

New Covenant Lutheran Church

December 16 - 23, 2021



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NCLC Calendar

This Sunday:
"Believing What the Lord Says"
Luke 1:39-45

In-person and Live Stream to Facebook
at 10:30 AM

Soul Sisters yoga	Dec 18	8:45 AM
Sunday School (K - 5th grade)	Dec 19	10:30 AM
FROLIC Sunday School (up to 4 years old)	Dec 19	10:30 AM
Christmas Caroling	Dec 19	4:00 PM
Women's Bible Study	Tues	7:00 PM
Men's Bible Study	Wed	7:00 AM
Christmas Eve Service (indoors)	Dec 24	6:00 PM

ONLINE WORSHIP INSTRUCTIONS:

New Covenant Lutheran Church continues to hold online worship services in addition to in-person worship.

We use Facebook Live for our online worship services. You do not have to have a Facebook account to watch the service.

Go to New Covenant Lutheran Church's Facebook page at 10:30 am Sunday to see the service live. Our Facebook page is www.facebook.com/NewCovenantAZ

PASTOR'S CORNER

Last Sunday, the preschool children sang Christmas carols for us all, under the joyful leadership of Patti Kruse. This Sunday afternoon, a few members of the choir are organizing an opportunity for us to Christmas Carol to some of our brothers and sisters in Christ who are experiencing a difficult time or who may be homebound. This fantastic group of joyful singers will meet at the church at 4pm. And you are invited to be a part of this ragtag chorus. All you need is some joy! **So, this Sunday, meet at the church at 4pm to go Christmas Caroling and you will be glad that you did!**

This Sunday is the 4th Sunday of Advent and the candle that we will light is the candle of Love. In the letters of the early church (Paul, Peter, John, etc.) they are often speaking of loving one another. They teach that our love for others first begins with our brothers and sisters in Christ. We love one another because Christ first loved us. Our final Advent reading will be from Luke 1: 39-45. Yes, this is our final Advent reading because Christmas Eve is next Friday. Sunday we will look at what it means to say, "Believing What the Lord Says."

After a year of praying for leadership for our worship and music ministries and our student ministries, we want to say that God has answered our prayers. **We welcome Alex Duarte, his wife, Annie, and their two children, Francis and Juniper** as Alex takes the helm of our Worship and Student ministries. Join us Sunday as we introduce Alex and Annie to you.

In this time of waiting, let's celebrate with Christlike joy!

Pastor Steve

*"And Blessed
is she who believed that there
would be a fulfillment of what was
spoken to her from the Lord."
= Luke 1:45 =*



Christmas Caroling

December 19
4:00 pm

For details contact
Patti Kruse



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS!

\$20.00 each

If you would like to order a poinsettia in loving memory or in honor of someone special, please email the church office or complete an order form from the narthex.

Orders and payment due 12/19



*Christmas Eve
Service 6:00 pm*



The Preschool Christmas Pageant



**2022 Daily Texts available
for purchase. Contact the
office or pick one up
in the narthex.
\$10 each**

