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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

**December 4:** **8:00 a.m. and 10:30** Worship with Holy Communion Lucy Hardie, Guest Preacher and Pastor Julie will lead worship!

**December 11: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.** Worship with Holy Communion

**December 18: 10:00 a.m**.Sunday School Christmas Program (one service)

**December 24: 4:00 p.m.** Christmas Eve Worship with Silent Night by Candlelight

**December 25: 9:00 a.m.** Christmas Day Worship

**January 1, 2023:**

**9:00 a.m.** Worship with Holy Communion

**10:00 a.m.** Pastor Julie leads worship at Middle Coon Valley

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ELCA GOOD GIFTS

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America Good Gifts catalog is available now! ELCA Good Gifts can be purchased online at ELCA.org/goodgifts or via mail. Catalogs are available at Church. Good Gifts directly support our church’s ministries in the United States and abroad. You may give a gift in honor or in memory of a loved one by buying school supplies for a student or a classroom. Your gift might supply food for vulnerable children in areas where our church is working to care for children. Good Gifts are truly gifts that keep on giving!

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CONFIRMATION STUDENTS ATTEND BETHLEHEM EVENT!

On Wednesday, December 7, our Confirmation students have the tremendous opportunity to participate in the Bethlehem Event at English Lutheran Church, La Crosse! The Bethlehem Event takes place every three years. Pastors

and Congregation members dress-up and re-enact the city of Bethlehem at the time of Jesus’ Birth. A helpful guide will take our group on a tour of “Bethlehem” as we meet the townspeople who are excitedly anticipating the Birth of a King! The Bethlehem event is a truly spectacular production.

On December 7 there will be no Confirmation instruction. Students are welcome to ride the bus from Westby Middle School to Coon Valley Lutheran Church as they usually do on Wednesdays **or** meet us at English Lutheran Church, which is located at 1509 King Street, La Crosse in time for our tour of Bethlehem. For those at Coon Valley after school, a pizza supper will be provided right after school. Students will be able to do homework, work on Luminaries for Ash Wednesday and watch a movie until we depart for La Crosse. All Confirmation families will receive detailed information from Pastor Julie.

Permission slips are required for participation in the Bethlehem Event and are due to Pastor Julie by November 30! Drivers are needed. Please contact Pastor Julie for more information.

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The CVLC Council met on October 13th at 6:00 p.m.

\*Treasurer’s Report: was presented by Becky Lusk. Report accepted.

\*Finance Report: The Boiler bill will be approximately $30,000, if there is a shortfall for the remaining year the Parsonage Interest account would cover the shortfall, then Memorial Fund. A letter will go out to the Congregation inviting end of year giving.

\*Ministry Minutes: Pastor Julie shared her experiences with a recent wedding and funeral. Pastor will head to Trego, WI for the Fall Theological Conference. Pastor will prepare a sermon and order of service in case there is an emergency, and she is not able to lead worship. Bishop Malpica will give a sermon on May 7, 2023. Compensation Guidelines for Supply Pastors has been updated.

\*Education: Sunday School has started.

\*High School Youth: Pastor Julie, Pastor Meg and others met to discuss joint mission trips. Pastor Julie will lead a trip to Outlaw Ranch in South Dakota; Pastor Meg will lead a family trip to Duluth. Sign up will be in December, all are welcome to join the trips.

\*Men’s Club: The Men’s Club is preparing for 300 meals at the Meatball Dinner. Stockyard donated $400, Thrivent $250 and Kwik Trip $50.

\*Property and Grounds: Boiler is installed, the Altar a/c unit is fixed and working.  
\*Social Ministry: New members will be received on Nov. 13, we will have coffee fellowship to welcome them. Blood Drives are scheduled for Oct. 31, January 9, 2023, May 15 and September 11, 2023.

\*Stewardship: Lucy Hardie will give a sermon on Dec. 4th.

\*Worship: A motion was approved to keep windows closed in sanctuary during worship.

\*Next Council Meeting will be November 10th at 6:00pm.

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The meeting adjourned at 7:21pm followed by the Lord’s Prayer.

Janice Bender,

Council Member

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Our next blood drive will be on **Monday, January 9th from 1-6pm**. All COVID-19 precautions are taken. If you are able to volunteer, please contact Mike Lusk. If you would like to donate you can make an appointment by visiting redcrossblood.org or by calling Mike 452-3472. Blood supplies are critically low at this time. Please consider donating. At our last Blood Drive on October 31st, we collected 29 units of blood! Thanks to all who donated and/or volunteered for the blood drive.

