

<u>Serving 8:15AM</u>	<u>Nov. 24th 9:30</u>	<u>Dec 1</u>
Announcements	Diane Herth	John Herth
Coffee Set Up	Cliff Petersohn	Barbara Machain
Altar Care Set Up	N/A	?
Communion Servers	N/A	Bob Uhlig Renate Uhlig
Media Advance Slides	Bob Uhlig	Gary Terhune
Reader(s)	Gary Terhune	Jackie Gravell
Ushers	Joe Reale Renate Uhlig	Arthur LeBlanc Glenn Miller

<u>Serving 10:30AM</u>	<u>Nov. 24th 9:30</u>	<u>Dec 1</u>
Announcements	See above	John Herth
Coffee Clean Up	Diana & Jim Campbell	Ann Nollet
Altar Care Clean Up	N/A	
Communion Servers	N/A	John Herth Diane Herth
Media Audio Media Advance Slides	Joel Trunfio Bob Uhlig	Jessie Anderson Ann Nollet
Reader		Marie Anderson
Ushers		Charlie Ciulla Don Kingston

<u>Kids Connection 9:30AM</u>	<u>Nov. 24th NO CLASSES</u>	<u>Dec 1</u>
Elementary		LEAD: Lynn Quinlan ASSIST: Brian Wells
Pre K-K		LEAD: Diane Herth ASSIST: John Herth

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Please **DO** use this system above so we'll know if you aren't able to come.



# Weekly NEWS

YOU are Our Savior Lutheran Church in 2024!

Nov 24th, 2024

## Thanksgiving! Thankful to Who?

Counting Your Blessings from God, is an "approach", and "attitude" that Scripture encourages that YOU keep active in your life.

[Colossians 3:15-17](#) And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly,  
[Ephesians 5:20](#) Giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.



## Thanksgiving Eve Worship Nov 27th at 6:30.

Living with a heart of gratitude is healthy!

### Important Worship changes & Events to put in your calendar

12/5,12 Meet Pastor Joe via ZOOM for Advent Education Hour  
 Thursdays 7:30PM-8:30PM.

December 1 - regular 2 services: 8:15AM & 10:30AM

Join us at 9:30AM for a workshop making Advent Wreaths!

Join us at 11:45AM to decorate the church for Christmas!

December 8 - regular 2 services: 8:15AM & 10:30AM

December 15-9:30AM UNITY service with Musical Cantata and Kids Pageant

December 22 - 9:30AM UNITY service (no Education Hour)

December 24 - 4:30PM Candlelight Family service

6:30PM Candlelight Traditional service

December 29 - 9:30 UNITY service (no Education Hour)

## Practice dates to be aware of

**Anyone involved in Serving or the musical cantata please make note:**  
**Nov 24 (Today!) 10:45-11:30AM** Children's Pageant Practice after worship

**Dec. 1 10:10-10:30** Children Pageant Practice after wreath making

**Dec 8, 9:30AM Usher Ministry ReTraining** *Charlie and Pastor will coordinate a walk through of the 2024 usher role of hosting the worship experience. A good opportunity to coordinate our efforts and responsibilities.*

**9:30AM Media Booth Training**

**10:10-10:30AM** Kids Practice for Cantata (music room)

**Dec 14th (Saturday), 9:00AM Adult Dress Rehearsal (Saturday)**

### Congratulations Jessie Anderson!

Shared the other night at Girls Group while studying Mere Christianity...

*"Over the past 11 months, I have been completing my thesis for my occupational therapy program - and it's finally done!*

*It explores how caregivers who take on driving responsibilities for older adults can experience significant stress in different areas of life. The findings show that each caregiver's experience is unique, highlighting the need for personalized support to improve well-being for both caregivers and seniors.*

*If you'd like to learn more, I'd be happy to share my poster summarizing the results! A huge thanks to my OSLC family for always providing me with a place of fellowship and worship even during this challenging journey!"*

-Jessie



### Great job kids on your Bible Memory Verse today!

(A sneak peek at your next Bible Buddy—"Beacon")

"I look up to the mountains (*shield eyes w/ hand*)

Does my help come from there? (*shrug shoulders*)

My help comes from the Lord, (*point up with hands*)



## Missions

**We welcome the Rev. Peter Anibati Abia who is the Presiding Bishop of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in South Sudan/Sudan (ELCSS/S).**

Pastor Anibati will be preaching today at the UNITY service and speaking during Adult Education hour.

He was elected to serve as the Presiding Bishop in lives in Yambio, South Sudan where the church headquarters is

located. He has been in the United States for the past two weeks, one week in Ft. Wayne, Indiana at the seminary as he is working on his doctorate degree and one week in St. Louis, Missouri at LCMS headquarters meeting with LCMS leadership. We are fortunate to have him visit Our Savior this week before he returns to South Sudan Monday.



### December 1st - first day of Advent with Family Life festivities

Join us between services at 9:30AM and make a family **Advent Wreath** for you to bring home to light and focus on the Advent season weekly.

**11:45AM to Deck the Halls and the Sanctuary** for the Christmas season. We will have the Christmas tree to assemble and decorate, wreaths to hang and garland to be strung. Many hands makes for a fun time. **Join us!** Questions- see Janice LeBlanc.



**We joyfully welcomed Owen Ralph Beardsley to God's family** last Sunday at the 8:15 service. *His sponsors were Barbara Beardsley, Al Beardsley, Ralph Covino, and Elizabeth Covino.* God's blessings to he and his entire family.

**Operation Christmas Child sent off close to 150 shoeboxes full of goodies with God's promises.** Thank you to Diana & Lisa Campbell, Tammy Geyer, Lynn Batchelder and Kerry Trunfio for leading the effort, and all who helped out with shopping, packing boxes and loading up the car!