



LAMB OF GOD LUTHERAN CHURCH, COLUMBUS, OH
WEEKLY NEWS & NOTES

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NEW WORSHIP & BIBLE STUDY SERIES

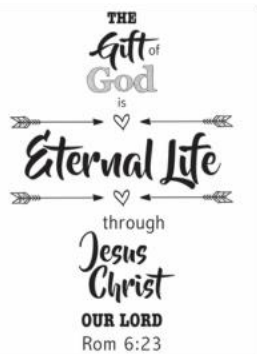
Thank you. Only two words, but when spoken from a thankful heart they express what God desires from Christians—an appreciation of blessings. Our gracious God showers us daily with a multitude of blessings—and many times we don't see them.

Join us January 15-29 for a three-week worship and bible study series called **"364 Days of Thanksgiving"** that will help you refocus on God's gifts and live each day with gratitude.



WOMEN'S RETREAT

The 2017 **Today's Christian Women's Retreat** will be April 1-2 in Bay City, MI. The theme is "The Gift of God is Eternal Life through Jesus Christ, our Lord," Romans 6:23. Information and registration are available in the fellowship hall or at www.tcwr.org (password: retreat).



MEN'S RALLY

Men Alive! is a group of WELS Christian men who encourage one another to live their lives in service to our Savior and his people. Their 2017 rally will be Saturday, February 18, in Bay City, MI. Find more information in the fellowship hall or at www.menalivebalm.org.



Note that Lamb of God will subsidize 50% of registration and lodging costs (up to \$100) for WELS events. Submit subsidy requests to Pastor Wagner.

**Give Thanks
to the Lord!**

Attendance: (1/1)

Sunday Worship:	38
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INTERACTIVE FAITH COMING FEBRUARY 1

The next Interactive Faith online Bible study will begin Wednesday, February 1. The sessions will be offered live every Wednesday in February at 7 pm and 9 pm. The study, led by Rev. Randy Hunter from St. Andrew, Middleton,

Wis., will be discussing “Mysterious Marriage,” a study on building a Christian marriage. Participate in a group or individually at wels.net/interactivefaith.

2017 OFFERING ENVELOPES

Pick up your 2017 offering envelopes by the mailboxes today. Please use the offering planning worksheet to prayerfully reflect on your blessings and plan your gifts to the Lord. (It does not need to be returned.)

Children’s offering envelopes are also available in the fellowship hall. If your child doesn’t have any or is almost out, pick up a new box. Envelopes can be used for offerings for Church or our Sunday School mission offerings.

INK & TONER CARTRIDGES NEEDED

If you have empty ink or toner cartridges, consider donating them to our church. We can recycle each cartridge for \$2 in office supplies, saving

over \$200/year. Place them in the green-covered container under the rack across from Pastor’s office.

DIRECT THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS

Eligible Thrivent Financial members who have been designated Choice Dollars have until March 31 to direct 2016 Choice Dollars. Don’t miss this opportunity to recommend that Thrivent Financial provide grant funding

to Lamb of God. Go to thrivent.com/thriventchoice to learn more and find program terms and conditions. Or call 800-847-4836 and say “Thrivent Choice” after the prompt.

PRAYER REQUESTS



Please keep in your prayers this week:

- Shut-ins: Kitty, Dot, Monty, Jocelyn, Jeri
- Military (or reserves): Garrett, Dane
- College Students: Ian, Janet, Zoe, Matthew
- Pastor Snowden G. Sims, who is deliberating a call to serve Saint John Lutheran Church in St. John’s, Antigua
- Charlie Genteline, who is recovering from colon cancer surgery

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

This Week: January 9-15

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
6:30pm—Evangelism Committee Meeting	6:00pm—Youth Confirmation Class 7:00pm—Church Council Meeting	6:15pm—Choir Rehearsal				9:15—Sunday School & Bible Study 10:30am—Worship

Serving at Lamb of God January 9-14

- Cleaning: Franks Family
- Bulletins: Fran Woodruff

Serving at Lamb of God January 15

- Bible Study Refreshments: Chen Family
- Worship Refreshments: Blinsky Family
- Accompanist: Rhea Franks
- Ushers: Jerry Ross and Brian Burrows