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Parish Notes

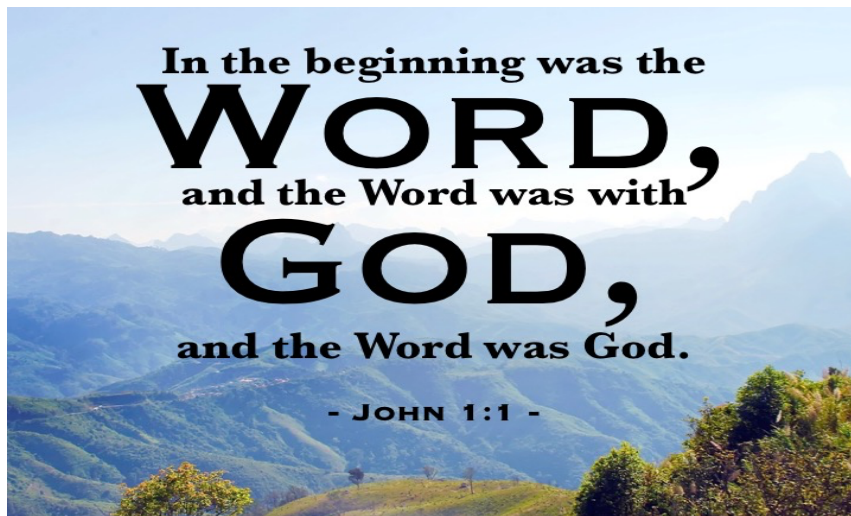
Welcome to Worship

December 29, 2024

Pastor Debra Jimenez
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Gathered and gifted to celebrate and share the love of Jesus

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



December Birthdays

Jamie McConnell	27
John Fritschle	29

January Birthdays

Sylvia Moffet	3
CJ Jordan	5
Pam Gould	15
Debra Larsen	17
Anne Engelby	20
Pat Refsdal	22
Chase Rhees	24
Bobby Cornell	30
Edith Cryts	31

Upcoming Events

- Jan 2** – Game Day @1
- Jan 6** – Quilting @ 9
- Jan 9** – Council Meeting
- Jan 11** – Women’s Retreat



Thanks to The Denniston’s for providing treats for coffee hour.

Annual Ministry Reports are due to Nicole by December 31. Please email them to nishane2020@gmail.com.

Holiday Gifts for Cantor Singers,

Musicians and Staff As we reflect upon the past year, we celebrate, honor, and thank Pastor Debra and each of our musicians for their exemplary service to others. Countless hours are spent each week by these individuals to ensure each service is filled with heavenly music. Have you enjoyed the children's bell choir? Been moved by a particular song? Had Pastor Debra check in on you? As we reflect, we also seek to show how much each of these individuals mean to our worship experience. This Sunday, December 29 will be our FINAL opportunity to collect funds to show our appreciation. Please consider making a gift this year by providing cash to Christie Denniston who will distribute funds in the new year. Thank you.

Christmas Poinsettias If you purchased a poinsettia, you can take them home today after the worship service. Pat has saved the sleeves to make them easier to transport.



New Opportunities to Help

There are some new opportunities to help with lightweight church tasks for those who would like to participate in our church life and help maintain our church properties.

1. We are looking for an individual to help schedule and oversee the worship assistants that participate in our worship services each week. See Pat Refsdal for the details.
2. We are also looking for someone to help post and oversee the Coffee Hour Treat Schedule. See Pat Refsdal for the details.
3. There is now an opportunity for someone to help coordinate with Gary our custodian; inventory needed cleaning supplies; and order those supplies for the ALC and CLC buildings. See Pat Refsdal for the specific details and budget in



Curious About Joy – A Women’s Christmas Retreat

Saturday, January 11, 2025

10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Mt. Tabor Lutheran Church, Salt Lake City, UT

Led by Pastor and Spiritual Director, DanaLee Simon

Please join us at this Utah Conference event that will include brunch, connection in community and an exploration around our theme, “Curious About Joy”. Bring some friends from your congregation and enjoy the time together that will be filled with poetry, music, meaningful conversations, and spiritual practices.

The registration fee for this retreat is \$25. Scholarships are available. Please let Pastor DanaLee know if you are in need of one. Please register by Sunday, January 5th, so we can plan the appropriate amount of food. E-mail DanaLee at sagehillwisdom@gmail.com and let her know you will be attending. Include your name, phone number and congregation.

Please Lift Up in Prayer:

- Tracie Truitt, friend of Alyson's
- Cory, Nancy Gale's son
- Pam Burbank
- 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
- Heidi, Diane Shultz' sister-in-law
- Dick Graves
- Jack, Pastor Debra's nephew
- Suzy and her family
- Bill, Linda's brother
- Alice, Anastasia, and all the people affected by the war in Ukraine
- Brian Washburn, Kamberlynn's dad
- Terry, Dee Brown's brother
- Charlie Tufts
- Kim, Kelly's sister
- Judy, friend of Shellie
- Mary, Sharen's daughter-in-law
- Ruth Dupee, friend of Maria
- Lynn & Carol Benson
- Don Hughes
- Betsy Daley, friend of Nicole
- Lara and her husband, Nicole's sister and brother-in-law
- 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
- Ann Shane
- Jed M, a cadet at Kelly's school
- Chelsea, Nancy's niece
- Calvin Schalk Jr, his wife Janel and Calvin Sr, and Diana
- Glenn and Tonya, Shelie's brother and his wife
- Babs
- Anne E.
- Sara, friend of Sharen

†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 jeffnkelly2@msn.com

December/Jan Ministries
Ascension Ministries

 SUN	 WORSHIP ASST	 ALTAR GUILD	 USHERS	 GREETERS	 ANNOUNCEMENTS	 COUNTERS
Dec 1	Katie Young	Kim Engelby	Todd & Renee Hart	Pat Refsdal	Kelly Martin	Renee Hart
Dec 8	Mark Denniston	Kim Engelby	Patti Hall & Stefani Rhees	Joanna Wolf	Kelly Martin	Mark Denniston
Dec 15	Arless Zimmerman	Kim Engelby		Stefani Rhees	Kelly Martin	Paula Del Carlo
Dec 22	Kelly Martin	Kim Engelby	James Jimenez	CJ Jordan	Kelly Martin	CJ Jordan
Dec 29	Patti Hall	Kim Engelby	Dave Filanda	??	Kelly Martin	Pat Refsdal
Jan 5	Kim Engelby	Kim Engelby	Todd & Renee Hart	John & Diana Warkentin	Cindy Day	Renee Hart

If you have articles or information for the parish notes, please send them to Kelly by Friday afternoon.