



The Servant Spirit

Servant of Christ Lutheran Church

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Therefore,
if anyone is in Christ,
he is a new creation;
the old has gone,
the new has come!

2 Corinthians 5:17

Sunday Worship at 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Children's Ministry at 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. (Ages 3 yr.-6th)



Dec. 13 Sunday School Christmas Program at 6:30 p.m.

Dec. 22 Christmas Music Festival at 9:00 & 10:30 Worship

Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Services -
1:00, 3:00 & 5:00 p.m.

Pastor Eric's Column

Servant of Christ Mission — Making Disciples

We are committed in every aspect of life to encourage the ministry of the congregation and individuals to grow in the following biblical marks of discipleship: Prayer, Weekly Worship, Biblical Literacy, Spiritual Friendship, Serving and Giving.

Prayer Resources on the WEB

A new resource on prayer has been launched. Go to www.elca.org/prayer which is part of the ELCA website. The page provides resources for individuals seeking to expand their prayer life. Contents of the page include meditation; healing, prayer requests and daily Bible readings and a short course called "Prayer 101". This is an EXCELLENT resource, check it out!

Black Friday: Good News or Bad News

The day after Thanksgiving is known as "Black Friday". It's the unofficial official beginning of the Christmas shopping season. It gets its name because the majority of retailers either "make it" or "break it" financially based on the Christmas shopping season. Its importance for the American economy can't be overstated.

This year, results of "Black Friday" will be headline news on Saturday. They'll be viewed as indicators of the health or ill-health of the American economy and watched VERY closely. The economy affects us all and we should all be concerned with its health. When it comes to Christmas shopping many will joke about doing their part for the economy's health.

I want to encourage each of us this season of Advent to be more concerned with our spiritual health as we are with the health of the economy. While it's easy to toss around phrases like "Jesus is the reason for the season", "Let's get back to the real meaning of Christmas" and more...the truth is that attending to our spiritual health usually takes a back seat and we arrive at Christmas Eve or Christmas day exhausted.

In the coming weeks we have some wonderful Sunday morning Advent services planned. Each of those worship experiences can help bring a little sanity into what is often the craziest time of the year. Each of those services can be like a beacon of light in a world that says the state of the economy is more important than the state of your soul.

Soon we will be hearing those words from the Christmas account "*Do not be afraid. I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; He is Christ the Lord.*" Will we have taken the time to prepare our heart for the reception of Christ or will the "sounds of the season", all well intentioned, have drowned out God's proclamation of the birth of a Savior? Come to worship and let Advent help you prepare to make this the most meaningful Christmas ever.

See you in worship on Sunday!
Blessings,

Pastor Eric

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Worship and Learning

Christmas Eve

Worship Services

Thursday, December 24th
Christmas Eve Worship
Services will be at 1:00, 3:00 &
5:00pm. All services will be
traditional candlelight services
with special music. Holy
Communion will be served at
the 5:00pm service. Childcare
will be provided at the 1:00 &
3:00pm services.

Women's Bible Study

"The Word, the Whole Word
and Nothing but the Word"
Peggy Mortier continues to
lead a study of the Gospel of
Mark at church. In this study
they are on a journey to know
Jesus more intimately and to
apply God's Word to our lives.
The study continues the first
and third Sunday of each
month from 6:30-7:30pm.
Contact Peggy Mortier at (763)
576-8581 for more informa-
tion.

Upcoming Preaching Themes

Sun. Dec. 6: "Preparing the Way for Jesus"

Text: Luke 3:1-6; The Second Sunday of Advent

Theme: Just as John the Baptist prepared the Way for Jesus we too are called to prepare our hearts for the coming of Jesus in our lives. During the busy "Holiday" season distractions abound. More than at any other time during the year it is easy to lose our focus on what Advent and Christmas are all about. This passage calls us "back to the basics" and grounds us in scripture for the journey to Christmas.

