

Lord of Life Lutheran Church

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Worship Times: Saturday 5:30 p.m. Sundays 9:30 a.m.



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Welcome to Lord of Life!

Weekend of December 1-2, 2018

THE SEASON OF ADVENT begins this weekend and we will once again gather on the Wednesday evenings of Advent to worship together with Holden Evening Prayer. Join us at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays, December 5th, 12th and 19th to be reminded of the real meaning of Christmas outside of the holiday rush. Come, slow down and breathe.

PROCLAIMING EMMANUEL: On December 16th at the 10:30am service, we have a very important Proclamation to proclaim! God has become human and a baby named Jesus has been born. We have the opportunity to proclaim Emmanuel, God With Us! This Proclamation is not a show, nor is it a performance...rather it is our opportunity to not only share the Christmas story, but to experience God's presence through the story. This is not only the work of the pastor, the choir, and the worship assistants, but it is the joyful work of the entire congregation. This will be proclaimed from the mouths of the littlest children to the most mature adults. This proclamation will be boldly acted and beautifully sung, triumphantly played and creatively expressed, danced in joy and discovered in stillness...with one voice, with many voices! We hope you will consider joining us for this worship service, as prepare this Advent season for the coming Christ.

NIGHT OF WORSHIP TO BENEFIT THE ELCA OUTREACH CENTER: Lord of Life, along with St. Mary's, Spirit Alive!, Grace, and Trinity Lutheran Churches of Kenosha will gather for a special night of worship at St. Mary's Lutheran Church sanctuary (2001 80th Street) at **6:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 16th** to sing, celebrate, pray and hear Faith Storytellers from the ELCA Outreach Center, and sermon preached by Bishop Paul Erickson. The mission offering of the night will benefit the Outreach Center, and a FREE meal open to all will be available beginning at 5:30pm in the church's Fellowship Hall. The event is free and all are welcome, but any generous offerings will help our siblings in Christ in our community.

CHRISTMAS GARDEN OF POINSETTIAS: Order envelopes to sponsor poinsettias for our Christmas Eve service are available in the lobby. The cost is \$12.00 per plant and orders must be in by **Monday, December 17th**. Please make checks payable to Lord of Life, clearly mark it for poinsettias, and put it in the offering plate or return it to the church office. If no dedication is given, they will be dedicated to the Glory of God. You may take your poinsettias home any time after Christmas Eve worship.

BLOOD DRIVE: The holiday season is here and the gift of giving is on everyone's mind. We have an upcoming opportunity to help three lives at once! On **Thursday, December 20th** from 1 to 6 p.m., Lord of Life will be hosting an American Red Cross blood drive. Visit www.redcrossblood.org or call 1.800.RED.CROSS (1.800.732.2767) to schedule a donation appointment.

POSITION AVAILABLE: Lord of Life is seeking a part-time Joy & Celebration Band Director for our Saturday evening worship services. Please contact the church office for a full position description.

Calendar for This Week

THIS SUN.
 8:00 a.m. Worship Service
 9:15 a.m. Advent Yule Logs
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
 12:00 p.m. Women's Christmas Tea
 MON 6:00 p.m. Ladies of Lydia & Prayer Shawl Ministry
 6:00 p.m. Leadership Team Meeting
 6:30 p.m. Diakonia
 WED 12:00 p.m. Prayer Group
 12:30 p.m. Soul Food Bible Study
 5:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
 6:30 p.m. Midweek Advent Worship
 THURS 9:00 a.m. Ladies of Lydia
 7:00 p.m. AA
 SAT 7:30 a.m. Men's Fellowship Breakfast @ Gateway
 8:30 a.m. Christmas Proclamation rehearsal
 9:00 a.m. OA
 4:00 p.m. Joy & Celebration Band rehearsal
 5:30 p.m. Worship Service
 NEXT SUN.
 8:00 a.m. Worship Service
 9:15 a.m. Empower Hour
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

In Our Prayers

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| Teddy | Kim | Michael |
| Chuck | Bob | Sharon |
| Delores | Barbara | Sue |
| Mary | Mark | Leslie |
| Jon | Marva | Louise |
| Lisa | Leon | Bob |
| Loreen | Rick | Kelsey |
| Ari | | |

Military Personnel

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| Kevin Poree | Michael Plunkett |
| Craig Yates | Aaron Taber |
| Bradley LeRoy | Marc LeRoy |
| Kyle Knight | Nathan Karpinski |
| Aaron Pomerening | Brad Bloxdor |
| Reid Luczak | Jacob Corsa |
| Erin Brewer | Collin Klimisch |
| Tyson Jones | Kaitlain LeRoy |
| Ryan Daugherty | Zach Carter |
| Joshua Witek | Joe Mitka |



Praying Partners

Please email prayer requests to kasdorfc@gmail.com

MINISTRY OF THE MONTH Hopes for the Holidays Gift Drive

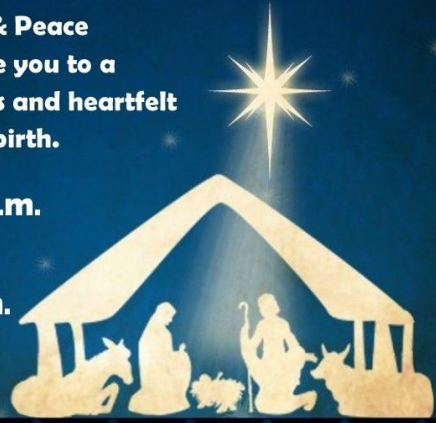
We are once again teaming with the ELCA Outreach Center to provide Christmas gifts for children in need through their Hopes for the Holidays Gift Drive. Please share the holiday spirit & choose a tag with a child's holiday wish from the trees in the lobby. Spend no more than \$25 for a gift, and return it in the Ministry of the Month chest by 10:00 a.m. Monday, December 17th. Please make sure the gift is wrapped, and the tag you selected is attached.

Christmas Cantata

The combined choirs of Lord of Life & Peace Lutheran Church in Burlington invite you to a musical celebration of favorite carols and heartfelt songs celebrating the joy of Christ's birth.

Saturday, December 22nd, 5:30 p.m.
at Lord of Life

Sunday, December 23rd, 2:00 p.m.
at Peace Lutheran Church
349 Wegge Ct, Burlington, WI 53105



Self-service giving through our kiosk

Our giving kiosk provides the convenience you're looking for with a simple iPad touchscreen and secure debit/credit card reader.

- Give when you don't have cash or a checkbook
- Contribute to one or multiple funds
- Print a receipt and a donation slip

If you would like to give electronically, visit our kiosk or contact the church office.

You can now pay for Scrip gift card purchases through our giving Kiosk! In order to cover our card processing fees, a 3% surcharge will be added to the subtotal of your Scrip purchase, otherwise our Scrip rebate benefit would be null.

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For every \$50 in SCRIP you purchase Saturday, November 17th through Friday, December 14th, you will receive 1 raffle ticket.

This includes sales made at our Scrip table and electronic orders made through the My Scrip Wallet mobile site or www.shopwithscrip.com. Scrip can also be purchased from the church office during office hours.

On Sunday, December 16th three raffle tickets will be chosen with the chance to win a \$25, \$50, or \$100 gift card!!

Just in time to finish your Christmas shopping!