

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

December 17, 2023  
Third Sunday of Advent

First Lutheran Church  
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Office hours: 8AM - 12PM Tuesday-Thursday



## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Harold Steigerwalt (12/21)



## COMMUNION ASSISTANTS

12/17 Mark Pillar, Romel Christopher  
Lucie Stricker, Dave Stocks  
12/24 AM - Terry Trautman, Magen Pillar  
Pam King  
12/24 PM - Terry Trautman, Gary Forkert,  
Lucie Stricker, Pam King



## OPENER SCHEDULE

12/17 Gordon Starr  
12/24 AM Brian Jones  
12/24 PM Brian Jones  
12/31 Tom McKinley



## ASSISTING MINISTER SCHEDULE

12/17 Mark Pillar  
12/24 AM Terry Trautman  
12/24 PM Terry Trautman  
12/31 Gordon Starr



## LECTOR SCHEDULE

12/17 N/A  
12/24 AM Lucie Stricker  
12/24 PM Cassidy Griffin, Theresa Forkert,  
Ella East, Travis East  
12/31 Terry Trautman



## ALTAR GUILD SCHEDULE

12/17 Lucie Stricker  
12/24 AM Linda Pillar  
12/24 PM Linda Pillar  
12/31 Pam King



## AUDIO/VISUAL SCHEDULE

12/17 Gary Forkert  
12/24 AM Gary Forkert  
12/24 PM Mike Langevin  
12/31 Mike Langevin

Pastor Marjorie McDaniel  
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Office Hours:  
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 9AM - 2PM  
Please call the office for an appointment.



Join us in the Fellowship Hall after the Christmas Program for a reception including holiday breads, punch, coffee, water, and lots of fellowship!

## FOOD FOR LIFE

In **DECEMBER**, the Social Ministry team is collecting the following items for

### THE COMMUNITY CENTER OF HOPE:



- ◆ SUGAR
- ◆ FLOUR
- ◆ SHAMPOO
- ◆ PORK & BEANS
- ◆ CHILI BEANS
- ◆ DEODERANT (Men's or Women's)
- ◆ SOUP (No Tomato or Chicken Noodle)
- ◆ CANNED MEALS (like Ravioli or Spaghetti & Meatballs)
- ◆ MONETARY CONTRIBUTIONS ARE GRACIOUSLY ACCEPTED!

Thank you! The Social Ministry Team

## Special Music for Christmas Eve

If you play a musical instrument, or sing, and would like to be included in the pre-service Christmas Eve music, please let us know by Dec. 17th so we can include you on the schedule. Contact Jennifer Langevin ([mikejen85@langevin.live](mailto:mikejen85@langevin.live)), or Kim Jones ([kcjones88@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kcjones88@sbcglobal.net))



## PIECEMAKERS QUILTING GROUP

Our Piecemakers Quilting Group is meeting again on Tuesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. Piecemakers assembles quilts for Lutheran World Relief.

If you can tie a knot, you have enough sewing ability for this group. It's "knot" that difficult!  
Questions, contact Linda Pillar at (812) 342-7323.

## MEN'S VIA DE CHRISTO/WALK TO EMMAUS REUNION GROUP

This group meets Saturday mornings at 9AM for a time of prayer, encouragement, and support. All men are welcome. Questions - contact Bill Haas at (317) 878-7788.

# Upcoming Youth & Family Activities

- January 12-13<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm - 7:00 am: All FLC Youth Lock-In
- February 11th @ 2:00 pm: Roller Skating

ALL are welcome! Invite your friends!!

Please let Christi Tam know if you plan to attend @ 812-603-2866.



**THIS WEEK AT FIRST LUTHERAN**

**Sunday, 12/17**

10:00 a.m.

**THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

Joint Service with Children's Christmas Program  
With Reception in the Fellowship Hall after the service.

**Monday, 12/18**

4:30 p.m.

**OFFICE CLOSED**

7:00 p.m.

Alzheimer's Support Group

7:00 p.m.

SonRise Bible (FH)

Boy Scout Troop Meeting - "Dirty Santa" at Columbus Airport

**Tuesday, 12/19**

9:00 a.m.

Piecemakers Quilting Group

6:30 p.m.

Praise Team Practice

7:00 p.m.

Church Council

**Wednesday, 12/20**

6:00 p.m.

FLC Communications Committee

7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Advent Worship Service

7:40 p.m.

Choir Practice

**Thursday, 12/21**

6:00 p.m.

Cub Scout Pack Meeting/Popcorn Celebration

**Friday, 12/22**

**OFFICE CLOSED**

**Saturday, 12/23**

9:00 a.m.

Men's Reunion

**Sunday, 12/24**

**CHRISTMAS EVE**

10:00 a.m.

Joint Service for Christmas Eve Day

6:30 p.m.

Special Music for Christmas Eve Service

7:00 p.m.

Joint Service for Christmas Eve

**LOVE CHAPEL COMMUNITY MEALS**

Jenny Boggs needs volunteers for the Love Chapel meals on the following Wednesdays:

January 3rd, January 10th, February 7th, and February 14th

She will need individuals to prepare portions of the meals, and to serve the meals. She will provide the menu and the recipes.

This year we will serve at Columbus Free Methodist Church, 1511 22nd Street, On the corner of 22nd and Maple Streets near North High School.

Set-up @ 4:00 p.m.      Begin serving @ 5:00 p.m.

For questions, please speak to Jenny Boggs.



- ◆ The family and friends of Joe Kinderman.
- ◆ Jennifer Goodin, in ICU - Friend of the Langevins. Keep her in your prayers.
- ◆ Butch, Dana, and Annette Hull all have Covid. Please keep the family in prayers.
- ◆ Bob Engle is now at Four Seasons recuperating from Covid. Pat also has Covid but is at home. Please keep both Bob and Pat in your prayers.
- ◆ Janet Eddy - cancer cells have re-appeared in her blood test. Keep her in your prayers. Friend of the Trautmans.
- ◆ Carol Leestma is in Hospice. Please keep her in your prayers.
- ◆ Shelia Ruthmansdorfer is in rehab at Four Seasons, Room #115. Keep her in prayer.
- ◆ Butch and Dana Hull have moved to Parkside Court, 3660 Central Ave., Room #256.
- ◆ Jim Baute is home now. Please keep him in your prayers.
- ◆ Pauline Stillabower - is living at Belmont Health & Rehabilitation, 540 Belmont Dr., Rm #309, Columbus
- ◆ Carol Beeker - Parkinson's. Please keep Carol and her family in your prayers.
- ◆ Jeanne Snyder is living at Four Seasons Healthcare Center, 1901 Taylor Road, Room #104
- ◆ Bob & Pat Engel are living at Parkside Court, 3660 Central Ave., Room #149. Keep them in your prayers.
- ◆ Please keep James, Olivia, and Arya Seelye in your prayers.
- ◆ All the families who have lost loved ones over the past months



- ◆ Brian Babb - Army
- ◆ Alex Bednarek - Navy
- ◆ Brayden K. Barthlow - Air Force
- ◆ Chris Fuhs - Army National Guard
- ◆ Abby Pongracz - Air Force
- ◆ Daniel Kotnik - Army
- ◆ Malcolm Stevenson - Army

**PLEASE KEEP US INFORMED:**

In the event of illness, hospitalization, death of a family member or friend, or if you would like to make a prayer request, please notify the church office at 812-372-1256.