Music: 9:00 Celebration Choir; 10:30 Servant Song

Sun. Dec. 13: "Appearances Can Be Deceiving"

Text: Luke 3: 7-18; The Third Sunday of Advent

Theme: Some people in the day of John the Baptist mistook him for Jesus. In our day it is easy and tempting to allow people, possessions and things (especially during this time of the year) to fill the void in our life that can only be filled by a relationship with Christ. The Good News is that we can KNOW Christ and He can and is willing to be the anchor of our lives. That perspective can keep our life and this season of the year in focus.

Music: 9:00 Celebration Choir; 10:30 Servant Song

Sun. Dec. 20 Christmas Musical/Servant Song/Celebration Choir

Thur. Dec. 24 "A Christmas to Remember";

Services at 1:00, 3:00 & 5:00pm

Text: Luke 2:1-20 & others

Sun. Dec. 27 "Christmas is Over, Now What?"

Text: Luke 2: 22-40

Monthly Champlin Shores Worship

On the fourth Tuesday of each month at 2pm Pastor Eric leads worship for residents and visitors at Champlin Shores. The worship is open to all who wish to attend. If you know someone there, please feel free to invite them to the worship service.

Worship and Learning

Young At Heart Meets on December 7th

Monday, December 7th Young at Heart will meet to continue our study of the Biblical book of James. We meet in the room at the back of the sanctuary. Bring a sack lunch. The coffee is hot, the discussion invigorating and the fellowship is wonderful. This group is for retired and semi retired members and friends of Servant of Christ.

Baptism Class— Sunday, December 6

Come and learn more about the meaning of baptism, and how to arrange for a baptism here at Servant of Christ. We invite all ages to be baptized. Join us for baptism class on Sunday, December 6, at noon. Please contact the church office at 763-427-5070 to reserve a spot. Classes are held every other month. The following class is February 7, 2010.

SOC Saturday Men's Ministry to Meet on December 19th.

Saturday, December 19th from 8-9 a.m. we'll meet in the room at the rear of the Sanctuary. The coffee is "piping hot". We continue our study of the book "Every Man, God's Man" by Stephen Arterburn. Specifically, we'll be looking at Chapters 7 & 8 titled "The Mole Within" and "Are You Giving the Devil a Foothold". All men are welcome. It's a great way to get to know other men at SOC. Come and join us for the first time!

Wednesdays 6 a.m. Women's Bible Study

Wednesday mornings at 6am the Women's Bible study group meets at Hudy's Café in Champlin studying the book of Isaiah. This non-denominational gathering is a source of inspiration. You are invited to come. It's a great way to start your new day, studying God's word, praying and fellowshiping together – plus drinking coffee and staying for breakfast – if you have time. If you need to leave for work – you can leave whenever you need to. It meets every Wednesday all year long unless the Wednesday falls on a holiday. If you have more questions contact Jan Magnuson @ 763-420-2605 or call Marge at church.

Fridays 6 a.m. Men's Bible Study

Every Friday morning at 6 a.m. there is a Men's Bible Study at church in the room back of the sanctuary. All men are invited to come – bring your Bible and coffee is always available. If you would like more information please call Kevin Sinton @ 763-427-1703 or Bill Barnes @ 763-421-8262.

Monday Morning Brew—6:30 a.m.

Join Servant of Christ members and friends for a little Morning Brew at Culver's on the southeast corner of 169 & Elm Creek Parkway. We are using the book on "David Developing a Heart for God". This group meets Mondays from 6:30-7:15 a.m. Come when you can, leave when you need to, stay as long as you like. Come and get your week off to the right start – all women are welcome.

Opportunities to Attend

Women's Retreat

Circle your Calendar for April 16-18 for the upcoming Women's Retreat. Watch for more details.

Mother Daughter Tea

Saturday, April 24th

The Mother/Daughter Tea will be Saturday, April 24th at noon. Take time to celebrate mother/daughter or women/friends in your life and invite them to join you. If you don't have a daughter, adopt one for the day or bring a friend. Our guest will be Sally Hjelle, who will share her thoughts on "The Jewels of Joy". Watch for more details in the upcoming months.

