**Announcements**

**Meetings & Events**

Sunday, December 18th Children’s Christmas Program

Wednesday, December 21st Advent Service 7pm

Saturday, December 24th Christmas Eve Service 7pm

**PLEASE LEAVE ATTENDANCE SHEETS**

 Please remember to fill out the attendance sheet you will find in your bulletin and leave it on the pew when you leave today. Even if you don’t use the attendance sheet, please leave it on the pew and the elders will collect them after the service. The blank sheets will be reused.

**2023 CALENDARS AVAILABLE**

 If you are in need of a calendar for 2023, please help yourself to one (or more) on the ledge by the door.

**2023 OFFERING ENVELOPES**

 Your offering envelopes for 2023 are on the table out in the narthex. Please pick yours up today.

**Advent & Christmas Season**

Sun., Dec. 18th Children’s Program 10:30am

Wed., Dec. 21st Advent Worship 7:00pm

 Meal hosted by Stewardship

Sat., Dec. 24th Christmas Eve Candlelight 7:00pm

 with Communion

Sun., Dec. 25th Worship w/Communion 10:30am

Sun., Jan. 1st Worship 10:30am

*There will be a potluck meal at 6:00pm*

*in the fellowship hall prior to each*

*Advent service at 7:00pm*

**SERVING THIS MONTH**

**Greeters:** Becky Kline

**Altar Guild:** Bev LeSarge

**SERVING TODAY SERVING NEXT WEEK 12/25/2022**

**Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry **Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry

**Elder:** Ted Bromley **Elder:** Steve Myers

**Accomp:** William Bankstahl **Accomp:** William Bankstahl

**Acolyte:** Sarah & Leah Sherry **Acolyte:** Anna Bradford

**Reader:** Pastor **Reader:** Pastor

**ATTENDANCE**: 12/11/2022

WORSHIP: 65 BIBLE STUDY: 0

**FIRST FRUITS TRACKER WEEK ENDING:** 12/11/2022

Offering Receipts: $11,337.24 YTD Budget Receipts: $139,311.86

Weekly Budget Needs: $ 2,755.42 YTD Budget Needs: $137,771.00



**Special Prayers**

Bill Bankstahl Rita Merkey Phyllis Schramski

McAnn Bradford Jim Poellet Terri Vertalka

Amelia Hosler Shirley Poellet Karen Voigt

Joan Malmgren Steve Schimke Sheldon Voigt

A prayer of thanks for successful surgery for Amelia Hosler.

**Prayers for Our Military**

**Andrew Burch**, **Jr**., grandson of John & Loree Sprawka.

**Mark Granzotto** with U.S. Navy in Bahrain, grandson of Rita Merkey

**Carol Sprawka,** daughter-in-law of John & Loree Sprawka

**Derek Sprawka,** grandson of John & Loree Sprawka

**Alyssa & Trevor Eisenlohr** siblings both with the U.S. Navy, friends of Janette & Fred May

**Ian Nelson,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Tyge Nelson & family,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Capt. Tim Brandt** at Madigan Medical Center, Fort Lewis, WA, son of Bruce & Debbie Brandt

***If you wish to add someone’s name, please call or e-mail the church office.***

**MEMORIALS FOR CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS**

Tim & Janice Chandler In Memory of Carolyn Van Aelst

Kathy Cyr In Memory of Kenneth & Maxine Schimke

Diane Hanson In Memory of Herb & Ruth Schimke and

 In Honor of Grandchildren Noah, Abigail & Joshua

Lynn Hilliard & Family In Memory of David Hilliard

Dave & Sue Johnson In Memory of Morris & Mary Lou Armbruster

 and Warren Johnson

George & Sue Kahl In Memory of Loved Ones

Marv & Joan Malmgren In Memory of Loved Ones

Joel & Carol Meister In Memory of Loved Ones

Bud & Jan Reckow In Memory of Loved Ones

Darrell & Pam Richardson In Memory of Loved Ones

Rodney & Jerilyn Schimke In Memory of Loved Ones

John & Kathy Schoedel In Memory of Loved Ones

Pastor & Jessica Sherry In Memory of Beth Sherry