# **Weekly Calendar**

<b>Sunday</b> (November 19)	8:00am 9:15am 9:15am 10:30am 3:00pm	Worship Service Adult Bible Study Sunday Kid's Club Worship Service—Junior Choir Women's Craft Group
<b>Monday</b> (November 20)	2:30pm 6:30pm 6:30pm 7:30pm	PB&J at GS Fellowship Hall Worship Service Jesus Cares (VIRTUAL ONLY) Praise Band Practice
<b>Tuesday</b> (November 21)	6:00pm 6:00pm 7:00pm	Pioneers Church Council Meeting Sheepshead
Wednesday (November 22)	6:30pm	Thanksgiving Service
<b>Thursday</b> (November 23)	9:00am	Thanksgiving Service
Saturday (November 25)	9:00am 5:00pm	Stretch Class Communion Service
<b>Sunday</b> (November 26)	8:00am 10:30am	Communion Service  NO Adult Bible Study  NO Sunday Fellowship  NO Kid's Club  Communion Service
<b>Monday</b> (November 27)	2:30pm 6:30pm 7:30pm	PB&J at GS Fellowship Hall Communion Service Praise Band Practice
<b>Thursday</b> (November 30)	11:00am 6:00pm 6:00pm 7:00pm	Senior Bible Study Handbell Practice Bible Information Class Adult Choir
Saturday (December 2)	9:00am 9:00am 5:00pm 6:00pm	Stretch Class Decorating Fellowship Event NO Mary Mornings Bible Study Worship Service Teen Caroling Event

### **Announcements**

- **Call Meeting Update**—On Sunday, our Voters called Shelley DeCleene to be our 3<sup>rd</sup> grade teacher for next year. Shelley currently teaches at St. John Lutheran School in Manitowoc. Please keep her in your prayers.
- **Mary Mornings Christmas Party**—We will be having our Christmas Party December 16<sup>th</sup> at the normal meeting time and room. PLEASE NOTE: the Bible Study for December 2<sup>nd</sup> is cancelled.
- Sunday Fellowship Update for November and December—As we near the holidays we will pause serving Fellowship on Sunday- November 26<sup>th</sup>, Sunday-December 24<sup>th</sup>(Christmas Eve), and Sunday-December 31<sup>st</sup> (New Year's Eve). We look forward to resuming weekly Fellowship beginning January 7th.
- **Women's Craft Group**—Are you a crafter? Beginning November 19<sup>th</sup>, the Women's Craft Group will meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month, 3:00pm-5:00pm, at the church campus. Bring your own drink and a craft. If you don't have one, we have one available for you. Feel free to bring a friend! There will be opportunities to learn new crafts. Contacts are: Trish Peterson 916-719-8664 or <a href="mailto:trish.peterson@outlook.com">trish.peterson@outlook.com</a> and Karen Cooley 414-530-6353 or <a href="mailto:kayloucee@wi.rr.com">kayloucee@wi.rr.com</a>
- at 6:00pm all teens (grades 7-12) are invited to go caroling. We will meet at LHLS campus and have a devotion before travelling to Candy Cane Lane, returning by 8:30pm. There is no cost. We are looking for adults to transport our group. Contact Amanda Davis at <a href="mailto:amanda.m.davis10@gmail.com">amanda.m.davis10@gmail.com</a>, or scan the QR code.



Your Gift for Our Called Workers!—We have an opportunity to show our gratitude for the amazing blessings we have in our called workers. Each year we present Christmas gifts to our Pastors and Teachers to thank them. To contribute, please put your donation in an envelope marked "Called worker gift" and place it in the offering plates at church by Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>. You can contribute to non-called workers (secretaries and aides) in a separate envelope marked "Support staff gifts".