The Red "SOC" Hatters

The Red "SOC" Hatters will be meeting on Thursday, December 3rd at 6:30 p.m. at church. We will be decorating the fellowship hall for Christmas. All women are invited to join us. Any questions please call Teale Colston 427-3598 or Jeannie Hendricks at 420-4248.

Calling all Scrappers for an Overnight at SOC!

Are you ready to work on your picture albums or other projects? Our next scrapbooking weekend is Friday, December 4 starting around 4 p.m. through Sat around 6 p.m. Cost for the weekend is \$20. Please bring a treat to share. You are welcome to spend the night at church or go home to sleep and return in the morning. Bring your scrapbooking, stamping, quilting or whatever project you are working on and join us - get lots done and have some fun fellowshiping with others. A box will be available at the Scrapbooking event where you can leave paper and other scrapbooking items that you aren't going to use anymore. These items will be available free of charge for people who may need them. Any questions call Teale Colston at 763-427-3598 or Mona Pasko at 763-712-8574.



Reminder - Share your Vision

Thanks to everyone who has placed their used eye glasses in the "Share Your Vision" box in the narthex at church. The box continues to fill up more and more each week. The eye glass collection is a two year project with a combined (with Champlin Park High School) goal of 1,000 pairs of glasses. Please look for the information on the box for details about this project.

Miscellaneous



Servant of Christ Annual Meeting

Date

The annual meeting will be held on Sunday, January 31st at 11:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary. At this meeting we will be voting on a spending plan (budget) for 2010, some new church council positions and be taking a look ahead at SOC's ministry for the coming year. It's really important that you attend so please put it on your calendar. Childcare will be provided!

Stewardship Update

As of the writing of this article (11/11, just 3 days after Consecration Sunday) many have responded with pledges for the ministry of Servant of Christ for 2010. Only 40 % of our households typically make a pledge in a given year. Every commitment makes a difference for the ongoing ministry of the congregation. Additionally, each pledge helps your Church Council prepare the most accurate spending plan (budget) possible. If you haven't done so yet, please take time to return your pledge card. Thank you!

Wild Game Feed Fund Raiser

The Next Event for the Men's Group will be the 2nd Annual Wild Game Feed to be held Sunday, February 21st @ the Champlin Legion from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Volunteer sign-up sheets will be available and tickets will be sold in the church narthex after Thanksgiving. Prizes may be donated for Silent Auction and Raffle at any time. Contact Tim Carlson @ 612-701-8860 or Dan Smith @ 612-701-4999 for further information. Mark your calendar and tell your relatives, friends and neighbors to do the same.

Prizes being sought are as follows:

- New or used firearms (any condition, regardless of age)
- Hunting trips, use of hunting land, use of cabin (weekend or week)
- Use of condo
- Fishing trips
- Persons willing to be auctioned off to do " handyman chores" half day and full day.
- Persons willing to cook, serve and clean for dinner party of up to 10 people at successful bidders home (labor only)
- Persons willing to provide 3 hour pontoon or boat trip with snacks and beverages for up to x persons.
- New hunting or fishing equipment; electronics; logo wear
- Gift certificates from local establishments or businesses

Men – it would be very much appreciated if you could donate your time and help out as much as possible to help make this event successful.

Miscellaneous

Committee Chairs/Executive Board Members

Your articles for the Annual Report are due on Monday, January 11 or before. Please e-mail your article to margek@servantofchrist.com. If you have any questions, please call Marge (427-5070). Thanks.

Flower Chart

The 2010 flower chart for Altar flowers is now posted in the narthex. Cost is \$30.00 a Sunday. You must turn in your check of \$30.00 to reserve your Sunday. Please fill out a form and leave your check with the words "altar flowers" in the memo spot in the offering plate or in the envelope in the church office marked "Messages for Tammy & Marge." If you have further questions please call the church office @ 427-5070.

Change of Phone Number and/or Address

Members and friends of Servant of Christ – please call the church office if you are going to move and give us your new mailing address. We are charged \$1.00 by the post office for each returned item that is not sent first class. ALSO if you have changed your home phone number - please notify the church office so we have an updated church directory. It would be greatly appreciated.

