

First Sunday of Advent, November 29, 2020



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CURRENT WORSHIP GUIDELINES

- **All attending worshippers are required to wear a protective mask.**
- **Social distancing will be practiced in the building at all times.**
- **We will sing hymns today. Your mouth must be covered with a mask during this time of singing.**
- **Today's spoken worship service includes Holy Communion.**

CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS – The Annual Budget Meeting will be on **Sunday, December 6th**, immediately following the church service. A Special Congregational Meeting will immediately follow the Budget Meeting to vote on NALC proposals.

PRAYERS NEEDED: Corey Messing had emergency back surgery a few weeks ago and now is in a wheel chair. He planned on going through intense therapy at the Lighthouse Outpatient facility, however, he had further health complications. Corey and Rachel have three young girls and Corey will be off work indefinitely. Let's cheer up Corey and Rachel with prayers, cards of support, or gift cards. We pray that God wraps his arms around this young family and all the prayers give them both strength and support. Cards can be sent to: Corey Messing, 7052 Clabuesch Street, PO Box 95, Pigeon, MI 48755. *The Ministry of Mission Outreach.*

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX: This year the Cross Lutheran School children packed 119 shoeboxes. Thank you to all who donated items and the many hands that helped pack the shoeboxes. May the children who receive these boxes feel the love and blessing of God.

CEA POINSETTIAS – Will be delivered and ready for pickup on **Wednesday, December 2nd**. They will be in the Cross School gym and can be picked up after 2:50 p.m. If you need to pick up your order earlier in the day, please contact the school office to make different arrangements.

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THOSE IN NEED OF EXTRA SPECIAL PRAYER:

Roberta Danks, Posie Tuckey, Betty Champagne-Grimaldi, Michelle Walsh, Corey Messing, Leanne Schuette, Marilyn Baur, Marvin Trost, Clark Eidt, Kay Schuette, Bill Gray, Allen Koehler, Mary Champion, Kevin Faupel, Ezra Sturm, Kim Edler, Deann Lewis, Hope Kittel, Marilyn Blunt, Margaret McBride, and Robert Krzeszewski.

THOSE IN THE COMFORT OF THEIR HOMES: Elaine Licht, Martin Knost, and Eunice Richmond.

THOSE IN THE HONORABLE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY: Nathan Schulz and Ryan Schulz (U.S. Marines), Nicholas Swanson (U.S. Air Force), and Michael Cox (U.S. Navy), son of Kim Sears.

CEA ANNUAL CHRISTMAS FAIR – will be on **Friday, December 11th**! We are looking for any donations that we could use for our fun event. New items, handmade items, baked goods, monetary, etc. This is a fun day for the children, where they can purchase gifts for their family and friends! They will end the morning of shopping by wrapping and preparing their gifts for Christmas morning. Please help us make this another exceptional year for our children. Donations can be dropped off at the school office until the morning of Friday, Dec. 11th. Any questions, please call April at 553-0663.

BIRTHDAYS

29	Jenna Lindenberg
30	Craig Smith
1	Jordan Licht
	Denvyr Koroleski
3	Mark Trost
4	Cindy Buchholz
5	Fred Haley

ANNIVERSARIES

No anniversaries

Contributions for Sunday, 11/22 were:	\$3,146.00
Budgeted need:	<u>\$6,056.00</u>
Below Budget:	\$2,910.00