A hand holding a small plant

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Below is a list of the many funds you may wish to give to.

**GENERAL FUND**- Church operating expenses.

**BUILDING FUND** -Building and grounds projects, currently includes the Parking Lot Fund and Boiler Replacement.

**MEMORIAL FUND**-Used for the life and ministry of the church as determined by Council.

**SHEPHERD FUND**-Funds for church & community members in need.

**CEMETERY**-Maintenance of the grounds.

**WELCA**-Woman of the ELCA includes Quilting and Kitchen funds.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**-Teaching materials, VBS

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY**-Supplies for the making of prayer shawls and prayer squares.

**YOUTH FUND**-Funds to pay for Mission Trips

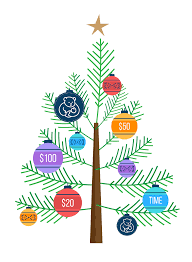
**ENDOWMENT**-Only interest income may be used for community outreach, missions of ELCA, Capital Improvements.

**RUDIE BIBLE FUND**-Supply Bibles to youth.

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We celebrated our new members who have joined since 2020. Due to the pandemic, we missed welcoming many of our new members. After our service on November, 13 members were welcomed with coffee fellowship and cake. Welcome to all who have joined us! Jeanne Ebli, Marjorie & Douglas Bendel, Jaimie, Brian, Payton & Avery Christianson; Collin, Natasha, Hattie & Ryker Olerud; Jason, Hanna, Henry & Hudson Raasch; Steve & Dr. Heather & Deanna Wichman; Jamey, Amy Lydia & Grady Evenstad; Jon, Stephanie & Addison Proksch; Dustin, Daina, Kinley, Jayda and Knox Drath; Jared, Alison & Elsie Emmart; Travis, Devin & Landon Lee.

CVLC GIVING TREE

This year, through our Social Ministry Committee, we once again have participated in the “Giving Tree” project. This project provides gifts to low-income families. If you wish to participate, please take a tag from the Giving Tree that will be located inside the church and bring back a wrapped gift with the tag attached. We are also accepting monetary donations if you do not wish to shop. Gifts and monetary donations will need to be at the church by **December 13**. Thank you for your generosity!

WELCA COOKIE WALK

Sunday, December 4th 9:00am-Noon

$10/lb or $10/dozen Norwegian pastries

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Description automatically generatedSUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM

On **December 18th at 10:00 AM**, our Sunday School Youth, ages 3 to 6th grade, will be presenting their Christmas Program. Kids should come at 9:00am this day and meet downstairs before the Service. We need the kids in Sunday School on the 4th and 11th so we can have a good practice! **This Service is for the whole Congregation! See You there!**



THE ROAD TO BETHLEHEM

“The Road to Bethlehem” is being held at Sugar Creek again this year! Celebrate the reason for the season with this drive-through event! The Road to Bethlehem is being held on December 3 from 2:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. at Sugar Creek Bible Camp, 13141 Sugar Creek Bible Camp Road, Ferryville, WI.

Vernon Communications Cooperative - Internet, Phone, TV, ClearViewPARTICIPATE IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICES FROM HOME

**Here’s how:**

**Facebook:** Services are live streamed, recorded and available Sunday mornings on the CVLC Facebook page.

**Our Website:** [www.coonvalleylutheranchurch.org](http://www.coonvalleylutheranchurch.org)

**Vernon Communications Channel 15:** With many thanks to our partners at Vernon Communications, this is currently when our Sunday Worship services air on Channel 15.

Mondays: 3:30 a.m.

Tuesdays: 12:30 a.m. and 10:30 p.m.

Wednesdays: 8:30 p.m.

Thursdays: 6:30 p.m.

Fridays: 4:30 p.m.

Saturdays: 2:30 p.m.

Sundays: 5:30 a.m.

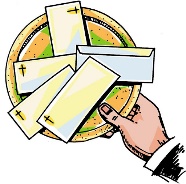
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All offerings need to be received in the church office no later than **Wednesday, December 28 at 9:30am** to be counted toward your 2022 Giving Statement. All offerings received after this time will be included for 2023. Thank you for your continued support of CVLC!