From the Council President

I don't know what it is, but every time a baby is baptized and the congregation sings "Jesus Loves Me", I get choked up. Maybe it's the bringing of a new life to Christ, maybe it's the reminder that HE loves me. And then when the Christmas season comes I am a mess for a whole month — not because I have all the shopping, the baking or the entertaining to do, but because I am reminded that it all started with a baby... a baby that would be sacrificed for us. A baby that would challenge us to look beyond ourselves and challenge us to lay down our worries, our burdens, and our fears and just have faith... faith in HIM. This December may every baby you see remind you of Christmas and God's love. "Jesus Loves Me this I Know!" Merry Christmas from SOC Council.

Middle School/Confirmation Youth Director Update

We continue our search for a half-time Youth Director for Middle School and Confirmation Ministry. While the search is taking longer than anticipated we continue to trust that the Lord will lead the right person to Servant of Christ. Many thanks to Sue Jostad for continuing to administrate our Confirmation ministry.

Summer 2010 Youth Boundary Waters Trip Interest Meeting

An informational meeting for those interested in finding out more about the 2010 youth BWCA trip will be held on Sunday, December 13th at Noon in the Sanctuary. Dates of the trip are 8/1-8/6. Anyone who has completed 8th grade in the spring of 2010 can participate.

Youth News

Servant of Christ Youth Mission

*To build a Christ-centered,
alive and inspirational youth
program in order to
change lives, build disciples
and create a spirit of serving.*

“To Be or Not to Be....on the Drama Team”.

We are still looking for volunteers to be a part of the Drama and Skit Team here at Servant of Christ. This has been opened up to all ages. If interested email Elise at elise@santofchrist.com.

Greetings to all and warm wishes as we enter this cold Minnesota winter (can you tell I didn't grow up here?!? Brrr). With the Christmas season here I am reminded of all of the blessings that God has given to us. Take a moment to really thank the Lord for all he has blessed you with and rejoice in the season.

Elise
Senior High Youth Director

Senior High 9th-12th Grade Wednesday Night Youth Group

Come and join us December 2nd, 9th & 16th from 7:30-8:30 p.m. for Wednesday Night Senior High gatherings. We will continue the “I am a Christian” campaign. The campaign is designed to effectively show who today's Christians are. We will explore Christianity in our schools, government, media, relationships, family, churches and more. This is an 8 week campaign including meetings on Wednesdays and Sundays, a concert featuring prominent twin cities bands and performers, service projects and more! Bring Friends! The more the merrier!!

Senior High 9th-12th Grade Sunday Evening Youth Group

Join us for discussions pertaining to the “I am a Christian” campaign on Sunday evenings in the youth group room from 6:30-7:30 p.m.

10th-12th Grade Donuts and Devotions

Meet us for food, fun and fellowship before school at the Caribou on Zane Ave at 7 a.m. Tuesday December 1st, 8th, 15th and 22nd. Bring your Bible, a few bucks for coffee, and your sleepy-eyed self!

Movie Night

All 8th-12th grade youth are invited to come to the bi-monthly movie night. Movies! Popcorn! Bring a pillow and/or blanket and be ready to discuss religious themes and ideas that present themselves in these fun favorites! Up for this month: *The Emperors' New Groove* and another movie which is yet to be determined. The night begins at 6:45 p.m. and we will be starting the movie at 7 p.m. on December 3rd and 17th. PJ's accepted and highly encouraged!

College Students

We are looking to update our records with those of our Servant of Christ members that are away at school. Please email Elise at elise@santofchrist.com with the student's name, address, email address, graduation year, and school name.