Christmas Decorating Fellowship—Join the festivities Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> from 9:00am-2:00pm in decorating our sanctuary for Christmas. All are welcome to join in whether you are able to decorate or you'd like to sit back and enjoy this time with family and friends. We will listen to Christmas songs, and of course, a lunch will be served. Please RSVP to Ki Downs, providing a count of those decorating and those attending. Email: <a href="mailto:Downs.q@SBCGlobal.net">Downs.q@SBCGlobal.net</a>; or text 414-807-1471

Advent by Candlelight—Join us at Living Hope Sunday, December 3rd at 3:00pm at LHL Church for an afternoon of Bible readings, music, and delicious treats. All Girls grade 7<sup>th</sup> and up and women of the congregations can attend; bring your female family, friends, and neighbors for this Christ-centered event. Please consider bringing a dessert or appetizer to share. Sign-up sheets are in the back of the Sanctuary or scan the QR code by November 26<sup>th</sup>. Contact Trish Peterson, Karen Cooley, Jill Parbs, or Rossi Zarling for more information

Christmas Cookies of Shut-ins—Living Hope Women's Service Group would like the congregation's help in making Christmas special for our shut-ins. Bakers are needed to make two dozen Christmas goodies (any variety) each and deliver them to church December 2, 3, or 4. The Service Group will assemble a decorated box for each shut-in on December 5. Also, we are asking for volunteers to work in pairs to help deliver these gifts. Those who are baking and/or delivering, please contact Denyce Baker at 262-789-8085 or <a href="mailto:baker021074@gmail.com">baker021074@gmail.com</a>

- **Sheepshead Fellowship**—Join your fellow Sheepshead enthusiasts at LHL Church for two hours of fun twice a month September-May 7:00-9:00pm. The nights are on the calendar. Please bring a \$2 donation each time for supplies and prizes. Meet in the back of our new sanctuary. Email <a href="mailto:revmarkw@gmail.com">revmarkw@gmail.com</a> for updates and information.
- Jesus Cares spreads the eternal hope and joy of Jesus Christ, using faith-based programs tailored for individuals with disabilities. The Bible study has a devotion, Bible story, craft, song, and prayers. We meet the first and third Mondays of each month from 6:30-7:30pm in the classroom across from the Mother's Room. For information call before 5:00pm: Christine Tulledge (414) 803-5050 or Rodger and Susan White (414) 384-8445.
- Prayer Lap Blanket Ministry—You can use your skills to provide lap blankets for those who are shut-ins, or needing care. Please place your lap blanket donation, 36"x45" or smaller, into the bin at the back of the sanctuary, with your name attached. If you have questions, contact Karen Cooley at <a href="mailto:kayloucee@gmail.com">kayloucee@gmail.com</a> or (414) 530-6353.
- Women's Service Group Meeting —The group supports the congregation by serving for funerals, and other activities as the need arises. Meetings are held the first Tuesday of the month unless otherwise specified. Meetings begin with a devotion, followed by a discussion of upcoming projects and a snack. We encourage all ladies of Living Hope to join us. It's a great way to meet fellow members and make new friends! If you have any questions, contact Denyce Baker at 262-789-8085 or <a href="mailto:baker021074@gmail.com">baker021074@gmail.com</a>.

### Volunteers needed for our School's Accreditation Process—

For more information and to volunteer go to https://forms.gle/KRU2MvC3EbCDdWTj7 or scan the QR code.

- **PIE will be hosting a fundraiser** on Monday, December 4 at Fazolis (10833 W. Greenfield Ave). Our school will receive 20% of the proceeds. Just mention the code "GS2023" when ordering.
- PIE (Partners In Education) will be having their next meeting on January 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:30pm. PIE exists to promote positive relationships between parents, teachers, and school and church members. PIE is highly involved in planning different family activities throughout the school year. PIE also helps to fund/offset the costs for multiple items and activities related to Living Hope School by organizing events. Everyone is encouraged to attend the PIE meetings and events. PIE activities coming up in December include: Christmas gifts for teachers and Christmas bags for students
- WLHS International Fair—Everyone is invited to the WLHS International Fair on Monday, November 20, from 4:00-6:30pm in the atrium and upper lobby at Wisconsin Lutheran High School. Various countries and cultural groups will be represented with display boards, music and pictures. Ethnic food and drink will be available. Admittance is \$3, with children 4-and-under free. All money raised will go to support WLHS mission trips.