ANNUAL REPORTS

Deadline for Committee’s to submit their Annual Reports to Jamie is **Wednesday, January 4th.** Please send to jamiel@mwt.net in Microsoft Word or PDF format. Reports will be available at the church at least one week before the Annual Meeting for pick up during worship services or while visiting the office. If you would like a digital version sent to your email or a copy mailed to you, please contact Jamie.

OFFERING ENVELOPES

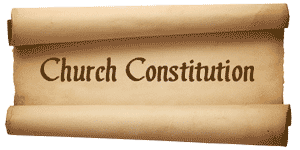
Offering envelopes will be available starting **Dec. 18th** at the church during office hours, Tues., Wed. & Thurs, 9am-2:30pm. If you are able to pick them up for yourself, family or neighbors please do so. If you would like your envelopes mailed to you, please contact Jamie. Thank you!



The Church Office will be closed December 26-30th & January 2nd for the Holiday Break. Thank you for allowing us this time away with family! In the event of an emergency please contact Pastor Julie or Jamie.



This year our Annual Meeting will take place on **Sunday, January 29 at 11:00am**. Please join us this day for one worship service at 10am then join us for the meeting! Stay tuned for more updates about this important Congregational meeting!

CVLC CONSTITUION REVISION PLANNED

It has been many years since our constitution has been updated and it is significantly out of date.   Every three years, the Churchwide Assembly makes modifications to required language for congregational constitutions.   At our annual meeting, we plan to vote on a new version which will incorporate all the changes required for the congregation through 2022.   Copies of this constitution will be available for members to review at least 30 days before the annual meeting. We thank Brian Rude and Julie Nelson for their work on the revision.



WELCA NEWS

Our Nov. 17 meeting opened with the Table Prayer and coffee and cake served by Karen Rude and Ruth Driscoll. (Paying hostesses: Paige King, Jana Marshall-Urbanek, Suzanne Strangstalien) Thank You!

Business for the day included a thank you to Carolyn Anderson, Jean Gronvold and Rachel Strangstalien for serving morning coffee and lunch to the South Conference Clergy.

Our Cookie Walk is Sun., Dec. 4, and a sign-up sheet is in the back of the church. Please write your name, name of cookie you are bringing and how many dozen so we have an idea of how many cookies to expect. We voted to raise the price of cookies to $10 a pound or for a dozen Norwegian pastries. We also voted to purchase new insulated coffee servers.

It is time to be thinking about our year book and we need to know who is in your Circle, names of members on committees, any changes in your phone number, is your name spelled correctly, etc. We also publish the name of members serving at a WELCA meeting or Morning Coffee. Please say yes if you are called to serve – Thank You! Also, it is time for year end WELCA donations so, if your Circle hasn’t done so yet, please send a check to Jean Gronvold. The General Board will be meeting soon to disburse our funds so watch for that. We’ve had a good year.

January 2023 is on the horizon and programs for WELCA meetings are planned by Circles and the General Board. Right now Circles plan five programs and the General Board plans seven. If you have any ideas to share that you think would be of interest, please let us know. We are always looking for speakers, musicians, various talents and anything else you can think of. We would appreciate any and all help.

Our General Board will be preparing a delicious brunch for our Dec. meeting and we would love to have you join us. Think good food, singing Christmas carols and good fellowship. Mark Thurs. Dec. 15 on your calendar!

Our Thank Offering began with devotions by Jean entitled, “Purple Gifts of Gratitude.” Following that, the Thank Offering was taken. Then, it was on to fun. We played

Thanksgiving Bingo which everyone seemed to enjoy. Each member received a “Gratitude Bag” thanking them for all they do for WELCA. Our meeting closed with singing “Praise and Thanksgiving” and the Lord’s Prayer.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sun., Dec. 4, 9 am-Noon – Cookie Walk in Dining Hall. All bakers and buyers welcome.

Thurs., Dec. 15, 10 am, WELCA – Christmas Brunch prepared by General Board. Paying Hostesses: Karen McGarvey, Eunice Quast, Stephanie Proksch, Inez Beck. All are welcome to share fellowship, good food and to sing our favorite Christmas Hymns.

LOOKING AHEAD

Thurs., Jan. 19, **2023** 10am – WELCA. Over view of year book. Servers: Suzanne Dickman, Sandy Onshus. Paying hostesses: LaVonne Stendahl, Holly Herlitzke, Joan Lee, Pam Padesky.

SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE

Dec. 4 Rhonda Brye, Lisa Olson

Dec. 11 Heidi Larson, Janice Bender

Dec. 18 No coffee, Sunday School Program

Dec. 25 No coffee, Christmas

**A very Blessed Christmas to all from the General Board** , Ellie Brye, President

**ATTENDANCE & OFFERING**

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| **2022** | **October** |  | **2022 YTD** |
| **Total Offerings** | $15,070.40 |  | $153,649.72 |
| **Expenses** | $14,617.43 |  | $169,009.96 |
| **Balance/Shortfall** | **$452.97** |  | **-15,360.24** |
| **Parsonage Int. Fund Transfer** | $0 |  | $0 |
| **Building Fund Transfer** | $0 |  | $0 |
| **Memorial Fund**  **Transfer** | $0 |  | $1,381.61 |

**10/23 – 8a:** 35; **10:30:** 26 =61

**Offering:** $2,644.72

**10/30 – 9a:** 109; **Offering:** $3,199.90

**11/6 – 8a:** 80; **10:30:** 30 **=** 110

**Offering:** $4,764.70

**11/13 – 8a:** 89; **10:30:** 32 = 121

**Offering:** $5,823.53

**11/20 – 8a:** 45; **10:30:** 26 = 71

**Offering:** $1,764.64

**\*\***Approximately **$4,150.00 a week** is needed to meet operating expenses.

**General Fund Balance:** 10/31/22: $22,551.53

**Memorial Fund Balance:**10/31/22: $46,735.33

**Building Fund Balance:** 10/31/22: $17,042.39

**CD Interest Balance:** 10/31/22: $19,628.55

**Shepherd Fund Balance:** 10/31/22: $892.47

**Sunday School Attendance:**

10/30-13; 11/6-17; 11/13-18; 11/20-17

FUNERALS

Richard Engh

Glenn Marshall

Dennis Holen

MEMORIALS

**Harvey Wollman**

Building Fund: $20.00

Memorial Fund: $50.00

Endowment: $25.00

General Fund: $155.00

**Raymond Holen**

Memorial Fund: $50.00

**Burton, Janice & Jim Lee**

Memorial Fund: $500.00

ONLINE GIVING

There are several ways you may get your offerings to the church. You may simply mail it to the church office, P.O. Box 280. Or use one of our eGiving options. 1) You may go to our website and click the Donate button at the top. 2) Give through the mobile app Vanco Mobile. Please let Jamie know if you need assistance in any way with these options. Thank you for your support!

**YEAR-TO-DATE BALANCE**

PRAYER GROUP

The Prayer Group continues to pray for the church, the congregation and our extended family and friends.

**† *Our church staff***

**† *Our members*:** Corrine Appleman, Beverly Bagstad, Eleanor Bagstad, Tip Bagstad, Clifford Bakkum, Inez Beck, Brian Berg, Jeanne Ebli, Kira Foster, Betty Gilbertson, Lucy Hardie, Bonnie Holey, Becky Ihle, Donna Ihle, Verlin Ihle, Todd King, Jim Knutson, Paul Kogut, Margaret Lee, Russell Lee, Aaron Leisso, Larry Lichtie, Gerri Leum, Cindy Manske, Aaron Marx, Frank Mathison, Judy Mathison, Bud Miyamoto, Monte Nelson, Romaine Nelson, Sandy Nelson, Eunice Quast, Jojo Satona, Mary Schultz, Billie Slater, LaVonne Stendahl, Joyce Temp, Teri Tomten.

**† *Our members who are currently in health care facilities & Assisted Living*:** Rachel Berg, Evelyn Dahlen, Joanne Fletcher, Erma Graupe, Lenore Henley, Sylvester King Jr., Bob Moilien, Irene Nestingen, Cathy Ofte, Tim Ofte, Beatrice Olson (Alden), Beatrice Olson (Leonard), Arlene Townsend, Betty Sanders, Nancy Stuempges.

