**Christ Lutheran Church**

**Week at a Glance**

**November 26 – December 3**

**Today, November 26 Christ the King Sunday**

**9:30am Worship -In Person & Live Streamed**

**11:00am Pray Without Ceasing (Conference Room)**

**5:00pm OA**

**Monday, November 27**

**No Events Planned**

**Tuesday, November 28**

**9:00am Cover G’s Quilting**

**11:30am DayTimer’s LunchBunch (Hof’s Hut Bellflower Bl.)**

**6:00pm HROC Prayer Meeting (Narthex)**

**Wednesday,** **November 29**

**9:45am Bible Study (Zoom format)**

**2:30pm Preparation for COA meal**

**6:30pm Women’s Bible Study (Adult Lounge)**

**7:00pm Greater Long Beach Church (Social Hall)**

**Thursday, November 30**

**Church office and Preschool Closed**

**6:00pm Guide Dogs Puppy Class**

**Friday, December 1**

**No Events Planned**

**Church Office and Preschool Closed**

**Saturday, December 2**

**8:00am Christmas Market Set Up**

**10:00am Christmas Market Opens**

**2:00pm Christmas Market Closes**

**Sunday, December 3 Advent 1**

**9:30am Worship-In Person & Live Streamed, Quilt Blessing**

**11:00am Pray Without Ceasing Class (Conference Room)**

**5:00pm OA (Adult Lounge)**

**Altar flowers are given in thanksgiving to God** for the life of Rhonda Short, daughter of Cathy Westwood.

**See the enclosed fliers to discover** the various ways you can contribute to making Christmas special for those in difficult situations and in challenging lines of work.

**Altar Guild needs your help** to decorate the Sanctuary for Christmas. Please come to the church on Saturday, December 9th at 10am.

**Christmas Market and Craft Faire** will be held on Saturday, December 2 between 10am and 2pm. If you can help out, please talk to Lisa Cottrell, Claudia Fitzpatrick or Kim Croes.

**Please share the flier** for the Christmas market wherever you can ( Next Door, Instagram, FB, other social media platforms). There are hard copy fliers in the Narthex, and you can share and forward copies from the Friday E Blast.

**Christmas Carol Sing and Choir Performance** on Saturday, December 16 at 4pm. We will be having a chili cook-off and potluck supper after the carol concert. See the clipboards going around to let us know if you’ll be there and if you’ll bring a chili for the contest.

**This morning’s worship assistants:**

**Assisting Minister:** Ron Nelson

**Reader:** Lisa Cottrell

**Communion Assistants:** Kim Magee, Joyce Carter, Lisa Cottrell

**Altar Guild:** Claudia Fitzpatrick and Heather Nielsen

**Greeters:** Kristine and Andy Trost

**Coffee Cart:** Sue Bredenkamp

**Ushers:** Matt and Rebecca Green

**Thank you all**

**Gary Thoen has a line on a houseful** of furniture. If you or anyone you know would like to look at these pieces, please reach out to him asap. They will be picked up by the Habitat Store if they aren’t re-homed soon.

**The Healing Power of the Holy Spirit**

**We pray for:**

**Members at Home or in Care Centers:** Laurie Ennen, Ione Marchael, Sydney Nichols, and Frances Willms.

**Those struggling with illness or other concerns:** Don Darnauer,

Judy Haenn, Daniel Howard, Chris and Sheryl Hunter, Kathy Klute-Nelson, Karen Koch, Jeff Rodrigues, Bary & Janice Schlieder, Kurt Weisel, Rich Williams, Gary & Linda Zimmerman.

**\*Family & Friends**: Carolina, Chad**,** Barrett**,** Michael, Noah, Lois Brown, Zach Burkard, Charlie and David Corm, Mary Croes, Denise Davis, Tamara Fitzgerald, Brechin Flournoy, Gina Barvy Fournier, Alberta Gray, Cindy Gray, Barbara Hager, Kylie & Crystal Huber, Doris Jung, Barb Korsmo, Katrina Lahr, Sue Lance, Ronda Lynn, Farnaz Perl, Kristina & Scott Randolph, Sharry Reed, Tom Sievers, Marie Spangler, Christina Storm, Von, Vicki Thompson, Jessica West.

*\*Names are included on the prayer list for 30 days unless specific requests are made through the office.*

**We also pray for the ongoing work of:**

 **+** Linda Gawthorne among the Kogi people of Colombia

 **+** First responders who provide safety, security, and care

 **+** Those serving in our nation's military, especially: Samuel Brown, Ryan Dorris,

 Morgan Llewellyn, Johnny Luna, Jim Reeder, Steven, Brina and Michael

 Navarro.

***Please provide us with names of those you would***

***like to include in these prayers****.*

**+** Congregations of the Greater Long Beach Conference.

Christmas Fellowship Events

Saturday, December 2, 10-2pm Christmas Market in Parking Lot

Sunday, December 10, 11am Christmas Ornament Workshop

Saturday, December 9 ,10am Decorate Sanctuary

Saturday, December 16, 4pm Christmas Carol Sing & Choir Concert,

 Followed by chili cook off and potluck

Sunday, December 17, 1130am Thank You and Farewell Luncheon for

 Pastor Laurie

Sunday, December 24, 930am Advent 4 Worship

 December 24, 530pm Christmas Eve Worship

Monday, December 25, 930am Christmas Day Lessons & Carols

Sunday, December 31, 930am New Year’s Eve Worship

