



The Star

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Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
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Weekly News and Events
The Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

December 10, 2017
Second Sunday of Advent

Ladies Night Out - Christmas Edition is Thursday, December 14 at 6:30pm at River Birch Lodge. Join us for dinner and don't forget to bring a pair of Christmas socks filled with goodies to exchange. Sign up in the narthex or contact Emily Phillips with questions.



If you would like to purchase ELCA Good Gifts, visit the website at www.ELCA.org/goodgifts. Choose from more than 50 charitable gifts to give in honor of loved ones - from farm animals to water wells. Pick up a catalog by the ELCA Good Gifts Christmas Tree. You may also take an ornament from the tree to give with your gift, but all gifts must be purchased on the website.

Clinton Moyer will present a 2-week study on David and Bathsheba, beginning December 10th at 8:45am in the fellowship hall.



Just a reminder that all donations must be postmarked by December 31, 2017 to count for taxes for 2017.

THIS WEEK AT EPIPHANY	
Office Hours: M-F	
8:30 am-12:30 pm, 1:30 pm-5:00 pm	
December 10-17, 2017	
Sun	2nd Sunday of Advent Encounter:Faith 8:45 am Worship 10:00 am FLYP @ Parkway Presbyterian 6:00 pm
Mon	FTCC Class (CR) 12:50-2:00 pm Handbells 6:00 pm Endowment Committee 6:30 pm Executive Committee 7:00 pm
Tues	Bible Study 11:00 am Mary-Martha Christmas Lunch 11:00 am FTCC Class (CR) 5:50-8:00 pm Dorothy Circle 6:30 pm
Wed	EECC Chapel 10:00 am Staff Meeting 3:00 pm Advent Supper 6:15 pm Evening Prayer 7:00 pm Choir 7:30 pm
Thur	Ladies' Night Out 6:30 pm Finance Committee 7:00 pm
Sun	3rd Sunday of Advent Encounter:Faith 8:45 am NYG @ Augsburg 9:45-10:45 am Worship 10:00 am FLYP Potluck lunch & Movie @ Parkway Presbyterian 11:15 am



If you have not completed your commitment card, please mail in this week to the church office or put it in the offering plate on Sunday.

LET US PRAY FOR...

Leaders of church & state, especially

Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, ELCA President Trump
Bishop Timothy Smith, NC Synod Governor Cooper
Pastor Doug Kearney Mayor Joines
Our Call Committee

Our sister congregation and our missionary in Mexico

The people of Mupini Parish, Namibia and Pr. David Brondos

Active duty military personnel, especially

Jay Collette Randal Middleton
Travis Gerdes Duncan Miller
Tim Hawkins David Schultz

For those who rejoice, especially

Josh and Erica (Christensen) Williams at the birth of their son,
Ryan Lee Williams, brother of Lillian. Dave & Debbie Christensen
are the proud grandparents.

Family & friends of the congregation in need, especially

Rev. Partee Boliek	Ralph Herbison	Nancy Richbourg
Louis Bryant	Tim Herring	Jane Ritchie
Reece Burdette	Larry Hostetter	Jim Schwartz
Doug Callahan	Richard Jensen	Nora Schweitzer
Ken Cannon	Mike Lucas	Rick Sells
Becki Carlisle	Becky Marion	Alice Seppell
Robert Fick	Naomi Meckley	Mike Slezak
Derrick Gilmore	Janet Miller	Deborah Truell
Eric Grush	Allison Morris	Dave Vander Lugt
Jeff Grush	Trey Morris	Jose Villegas
Stephanie Hansen	Andy Motz	Terry Wessinger
Kelly Hauser	Marcella Murphy	Nicole Williams
Wayne Henderson	Robert & Mary Peak	Linda Wood
Ray & Norma Henry		

Members in need, especially

Sharen Bond	Jim Lippard	Gretchen Pfitzner
Mary Lynn Chapman	Andy McMurray	Wanda Rabb
Patti Deal	Martha Oldland	Nancy Stenberg
Bill Flichman	Susan Pester	Charlene Wellborn

Homebound and Assisted Living Members

Bonnie Bryant	Joyce Kohfeldt	Virginia Schmitz
Dottie Bush	Marge Leister	Verdell Thomas
Barbara Coley	Cole Lippard	Martee Umberger
William Garris	Helen Preston	Robert Walker

GIFT OF THE MONTH ITEMS FOR DECEMBER

CRISIS CONTROL MINISTRY - Saltine crackers;
sugar, flour, baking items

SAMARITAN MINISTRIES - Bib aprons, dish cloths,
men's warm winter gloves, socks, toboggans

RONALD McDONALD HOUSE - Single serve meals,
snacks, fresh fruit, and breakfast items; milk, creamer;
sugar; paper towels; disposable hot and cold cups;
preemie clothes and diapers.

TRINITY GLEN & TRINITY ELMS - Fingernail files, nail
polish, note cards

IBRAHAM FOOD PANTRY - Shampoo, laundry soap,
dish soap (all available at Dollar Tree)

EECC - WalMart 5 oz. cups (case) for \$246 (3,000
cups)



Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11
Psalm 126
1 Thessalonians 5:16-24
John 1:6-8, 19-28

12/3/17 ATTENDANCE

Attendance	174
Visitors	20
Holden Evening Prayer	46

We extend our Christian love and sympathy to

Karl Florian and his family at the death of his brother-in-law,
Joseph Graham.

The family and friends of Dick Bledsoe at his death.

Jennie Hinshaw and her family at the death of her sister-in-
law, Priscilla Mauney.

Warren Sparrow and his family at the death of his daughter,
Dora.

Zach Baker and his family at the death of his grandfather,
Robert Yost.