

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Welcome to
Good Shepherd
Lutheran Church!*

The Christ Child is coming!

We're Back!

Welcome to in-person worship after a LONG break...please ensure you've taken a communion cup and bulletin from the foyer.

Offering envelopes can be dropped off, before or after the service, in a collection plate at the entrance to the Sanctuary; there's a receptacle for empty communion cups there, as well.

Please note, in accordance with ELCIC (and governmental) guidelines, masks are now **REQUIRED**. Thank you.

This week @ Good Shepherd

Sun, Dec 5th In-Person Worship 11 am
Advent II

Sun, Dec 12th In-Person Worship 11 am
Advent III

We make “Virtual Services”, with the video usually available by Saturday Night, so people can watch Sunday morning.

We're still recording the services for YouTube later, plus we're livestreaming on Facebook.



Advent/Christmas Schedule (1 of 2)

Unless otherwise noted, in-person services @ 11 am and virtual services:

Sun Dec 12th

– Advent III -

Sun Dec 19th

– Advent IV -

Fri Dec 24th

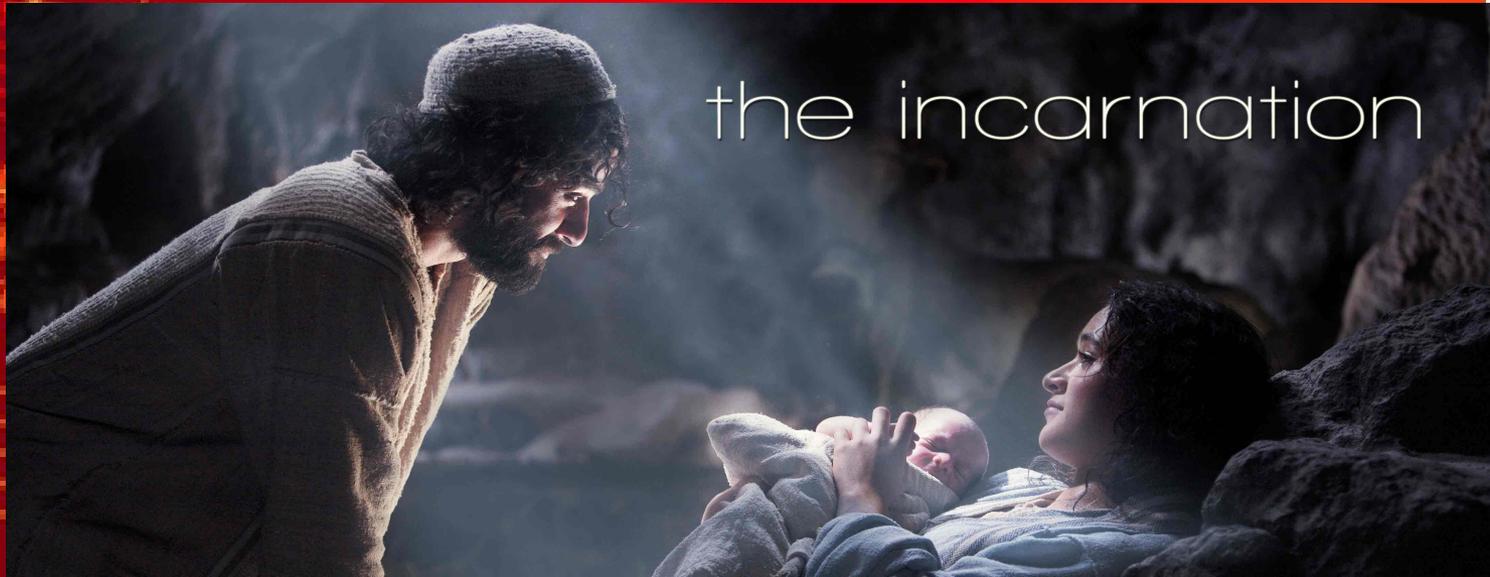
– Christmas Eve
service @ 7:30 pm
and Virtual Service

Sat Dec 25th

– Christmas Day,
no services

Sun Dec 26th

– Virtual Service only



Advent/Christmas Schedule (2 of 2)

If anyone wants to do a musical contribution for the in-person and/or virtual services, please contact Anna, again, ASAP, to arrange it!

Also, we'll need three readers for the Virtual Service for Dec 26th...you can record it well in advance, contact the office now!

Thank you!



“Blue Christmas” Service

**You, your family and friends are invited
to a Candlelight Service of Remembrance
and Healing
on **Thursday, Dec. 16th, 2021**
@ 7:30 p.m.
at Redeemer Lutheran Church**



Other Announcements (1 of 2)

Another position posting for Sask Synod is posted on the bulletin board at the church and is attached to the email with this week's bulletin - Finance and audit committee member.

On Nov. 23rd, the Federal Government launched the New Horizons for Seniors Program (NHSP). Calls for proposals for community-based projects across Canada. Info in the bulletin email...

