



Weekly Email Blast!

Events this Week and Beyond!

Thurs Dec 5

Noon Verse-by-Verse
Bible study
7:00pm Zumba with
Gloria
7:30pm AA meeting

Fri Dec 6

7:00pm FLW
7:00pm FLW Basketball

Sat Dec 7

1:00pm La Casita
Christmas party

Sun Dec 8

9:15am Capitol Baptist
Sunday School
9:30am Worship
10:45am Sunday School
11:00am ChurchLife—
Judaism
Noon Confirmation
Class with Pastor P &
Pastor Joe
2:00pm Capital Brass
Quintet free concert
4:00pm FLW

Mon Dec 9

1:00pm—8:00pm Life-
touch photos
5:30pm La Casita bas-
ketball
7:00pm Thorsmen re-
hearsal
7:00pm Festival Chorale
board meeting
7:30pm Zumba with
Gloria

Tues Dec 10

9:00am Tuesday Crew
10:00am Property Com-
mittee meeting
1:00pm—8:00pm Life-
touch photos
4:30 TDR Safety class
6:30pm Finance Com-
mittee meeting
7:00pm FLW

Wed Dec 11

9:00am Rosemallers
10:30 Pastors Study
Group
11:00am Open Library
at La Casita
Noon Worship at St.
Mark
6:00pm Bell choir re-
hearsal
7:00pm Vocal Choir re-
hearsal
7:00pm Capital Brass
Quintet rehearsal
7:00pm Zumba with
Gloria

Thurs Dec 12

Noon Verse-by-Verse
Bible study
5:30pm TDR Safety
class
7:00pm Zumba with
Gloria
7:30pm AA meeting

Fri Dec 13

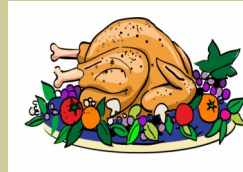
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Lifetouch Pictorial Directory Coming Soon!

We have set dates of Monday and Tuesday,
December 9th & 10th for a Lifetouch
representative to be here to take photos of our
church members for a new directory.

We have a few appointment slots available, so
please call to make an appointment!

Please contact Peggy Sell at 503/302-8021 or
Janet in the church office if you'd like to help.



The Thanksgiving Eve
Community Dinner and
Bilingual Worship was a
huge success!

We served dinner to 210 people, and 90
people attended the Bilingual Worship
service. Everyone loved the Mariachi
band!

Thanks to everyone who contributed to
this great community event!

Confirmation Class

Our next Confirmation class with
Pastor P. and Pastor Joe will be on
Sunday, Dec. 8th at noon. Pack a
lunch and join us!

Sunday Servants 12-8-19

Assisting Minister:
Sarah Tolleson
Lector:
Chris Goodman
Communion Assistant:
Chris Goodman

December's Usher:

Gary Bogstad

Sunday Servants 12-15-19

Assisting Minister:
Karen Halvorson
Lector:
Bryan Struve
Communion Assistant:
Bryan Struve

December Altar Care:

Peggy Sell and Karen Halvorson



It's That Time of the Year!

Our FLY youth will be selling poinsettias again this year for \$15.00 per flower. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex.

They will be in 6-1/2" pots with 7 to 8 blooms!

We will have red, pink and white to choose from.

They will be ready to pick up on December 8th.

Coming up! Advent Mid Week services at St Mark for all 3 churches in the Salem Collaborative! Service will be Dec 4, 11 & 18 at 12:05, and lunch will follow. Join us! Thanks!

Praise Phrase:

Life can be scary - but we feel God's nearness during these days of Advent - God came to earth on Christmas to be present in our lives.

Brown Bag Snacks

Every Friday we will be giving Brown Bag snacks to Washington Elementary school. Snacks are for homeless children to give them something to eat over the weekend. We are currently at 25 children and expect the number to increase.

Here is a list of snacks that would be good for the kids!

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| Granola bars | Pretzels |
| Peanut butter crackers | Cheese crackers |
| Trail mix | Rice crispy treats |
| Fruit cups | Energy bars |
| Gold fish crackers | Applesauce |

All of the snacks must be individually wrapped. Please pay attention to expiration dates! Thank you for helping our local school!

Christmas Presents for Our Washington Elementary Families

Gifts Urgently Needed!

As of today, Dec. 5th, we have 26 gifts let unfulfilled, and we only have 10 days until all gifts need to e brought to the church.

If you would like to contribute, please take a blue index card that is taped to the windows in the Sanctuary with first names, ages, sizes and gifts requested.

Return your gifts to the office by December 15th, along with the blue card, so we can get it to the right child.

Please do not buy more than what is requested!

FREE CONCERT

Capital Brass Quintet

IN CONCERT

Come join us for our performance of holiday music

December 8, 2019

Holy Cross Lutheran Church

1998 Lansing Ave. NE

2pm



Dave McTeague, Tuba
Gary Wallmark, Trombone
Penny Bidwell, French Horn
James Langford, Trumpet
Scott Mischke, Trumpet