

# LCR Weekly

November 28, 2021



## IN-PERSON WORSHIP

Register [here](#).

8:30 am & 11:00 am

## PARKING LOT WORSHIP

9:45 am

The Altar Flowers this Sunday are given to the Glory of God by

**Dell Andersson**

In thanksgiving for our family and friends



## SUNDAY

Live-Streaming of  
8:30am In-Person  
Worship

Dear Members and Friends of LCR,

It's that time of year again - the most special time of all. Advent and Christmas! Our theme for this season is "Heaven and Nature Sing." In the spirit of this theme, we have several things planned to help you celebrate this special time. Here are just a few of those.

### ADVENT DEVOTIONAL "HEAVEN AND NATURE SING"

Please pick one up as you come to worship and use it during the next 6 weeks. It will bless your life as together we celebrate the most blessed gift of all - God's gift of the Christchild given to the world in love.

### MID-WEEK ADVENT SERVICES

To be offered on 3 consecutive Wednesdays, December 1, 8, and 15, two services each Wednesday, one at noon and one at 7:00 pm. All of these mid-week Advent services will be held in the Sanctuary, using scripture from the Heaven and Nature Sing devotional as well as Joyous Light.

### CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

There will be 3 Christmas Eve services this year. Each will be held in the parking lot.

- 4:00 pm - Traditional Worship
- 6:00 pm - Contemporary Worship
- 8:00 pm - Traditional Worship

All of the services will include Holy Communion, special Christmas music and lighting, the singing of "Silent Night" with candles, and a visit from the Holy Family.

### OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

LCR will be sharing the spirit of Christmas with members of God's family in need this year in 3 ways:

1. Purchasing gifts for a LCR family in need of some Christmas joy. A [link to sign](#) up to purchase those gifts is in the Weekly and will be sent to you via Flocknote.
2. Using church funds, we are again able to support the MUST Ministries Toy drive with a \$1,000 shopping spree.
3. We are collecting new hats, gloves, and socks to give to people in need in our community. Please bring those gifts with you to one of the Christmas Eve services and place them in the manger.

Advent and Christmas is the most blessed time of the year because of the gift we receive FROM God and the gifts we give back TO God. Join us as we make heaven and nature sing in the receiving and giving of those gifts.

Pastor Dave

# Regular Groups

## Children

Let's start with **Questions**:

- What makes a good leader?
- Do you know a good leader?
- Are you a leader?



This week our Bible story is from Jeremiah 33:14 – 17 called “**A Good Leader.**” Please locate the story in your Spark Bible. I have two new friends for you to meet, Beckett and Asher. Watch this [video](#) and listen to the message. Now we have a job to do.

### Try this!

This is the perfect time to test your leadership skills. This Thursday is Thanksgiving, so ask if you could lead the table prayer. This is a wonderful way to lead and share the word of God. You can use the one I've provided or make up your own.

### Thanksgiving Blessing

Lord,  
As we bow our heads to pray.  
We celebrate Thanksgiving Day.  
Help us have the right attitude.  
As we turn to you in gratitude.

Thank you for our festive mood:  
Thank you, Lord, for this good food;  
Thanks for blessings great and small;  
Thank you, thank you for it all.  
Amen

(By Joanna Fuchs)

Have a safe and wonderful Thanksgiving and hope to see you on Sunday.  
- Ms. Sharon

## Children Events



Sunday School Registration is open Register [Here](#)

Monthly Sunday School Gathering  
Next Date: TBA



## Christmas Angel

If you would like to be a Christmas Angel, we have a family at LCR in need of some Christmas joy!

Please sign up to purchase a gift(s) for the kids who need a Merry Christmas [here](#). Please wrap the gift, label it with a sticky note indicating the age and gender of the child, what is in the wrapped package, and the size (if applicable).

**All gifts must be turned in by Wednesday, December 15** to ensure we can get them to the family before Christmas. There is a collection bin outside by the office doors.

Thank you for being an angel and bringing Christmas joy to this family!

## Worship



Worship Volunteer [Sign-up Link](#)

[Worship Sign-Up](#)

## Outreach

### MILAGRO Young Ladies are Going Back Home

The 13 young ladies from MILAGRO Center in Guatemala are finishing their 2021 school year. The parents came to the MILAGRO Center to take their daughters back home.

“We as parents are really grateful for all the support you are giving to our daughters, so they can develop their skills and become women with better futures.”

-Parents of MILAGO young ladies



**GIVING  
TUESDAY**

**Tuesday, November 30**

Giving Tuesday was created in 2012 as a simple idea: a day that encourages people to do good, a global generosity movement unleashing the power of radical generosity.

Georgia Gives is a program of the Georgia Center for Nonprofits. GA Gives on Giving Tuesday is the biggest day of generosity in our state. The movement aims to continue celebrating Georgia's generous spirit. Find your charity you want to support by going to [gagives.org](http://gagives.org), such as Inspiritus by going to [gagives.org/organization/Inspiritus](http://gagives.org/organization/Inspiritus) whose goal is to reach \$10,000!



## Outreach

**MUST**  
[donation link](#)

**CAC**  
[donation link](#)

**YELLS**  
[donation link](#)

**Meals on Wheels  
Volunteer Sign-Up:**  
Contact [Ron Jolly](#)

**MUST Wednesday  
Lunch  
Volunteer Sign-Up:**  
[Sign-up Genius Link](#)

## Worship

**Worship Volunteer  
[Sign-up Link](#)**

## Music

**Praise Choir Reh.**  
6:30-8pm Thursdays

**Traditional  
Christmas Eve  
Choir Reh.**  
9:30—10:30 am  
November 28  
December 5, 12, 19

**Celebration  
Choir Reh.**  
6:30-8pm Wednesdays  
**Bell Choir Reh.**  
6:45-8pm Mondays

# Announcements

## Thankful for YOU Event

About 70 people joined the LCR council for fun, food, games, and fellowship. Thanks to everyone who came out and joined us!



## Amazon Smile Donations

If you are doing your Christmas shopping on Amazon, please make sure you shop at **Smile.Amazon.com** and have set Lutheran Church of the Resurrection as your charitable organization. **Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of eligible AmazonSmile purchases to us!**

This works for Prime members (click [here](#) to select LCR as your charitable organization) as well as when you shop in the Amazon app, at no extra cost to you!

**Thank you for your support!**



**November 24-26**

## Events

**LCR Women's Bible Study-Virtual**  
Thursdays at 8:30am  
To receive Zoom link email [Allison](#)

**Men's Breakfast In-Person & Virtual**  
Wednesdays at 7:30 am  
[Zoom link](#)

**Women's Bible Studies**  
Mondays at 10:30 am  
Tuesdays at 10:00 am  
at LCR

**Wednesday Advent Services in the Sanctuary**  
**December 1, 8 & 15**  
At noon & 7:00 pm

**Christmas Eve Services in the Parking Lot**

Traditional Services:  
4:00 pm, 8:00 pm,  
Praise Service:  
6:00 pm

**Synod e-News**  
[Link](#)