



Forecaster

Faith Lutheran Church * December 2025



Christmas is a time of wonder and celebration, and every corner of the globe adds its unique twist to this festive season. Here in the USA, many of us celebrate Christmas with very similar traditions, but I thought it would be fun to take a look at the enchanting and unique Christmas traditions that make the season special for people from different cultures worldwide.

La Befana in Italy: The Magical Witch

Italy introduces us to La Befana, the whimsical Christmas witch who visits on January 5th. Children hang stockings, hoping she'll leave small gifts and sweets. La Befana is still on a quest to find the baby Jesus, and her heartwarming gifts reflect her kindness.



Krampus in Austria: A Dark Companion

Austria and Bavaria bring a thrilling twist to Christmas with Krampus, St. Nicholas's menacing companion. With his horns and fur, Krampus punishes naughty children with switches and chains, ensuring good behavior.

KFC Christmas Dinner in Japan: A Unique Feast

In Japan, a delicious KFC Christmas dinner is a must-try tradition. Many Japanese families order their KFC meals in advance, creating a unique twist on the Christmas feast.



The Yule Lads in Iceland: Mischievous Trolls

Iceland's 13 days of Christmas are marked by visits from the 13 Yule Lads. Children place their shoes by the window each night, receiving sweets for good behavior or encountering rotten potatoes if they've been less than angelic.

Barbies on the Beach in New Zealand

Christmas falls during summer in New Zealand, leading to the tradition of "barbies" (grilling sessions) on the beach. Families and friends gather for alfresco dining, enjoying fresh seafood, meat, and seasonal vegetables.



**St. Lucia's Day in Sweden: Saffron and Light**

Sweden's St. Lucia's Day on December 13th is a heartwarming spectacle. The eldest daughter of each family becomes St. Lucia, donning a white robe and a crown of candles, serving saffron buns and coffee.

Gävle Goat in Sweden: A Fiery Tradition

Gävle, Sweden, brings a fiery debate to Christmas with its towering straw goat. Locals eagerly await its fate each year, with potential arsonists posing a thrilling challenge.

**Tió de Nadal in Catalonia: The Beating Log**

In Catalonia, Spain, the playful tradition of Tió de Nadal features a Christmas log that children "beat" to reveal hidden gifts. It's a festive experience like no other.

Caroling with Lanterns in Colombia: A Luminous Celebration

Colombian children celebrate the Day of the Candles on December 7th. They carry lanterns, candles, and their voices to spread Christmas cheer, illuminating the streets with a warm glow.

**South Korea: Money Presents!**

In South Korea, it's a common tradition to give money as a gift during the Christmas season. This practice is similar to the Korean New Year's tradition of giving "Sebae Don" (New Year's money) in colorful envelopes. The money given during Christmas is often placed in festive, decorative envelopes.

Roller Skating to Church in Caracas: A Unique Commute

Witness the vibrant tradition of roller skating to early morning Christmas church services in Venezuela, a lively and spirited celebration.

**Las Posadas in Mexico: A Time-Honored Journey**

Mexico's Las Posadas reenacts Mary and Joseph's search for shelter in Bethlehem. With processions, songs, and piñata-breaking, it's a heartwarming and joyous tradition.

Kransekake in Norway: Towering Almond Delight

Norway presents the Kransekake, an exquisite Christmas dessert. This towering, almond pastry ring cake is a culinary masterpiece, adding grandeur to the Christmas feast.

**St. Stephen's Day in Ireland: Wren Hunting**

On December 26th, Irish children dress up and carry a fake wren from house to house, singing and collecting sweets and small change. It's a lively and festive tradition.

Mistletoe Kissing in England: A Romantic Tradition

Hanging mistletoe and sharing kisses beneath it is a popular Christmas tradition in many English-speaking countries, symbolizing love and affection.

**The Christkind in Germany: Angelic Gift-Giver**

Germany's Christkind, portrayed as an angelic figure, brings gifts to children, adding a touch of wonder to the Christmas season.

