

OUR LIFE TOGETHER.. WEEK OF DEC 18 - 25, 2022

SUN 12/18: Lessons and Carols

8:30am Worship Service with Communion Sanctuary
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Worship Service with Communion Sanctuary/Online
7:00pm Confirmation Fellowship Hall

MON 12/19:

9:00am Quilters Multipurpose Room

WED 12/21:

9:15am Bible Study-Online
10:00am Bible Study Fellowship Hall
7:00pm Candlelight Advent Service Sanctuary/Online
8:00pm Choir Practice

SAT 12/24: Christmas Eve

7:00pm Christmas Eve Candlelight Service Sanctuary/Online

SUN 12/25: Christmas Day

10:00am Christmas Day Service with Communion Sanctuary/Online

**The Church Office will be closed the week after Christmas.
We will reopen on Tuesday, January 3rd. See you in the New Year!**

Online access: [Facebook.com/glcva](https://www.facebook.com/glcva) or [glcvirginia.org/video-recordings](https://www.glcvirginia.org/video-recordings)



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WELCOME TO OUR SERVICE!

If you are with us for the first time, please stop by our **Welcome Center** located in the Hallway to pick up a gift!

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS are available. Please ask an usher if you would like one.

A CHILDREN'S QUIET ROOM where parents can follow the service is available. Please ask an usher for more information.

BUDDY BAGS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN are located in the Narthex. The bright, colorful bags are hanging off the staircases for your child to choose one. Each bag has a stuffed animal, coloring book, crayons and stickers. Please return the bag after the service

FACEBOOK LIVE STREAMING Our Sunday Services and Wednesday Bible Study are being streamed on Facebook. If you are not able to make it to Grace, you can watch services Live on Facebook. Video recordings are available after the services on www.glcvirginia.org, under Worship Services-Video Recordings.





ANGEL TREE UPDATE:

Thank you to everyone who purchased Angel Tree gifts this year! “Santa’s sleigh” delivered all sixty gifts to the Salvation Army warehouse in Dumfries, VA last Monday. The women volunteers at this facility were very appreciative of our efforts stating that “Grace Lutheran” was always so generous, providing such wonderful gifts for the children! Our contributions this year included four bikes (all assembled), seven tablets, a skateboard, a hoverboard, a Princess dollhouse, a Barbie House with accessories, a pair of Nike Air Force shoes, a ride-on motorcycle, two highchairs, a kitchen toy set, lots of clothes/toys/etc. Your generosity has greatly blessed twenty underprivileged children this holiday season! Thanks again!



EDUCATION & EDIFICATION... Issues, Etc. is a radio-talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week’s interview topics include: The Movie “Avatar,” Marriage Enrichment, Looking Forward to Christmas Sunday, Jesus Heals Jairus’s Daughter and more. You can listen on-demand at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

VERSE OF THE MONTH: “Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.” Isaiah 7:14

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE THIS MONTH:

- Dec. 18th: Pastor Yun — 1 Samuel
- Dec. 25th: Cancelled
- Jan. 1st: Cancelled
- Jan. 8th: Scott Benninghoff — Apostle’s Creed

WEDNESDAY MORNING 9:15AM (Online) and 10:00 AM BIBLE STUDY:

- Dec. 21st: Pastor Martin — Judges
- Dec. 28th: Cancelled
- Jan. 4th: Pastor Martin — Judges

BOARD OF SOCIAL MINISTRY

Keep your Christmas spirit going and sign up to provide meals for the Hilda Barg Family Shelter. Grace will be serving prepared meals on January 8, 9, 10 and 11 in 2023. Look for the sign up sheet shortly after Christmas in the church narthex. Any questions about this outreach ministry, please contact Darlene Roth.

GRACE COMMUNITY PRAYERS

Send your prayer request to prayerchain@glcvirginia.org, the church office grace@glcvirginia.org or your Elder. You may also make a notation on the blue attendance cards. Prayers will remain on the list for three weeks unless otherwise noted. This week we pray for:

HEALING

- Larry Haeske
- Barbara Marr
- Linda Seeman
- Jimmy Young
- Dianne Abele (Chambers)
- Devin Bateman (Sutton)
- Cliff Clark (Potter)
- Stan Dawgert (Huff)
- Linda Douglas (Buer)
- Kathy Hoover (Stewart)
- Ray La Jeunesse (Young)
- Sarah Loesch (Haeske)
- Sandy Mortenson (Will)
- Dave Penfield (Manuel)
- Louise Ravert (Steve)
- Jack Roop (Blevins)
- Brian Seeman (Linda)
- Craig Van Campenhout (Nancy)
- Jean Williams (Owen)
- Kenny Young (Hobbs)

SERVICE MEMBERS

- Scott Benninghoff, USMC
- Dan Buer, ARNG
- Josh Chambers, USAF
- Doug Columbus, USMC
- Kerri Grimes, USAF
- Scott House, ARNG
- Thomas Howard, USA
- Nick Meier, USMC
- Joshua Noble, USA
- Andrew Rayo, USAF
- Jim Rubocki, USMC
- Tim Uecker, USAF
- James Wayenberg, USA
- Paul DeLong, USA (Fred & Carol)
- Steven Fosheim, USA (Martin)
- Randall Harvey, USAF (Herbolsheimer)
- Chris Hobbs, USAF (Ernie & Diana)
- Evan Marr, ARNG (Frank & Barbara)
- Leith Masri, ARNG (Jones)
- Adam Nasi, USAF (Paul & Robin)
- Connor Schmidt, USA (Patrick)
- Paul Steinhibel, ARNG (Vicki)
- Nathan Weiss, USSF (Gordon/Brandon)

OTHER

- Those with addiction
- Grace’s Renovation Project
- People of Ukraine

SYMPATHY family & friends of Aiden Lowry (Mortenson)



TRIAL SIZES NEEDED: When you are traveling, please remember to bring home the trial sizes of soap, shampoo, etc. that your hotel may be offering and you are not using. ACTS Hunger Prevention Center is in constant need of these items for their clients. Place any trial sizes you have in the blue bins in the hallway marked for ACTS. Please contact Debbie Willemann, if you have any questions.