



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

DECEMBER 10, 2017

DIVINE CALL RECEIVED

Pastor Wagner has received a divine call to serve as associate Pastor at Morrison Zion Lutheran Church in Greenleaf, Wisconsin. Members are encouraged to ask questions and share thoughts with Pastor as he deliberates where he can

best use his gifts in ministry. Members are also asked to fill out the "Challenges, Opportunities, and Pastoral Needs" survey available from Pastor Wagner.

CHRISTMAS WORSHIP TIMES

Join us at the manger, as we celebrate our Savior's birth. Pray now for a friend or family member whom you can invite to join you for these special services.

- Sunday, December 24, 10:30 am - 4th Sunday in Advent Service with Holy Communion
- Sunday, December 24, 7:00 pm - Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

- Monday, December 25, 9:00 am - Christmas Day Festival Service
- Sunday, December 31, 10:30 am - New Years Eve Worship

Note that there will not be Bible Study or Sunday School on December 24 or December 31.

WELS COLUMBUS ADVENT SERVICE

On Wednesday, December 13, at 7:00 pm, our Columbus-area WELS congregations will gather for worship in a special Advent Service of Word and Song at Shepherd of Peace Lutheran Church, 520 Village Park Dr., Powell OH. Pastor Snowden Sims will preach,

and choirs from all four congregations will participate, as we celebrate and anticipate the light that Jesus brings into the world under the theme, "The Night Will Soon Be Ending." A time for refreshments and fellowship will follow the service.

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**Give Thanks
to the Lord!**

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR CHILDREN'S SERVICE

Beautiful Savior Lutheran School in Grove City will hold their annual Children's Christmas Service in their Activity Center on Wednesday, December 20, at 7:00 pm. Five children from Lamb of God are students in the

school. You are invited to hear them announce the good news of Christmas in word and song.



ALPHA CENTER CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS

Lamb of God is partnering with the Alpha Pregnancy Help Center and hosting a Christmas celebration for those served by their ministry. It will be this Saturday, December 16, from 10:00 – noon. There will be crafts, games, refreshments. English and Spanish devotions, and other activities. There are several ways you can help:

- Donate \$5 gift cards for teens or \$1

gifts for bingo prizes.

- Donate diapers (any size)
- Make a financial donation using the envelope in your mailbox
- Donate your time or food items (see bulletins board in the fellowship hall).

Most importantly, pray for this event and the families who will be served.

Thank you!

2018 OFFERING ENVELOPES

Offering Envelopes for 2018 are now available in the fellowship hall. Please pick yours up as soon as possible, but do not use them until the new year.

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. Children's envelopes can be used for offerings for Church or our Sunday School mission offerings.



OUR MISSION

Rooted in Christ's love, we are devoted to growing together in God's Word and to proclaiming Christ in our community and world.

TOGETHER IN WORD

Lamb of God produces a weekly resource to use for personal and family devotions and prayer. Pick up a copy of "Together in the Word" in the entryway, or download it from our website.

This Week: December 11-17

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	4:00p—Youth Confirmation Class	7:00p—WELS Columbus Advent Service at Shepherd of Peace, Powell	6:15p—Choir Rehearsal 7:30p - Elders Meeting		10:00a—Alpha Pregnancy Center Christmas Party	9:15a— Christian Education Hour 10:30a—Divine Service

Serving at Lamb of God Dec 11-16

- Cleaning: Burrows Family
- Bulletins: Fran Woodruff

Serving at Lamb of God Dec 17

- Accompanist: Rhea Franks
- Ushers: David Chen & Owen Franks
- Counters: Dave Szczublewski & David Chen
- Bible Study Refreshments: Szczublewski Family