Picnicking in South Africa: An Outdoor Feast

South Africans celebrate Christmas with outdoor picnics and barbecues, thanks to the warm December weather, creating a unique and festive atmosphere.

**Wigilia in Poland: A Feast of Twelve**

Poland's Wigilia, a Christmas Eve meal, features 12 meatless dishes, symbolizing the 12 apostles. It's a time-honored tradition filled with delicious and symbolic foods.

Foie Gras in France

In France, especially during the Christmas season, foie gras (fatty liver of duck or goose) is a traditional and luxurious delicacy that holds a significant place in festive culinary celebrations.

**The Giant Lantern Festival in the Philippines: A Dazzling Display**

The city of San Fernando, Philippines, hosts a spectacular Giant Lantern Festival with oversized lanterns lighting up the night in a breathtaking celebration.

Breakfast Tradition in Finland

In Finland, Christmas morning is celebrated with rice and milk porridge topped with cinnamon, milk, or butter. Whoever finds the almond placed inside one of the puddings "wins," adding an element of surprise to the Christmas breakfast.



This Christmas season, let's embrace the wonderful diversity of traditions around the world, appreciating the joy and magic they bring to this special time of year.

"Borrowed" from: Evan Evans



The Stewardship Team would like to shower our members and friends with overflowing THANKS and GRATITUDE for your generous and faithful pledges to the ministries at Faith Lutheran, the larger church (ELCA) and the world beyond. We appreciate your willingness to share your bounty for the work of sharing the Gospel of Christ with others!



Dear Faith Family,

The beginning of Advent and our celebration of Christ's birth are just around the corner. May this Christmas season bring peace and joy to you and your family.

This year has been a busy time for us. One of the high points of 2025 is the completion of the sale of some of our property to the City of Menifee for the first park in Sun City. The check for \$446,500 is in the bank! This has taken over four years to come to completion and we would like to thank Mike McGavran and Diane Swartz for seeing this project through to the end. We don't know when the work on the park will begin, but hopefully in 2026.


We have many activities going on at church every week. One of the new groups that will be using our facilities occasionally is MenifeeSeniors.com. They have a November event, *Friendsgiving*, planned for Saturday, November 29, 3-5 pm. and a December event, a *Christmas Carnival and Craft Fair*, planned for Saturday, December 20, 12-4 pm. You will find flyers and more information in the narthex. Check them out on Facebook and the internet.

All of their events are open to our members and the 55+ community. We would love to see you at these events as well as all of our many events that are listed here in the Forecaster.

As is tradition at Faith, the Council and the members of Faith would like to give a Christmas gift to our administrative staff. If you would like to participate in this, please make the checks payable to *Faith Lutheran Church* and write "staff gift" in the memo line. Deadline is December 15 for giving. Thank you for your generosity.

And an angel said to them, Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger."
Luke 2:10-12 ESV

Christmas blessing to all,
Bea Olsen, Council Vice President



**BIBLE
STUDY**
via Zoom!

Led by Pr. Ken Puccio
2nd & 4th Thursdays
7:00 pm on Zoom
for more info: hopegiver@aol.com

**Pr. Ken's Zoom Bible Study is on
Christmas Break!**

**Stay tuned for what's coming in
2026!**





Asst. Ministers	Lectors	Communion Servers	Power Point	Ushers
7th: Roderick 14th: Candy 21st: Joanne 24th: Roderick 28th: Candy	7th: Robert P. 14th: David M. 21st: Diane M. 24th: Several 28th: Lorna	7th: Karla 14th: Joanne 21st: Freddericka 24th: Diane S. 28th: Sandy	7th: Candy 14th: Bill 21st: Mike 24th: Mike 28th: TBD	7th: Annie 14th: Becky 21st: Judy 24th: Annie & TBD 28th: Gina
Attendance	Greeters	Altar Guild	Sound	Live Stream/Video
7th: Judy Ad. 14th: TBD 21st: Pat O. 24th: Kandie 28th: TBD	2nd: Walli 9th: Dave 16th: Jean 23rd: Walli 30th: Jean	7th, 14th: Kandie, Debbie 21st, 28th: Marlene, Diane M. 24th: Kandie, Marlene	7th: Marlene 14th: Marlene 21st: Candy 24th: Marlene 28th: Marlene	7th: Madeline 14th: Madeline 21st: Madeline 24th: Madeline 28th: Madeline

