# **Christmas Midnight (December 24th, 2018)**

Welcome in the Name of Jesus! May the Triune God who gathers us around Himself in the Word and Sacrament to bless us with His forgiveness this night be your source of comfort, strength, and renewal as you worship today. Please register your attendance on the cards in the pew. Blessings, and do come again!

## **Communion Statement**

Please register for communion by filling out the back of the attendance card provided in the pew. If you are not a communicant member of Our Savior Lutheran Church, please speak with a Pastor or an Elder before Communion. See the back of the card in the pew for more details about our Communion practice, and these Bible passages: Acts 2:42; 1 Corinthians 10:17, 11:26; Romans 16:17.

## **Introit**

Peace.

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light.

To us a child is born.

His name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, **Everlasting Father, Prince of** 

The LORD reigns; he is robed in majesty; the LORD is robed; he has put on strength as his belt.

Yes, the world is established; it shall never be moved.

Your throne is established from of old; you are from everlasting.

Your decrees are very trustworthy; holiness befits your house, O LORD, forevermore.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning,

is now, and will be forever. Amen. The people who walked in darkness have

seen a great light.

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# What's Happening This Week

**Today:** Christmas Eve Church Office Closed

5:00 PM Christmas Program

11:00 PM Christmas Midnight Service (LS)

Church Office Closed **Tuesday:** Christmas Dau

9:30 AM Christmas Day Service (LS)



## Serving in Worship

Elder: Don Payton (Monday 11:00),

Bryan Bell (Tuesday 9:30).

**Elder Apprentice:** Trent Rysell

(Monday 11:00).

Altar Guild: Jeanne Payton (Monday 11:00), Linda Correll

(Tuesday 9:30).

Ushers: Volunteer (Monday 11:00),

Volunteer (Tuesday 9:30).

Ushers Next Week: Volunteer

(8:00), Volunteer (10:45)

**Organist:** Susan Brown (Monday 11:00), Veronica Fearneyhough

(Tuesday 9:30). Flowers: None

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Confession and Absolution

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#### In our prayers this week:

Pastor Edward Schmidt (Elaine White) [12/20]

 $Carissa, Cancer\ Treatments\ (Friend\ of\ Brittany\ Mitchell) [12/18]$ 

Norm Fisher, Stroke Recovery (Friend of Pastor Scheer)[12/18]

Mark Bode, Cancer (Cousin of Pastor Scheer)[12/18]

Davenne Glandt, Health[12/18]

Moe, Cancer (Friend of Sharon Judd)[12/18]

Nathan O'Grady [12/18]

Brian Shenefelt, MS Cure (Susan Murphy)[12/18]

Bob Shupe, Health Concerns [12/18]

Joe J., Cancer Treatments (Friend of Bob and Kathy Banker)

[12/18]

Orpha Paape (Wendy Snell's Mother) [12/16]

Safe Travels For All During the Holiday Season (Jenny Barclay) [12/16] Kathie Peterson, Kidney Transplant and Cancer Treatment (Friend

Pastor Vernon Boelke, Cancer (Jenny Barclay) [12/16]

Judy Mosshammer, Surgery Recovery (Mother of Taya Bass and Greg Mosshammer) [12/16]

Jean Burnett, Surgery (Sister-In-Law of Dale and Bev Mattox) [12/16] Jeremiah Lindsay, Patience, Kindness and Forgiveness [12/16]

Pastor Boche, Thanks For Successful Surgery and Continued Recovery [12/12]

Jhun Vinluan, Traumatic Brain Injury Worsened [12/12]  $\,$ 

Odie Turner, Acute Flaccid Myelitis (Friend of Kim Conner)[12/10] Jan Lewis, Cancer Surgery (Friend of Brenda McCann)[12/9]

Tessa Barclay, Life and Faith Challenges (Great Niece of Jenny Barclay)
[12/9]

David Gulbranson, Stem Cell Procedure In Progress (Brother of Diane Sellenrick)[12/9]

Violet Hoffland, Back Injury (Mother of Mike Hoffland)[12/6]

Holliann Watson, Faith and Strength [12/2]

Karen Terrell, Heart Surgery Recovery (Sister of Kathy Siltzer)[12/2] Kathie Peterson, Kidney Transplant and Cancer Treatment (Friend and Co-Worker of Jerry Schuman)[12/2]



## **Congregational Announcements**

- 1. Please Take Note! There will be none of the following activities this coming week: Life Light Bible Study, Choir practice, Confessions Bible Study or 1:11 PM Bible Study. These activities will resume the following week.
- 2. **Youth New Year's Eve Party** ~ Parents of OSLC youth, please plan to have your children aged 6th Grade-High School attend this year's New Year's Eve Celebration. This year's event will be filled with fun activities including a movie, dinner provided at the church and games to ring in the New Year. Please bring a snack to share! Plan to drop your youth off at the church at 12:30 pm. We will wrap up the festivities no later than 10:00 pm. For more information, please speak to Colby White.
- **3. Un-Decorate the Church** ~ On January 4th at 9:00 am we will be meeting to un-decorate the church. Please come help to take down the Christmas decorations. Help with this project is greatly appreciated!
- **4. Christmas Light Take Down** ~ Please come help us take down the Christmas lights along Dell Range on Saturday, January 5<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am. We will again have the help of a lift to assist in this project. Thank you to everyone for your help!
- **5. Ladies birthday Luncheon at Culver's** ~ January 7th at 11:30 am. All ladies are welcome to join in this get together held the first Monday of each month!
- **6. A Special Thank You** ~ A BIG thank you to all who donated items, gift cards and money to the Un-accompanied Student Initiative effort. Your kindness and generosity are so appreciated!
- 7. Mission Mite Minute ~ Those preparing for full time church work are assuming increasing levels of educational debt in order to prepare for ministry which can discourage young people from entering full time church work. LWML Grant #16: Educational Loan Repayment Assistance Grants will help full time church workers to pursue their calling even in settings where their income is low, by providing help with loan repayments. This national LWML grant of \$100,000 provides \$2500 toward their educational debt for each qualified full time LCMS church worker. We pray that they are encouraged in their work with the help of this debt repayment aid.

#### Needing Pastoral Care, Preschool or Administrative Info?

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