

**4 Advent**  
**December 22, 2024**

Prelude— <i>All Praise to Jesus' Hallowed Name</i>	BACH
Anthem— <i>The Only Son from Heaven</i>	BACH
Postlude— <i>Toccata in C</i>	PACHELBEL
Hymns:	
Opening— <i>Creator of the Stars of Night</i>	ELW 245
Psalmody— Congregation will read	<i>Celebrate</i> Insert
Sermon— <i>My Soul Proclaims Your Greatness</i>	ELW 251
Closing— <i>Joy to the World</i>	ELW 267

<i>Sunday</i>	9:15 am	Adult Sunday School
<i>(December 22)</i>	10:00 am	Choir Practice
	10:30 am	Holy Communion
Tuesday	5:00 pm	Christmas Eve Worship
<i>Sunday</i>	9:30 am	Farewell Breakfast for Pastor Christine
<i>(December 29)</i>	10:00 am	Choir Practice
	10:30 am	Lessons & Carols with Holy Communion

**Christmas Eve Worship is on Tuesday at 5:00 pm.**

**2025 Offering Envelopes** are available for pick-up on the table in the narthex.

**Eight Christmas bags** for the shut in's will stay out until December 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please consider socks, soap, hand and body lotion, Hygiene products, devotional books and snacks. There are six women and two men.

**Farewell Breakfast for Pastor Christine** will be next Sunday, December 29 at 9:30 am. There will not be any Adult Sunday School next week.

**God's Helping Hands** current needs are: Jiffy mix, spaghetti sauce, regular cooking oil, juice, crackers, cookies, flour, sugar, jello, pudding, dry milk, mixed vegetables and ramen noodles. Please place donations in the designated container in the Cameron Hallway.

**Grapevine Deadline:** Monday, December 30, 2024

<b>SERVERS</b>	<b><u>Today</u></b>	<b><u>Next Week</u></b>
<i>Greeters</i>	.... <i>*Need Volunteer</i>	<i>*Need Volunteer</i>
<i>Lector</i>	.... <i>Marie Lybrand</i>	<i>Isma Boland</i>
<i>Worship</i>	.... <i>*Need Volunteer</i>	<i>*Need Volunteer</i>
	<b><u>DECEMBER</u></b>	<b><u>JANUARY</u></b>
<i>Ushers</i>	.... <i>Isma Boland</i> <i>*Need Volunteer</i>	<i>Steve Nivens</i> <i>*Need Volunteer</i>
<i>Tellers</i>	.... <i>Linda Griffith &amp;</i> <i>Beth Cleland</i>	<i>Linda Griffith &amp;</i> <i>Melba Murphy</i>
<i>Offering Pickup</i>	.... <i>Linda Griffith</i>	<i>Beth Cleland</i>
<i>Property</i>	.... <i>*Need Volunteer</i>	<i>Steve Nivens</i>
<i>Altar Guild</i>	.... <i>*Need Volunteer</i>	<i>Isma Boland &amp;</i> <i>Melba Murphy</i>

OFFERING	Last Sunday	Total for December
General	\$ 2,460.00	\$19,506.96
Online General	\$ 256.26	\$ 1,025.02
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 2, 716.26</b>	<b>\$20,531.98</b>
Building Maint. & Prop. Imp.	\$ 850.00	\$ 1,225.00
Online BMPI	\$ 92.26	\$ 379.27
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 942.26</b>	<b>\$ 1,604.27</b>

**Upcoming Dates:**

**2024**

- December 24: Christmas Eve Service - 5pm  
 December 29: Farwell Breakfast for Pastor Christine - 9:30-10am  
 (We will not have Sunday school on this day)  
 December 29: Lessons and Carols with Holy Communion - 10:30am

**2025**

- January 5: Pastor Joanna Gragg's first Sunday - 10:30am worship  
 January 19: Installation of Church officers- 10:30am worship  
 January 19: Installation of Pastor Gragg - 2pm  
 Reception immediately following

Those on our **Prayer list** below have special prayer needs at this time. We keep the entire congregation in our prayers at all times, but sometimes special prayers are needed. If your name is on the list or you have added someone's name and they no longer need to be on the list, please contact the church office so the name can be removed. Names on the prayer list are left on for two months, but may be extended upon request.

*Greg Chapman*

*Jeannie Chapman*

*Katie Doble*

*Sierra Dunaway (friend of Caroline Raszewski)*

*Anne Moye*

*Steve Rucker*

*Marie Shealy (National Health Care)*

*Jane & DeLeon Wallace*