Are You Ready for Advent?

Advent is almost here! As usual, we will have mid-week Advent Worship Services followed by Soup Suppers!

Worship will consist of the Holden Evening Prayer Service and a Dramatic Reading/Monologue by Members of the Congregation. Here is the schedule:

December 3rd: Roderick Sinclair: "A Wise Man Remembers"
 December 10th: David Moe: "Lost in Bethlehem - A Weary Visitor at the Inn"
 December 17th: Pat Adams: "Shaped by Love - A Potter in Bethlehem"



Worship begins at 5:00pm and lasts about 45 minutes. We then move to the Fellowship Hall for warm, nourishing soup! Sign-ups to bring Soup will be in the Narthex. Bring a friend! All are welcome!

PARK SITE LAND SALE COMPLETED!

As reported at the November 16th Worship Service, Diane Swarts and I are happy to announce the Land Sale has been completed, and \$446,500 was deposited into our Provident bank account on November 13th. Council is transferring monies to other banks to keep the amounts on deposit below the maximum \$250,000 FDIC insured limit.

Linda Blanche had suggested to a City Council member that our property might be a good fit for a pocket park project for the seniors of Sun City that the City was considering. Thus began the Park Project back in November of 2021, with our first meeting with the City to discuss the possible sale of just under 2 acres of our unused property for eventual development into that Park. In December of 2021, the City proposed a project schedule which showed the sale being completed in July/August of 2022, and the Park being completed in April of 2023. They were a little optimistic.

Over the next nearly 3 years, Diane and I met numerous times with the City to negotiate a Contract with deal points to protect Faith in the coming decades. The Congregation approved those deal points in October of 2024. They are:

1. The City of Menifee receives a perpetual, mutual, non-exclusive Easement over our existing parking lot for Maintenance and Emergency Access.
2. The City of Menifee provides to Faith Lutheran the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions on the Park Site:
 - a. Wrought iron or similar fencing along the property line separating the Sites which permits clear sight lines between the Sites.
 - b. No restroom facilities, other than water stations, fountains, or similar water features.
 - c. No playgrounds, related equipment, sports fields, or similar installations.
 - d. No publicly accessible electrical outlets.
 - e. Limited hard surfaces to discourage skateboarding or similar activities.
 - f. Seating areas designed to discourage illegal activities.
 - g. City to remove existing cypress trees at southern end of the Park Site.
 - h. City to remove existing trees on the eastern end of the Church Site.
 - i. The Park Site will be maintained according to City standards.
 - j. Security for the Park Site shall be provided in a manner consistent with City standards.
 - k. The Park Site shall be deed restricted to be parkland in perpetuity unless otherwise agreed to in writing by Faith Lutheran and the California Natural Resources Agency.

Next steps for the City will be obtaining needed grant monies to help with the development and construction of the Park. Based on our experience with the sale, it will probably be 2-3 years before the Park is open.

Next steps for Faith will be the repayment of monies transferred from Endowment to the Church during 2023 and 2024. This repayment was approved by the Congregation at the Annual Congregational Meeting held February 23rd, 2025. Council will develop suggestions for how the remaining monies could be used, for approval at subsequent Special Congregational Meetings and/or at the next Annual Congregational Meeting in February.

-Mike McGavran and Diane Swarts





Hunger Never Rests!