### **Employment Opportunities**

- **Fulltime Childcare Position**—Monday Friday: 9:00-5:30— Duties included are sharing your love for Jesus, meeting all of the children's needs and greeting families. You must be able to bend, lift, carry up to 30 lbs. Must be 18 to apply. Experience is not required. For more information, please email Shelly Nardi at <a href="mailto:childcare@livinghopelutheran.org">childcare@livinghopelutheran.org</a>.
- **Martin Luther College** is accepting applications for a full-time <u>Director of Alumni Relations</u>, fulltime <u>Director of Financial Aid</u> and part-time Assistant Coaches in baseball and tennis. Interested individuals should apply online at <u>mlc-wels.edu/hr/</u>.



God's Blessings to our Living Hope brothers and sisters who are celebrating birthdays this week!

Marie Bartron
Daniel Carlson
Barbara Dooley
Robert Fossen Jr.
Kallie Jackson
Melanie Lewandowski
Sylvia Ortiz
Christine Perko
Gabriel Schlicht
Mike Strautmann
Thomas Wishman

Jacob Beran
Stephanny Diaz Griffin
Michael Formella
Alexander Groth
Germaine Kerznar
Elizabeth Mastropietro
Mary Perez
Ruth Pinske
Elizabeth Schumacher
Paul Wilsmann
Delilah Woodson Griffin

### **Devotional Resources**

For a DVD of today's service please contact the church office.

- **Live-streamed services on FACEBOOK** under the "videos" tab: Facebook.com/LivingHopeLutheranChurchWestAllis
- **Time of Grace** Broadcast can be seen Sundays: 7:00am on Me-TV channels 41 and 58, also 10:00am on NBC channel 4. *On Demand* anytime: timeofgrace.org, Apple TV, Fire TV, Roku.
- **Daily Devotions**—Sign up to receive devotions by email at wels.net/servingyou/devotions.
- **Issues of** *Meditations* and *Forward in Christ* are in the back of church. Please take a copy for yourself or to share with someone else!

Worship Attendance Last Week: 433
Sunday Bible Class Attendance Last Week: 85
Wednesday Bible Class Attendance Last Week: 32
Thursday Bible Class Attendance Last Week: 19

# **Serving Next Week**

## Cleaning Team #10

Shirley Eismann, Barbara Dummer, Tony & Barb Ebenhoch, Beth Taticek

### **Saturday Ushers**

Ron Krenz, Craig Radue

#### 8:00am Ushers

Bruce Miller, David Oldenburg, Donald Roberts

#### 10:30am Ushers

Raymond Montoure, Jef Jaeger, Shawn Woller

#### **Monday Ushers**

Pat and Joe Zabrowski

#### 8:00am Communion Assistants

Dave Parbs, Paul Wolfgramm

#### 10:30am Communion Assistants

Joe Becker, Jim Behling

Note that the cleaning teams listed above should clean the church by the next Sunday — in this case, by November 26<sup>th</sup>



Church: (414) 774-1184

School: (414) 321-8780

# **Special Worship Service Schedule**

### **Thanksgiving Worship**

Wednesday, November 22 at 6:30pm Thursday, November 23 at 9:00am

### **Midweek Advent Worship**

Wednesday, December 6 at 3:45pm and 6:30pm

### **Midweek Advent Worship**

Wednesday, December 13 at 3:45pm and 6:30pm

#### **School Christmas Service**

Wednesday, December 20 at 6:00pm Thursday, December 21 at 6:00pm

### **NO Worship Service on Saturday, December 23**

### Sunday, December 24

Regular Sunday Worship at 9:00am

### **Christmas Eve Worship**

4:30pm and 6:30pm

# **Christmas Day Worship**

9:00am

# Sunday, December 31

Regular Sunday Worship at 9:00am NO evening service on December 31

### No Worship Service on Monday, January 1