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# Parish Notes

## Welcome to Worship

December 28, 2025

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*Gathered and gifted to celebrate and share the love of Jesus*

<b>SUNDAY</b>	8:30 am	-	Adult Bible Study
	9:30 am	-	Worship
	9:45 am	-	Children's Sunday School during worship
	10:30 am	-	Fellowship
<b>MONDAY</b>	9:00 am	-	Friendly Ties Quilters (1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mondays)
<b>TUESDAY</b>	11:00am	-	Bible Study
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	1:00 pm	-	Book Club
<b>THURSDAY</b>	1:00 pm	-	Shepherding Bible Study Group – (3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday)
		-	Game Day – (1 <sup>st</sup> Thursday)
	1:00 pm	-	Movie Day – (4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday) (canx this month)
	6:30 pm	-	Church Council meeting – (2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday)
<b>FRIDAY</b>	8:00 pm	-	AA and Al Anon
<b>SATURDAY</b>	10:00am	-	WELCA Ladies (Last Saturday of the Month)



## December Birthdays

Jamie McConnell	27
John Fritschle	29
<b>January Birthdays</b>	
Chloe Covell	3
Sylvia Moffet	3
Carol Jordan	5
Nicole Hertel	10
Pam Gould	15
Debra Larsen	17
Chris Sherman	17
Anne Engelby	20
Perfeus Fields	20
Gabriel Valadez	20
Pat Refsdal	22
Chase Rhees	24
Bobby Cornell	30
Edith Cryts	31



Poinsettias are available to take home today. There are plastic sleeves available to protect them from the cold.



## Upcoming Events

**Jan 10** – Women's Retreat  
**Jan 18** – Via de Cristo Ultreya  
**Jan 25** – Annual Congregational Meeting



Thank you to Marie, Cassie, and Callie Jo for providing delicious snacks for coffee hour this morning.

There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex for anyone planning on attending the Women's Retreat on January 10. The cost for the retreat is \$30. Your registration covers supplies and food for lunch.

The retreat is at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Holiday, from 10-1.

When you sign up, please indicate if you are driving, need a ride, or have extra seats in your car for someone in need.

We need to give Dana Lee our numbers by next Sunday so that she can plan accordingly.



## Celebrate your Rector(a)!

A new year / A new theme

Think back to the time when you first experienced Via de Cristo

Recall the excitement of that first weekend!

*Thank God for the difference*

*Via de Cristo has made in your life.*

AND NOW

**You are invited to a special Ultreya:**

The secretariat hopes to bring together many of the men and women who had the honor of leading one of the 71 Utah VdC weekends.

**Let's celebrate those God-given**

**72-hour courses in Christianity!**

**Our Saviour's Lutheran Church**

2500 E 3900 S in Holladay

**Sunday, January 18, 2026 3-5 PM**

Spread the Word     Bring a potluck item     Wear your name tags  
Bring clearly labeled reminders from those first Via de Cristo  
weekends for a display table.

## Please Lift Up in Prayer

- Pat & Eric Refsdal and Family
- Tracie Truitt, friend of Alyson's
- Cory, Nancy Gale's son
- Jessica Stewart, Dick Graves's daughter
- Jefferson Barrett
- Maylan Chugg, Don & Dee's granddaughter
- Chris, friend of Alyson W.
- Henry, Nancy G's grandson
- Cheryl, friend of Alyson
- Mark Hughes and family
- Dick Graves
- Suzy and her family
- Alice, Anastasia, and all the people affected by the war in Ukraine
- Brian Washburn, Kamberlynne's dad
- Terry, Dee Brown's brother
- Ruth Dupee, friend of Maria
- Lynn & Carol Benson
- Don Hughes
- Don and Dee Brown
- Sue, Sharen's sister
- Dean and Val, Mike's brother and sister-in-law
- Steve Morlan
- Diana Warkentin
- David Stuart
- Sharen's Mahjong Group
- Babs B.
- Anne E.
- Baylee Rose, Danette's grandbaby
- Judy Neilsen, Carolyn's Aunt in law
- Michelle, friend of Pastor Debra
- Paula Del Carlo
- Casey, friend of Dick Graves
- Pam Burbank
- Steve, Pastor & James' son-in-law
- Judy P.
- Patti, Shari's daughter
- John Warkentin
- Frank, Diana Warkentin's brother
- Laura V, friend of Dana
- Rodney, Rhonda Joa's brother
- Lisa Samples, friend of Kelly
- Grace Bowen (Scothern)
- Patty Lighty, friend of Dick Graves
- Bill Britt, friend of Pastor Debra

## †Praying for Loved Ones in the Military or deployed:

- Steve Johnson
- Kaleb Tarr, Ethan Lee, Michael Connelly (deployed 13 July 17, 2021)
- Dariyan Edsinger
- Mason Bushey and his wife Ida, and family
- Brody Wilcock
- Renee Kiel
- Justin Kiel
- Kris Kiel
- Matt Malde
- Jason Chugg
- Alex Treadway

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, or would like to be added to our Prayer Warrior email group, please send Kelly an email  
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**December/January  
Ascension Ministries**

 <b>SUN</b>	 <b>WORSHIP ASST</b>	 <b>ALTAR GUILD</b>	 <b>USHERS</b>	 <b>GREETERS</b>	 <b>ANNOUNCEMENT S</b>	 <b>COUNTERS</b>
Dec 28	Kelly Martin	Kim Engelby	James Jimenez	Joanna Wolf	Council Member	Joanna Wolf
Jan 4	Russ Smith	Kim Engelby	Todd & Renee Hart	John & Diana Warkentin	Council Member	Renee Hart
Jan 11	Arliss Zimmerman	Kim Engelby	Patti Hall & Stefani Rhees	CJ Jordan	Council Member	CJ Jordan
Jan 18	Andee Engelby	Kim Engelby	Sharen Kamp	Stefani Rhees	Council Member	Paula Del Carlo
Jan 25	Russ Smith	Kim Engelby	James Jimenez	Joanna Wolf	Council Member	Joanna Wolf

If you have articles or information for the parish notes this week, they need to be to Kelly by 5pm this Friday.