The Meniffee Valley Community Cupboard
is in need of **Canned Tuna and Meat for December!**

Most of us have not experienced food insecurity, but many locally do experience it, both seniors and families. Let's remind ourselves to do all we can to help those in need here in Meniffee! As you are able, be Christ in action, add the monthly item to your shopping list and add it to the collection bin by mailboxes!

CELEBRATING DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS



BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS To

December 1	Mimi Houghtaling
December 8	Bill Brauer
December 9	Diane Molina
December 10	Thelma Dyal
December 14	John Neff
December 15	Berenice Varsobia
December 19	Robert Ackley
December 20	Eleanor Diaz
December 22	Kally Homchick
December 22	Amy Sinclair
December 26	Erma Hinkle
December 28	Harold Whitford
December 29	Jackson Ackley
December 29	Audie Carr
December 29	Hunter Holmes
December 31	Earlean Wagner

Celebrating December Anniversaries

ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS To

December 17, 1966	Kent & Carol Kobersteen
December 28, 1965	Mike & Joanne McGavran



If we missed your birthday or anniversary, please notify the church office so we can add you to our list!

FINANCIAL REPORT

October 31, 2025

1. Comments

- a. October 2025 Member giving was significantly below budget. YTD Member giving is 18% below budget and below 2024 giving.
- b. Expenses continue substantially below budget because, while we budgeted for a half-time Pastor, that position is currently vacant. Our Pastoral expenses will contain only payment for Supply Pastors during the Call processes.
- c. While our overall budget will likely run a surplus due to the low Pastoral Expenses, **the Congregation should pay attention to Member Giving as a measure of our overall financial health.** It is possible that we would continue to see monthly surpluses even as Member Giving runs under budget. If so, this would result in an unhealthy trend that would adversely affect our Church once we fill our vacant Pastoral position.
- d. The Park Land Sale Escrow closed on 11/13/2025 and **\$446,500** was deposited in the Provident bank account via wire transfer. \$240,000 was withdrawn from Provident via Cashier's Check and deposited in the new US Bank account. An additional \$5,000 was transferred on 11/21/2025 from Provident to US Bank. Repayment to Endowment in the amount of **\$50,828.89** was issued on 11/21/2025, leaving a balance of **\$395,671.11** as the remaining property sale proceeds.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Actual	\$ 9,541.00	\$ 9,978.00	\$13,127.00	\$10,208.00	\$14,631.00	\$11,979.00	\$10,391.00	\$11,460.00	\$ 8,670.00	\$10,063.00		
Budget	\$ 13,154.00	\$13,154.00	\$14,496.00	\$13,154.00	\$13,154.00	\$14,054.00	\$12,860.00	\$13,665.00	\$13,417.00	\$13,549.00		
Expenses	\$11,598.00	\$11,057.00	\$10,941.00	\$12,531.00	\$11,383.00	\$13,536.00	\$11,433.00	\$11,255.00	\$13,976.00	\$10,382.00		



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2024	\$10,325.00	\$11,538.00	\$12,862.00	\$11,070.00	\$11,580.00	\$17,721.00	\$ 9,984.00	\$10,310.00	\$12,922.00	\$10,287.00		



2. Financials Review

a. Offering Envelopes

- i) **For the month, below budget at 74.27%** (\$10,063 vs \$13,549).
- ii) **Year-to-date**, still below budget at 81.60% (\$109,817 vs \$134,580).

b. Total Income

- i) **For the month**, above budget at 90.07% (\$13,951 vs \$15,490).
- ii) **Year-to-date**, below budget at 92.31% (\$146,942 vs \$159,184).

c. Expenses

- i) **For the month**, well below budget at 62.04% (\$10,382 vs \$16,735).
- ii) **Year-to-date**, well below budget at 72.66% (\$117,383 vs \$161,549).

d. Net Operating Income (Total Income minus Expenses)

- i) **For the month**, a surplus of \$3,569 vs the expected deficit of \$1,245.
- ii) **Year-to-date**, a surplus of \$29,560 vs the expected deficit of \$2,365.

e. Checking balance

- i) **Balance at Month-end** is \$41,436.90.
- ii) **Previous Month-end balance** was \$41,518.44.