Confirmation News

*I am praying for them.
I am not praying for the world
but for those
whom you have given me,
for they are yours.* John 17: 9

The Confirmation program began September 23. Students gather for pizza at 5:30. They gather with their small groups and guides to learn and hear the Word of God. It is a time for all to share their faith and pray. They meet as a large group where they sing, give offering and pray. Prayer requests are submitted by students to be read in front of the large group. Each prayer request comes from their hearts. Students request prayer for healing, forgiveness and thanksgiving. As the students continue to gather on Wednesday nights, I ask each parent, student and fellow congregation member to continue to pray for the Confirmation program, students and guides. God will continue to embrace and strengthen all who are a part of this important and meaningful ministry.

Blessings,
Sue Jostad

The 8th grade Confirmation girls visited Champlin Shores on November 4. They made a craft for the residents. Some of the residents also worked with the students. The girls also shared cookies and lemonade with the residents. What an awesome fellowship time! Thank you girls and guides for your ministry.

Upcoming dates to mark on your calendars:

- 11/25 NO CONFIRMATION – Happy Thanksgiving – Worship service at 7:00 p.m.
- 12/2 8th grade Confirmation boys Service Project – Champlin Shores
- 12/16 Service Night Neighborhood Food Collection and Christmas Treats
- 12/23 & 12/30 - NO CONFIRMATION – Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Looking ahead to 2010:

- 1/6 8th grade Confirmation Parent Night
- 2/17 Ash Wednesday (2/17 thru 3/31 - no weekly Confirmation – come to Lenten services)
- 4/7 Confirmation resumes – 9th grade Parent Night

Special thanks – Thanks to all the parents who have been volunteering to serve pizza on Wednesday nights. A special thanks to Margy Peterson for coordinating the schedule.



Education by Anne Larsen

Mark your Calendars Sunday School will celebrate the birth of Jesus on Sunday, December 13 at 6:30 p.m.

All children 3 years old through 6th grade will take part. The program will include a drama, readings, Sunday School and congregational singing, as well as the kids greeting, ushering and helping with offering. Afterward we will have cookies, lemonade and fellowship.

Please reserve the evening and join us as a family and community to support, celebrate and affirm the message of Advent and Christmas for our children. We look forward to the season with our Sunday School!

If you would like to donate cookies for the program please contact Anne Larsen. Also, families will receive a reminder for times and program information. If you have questions please call Anne Larsen 763.427.5070 or email annel@servantofchrist.com

Penny Wars

A reminder, we are continuing our “Penny Wars” through December 13th! The money we collect will go toward our ongoing mission of supporting our NESCO friends in Uganda (Nysambia Ex-street Children’s Organization). The money helps this group of children who once lived on the streets but now are living together as a family. It will help with schooling, food, shelter and medical needs. Please keep these children in your prayers and also our friend Drew Sandbulte from our congregation. He is living with them in Uganda and working for the organization. What a blessing he is to all!

Dates to Remember

December 12th	Christmas program practice 9:00 a.m. – noon
December 13th	Christmas program 6:30 p.m.
December 27th	No Sunday School
January 3rd	No Sunday School
January 10th	Sunday School resumes

Stepping Stones of Faith

“Take care and watch yourselves closely, so as neither to forget the things that your eyes have seen nor to let them slip from your mind all the days of your life; make them known to your children and your children’s children.” Deuteronomy 4:9

In November, we continued our program “Stepping Stones of Faith” and presented our 2nd graders with Bibles.

Molly Baker	Grace Pater	Jack Ingram
Madelyn Braun	Monique Thomsen	Julia Ingram
Emily Johnson	Jared Walter	Kylie Lundquist
Jane Jonassen	Melanie Baker	Elizabeth Quick
Anna Kaltved	Riley Colston	Daniel Summers
Cameron Knutson	Victoria Crosby	Jessica Summers
Jeremy Kuehn	Julia Dixon	Andrew Thapa
Michael Lerwick	Justin Hargroder	Kate Trautman
Amber Lovely	Samantha Hofmann	Marissa Welch

Thanks to the parents for sharing in the presentation of Bibles. It is wonderful to be partners with families and share the Faith Journey of these children.

