

Concordia Lutheran Church
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December 3, 2023

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Worship

Sunday 9:00 am

Wednesday 7:00 pm

Attendance 11/26 : 30

Word

Bible Study Join us for Bible Study at 10:30 am every Sunday.

Work

Prayers for protection persecuted Christians around the world; Dr. Jonathan Naumann & Deaconess Cheryl Naumann doing missionary work in the Dominican Republic; Ben Stechmiller in the army.

Prayers for help and healing: Dorris Morris; Linda Kariott; Carol Morton; Gerri Dorn; Tom Laurell; Bonnie G.; Brenda S.; Mike and Marilyn Macoun; Marcy Hart; Laura Kariott; Desiree; Mary Kay's son David who is in cardiac care; Vernetta; Joe and Edna Pavel; Patti Johnson; Varain Bratta; Renata, Dorita Beutler's aunt, who is in cancer care; Dorita; Greg; Tom O' Brien; Sue; Holly; Frank; Walter Jures; Pam P; Roxanne Nagel and her baby which is due in April; Ed Epling; David Kothe; Janet W, who is dealing with cancer.

Prayers of comfort for the family of Joe Pekny, who passed away last Sunday. May God give his family and friends His peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Prayer requests can be called into the church office, or you may call Shirley Katele directly at 708-442-6436 or by email at shirley@katele.com. **Announcements** for the bulletin should be emailed to Belinda Bjorklund at bbjorklund01@gmail.com.

Those serving today:

Sermon	Pastor Robert Sorensen
Music	Tina Niehus
Worship Assistant	Walter Jures
Acolyte	Grace Giannotta
Altar Guild	Belinda Bjorklund
Reader	Patty Johnson
Ushers	Tom O'Brien, Zeke Andrie
Fellowship	Kraus Family

Those serving on Wednesday

Sermon	Pastor Robert Sorensen
Music	Tina Niehus

Those serving on Sunday, December 10

Sermon	Pastor Robert Sorensen
Music	Christine Zogas
Worship Assistant	Duane Bjorklund
Acolyte	Adam Jures, Jr.
Altar Guild	Kathy Stechmiller
Reader	Tom Stechmiller
Ushers	Tom O'Brien, Zeke Andrie
Fellowship	Graunke Family





We will be holding a **Voter's meeting** on **Sunday, December 10, to vote on our next Pastor.** Please plan to attend this important meeting!

TODAY is the last day to order Cheesecakes in support of the 100th Anniversary celebration. See Walter Jures if you need an order form. These will be delivered before Christmas and need to be picked up in the Fellowship Hall on the delivery date..



Please stop by the Fellowship Hall and **sign a Thank you card** for our town's First Responders! These will be given to the Police and Fire Department at the end of the month.

United Lutheran Church and Chicago Church of Christ are hosting **Cookie Walk on Saturday, December 9 at 409 Greenfield, Oak Park, Illinois.** You can fill a box of cookies for only \$20. Jams and jellies will also be available for purchase, and a chance to win gift cards is part of the event. **Proceeds benefit the following charities:** A House in Austin, New Moms and Skyline/Sparks Academy. See the notice in the Fellowship Hall for more information.



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The Leadership board would like to thank Ken and Ellen Nagel, Jim Andrie, Duane and Belinda Bjorklund and Grace Christian Academy for all their help in putting together the Advent Calendar. Thanks also to Alderman Richard Leja for helping to promote this event and to our members for agreeing to reveal days for Facebook. We couldn't have done it without you!

As part of our Advent Calendar, we are asking for **donations of non-perishable food** items. We will be collecting items through the end of the month. Please place them in the container outside.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, December 5 Dartball vs. Lombard

Wednesday, December 6 Advent Service 7:00 pm

Sunday, December 10 **Voter's meeting 10:30 am**

HOLIDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday, December 24 Christmas Eve Candlelight Service 4:00 pm
There will be NO morning worship

Monday, December 25 Christmas Day Service 9:00 am

Sunday, December 31 New Year's Eve Sunday 9:00 am