Submitted by Madeline Puccio, Treasurer

The Giving Tree

It's that time of year again! Your Outreach Committee will be collecting gift cards to give to Menifee Valley Community Cupboard again this year for Christmas! The Giving Tree will be set up in the narthex from November 23 - December 28.

We're looking for your gifts of love to share with those in need in our community in the form of gift cards from:



WinCo - most requested (Family Friendly Gift Card- it's a white card)

Stater Bros.

Vons

- Choose an ornament from the tree with your gift card preference.
- Purchase the gift card and keep receipt w/activation code.
- Purchase a card(s), save your receipt w/activation code.
- Bring your gift card back to church and place in baggie in the basket by tree.
- Choose a take-home thank you ornament.



Family Friendly Gift Card

No Alcohol or Tobacco Products

We look forward to sharing our love from Faith Lutheran Church.
Giving is Love in Action! Your Outreach Committee thanks you!

Tea's the Season, a WELCA (Women of the ELCA) event Saturday, December 13, 2-4pm



- Bring a wrapped \$10 (or less) gift for the gift exchange
- Bring a signed card for your 2025 prayer partner (if you have one)
- Bring some cookies, cookie bars, etc. (please no pies or cakes)
- Tea and tea sandwiches provided



Laughter, fun, fellowship includes:

- ✓ Gift Exchange
- ✓ Prayer Partner 2025 reveal
- ✓ Picking prayer partners 2026 (optional)
- ✓ Packing gift bags for the home-bound
- ✓ Christmas trivia and activities
- ✓ Free will offering

Sign up in the narthex!

Volunteer for Coffee, Conversation and You!

We have moved to a shared responsibility for Coffee Hour. **We need teams of two (2) volunteers on a Sunday to help with serving and cleaning up.** As we are able to get 5 teams of 2, we will develop a schedule with teams helping one Sunday a month. Coffee Hour ends at 11:30am, although people are welcome to stay and talk. With 5 teams we can assure coverage without a large task on just a few generous souls.



Additionally, **we are gladly accepting home-baked goods for Coffee Hour.** We ask that no more than two (2) people bring home-baked goods on any Sunday. There will be a sign-up sheet in the kitchen for bringing home-baked goods and a sign-up sheet for coffee hour volunteers.





Meniffee Reads! (a book club) is reading “How to Read a Book” by Monica Wood. The December meetings are Wednesday, December 17 at 7pm and Thursday, December 18 at 2pm in the library. Join in the fun as you can! ALL ARE WELCOME! Come and join us!

From the award-winning author of *The One-in-a-Million Boy* comes a heartfelt, uplifting novel about a chance encounter at a bookstore, exploring redemption, unlikely friendships, and the life-changing power of sharing stories.

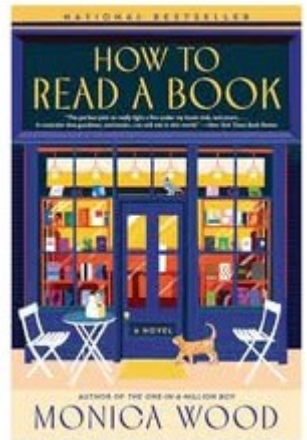
Violet Powell, a twenty-two-year-old from Abbott Falls, Maine, is being released from prison after serving twenty-two months for a drunk-driving crash that killed a local kindergarten teacher.

Harriet Larson, a retired English teacher who runs the prison book club, is facing the unsettling prospect of an empty nest.

Frank Daigle, a retired machinist, hasn’t yet come to grips with the complications of his marriage to the woman Violet killed.