A blessing for the children: *May you always be surrounded with people who love you enough to share God’s Word with you, to share their faith with you, and to encourage you to grow in your own faith!*

Mission and Ministry

LWR Servant Quilters –Meet December 10

Looking for more volunteers to help tie quilts. We have several quilts to put together for families locally and for Lutheran World Relief but we need more hands to help us catch up. All you have to do is “tie a knot”. You are invited to join us in the fellowship hall between 2-5 p.m. on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month during the school year. This month the group will meet only on December 10 because of Christmas. Come and help for a couple of hours, more or less. **No experience necessary, all skill levels welcome!** This month – instead of bringing a bag lunch - we will go out to eat to celebrate Jesus birthday. If you are interested in coming but have more questions, please feel free to call Carol Smith @ 421-6298 or Sherri Buhmann @ 506-0212.



Servant of Christ is Intentional and Effective in Mission and Ministry

Servant of Christ has helped revitalize St. Paul Lutheran in Decatur, Georgia. St. Paul's was at a crossroads. The 50-year-old congregation located in a first-ring suburb of Atlanta had only 30 people on average in worship each Sunday.

The surrounding community faced changes and challenges such as declining incomes, a low high school graduation rate, and gentrification. Using a grant that the giving from Servant of Christ helped fund through the ELCA, the congregation was able to call a full-time pastor and give new emphasis to discipleship and encouraging people to read Scripture. The congregation committed to tithing 10% of its income to missions and has been in the black ever since. Now the congregation, with about 125 in weekly attendance is wrapping up a capital campaign for a community life center.

It's wonderful how much of a difference our gifts are making. Did you know that according to The Christian Century Magazine, average worship attendance in protestant churches across the country is 109 people per Sunday? Did you know that at Servant of Christ, this fall our average has been 479 per Sunday? We have been blessed to be a blessing!

Servant Supper – December 27 - 5:00-6:00 p.m.

Servant Supper has been a great experience of sharing with one another and the guests who come. Our guests will experience growing deeper in understanding Christ's love for all people. This meal is for those in need in the surrounding community and is open to everyone. Meal time will be from 5:00-6:00 p.m. Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board located above the water fountain. There are many ways to help out. Setting up, serving, preparing food, host/hostess, clean up as well as sign-up for donating particular food items. Serving and participating at these meals will create blessings beyond description. We understand that this is close to Christmas, but what better time to serve someone in need.

For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in.

Matthew 25: 35-36

Thank You Notes

Capital Campaign

Thank You

Thank you to all who continue to fulfill commitment to the Capital Campaign. Fulfilling your commitment helps keep us on track with the long term financing plan.

Thanks to New Member Sponsors!

Thanks to everyone who welcomed and befriended new visitors and new members at Servant of Christ! At the New Member Class, many new members shared that the reason they are here is because someone personally invited them. Keep up the great work!

From CROSS

(Christians Reaching Out in Social Service)

Thank you for your generous donation of \$1,268.75. Once again, thank you for supporting our organization. It is very much appreciated.

From Salem Lutheran Church in N. Mpls

Thanks so much for your second quarter benevolence gift of \$250.00 for our Horizon Urban Intern program here at Salem. Our new Intern Sandra Densmore started in late August and is doing well. We appreciate your support of this training program and will remember the Mission and Ministry of Servant of Christ in our prayers.

Thanks from SOC Men's Group

We would like to thank everyone involved with the October Chili Feed at Daytona Golf Course. \$4,200 was raised by this one event and the entire amount will allow us to replace the remaining 19 windows in the church building.

Thank You

THANK YOU, THANK YOU to all who helped with the Scandinavian Tea and Bazaar/Craft Show. It was a wonderful success and without all of you who helped, in any way, we would not have been able to have it run so smoothly. Thanks again. Over \$2,300 was raised at this event. Circle your calendar for next year – Scandinavian Tea and Bazaar/Craft Sale on Saturday, November 6, 2010.

*Christ
IS Coming!*

Servant Schoolhouse

Advent Season

Advent is certainly a time for prayerful and joyful expectations. Children will feel the excitement of all the preparations going on around them and, of course, want to be included. The Advent season abounds with opportunities for children to join in the excitement of preparing for the celebration of Christ's birth. Encourage your children to make simple Christmas cards to take to nursing homes, have them gather food to give to those in need, help them purchase a toy for a less fortunate child. These kinds of activities will help children experience Advent as a season for sharing, giving and caring.