**† *Those who grieve:*** Family and friends of Glenn Marshall and Dennis Holen

**† *Family and friends of members***

**† *Local Military:***Austin Holen

**† *All those affected by the COVID-19 virus***

**VALLEY JOINT TRIP MINISTRY**

*This coming Summer,  Middle Coon Valley and Coon Valley Lutheran Churches are partnering to provide an opportunity for people of all ages to take part in a Summer Servant trip!  Below are the two offerings for this summer. Both trips have a deadline for registration of December 31st.*

***An informational meeting for questions is scheduled via ZOOM for: December 4th at 6:00 p.m.***

***Please let Pastor Julie or Pastor Meg know if you would like to join us for the informational meeting on December 4!***

**INTERGENERATIONAL SERVANT TRIP to the North Shore / Duluth through Service Learning** A picture containing water, nature, valley, river

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**Dates: June 21-24(25)**

**Potential Lodging** – Bethlehem Lutheran in Two Harbors (or TBD)

**Estimated Cost**: $90 (3 days of service) and $10 per night if staying at Bethlehem in Two Harbors; food and transportation is not included in these costs and will be worked out by participants during our pre-trip meetings

**What we will be doing** - service work may include: state parks, Lake County Soil and Water Conservation, Master Gardeners, Wolf Ridge Environmental Learning Center, Clover Valley Organic Farm and Community Partners, who work to support independence of people over 60 in the Two Harbors area. In addition to our service work, we will play, worship & eat together.

**Minimum number needed to do the trip:** 12

**Pastor holding this trip**: Pastor Meg

***The unique thing about this trip is that anyone can come! It is truly for all ages. You can sign up on your own as a young adult of 18 or you can bring your grandchildren or go just with your spouse or a friend. All are options.***

**Register by:** Filling out our Middle Trip Agreement Form & turning in a non-refundable deposit of $100 or $150 per family.

**Deadline is December 31st**

**YOUTH TRIP (current 8th graders –High School Seniors) to Outlaw Ranch, South Dakota – Servant Camp**

**Dates**: July 8-14 A body of water with rocks and trees around it

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**Cost** ($500 for program, plus transportation)

**What we will be doing** – traveling to Outlaw Ranch, an ELCA Lutheran camp, where we will do three days of servant projects in the Black Hills of South Dakota, and one day of an adventure such as a hike, cave tour, trail ride, kayaking, paddle boarding or challenge course.  Possible servant projects may include trail or wilderness clean-up in the Black Elk wilderness, Harney Peak area, or other areas of the Black Hills.

**Minimum number needed to do this trip**: 7 youth (2 chaperones) Maximum number: 13 youth (2 chaperones)

**Pastor holding this trip**: Pastor Julie

***Register by:  Filling out our Trip Agreement Form & turning in a non-refundable deposit of $100.00.  Deadline is December 31st.  This trip offers a chance for our young adults to experience a time apart -  a time to renew in nature and be challenged through service, scripture and community.***

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**Money is available through sponsorships and potential fundraising**

**DAILY BIBLE READINGS**

**WEEK OF DECEMBER 4**

**SUNDAY** Isaiah 11:1-10 *A ruler brings justice and peace*

Psalm 72:1-7, 18-19 The righteous shall flourish

Romans 15:4-13 *Living in harmony*

Matthew 3:1-12 *Prepare the way of the Lord*

**MONDAY** Isaiah 24:1-16a *Judgment is coming, yet glorify God*

**TUESDAY** Isaiah 40:1-11 *A voice crying in the wilderness*

**WEDNESDAY** Matthew 12:33-37 *A good tree bears good fruit*

**THURSDAY** Genesis 15:1-18 *God’s covenant with Abraham*

**FRIDAY** Acts 13:16-33a *Paul preaches about John the Baptist*

**SATURDAY** Psalm 21 *God comes with judgment and strength*

**WEEK OF DECEMBER 11**

**SUNDAY** Isaiah 35:1-10 *The desert blooms*

Psalm 146:5-10 *God lifts up those bowed down*

*or* Luke 1:47-55 *My spirit rejoices in God my Savior*

James 5:7-10 *Patience until the coming of the Lord*

Matthew 11:2-11 *The forerunner of Christ*

**MONDAY** Isaiah 29:17-24 *The infirm will be healed*

**TUESDAY** Ezekiel 47:1-12 *The wilderness will flower*

**WEDNESDAY** Matthew 8:14-17, 28-34 *Jesus heals*

**THURSDAY** Zechariah 8:1-17 *God’s promises to Zion*

**FRIDAY** Acts 5:12-16 *Many people healed by the apostles*

**SATURDAY** Psalm 42 *Hope in God*

**WEEK OF DECEMBER 18**

**SUNDAY** Isaiah 7:10-16 *The sign of Immanuel*

Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19 *Show the light of your countenance*

