

Life in Christ Lutheran Church

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10:30am Bible Study

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PRAYER REQUESTS

- 50th anniversary. Daniel & Linda Preus.
- Alice Anderson
- David Weides (Brain Cancer)
- Ed Zieroth
- Jason Forland (Brain Cancer)
- Mary Olsen (Cancer)
- Pauli Bakstrom (Cancer)
- Samantha Wallner (Cancer)
- Steve
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- Yvonne Zalewski (Cancer, friend of Brenda Minar)

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- **Holiday Worship Schedule:** Thanksgiving Eve: November 24, 6:30pm; Advent Services: December 1,8,15,22, 6:30pm; Christmas Eve: December 24, 6:30pm; Christmas Day: December 25, 9am.
- This year our **Thanksgiving Eve Service offering** will be given to Eric and Katy Saunders our Seminarian at Concordia Theological Seminary, Ft. Wayne, IN.
- **My Savior Lives Northland** weekly televised ministry <https://vimeo.com/user82955593> KBJR6-TV – Sundays 9:30-10 a.m.; Duluth, Public Access 189; 5 pm Sundays 8:30 pm Tuesdays 1:00 am and 6:00 am Wednesdays 2:00 pm Fridays 8:00 am and 3:30 pm Saturday
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- Mark your calendar now! **Annual Strategic Planning for Life in Christ Lutheran Church**, will be held January 23, 2022 at 10:30am (in place of Bible Class). Please plan to attend this important meeting. (Snow date: January 30, 2022)
- The **Annual Voter's Meeting for setting the budget and election** of officers will be held at 4:30pm on December 8. All voters are encouraged to attend.
- **EDUCATING A NEW GENERATION OF LUTHERANS...** 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 topics include: What I Wish My Non-Lutheran Family Knew about Good Works; Old Testament Prophet Nehemiah and more. You can listen at your convenience at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

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