When the three encounter each other one morning in a bookstore in Portland—Violet to buy the novel she was reading in the prison book club before her release, Harriet to choose the next title for the women who remain, and Frank to dispatch his duties as the store handyman—their lives begin to intersect in transformative ways.

How to Read a Book is an unsparingly honest and profoundly hopeful story about letting go of guilt, seizing second chances, and the power of books to change our lives. With the heart, wit, grace, and depth of understanding that has characterized her work, Monica Wood illuminates the decisions that define a life and the kindnesses that make life worth living.





This quarter (Oct.-Dec.) your Outreach Committee is collecting the following items for MilVet:

Chewing gum (individually wrapped packs)
Beef sticks (individually wrapped)

These items will be used at MilVet's monthly packing event, where boxes are packed and sent to deployed military.

So far this quarter, we have collected 412 beef sticks and 84 packs of gum!

Thank you for your love and support!



**November 14-15, 2025
Pacifica Women of the ELCA
Annual Convention & Gathering
"Here I Am, Send Me!"**



**Women of the
ELCA**

Were you unable to attend Pacifica's Convention last month? Well, here's your opportunity to attend the WELCA Convention on an even larger scale!

The WELCA Triennial Convention is in Des Moines, Iowa July 16th-19th and it's going to be an incredible event! We already have 3 ladies from Faith registered to go! For all the info and to register, you can go to the Triennial website:

<https://www.womenoftheelca.org/new-triennial-event-page>

The early bird discounted registration expires on January 5, 2026, so don't delay!



CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL & CRAFT FAIR

What's happening at Faith? Well, how does a Christmas Carnival and Craft Show sound?? That's right! We are hosting this event for MenifeeSeniors.org! On Saturday, December 20th from 12:00 - 4:00, come on over to Faith Lutheran! There will be shopping, food, games to play and prizes to win, singing, dancing and entertainment, PLUS free lunch (until we run out) and a FREE Christmas photo shoot compliments of Faith Lutheran! The craft booths will be filled with hand-crafted items made by 55+ seniors!

To register for the event, or to sign up for a free craft booth, call 951.531.3188!
All craft vendors must be 55+!



SENIORS 55+
JOIN US FOR A FREE

CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL & CRAFT FAIR

Saturday, December 20th
12:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Free Lunch served 12:30-1:30 (until we run out)

Faith Lutheran Church
28200 Portsmouth Dr., Menifee

★ Shopping - Food - Play Games - Win Prizes
Singing - Dancing - Entertainment
& Celebrate the Season w/a Free Photo Shoot (compliments of Faith Lutheran)

TO REGISTER FOR THIS EVENT
-OR- TO SIGN UP FOR A FREE CRAFT BOOTH
CALL: (951) 531-3188
(CRAFT VENDORS MUST BE 55+)

www.MENIFEESENIORS.com

The Cheer Committee Spreads ...Cheer!

Your Cheer Committee meets with some of our homebound at Meniffee Senior Living, formerly Pacifica, on the second Thursday of each month. In November, we gathered to have communion and devotions. Afterwards, we played Thanksgiving Bingo, enjoyed snacks, and fellowship. There is a lot to be thankful for and it's lots of fun!

We're always looking for others to share some special time with our homebound members by way of phone calls, sending cards, visits, or bringing communion. There are lots of ways to help!

Please join us in the new year! Any questions, contact Kandie Hulme.

Donation Drop Off Day!

The next Drop Off day is Saturday, December 6th from 9-12. We continue to collect (new) blankets for Project Linus, eyeglasses for Lions Club, used towels and blankets (no batting) for Animal Friends of the Valleys and shoes for Soles4Soles.

On the first Saturday each month we are open from 9-12 noon, and the public will have access to drop off contributions for these ministries. Please share the information with friends and neighbors, and to your Facebook page as it is posted Flyers are available in the narthex.

