



Christ Our Savior

December 23, 2018

12 - 24 - Worship 10:00 am
3:30 & 5:00 pm
6:30 pm Candlelight
12 - 25 - Worship 10:00 am
12 - 30 - Worship 10:00 am & 6:00 pm
01 - 06 - Worship 8:30 & 10:00 am & 6:00 pm
Church Undecorating

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Office Closed

The church office will be closed on the following dates:
Monday, December 24th
Tuesday, December 25th
Monday, January 1st



Christmas Worship

Christmas Eve

10:00 a.m., 3:30, 5:00, 6:30 p.m.
(6:30 p.m. - candlelight service)

Christmas Day

10:00 a.m. with Holy Communion

Sunday, December 30th

10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Christmas Hymns by request with Holy Communion. There will be NO meal before worship, Sunday School, or Confirmation.



Christmas Worship Schedule

Christmas Gift Tags for COS

The deadline for the Giving Tree has passed, but it's not too late to make an impact. The tree has been re-stocked with various gift ideas for those who wish to make a special contribution. Suggested gifts start at only \$25.00. Your gift will benefit and sustain your Church throughout the New Year.



Heartfelt Thanks From Your Staff

Your church staff wants to thank you for your generous Christmas gifts this year. Thank you for your kindness in remembering us!

No Nursery Staff

Please be aware that the nursery will **NOT** be staffed on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day.



No Sunday School

December 23rd and 30th

We invite all children to worship with their families on these days. Sunday school classes will resume January 6th.



Sunday Morning Worship Time Change Starts in January

Starting Sunday, January 6th, Sunday morning worship services will be at 8:30 and 10:00 a.m. The early service will continue to be traditional and the 10:00 a.m. worship service will be contemporary. We also worship Sunday evenings at 6:00 p.m. led by Heather Uzowulu on guitar. Sunday School will be held during the 10:00 a.m. worship service and following the 6:00 p.m. worship service from 6:35 to 7:15 p.m. Confirmation instruction and Adult Learning is also held at 6:35 p.m. A healthy meal is available at 5:00 p.m. for those who so desire. There are usually 50-70 people joining us for dinner. Holy Communion will be celebrated at all Sunday worship services.

NEW SERVICE TIMES

Undecorating the Church

Sunday, January 6th

A few people are needed to help take down the Christmas decorations. We will be meeting after the 10:00 a.m. worship service on Sunday, January 6th. The more hands, the quicker the work! For more information contact Chris Liedtke at cliedtke@wi.rr.com.



Merry Christmas

10:00 a.m.
HOST: Kris Pena
ALTAR GUILD: Kathy Michalek
BREAD BAKER: Ruth Kent
COMM ASSTS:
 wine (w)
 bread (b) Kris Pena
 bread (b) Kathy Michalek
 cups (c) Cindy Klein
 cups (c) Jean Aidich

6:00 p.m.
 volunteer needed
 volunteer needed
 (w) volunteer needed
 (b) volunteer needed
 (b) volunteer needed
 (c) volunteer needed
 (c) volunteer needed

COUNTERS: Kathy Michalek & Sam Mayek
WEEKLY FOOD PANTRY DELIVERY: Heidi Zubella
LECTORS: Mike Singer
USHERS: Scott Meissner & Christa Trushinsky
OFFICE RECYCLING: Nick Watson
ACOLYTE: Jade Mabini
NURSERY: Ariana Virnig, Jacob Erickson
ETERNAL CANDLE - is sponsored by June Haizel in memory of her sister and brother.
ALTAR CANDLE - sign up in the narthex to sponsor the altar candle..
MISSION CANDLE - sign up in the narthex to sponsor the mission candle.
ALTAR FLOWERS - sign up in the narthex to sponsor the altar flowers.
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2019 Flower & Candle Sponsor Sheets

The flower and candle sponsor sheets for 2019 are posted in the narthex near the busy bags.



We no longer order altar flowers if no one has signed up to sponsor them.

SOS Food Pantry

1. applesauce
2. sloppy joe mix
3. canned peas, carrots
4. pancake mix & syrup
5. baby food (stage 3)
6. shampoo & conditioner



Last Week's Offerings	YTD Income	YTD Planned Expenses
\$19,070.34	\$591,563.34	\$618,284.00

Thank You, Thank You!

Thank you to everyone who brought baby gifts for the Birthday Party for Jesus! They will be a blessing to the families and babies that will be receiving them. The baby items will be donated to Hephatha Church for their Strong Baby Sanctuary ministry.



YTD offerings and expenses include \$41,000 income and expense for Sprinkler and Air Handling Unit replacement over the summer.

2019 Offering Envelopes

2019 offering envelopes are in the narthex. Pick yours up today!



SS Christmas Program

Once again this year's Christmas program was written and directed by Marion Jaskulski! We are so grateful for her love for God and the children at COS! Thank you Marion! We'd also like to give a special thanks to Rylinn Madden and Kendall Syslack for learning the music and accompanying our kiddos during the program.



Youth Christmas Bake Sale Update

Thank you to everyone who donated or purchased baked goods. With your help we raised over \$350 to offset some of the Youth summer mission trip costs.



Mac-n-More

Again this January we will be building a pallet of nutritious foods along with our traditional mac-n-cheese to share with our brothers and sisters at Cross Lutheran in Milwaukee. We have the opportunity to share God's love by helping to ensure nutritional needs are met while we help to make sure tummies are full. This January, we've added the following items to our annual pallet of mac-n-cheese:

- Fruit - Canned in 100% juice or dried (e.g. raisins)
- Canned beans, tuna, and chicken.
- Vegetables-canned, low sodium.
- Shelf stable dairy - such as boxed milk.
- Whole grain, low sugar grain products like brown rice or non-sugary whole grain cereal.

Mac-n-cheese (while not super nutritious, is always a favorite to accompany nutritious sides).



Poinsettias

Thank you to those people who purchased poinsettias to enhance our church home. If you haven't paid for your flowers, please do so today. Special red envelopes are available in the narthex. You may pick up your poinsettia after the Christmas Day service.