If you could give baby Jesus a birthday present what would it be?

"I would be good for Him." – Sam

"A new blanket." – Ava

"A hug and a kiss." – Sophia

"My love." – Chance

"A cross necklace." – Haley



**CHRISTMAS
WORSHIP
SCHEDULE**

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- Dec. 13 Sunday School Christmas Program at 6:30 p.m.
- Dec. 22 Christmas Music Festival at 9:00 & 10:30 Worship
(music provided by Celebration Choir and Servant Song)
- Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Worship Schedule
1:00, 3:00 & 5:00 p.m.
All services are traditional candlelight
(Holy Communion at 5:00 p.m.)
Childcare available at 1:00 & 3:00 p.m. services

Calendar of Events for December 1-31, 2009

Ongoing Events:

Sundays:

9:00 a.m. Traditional worship
10:30 a.m. Contemporary
Sunday school 3 yrs.-6th
9:00 & 10:30 a.m.
6:30-7:30 p.m. Sr. High Youth
meet

Mondays:

6:30 a.m. Morning Brew @
Culvers
6:30 p.m. Celebration Choir
6:30 p.m. Servant Song

Tuesdays:

7am/Caribou/Zane 10th-12th
11 a.m. Staff
Noon bulletin deadline
*7 p.m. AlAnon
*7:30 p.m. AA Mtg.

Wednesdays:

6:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study
@ Hudy's
5:30 p.m. Pizza (\$1.50 @ slice)
6:00 p.m. Confirmation
7:30-8:30 p.m. Sr. High Youth
Group

Thursdays:

*7 p.m. AA Mtg.

Fridays:

6:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study

**Not a church function*

Holy Communion Services:

The 1st and 3rd Sunday

Tuesday, 1

See ongoing events

Wednesday, 2

See ongoing events

Thursday, 3

6:30 p.m. SOC Red Hatters
6:45 p.m. Movie Night 8th-12th

Friday, 4

See ongoing events
4 p.m. Scrapbooking overnight begins

Saturday, 5

6 p.m. Scrapbooking ends

Sunday, 6

See ongoing events
11:30 a.m. Mission Trip Mtg.
12:00 p.m. Baptism class
*6 p.m. AA Mtg/FH
6:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study

Monday, 7

See ongoing events
11:30 a.m. Young at Heart

Tuesday, 8

See ongoing events

Wednesday, 9

See ongoing events

Thursday, 10

See ongoing events
Deadline for Jan. Servant Spirit
2 p.m. LWR Quilting

Friday, 11

See ongoing events

Saturday, 12

9-Noon Children's Ministry rehearsal

Sunday, 13

See ongoing events
6:30 p.m. Children's Ministry Program

Monday, 14

See ongoing events

Tuesday, 15

See ongoing events
7 p.m. Church Council

Wednesday, 16

See ongoing events
6 p.m. Confirmation Xmas party

Thursday, 17

See ongoing events
6:45 p.m. Movie Night 8th-12th

Friday, 18

See ongoing events

Saturday, 19

8 a.m. Men's Ministry
9-Noon Choir/SSong rehearsal

Sunday, 20

See ongoing events
*1 p.m. Piano recital

Monday, 21

See ongoing events

Tuesday, 22

See ongoing events
2 p.m. Champlin Shores

Wednesday, 23

Thursday, 24

1:00, 3:00 p.m. Candlelight services
with child care
5 p.m. Candlelight Communion service

Friday, 25

Christmas Day – Office Closed

Saturday, 26

No scheduled events

Sunday, 27

See ongoing events
No Sunday School
5-6 p.m. Servant Supper

Monday, 28

No scheduled events

Tuesday, 29

See ongoing events

Wednesday, 30

See ongoing events
No Confirmation

Thursday, 31

See ongoing events