Other Announcements (2 of 2)

Until Dec 24th, discover a Singing Communion of Churches on the LWF website at advent.lutheranworld.org with one new Advent hymn every day. LWF will also share the hymns on its Facebook and Instagram pages. You are also invited to share this widely on social media, so that Lutherans around the world can experience Advent through the singing of the churches (Use the hashtag: [#LWFAgent](https://www.instagram.com/explore/tags/lwfadvent) on social media).

Birthdays and Anniversaries

The background of the slide is a vibrant red gradient. On the left side, there is a vertical arrangement of golden musical notes and staves, some of which are illuminated with bright, multi-pointed starburst effects. The overall aesthetic is celebratory and festive.

**We give you thanks, O God,
for those celebrating birthdays or
anniversaries this week:**

**Jessica Calow, Ashley Ife,
Jaxen Ife, Jessica Johnson,
Cindy Leggott,**

Debra & Ryan Tilk

Keep In Your Prayers

**Please keep the following members &
friends in your prayers:**

Hans Grande, Joan Meyer



Financial Update

Another update on the church financials as we get close to Christmas and our year end.

Our YTD revenue, based on our budget projection, is currently \$24,000 below estimate and our expenses are \$10,000 lower then budgeted. This still leaves a current shortfall of \$14,000. I am still hoping to pay off the Federal CEBA in 2021, but will require additional funds over the next 2 months to make that possible.

Thanks! Marty Willick – Treasurer.



Every week I preach justification
by faith to my people, because
every week they forget it.

~ Martin Luther

AZ QUOTES



What We Need Most Today

Winter jackets & boots

A 5XL winter jacket

M&W Underwear (Bras, briefs, boxers)

M&W pants (size 38 or smaller)

Sweats (pants, hoodies, t-shirts)

Socks, Shoes, Towels

Any and all hygiene items

We accept open hygiene items that are
clean on the outside and at least half
full

*Please drop these
items at the church
in the Rubbermaid
container by the
kitchen.*



Online with Good Shepherd

Good Shepherd has a Facebook group where we share links to the recorded services, share announcements and live stream. Search for **Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and request to be added!**

Good Shepherd also has a YouTube channel where we post videos of the services...to subscribe, go to YouTube and find GoodShepSaskatoon!



Food Bank Donations

The Food Bank barrel is located in the entryway. Please feel free to bring non perishable food items to help those in need in our city.

Thank you!

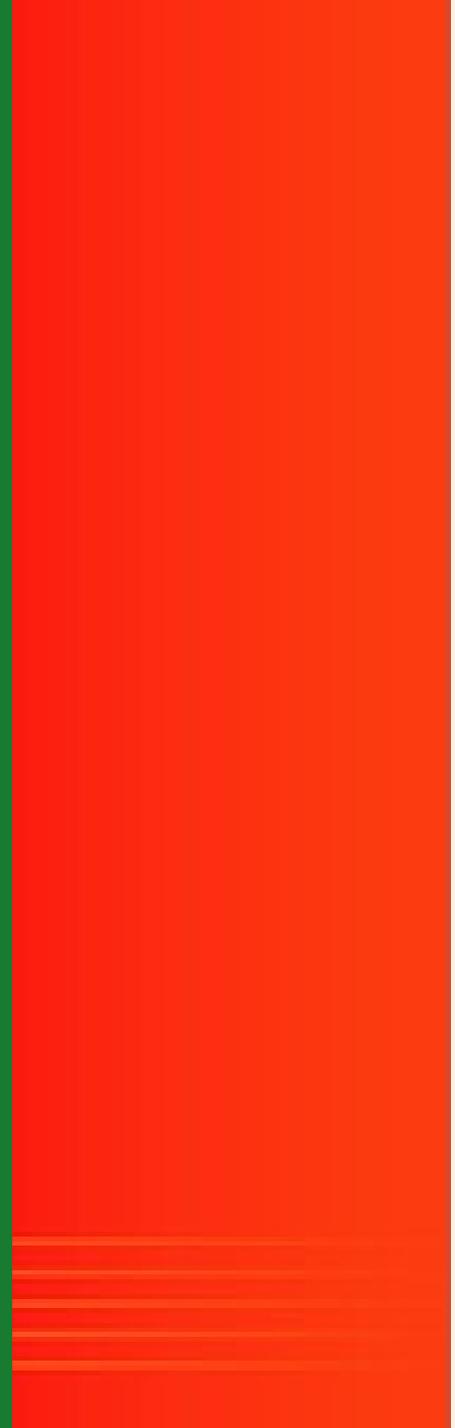


**If you are interested in
PAR
(automatic monthly
bank/credit card
donations) please contact
the office.**



**Thank you for your care
in keeping our church a
place of welcome!**

I don't care if he's a "special baby". He's sleeping on my lunch!





ADVENT

HOPE
PEACE
JOY
LOVE
CHRIST