Project ♥ Linus

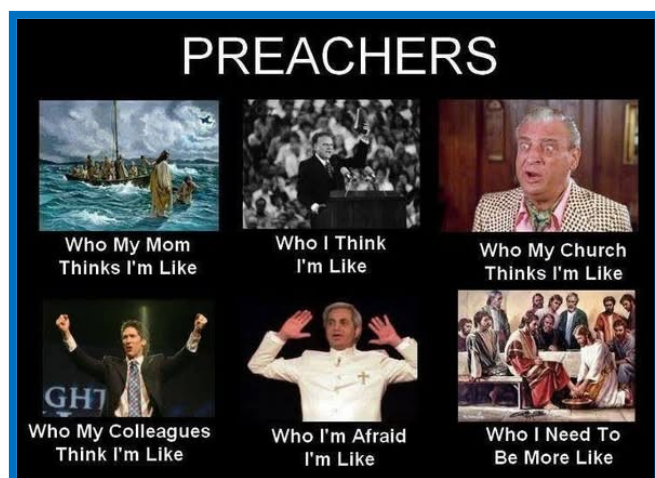


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Through
Blankets



SOLES4 SOULS

A Little Humor...



To help you plan ahead, this is a list of the events that recur each month:

- **Snip 'N Stitch:** 1st and 3rd Thursday at 9:00
- **Worship & Music:** 1st Tuesday at 10:00
- **Hymn Planners:** 2nd Tuesday at 10:00
- **Outreach Team:** 2nd Tuesday at 2:30
- **WELCA Board:** 2nd Tuesday at 12:30
- **Menifee Reads!:** 3rd Wednesday at 7:00 and the Thursday following the 3rd Wednesday (either the 3rd or 4th Thursday) at 2:00pm
- **4+1 Group:** 3rd Tuesday at 10:00
- **Fellowship Team:** 3rd Tuesday at 2:00
- **Stewardship Team:** 3rd Friday at 10:00
- **Finance Team:** 4th Wednesday at 1:00
- **Council:** the last Monday of each month at 1:00
- **Cheer Team:** 2nd Thursday at 4:00
- **Pr. Ken's Zoom Bible Study:** 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:00
- **Food with Friends:** 3rd Wednesday at 5:00
- **Al-Anon:** Every Friday at 10:30



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December 2025

January 2026

December 2025

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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Nov 30	Dec 1	2	3	4	5	6
		10:00am Worship & Music	5:00pm Advent Worship & Soup	9:00am Snip 'N Stitch 10:00am Piano tuning	10:30am Thordis Memorial 10:30am Al-Anon	9:00am Donation Drop Off
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
9:30am Worship Service-Pr. Rex 12:30pm Grace&Mercy 3:00pm Holiday Big Band Concert		10:00am Hymn Planners 10:00am WELCA Board 2:30pm Outreach Team	10:00am Mary Circle Bible Study 5:00pm Advent Worship & Soup	4:00pm Cheer/Eucharistic Team	9:00am WELCA Setup 10:30am Al-Anon	2:00pm WELCA Tea-Gen Mtg, Christmas Gathering
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
9:30am Worship Service-Pr. Shane 12:30pm Grace&Mercy		10:00am 4 Plus 1 Group 2:00pm Fellowship Team	5:00pm Advent Worship & Soup 7:00pm Menifee Reads! Book Club	9:00am Snip 'N Stitch 2:00pm Menifee Reads! Book Club	10:30am Al-Anon	12:00pm Christmas Carnival & Craft Fair
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
9:30am Worship Service-Pr. Shane 12:30pm Grace&Mercy	1:00pm Finance Team	Forecaster Deadline	5:00pm Christmas Eve Worship-Pr. Ken P	Christmas Day	10:30am Al-Anon	
28	29	30	31	Jan 1, 26	2	3
9:30am Worship Service-Pr. Shane 12:30pm Grace&Mercy	1:00pm Council Meeting	6:00pm Call Committee	New Year's Eve			