**Christ Lutheran Church**

**Week at a Glance**

**December 10 – December 17**

**Today, December 10 Advent 2**

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

**11:00am Ornament Workshop (Social Hall)**

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

**Monday, December 11**

**No Events Planned**

**Tuesday, December 12**

**9:00am Cover G’s Quilting (Social Hall)**

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

**6:00pm Guide Dogs of America (Social Hall)**

**6:00pm Executive Council Meeting (Conference Room)**

**7:00pm Church Council Meeting (Conference Room)**

**Wednesday,** **December 13**

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

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

**Thursday, December 14**

**12:00pm OWLs in the Nest Lunch (Conference Room)**

**6:00pm Guide Dogs Puppy Class (Social Hall)**

**7:00pm Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)**

**Friday, December 15**

**3:30pm Preschool Christmas Program (Sanctuary)**

**Saturday, December 16**

**4:00pm Christmas Carols with the Choir (Sanctuary)**

 **Followed by Chili Cook Off (Social Hall)**

**Sunday, December 17 Advent 3**

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

**11:30am Luncheon for Pastor Laurie (Social Hall)**

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

**Altar flowers this morning are given in thanksgiving** and to the glory of God in memory of Joyce Pressler, sister of Laura Innes.

**Altar flowers can be sponsored in honor or memory of loved ones or in thanksgiving for special occasions.** The flower chart is on the door of the Usher’s Room in the Narthex. Each arrangement sponsored is $40. Please make your check out to *Christ Lutheran* and place in the offering plate. Thank you so much.

**Thank you to everyone who came yesterday decorate the Sanctuary.** It’s so festive in here this morning.

**Christmas Carols with the Choir** on Saturday, December 16 at 4pm. We will be having a chili cook-off and supper after the carol concert. If you want to enter a chili and have not signed up yet, the clip board is in the narthex; ask an usher. If you will be attending the supper, please RSVP on the yellow sheet in your bulletin and bring a plate of cookies or bars to share. Choir members are bringing the cornbread and other bread products. We will also serve macaroni & cheese and a green salad.

**Luncheon for Pastor Laurie next Sunday, December 17th at 1130am.** Please RSVP on the clipboards going around this morning. After worship, please remain on the patio and enjoy coffee and a treat until 1130am, while we prepare the Social Hall for the lunch.

**This morning’s worship assistants:**

**Assisting Minister:** Robin Black

**Reader:** Lonnie Timney

**Communion Assistants:** Claudia Fitzpatrick, Ron and Angie Nelson

**Altar Guild:** Doug Holdhusen and D’Jesus Trujillo

**Greeters:** Beverly Koenen and Robin Black

**Coffee Cart:** Renu Moon

**Ushers:** Renu Moon, Matt Timney, Heather and Donald Nielsen

**Thank you all**

**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, Daryl Golden, Alberta Gray, Cindy Gray, Barbara Hager, Kylie & Crystal Huber, Doris Jung, Ben Kalish, Barb Korsmo, Katrina Lahr, Sue Lance, Ronda Lynn, Dawn Lyle-McBennett, 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****.*

**+** Christ Lutheran Preschool, our Lutheran universities and seminaries

 and all schools of our church.

Christmas Fellowship Events

 This morning Christmas Ornament Workshop

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

 Followed by chili cook off and supper

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, 10am Christmas Day Lessons & Carols

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

