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Here is the latest news for Our Saviour's Lutheran Church!



### **Mid-Week Advent Activities**

With December we enter the season of Advent. We will offer a time for congregational prayer followed by a time of worship. We will have three Wednesdays when we offer these activities – Dec. 4, 11, and 18. Here are a few more details:

At 6:30 pm we are inviting people together for a time of prayer. There is no better way to prepare for Christmas than prayer. We will pray for our congregation, and for all needs as they arise.

Worship will be at 7:00 pm. Pastor Mark will start with a Bible study on what the Gospel of Luke tells us about Christmas. After the study we will use the Holden Village Evening Prayer worship service. This is a beautiful and popular service and most fitting for Advent.

Here is the schedule for topics in the Bible study:

- Dec. 11 – Gabriel, Mary, and Elizabeth – Luke 1:26-56
- Dec. 18 – The birth of John the Baptist – Luke 1:57-80

Please note, we are not doing the soup suppers this year.

Be sure to come and share this Advent season!



## **Christmas Eve Worship**

It is time to start planning for Christmas Eve! We will offer two worship services on Christmas Eve.

The first service will be at 7:00 pm. This service will include carols and candle lighting and Holy Communion. Before the service we will offer a Christmas concert with our members sharing special music for the season.

The second service will be at 11:00 pm. We envision this as a smaller and quieter service. It will also include carols and candle lighting, and Holy Communion.

*Please be thinking now of who you would like to invite for Christmas Eve worship.  
This is a great opportunity for inviting new people!*



## **Christmas Eve Social**

Christmas Eve Social December 24th from 5:30 to 7 PM. This was such a success last year we decided to do it again this year. We are asking that you bring a hors d'oeuvres / finger food to share . We do not want anyone in the kitchen heating and serving food or having major clean-up duties. This is the perfect time to sit with friends ,make new friends ,talk, laugh, and eat delicious foods -- we always have wonderful foods. Our congregation is an awesome community that continues to grow and thank God for all the blessing of his Son whose birth we celebrate during the Christmas Season. Please share this invitation with family and friends. See you all on Christmas Eve. Cheryl Pontious



## Bible Camp Registration

Just a reminder for registering for Lutherhill this summer. For high school students looking at the LYLE program, please register by the end of the year. For students in grades 4 through 8, be sure to register by mid-January. And for student in grades 4 through 8, remember if you register and pay in full by Dec. 15 there is a \$50 discount.

We are doing things differently this year, please register directly with Lutherhill. If you have any questions, please call pastor Mark.



## Christmas Caroling

Join us on December 15 at 3:00 to go Christmas Caroling! We will meet at the church. Wear your Christmas attire and be ready for a fun time. Carmen will drive the church van.

We had great fun doing this last year and we want to do it again this year!



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