

# Weekly News & Notes

Lamb of God Lutheran Church, Columbus, OH

December 13, 2015

*This Week at Lamb of God  
(Dec 14-20)*

## Serving Our Lord

- Cleaning: Burrows Family
- Bulletins: Bev Oldham
- Accompanist: Rhea Franks
- Bible Study Refreshments: Fiecko Family
- Worship Refreshments: Rader Family
- Ushers: Jeff Rader and Ben Hallauer

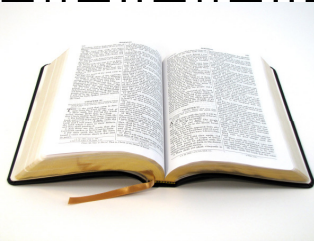
## Events

- *Tuesday, December 15*  
6:00 pm—Youth Confirmation Class
- *Wednesday, December 16*  
6:15 pm—Choir Rehearsal
- *Thursday, December 17*  
6:15 pm—Bible Basics
- *Sunday, December 20*  
9:15 am—Sunday School & Bible Study  
10:30 am—Worship

## Happy Birthday

Dec 13 – Einar Groething  
Dec 13 – Kimberly Ross

## “Thought for this Week”



*Read 1 Thessalonians  
5:16-24*

Why should we be joyful, pray, and give

thanks? Why should we bring our generous offerings to support the Church? Why should we worship and praise him? Here's why: He loved us before we were born. He provided a Savior before we sinned, his perfect Son who carried our

sins on the cross and triumphed over death three days later. When we realize this, our hearts will overflow with thanks to him and we will want to do everything we can to please him, serve him, and bring others to him.

## Mission Prayer: India

Lord, lost souls in India need your care. Guide the pastors, evangelists, and mission counselors whose gospel witness builds up your believers and reaches



out to the many who

do not yet know you as the Savior. Defend and bless your church. May the gospel catch fire through the power of your Holy Spirit. Grant it for Jesus' sake. 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).

## Sunday School Schedule

Note that there will not be Sunday School or Bible Study on Sunday,

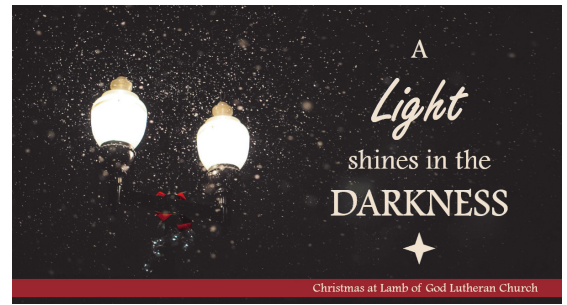
December 27. Classes will resume on January 3.

### Christmas Worship

Join us at the manger, as we celebrate our Savior's birth. Our Christmas Eve Candlelight Service will be December 24 at 7:00 pm, and our Christmas Day Festival Service will be December 25 at 9:00 am.

Postcards are now available to use to invite others to join you!

Join us after worship today to help process the postcards for our Christmas mailing to our neighbors and prospects.



### Christmas Concerts

Hear the Christmas message in song in these online concerts:

- *Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary*: today at 4:00 pm (livestream.com/wlslive)

- *Luther Preparatory School*: today at 4:00 pm and Thursday, December 17 at 11:00 am (livestream.com/lps)

### My Son, My Savior DVDs

Copies of *My Son, My Savior*, which portrays the birth, life,

and death of Jesus and its significance for Mary and for us, are available in the fellowship

hall. Buy one for yourself for \$5.00, and get one free to give to an unchurched friend.

### Food for the Needy

As the weather gets colder, re-

quests for help increase. Bring non-perishable food items any-

time to stock our shelves to help those in need.

### Offering Envelopes

With your 2016 offering envelopes, you will find a letter and

offering planning worksheet from the church council. The worksheet is for your planning and does not need to be re-

turned. Contact Pastor Wagner or a church council member with any questions.

### Children's Envelopes

New children's offering enve-

lopes are now available in the fellowship hall. If your child is almost out, pick up a new box.

Envelopes can be used for offerings for Church or our Sunday School mission offerings.

### Prayer Requests

Please keep in your prayers this week:

- Shut-ins: Kitty, Dot, Julie, Betty, Monty, Mike
- Serving in the military (or reserves): Ross, Garrett, Dane
- Expectant mothers: Katie Chen & Elisabeth Wagner
- College students: Ian, Janet, Jessica, Zoe
- Zion Lutheran School, Toledo

*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:

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| Worship (12/6):             | 52 |
| Sunday Bible Study:         | 18 |
| Sunday School (w/teachers): | 13 |