Romans 1:1-7 *Paul’s greeting to the church at Rome*

Matthew 1:18-25 *Our God near at hand*

**MONDAY** Genesis 17:15-22 *God promises Sarai a son*

**TUESDAY** Genesis 21:1-21 *God saves Hagar and Ishmael*

**WEDNESDAY** Matthew 1:1-17 *Matthew’s genealogy*

**THURSDAY** Genesis 37:2-11 *Joseph dreams*

**FRIDAY** Galatians 3:23—4:7 *Paul writes of Jesus’ birth*

**SATURDAY CHRISTMAS EVE**

Isaiah 62:6-12 *A child is born for us*

Psalm 96 *Let the earth be glad*

Titus 2:11-14 *The grace of God has appeared*

Luke 2:1-14 [15-20] God with us

**SUNDAY** **CHRISTMAS DAY**

Isaiah 52:7-10 *Heralds announce God’s salvation*

Psalm 98 *The victory of our God*

Hebrews 1:1-4 [5-12] *God has spoken by a son*

John 1:1-14 The Word became flesh

**MONDAY** Luke 2 :1-20 *Luke’s story of Jesus’ birth*

**TUESDAY** Isaiah 9:2b-7 *The names of the coming one*

**WEDNESDAY** Psalm 96 *The trees sing for joy*

**THURSDAY** Genesis 1:1—2:4a *The first creation story*

**FRIDAY** Psalm 97 *Light dawns on the righteous*

**SATURDAY** Titus 2:11—3:7 *The life of those reborn*

**Moving? New contact information? Please update the church office.**

**Thank you!**

Cookie Walk Sunday December 4th 9am-Noon!!!!

Please use our correct mailing address when sending us mail.

P.O. Box 280

Thank you!

Visit our website: coonvalleylutheranchurch.org to sign-up to receive our newsletter via email!

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Organist: Mary Schultz

Indoor Custodian: Tracy Stellner

Church Council President: Glen Hoff

Vice President: Ray Williamson; Secretary: Amanda Buros

Janice Bender, Debbie Holen, Carl Holte, Mike Lusk, Ron Moilien, Steve Pauloski

**WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

**Sunday – 8:00 & 10:30AM**

**Worship Schedule**

**8:00am & 10:30am (4th, 11th) 9:00am (25th) 10:00am (18th) 4:00pm (24th)**

**Sunday School**

**9:00am (4th, 11th, 18th)**

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| December 2022 | | | | | | |
| **Sunday** | **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** | **Saturday** |
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| **4**  **8 & 10:30a** Worship with Holy Communion with Lucy Hardie  **9:00a-**Sunday School & Coffee Fellowship  **9:00a-**Nominating Comm.  **9:00a-Noon-**Cookie Walk  **6:00p**-Valley Trips Zoom meeting | **5**  **Pr. Julie’s Sabbath** | **6**  **10:00a-**Ruth Circle | **7**  **4:00p-**Confirmation Bethlehem Event @ English Lutheran | **8** | **9** | **10** |
| **11**  **8 & 10:30a** Worship with Holy Communion  **9:00a-**Sunday School & Coffee Fellowship  **9:00a-**Constitution Meeting | **12**  **6:00p-**Finance Committee  **Carillon Deadline**  **Pr. Julie’s Sabbath** | **13**  **9:00a-**So. Conf. Pastors @ Bethel Home  **9:00a-**Naomi Circle  **Giving Tree Gifts Deadline** | **14**  **4:00p-**Confirmation | **15**  **10:00a-**WELCA Christmas Brunch  **6:00p**-Church Council | **16** | **17** |
| **18**  **9:00-**Sunday School  **10:00a**-Sunday School Christmas Program  **Offering envelopes available** | **19**  **Pr. Julie’s Sabbath** | **20** | **21**  **4:00p-**Confirmation | **22** | **23** | **24**  **4:00p-**Christmas Eve Worship |
| **25**  **9:00a**- CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP with Holy Communion | **26**  **Office Closed**  **Pr. Julie’s Sabbath** | **27**  **Office Closed** | **28 No Confirmation**  **9:30a-Last day to submit offerings for 2022** | **29**  **Office Closed** | **30**  **Office Closed** | **31**  **Valley Trip Registration Deadline** |