



**Edison Lutheran Church**  
14201 Church Road  
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**December 15, 2024**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS and**  
**EVENTS**

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**Advent Mid-Week Soup Supper and Services:** Please join us for the Advent mid-week service on **Wednesday, December 18**. We will have **Soup Supper at 5:30 pm** followed by our **Holden Service in the sanctuary at 6:15 pm**. Choir practice will follow the service. Sign-up sheet for soup and bread is in the Fellowship Hall or contact Linda Johnson or the church office.

**Christmas is Coming:** December 22nd we will have pageant practice for the **kids at 9:00 am**. Then the pageant during worship. Followed by our **Christmas Brunch** hosted by our amazing Parish Life Committee! You don't want to miss this one!

**Christmas Eve Worship:** The Christmas Eve Candlelight worship will be at 5:00 pm and 9:00 pm on Tuesday, December 24th. Merry Christmas!

**Church Secretary Office Hours: Sunday 11:30 am - 12:30 pm and**  
**Tuesday-Thursday 9:30 am -12:30 pm**

Please call, leave a message, or email **office@elcbow.org**.

<b>SU</b>	<b>12/15</b>	<b>Third Sunday of Advent</b>	
	<b>9:00 am</b>	Sunday School	
	<b>10:30 am</b>	Worship Service with Holy Communion	
	<b>12:30 pm</b>	Confirmation in Parish House	
<b>TU</b>	<b>12/17</b>	<b>5:30 pm</b>	Young Adult Group @ BEHS Gym
<b>WE</b>	<b>12/18</b>	<b>10:00 am</b>	Women's Bible Study @ Fellowship Hall
		<b>5:30 pm</b>	Soup Supper
		<b>6:15 pm</b>	Advent Service
			Choir practice to follow service
<b>TH</b>	<b>12/19</b>	<b>10:00 am</b>	Prayer Shawl Ministry @ Fellowship Hall
<b>SU</b>	<b>12/22</b>	<b>Fourth Sunday of Advent</b>	
	<b>9:00 am</b>	Sunday School	
	<b>10:30 am</b>	Christmas Pageant/Worship with Holy Communion	
	<b>12:00 pm</b>	Brunch hosted by Parish Life Committee	

Birthdays: 12/15 Judy Jensen 12/15 Danielle Galbraith *Happy Birthday!*  
12/17 Nathan Marsh

**Family Promise Giving Tree:** Please visit the **Giving Tree in the narthex** and take a tag or two. Items on the tree tags are the staple supplies needed to help with the day to day running of the Family Promise shelter. Your giving of these essentials can make our impact go much further than the Christmas season.

**Christ in Our Home devotional booklets:** January to March 2025 booklets are available in the Narthex. Feel free to take one.

**Young Adult Group** will meet at the Burlington-Edison HS gym at **5:30 pm this Tuesday, December 17th** to attend the JV basketball game. Everyone is welcome!

**Remember in your Prayers:** We pray for the **family of Gail Hendrickson** (cousin of Kris Merritt). We also pray for **Cathy Smith, Arnold Woll, Rod Rothlisberger, Ted Conner, Randy Merritt, Rev. Lowell Knutson, Marion Hoag, Marilyn Gustafson** (sister of Gailyn Ploeg), **Shirley Hots** (aunt of Brenda Geary), **Karri Kanarr** (friend of Troxels), **Greg Nelsen, Maia Simmons** (granddaughter of Karyn Kerley), **Bob Mainard** (father of Mandy Englund), **Bryan Robinson** (nephew of Garland Robinson), **Alfred Silva** (father of Brandy Jensen), **Chris Whelehan** (friend of Kris Merritt), **Marna Carpenter** (niece of Julie Rousseau), **Al Fredrickson, Carla Hunter** (aunt of Gregory Ormsby), **Brandon Benson** (friend of Debbie Reigel-Yates), **Marian Hiatt** (Janet Wyman's mother), **Jeannie Omdal, John Probstfield, Lyn Scherer** (sister-in-law of Cathy Smith), **Kerri Fredrickson** (daughter-in-law of Barb & Al Fredrickson), **Debbie Chavarria** (friend of Cathy Smith), **Jerry Butterfield, Shirley Lee, Jeanne Youngquist, Gary Englund** (father of Alex), **Jim Forbes** (Debbie Conijn's step-father), **Edith Nichols, Barry Christensen, Chris Isaacson, Taylor Velasquez**, the ministry of **El Camino de Emaús Congregation**, and the **Dancraig English Medium School in Tanzania**.  
**The Homebound:** **Pat Dahlstedt and Ron Schutte**.

**Those in the Military:** **Dustin and Rocio King**.

Please keep the church office current on your loved ones who are (or need to be) named on our prayer list. Office: 360-766-6920 Email: office@elcbow.org

**Sunday Church Statistics - December 8, 2024:**

Worship:	29 Online views	Giving:	\$ 3,257.	General Fund
	119 Worship		\$ 5,000.	ELC Scholarship
			\$ 250.	Pie Auction
			\$ 8,000.	Gundersen/Omdal Scholarship