

Weekly News & Notes

Lamb of God Lutheran Church, Columbus, OH

December 6, 2015

*This Week at Lamb of God
(Dec 7-Dec 13)*

Serving Our Lord

- Cleaning: McGory Family
- Bulletins: Jocelyn Ritter
- Accompanist: Elisabeth Wagner
- Bible Study Refreshments: Peyton Family
- Worship Refreshments: Ross Family
- Ushers: David Chen and Charlie Genteline

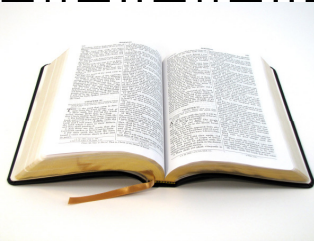
Events

- *Monday, December 7*
6:15 pm—Choir Rehearsal
- *Tuesday, December 8*
6:00 pm—Youth Confirmation Class
7:00 pm—Church Council Meeting
- *Wednesday, December 9*
7:00 pm—WELS Columbus Advent Service at Shepherd of Peace, Powell
- *Sunday, December 13*
9:15 am—Sunday School & Bible Study
10:30 am—Worship with Holy Communion
11:45 am—Church Christmas Decorating

Happy Birthday

Dec 6—Lori Burrows

“Thought for this Week”



Read Isaiah 40:1-11

In his infinite love and mercy, our faith-

ful God supplies the great gifts of our salvation: his saving Word that proclaims salvation and his messengers to proclaim that sure salvation to a world full of sinners. He entrusts that saving Word and

its proclamation to us. Our stewardship of it and the opportunities he gives to support that kingdom work with the other blessings he bestows is our loving response to this saving grace and love.

Mission Prayer: Christian Aid and Relief

Lord of the Nations, give us a heart like yours, which cares. You care for the fatherless and widow. You care for the vulnerable and hurting. Move us to put your compassion into action. Guide the work of WELS Christian

Aid and Relief as they reach out to those who have suf-



fered calamity or provide humanitarian aid to those in need. Use the assistance we give to turn hearts to you, our kind-hearted Lord. In the name of him who showed immeasurable compassion for us. 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).

Children's Envelopes

New children's offering envelopes 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.

Deck the Halls

To **donate poinsettias** to beautify our church for Christ-

mas, sign up in the entryway by today, December 6. Stay after worship next Sun-

day, December 13, to help **decorate our church** for Christmas. Bring a snack or drink to share, if you wish.

Christmas Concerts

Hear the Christmas message in song in these online concerts:

- *Martin Luther College*: today at 5:00 pm (livestream.com/mlc-streams)
- *Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary*: December 13 at 4:00 pm

(livestream.com/wslive)

- *Luther Preparatory School*: December 13 at 4:00 pm and December 17 at 11:00 am (livestream.com/lps)

Advent Service

In the midst of the hustle and bustle of December, re-discover the joyful anticipation of Jesus' coming in our annual WELS

Columbus Advent Service, Wednesday, December 9, at 7:00pm at Shepherd of Peace Lutheran Church, 520 Village Park Dr, Powell. The service

will feature the choirs from all four congregations. Refreshments will be served after the service. Contact Pastor Wagner if you need help finding a ride.

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.

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.

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

Contact Information

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Give Thanks to the Lord!

Attendance:

Worship (11/25):	27
Worship (11/29):	50
Sunday Bible Study:	25
Sunday School (w/teachers):	10