

Weekly News & Notes

Lamb of God Lutheran Church, Columbus, OH

January 10, 2016

*This Week at Lamb of God
(Jan 11-Jan17)*

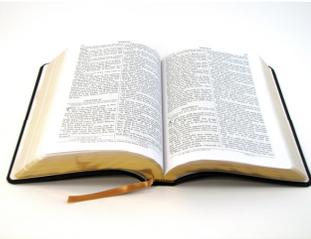
Serving Our Lord

- Cleaning: Nancy Gregory
- Bulletins: Fran Woodruff
- Accompanist: Rhea Franks
- Bible Study Refreshments: Franks Family
- Greeter: Diane Jensen
- Ushers: David Chen and Chuck Sigrist

Events

- *Tuesday, January 12*
 - 6:00 pm—Youth Confirmation Class
 - 7:00 pm—Church Council Meeting
- *Wednesday, January 13*
 - 11:00 am—Bible Basics
 - 6:15 pm—Choir Rehearsal
 - 7:15 pm—Bible Study: Ecclesiastes
 - 7:00 & 9:00 pm—WELS Online Bible Study
- *Sunday, January 17*
 - 9:15 am—Sunday School and Bible Study
 - 10:30 am—Worship

“Thought for this Week”



Read Acts 16:25-34

What a difference faith makes in our lives. Paul and Silas faced the adversity of

jail with prayers and hymns. In contrast, when an earthquake opened the doors of the prison, the unbelieving jailer was about to kill himself. With faith we can face adversity because we know that we are at peace with God. In baptism we are made children of God and heirs of sal-

vation. The gospel of forgiveness in Jesus Christ was brought to the jailer in Word and baptism. What a difference faith made in his life. We support missions with our offerings so that many people can experience the hope and joy of the jailer of Philippi.

Mission Prayer: Japan

Lord of the Church, we praise you for allowing Aganai Lutheran Church to proclaim your saving gospel in Japan for 50 years. Thank you for your grace to this church in the



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past. Sustain them in their faithful witness to Jesus in the fu-

ture. Spur us in our zeal for mission work as we see once again how you richly bless our prayers, support, and offerings in carrying out your Great Commission. Amen.

If you have news, upcoming events, or prayer requests that you would like published in the weekly newsletter, please contact Katie Chen (katiesl@hotmail.com).

New Bible Studies

Start 2016 off right with these new Bible Studies:

Do you have joy in your life? Are there things that rob joy from your life? Do you wish you had the secret to joy in all circumstances? Today we continue a study of **“Everyday Joy for Everyday Christians,”** a

study of the book of Philippians, the apostle Paul’s “letter of joy.” Set aside an hour to join us and find joy in life **Sundays at 9:15 am.**

Does life sometimes feel like a meaningless rat race? Do your days sometimes feel like chasing after the wind? What really matters in life? Join us **Wednesdays at 7:15 pm** for

“Living a Life that Matters,” a study of the book of Ecclesiastes, in which wise King Solomon explores such timeless questions.

Finally, WELS is offering an online bible study, **“Who Is Your God?”** Wednesdays, January 13-February 3, at 7:00 & 9:00 pm. Visit www.wels.net/interactivefaith to participate.

Mystery Dinner

Our next Mystery Dinner will be on Friday, January 22. The meeting time and place will be announced closer to the date.

Dinner should cost about \$10-\$15 per person. RSVP to David Chen is encouraged. The purpose of these dinners is to give us a chance to sit down as a

church family to share our stories and encourage each other. Everyone is free to go after dinner in their own time. Contact David Chen with questions.

Evangelism Committee

Do you have ideas for ways for

us to share Jesus with our community? Are you interested in helping to plan outreach efforts? The evangelism commit-

tee is looking for a few more people to join them. Contact Pastor Wagner for information.

Update Your Info

We distribute a calendar every month that includes the birthdays and wedding anniversaries you have asked us to share. If you haven’t seen

yours listed (or aren’t sure if it is) and would like it shared, please email LambofGod-Columbus@gmail.com. If any of your contact information (mailing or email address, phone numbers) has changed

in the past year, please give the updated information to Pastor Wagner **by January 17**, so that we can publish an updated membership directory. Thank you.

Prayer Requests

Please keep in your prayers this week:

- Shut-ins: Kitty, Dot, Julie, Betty, Monty
- Serving in the military (or reserves): Ross, Garrett, Dane
- College students: Ian, Janet, Jessica, Zoe

Request prayers of your pastor and/or your fellow Christians using a prayer request form by the mailboxes or online at

LambofGodColumbus.org/prayers

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Give Thanks to the Lord!

Attendance:

Worship (1/3):	42
Sunday Bible Study:	14
Sunday School (w/teachers):	8