff at the Concordia Theological Seminary in Ft. Wayne.

LWML WIDOW'S MITE 5TH SUNDAY COLLECTION - THIS WEEKEND!

Cancelled

SHUT-IN OF THE WEEK – CARLYN LAUBENSTEIN

Carlyn Laubenstein is this week's honored shut-in.

ADVENT WORSHIP SERVICE – THIS WEDNESDAY – DECEMBER 2 – 7:00 PM

Cancelled

PRAYERS FOR HEALING, STRENGTH, PEACE AND COMFORT

We remember in our prayers, **Mark Dunkin, Paul & Mary Bastaich, Kevin Lechner, Nick & Mandi Stout, Cindy Hunkeler, Tye Jack, Diana Wray, Ned Trout, Wilma Frank, Clar Coy, Renee Howell, Brian Denta, Carlyn Laubenstein, Wayne Kincaid, Phyllis Schumacher, Janie Malinowski, John & Imogene Canan, Betty Cowgill, Kathy Apple, John Bagby, Betty Pohlman, Sheila Bahler, Doris Temme, Diane Braswell, Jessie Paredes, Tom Shutt, Wess Mechler, Bill Schmidt, and Janet Matyas.**

PRAYERS OF CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY

Our prayers, Christian love and sympathy go to **Betty Cowgill and family** at the death of her brother, **Junior Stephens** this past week. Also to **Jim & Debby Durr and family** at the death of Jim's father, **Fred Durr** this past Monday.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING - FRIDAY - DEC. 4TH - 6:30 PM

Cancelled

ADVENT & CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Advent Worship Service - Wednesday - December 2 - 7:00 PM - Cancelled

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service - Thursday, December 24 at 4 PM & 7 PM

[Please note the 7 PM time to allow for the church to be cleaned and disinfected between services.]

Christmas Day Communion Service - Friday - December 25 - 10 AM

LWML WOMAN'S QUARTERLY

Ladies, the next edition of "The Woman's Quarterly" is available at our LWIS bulletin board table in the Narthex. On the last page it shows who is receiving funding through our mite collections. It also has information about our convention in Lexington, June 2021.

HANDS OF LOVE

Hands of Love **will not be** meeting again until **Monday, Dec. 14th at 1:00 PM**. Please note the **Christmas Luncheon** is still scheduled for **Monday, Dec. 21st, 2020 at 12 noon** at **Diane Turner's** house. Come for fun, fellowship, and lunch too. If you have any questions, call **Diane**.

ZOOM YOUTH BIBLE STUDY EMAIL RAYRENEEYOUNG@COMCAST.NET IF INTERESTED.

<u>THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER</u>			
DATE	TIME	TITLE / EVENT	LOCATION
Sat.	5:30 PM	Cancelled	Sanctuary
Sun.	9:30 AM	Cancelled	Sanctuary / Mission Hall
Mon.	9:00 AM	Cancelled	Mission Hall
Tues.	6:00 PM	Cancelled	Fellowship Hall
Wed.	1:00 PM	Cancelled	Mission Hall
	4:30 PM	Cancelled	Fellowship Hall
	7:00 PM	Cancelled	Sanctuary
Thurs.	8:30 AM	Cancelled	Mission Hall
	9:30 AM	Cancelled	Choir Room
Fr.	6:30 PM	Cancelled	Sanctuary / Narthex
Sat.	5:30 PM	Cancelled	Sanctuary

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:
Marilyn Marsh – Dec. 3
Wayne Kincaid – Dec. 6
Teresa Keller – Dec. 13
Bill Barton – Dec. 14
Lois Grotrian – Dec. 14
Clara Burnett – Dec. 16
Joelene Boyles – Dec. 30

KOKOMO RESCUE MISSION GUESTS – DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS
Heather, Jeremy, Blaine, Frank, Tonya, Tommy



We
find so
many ways
to say it. But
the old familiar words
are somehow always best;
the members of the church &
school staff pray that you will
have a blessed and Christ-centered
Christmas and for God's richest and
choicest blessings for you and yours both
now, as we pause with the world to remember
the birth of our Lord, and throughout every day in

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Christmas greetings to our members and friends!

Pastor Stout, Pastor Ludwig [interim pastors]

Bev, April, David, Florence, Juanita, Beth, Rick

Eric, Michelle, Sallie, Suzanne, Erin, Debbie, Alicia, Laura, Stephanie,

Angie, Melanie, Tina, Anna, Kathy, Carrie, Karen, Jim, Dora,

Conny, Becky, Liz, Elaine, Janie, Monelle,

Cara, Addrienne, Debby