

Our Saviour Lutheran Church

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First Sunday in Advent 2 December 2018

Today's Hymns: 340, 332, 334, *Hymnal Supplement 8*

Catechism

P What is the Sacrament of the Altar?

C It is the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, under the bread and wine, for us Christians to eat and to drink, instituted by Christ Himself.

P Where is this written?

C The holy Evangelists, Matthew, Mark, Luke, and St. Paul, write:

“Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: ‘Take, eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.’

“In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them saying, ‘Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.’ ”

Turn to the Introit on the laminated card.

Volunteer Rota

| | Music: | Sunday School 1: | Sunday School 2: | Teas: |
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| Today: | John | Carol | Diane | Averil |
| Next week: | John | Barbara | ?? | Diane |

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In Our Prayers

Members

Andrew & Rachel; Ron; Sindy & Nikola; Žina; Joy

Family of members

Annabelle's mother (old age); Ethan (recovering from surgery); Alex, Sarah & family; Marie (medical testing); Ian (Parkinson's); Claire Anniss (health); Doug & Myra (health); Jack Fast (dementia); Barry (old age); Jacqui (broken ankle); Howard (medical tests); Žanna (health)

Friends of members

Ilse Kelly (old age); Mae (bereavement); Jim Ferguson (stroke); Dell (spinal injury); Becky Varsogea (brain tumour); Claire & Phil (health); Helen Kriewaldt (stroke, breast cancer); Johann Wiebusch (CP); Charlotte (cancer); John (cancer); Brian (cancer); Gina & family; Tim (health); Lynette Wiebusch (Alzheimer's);

Janet (cancer); Pauline (cancer); Sharon (brain tumour); Jenny (health); David, Michael, Fiona & family (health); Joan (death of brother); Amy (recovering from liver transplant)

Local Community

Tina (depression); Treacher family; Leanne (chronic pain); Alison (cancer)

ELCE

St. David Lutheran Church, Pr. Bessel; *The British Lutheran*; Pr. Jones (health); Wendy Nicolson (cancer); Brian and family (bereavement); Bruce Latimer (car accident)

The Church of God

Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod; Lutherans in Africa, Pr. James May; Somali Lutheran Church, Pr. Mohamed Gurhan; St. John's CofE; Amir [Ilahi] family, Jawid (persecution)

Music During Communion

J.S. Bach (1685–1750), *Bewundert, O Menschen* (From cantata BWV 62)

Bewundert, o Menschen, dies große

Geheimnis:

Der höchste Beherrscher erscheint der Welt.

*Hier werden die Schätze des Himmels
entdeckt,*

Hier wird uns ein göttliches Manna bestellt,

*O Wunder! die Keuschheit wird gar nicht
befleckt.*

*Marvel, O mankind humanity, at this great
mystery:*

the Supreme Ruler appears to the world.

Here the treasures of heaven are uncovered,

Here a divine manna is presented to us,

*O miracle! The purity [of the Virgin Mary]
will be entirely unblemished.*

Words anon., based on LSB 332:2–3. Translation: ©Pamela Dellal

Services and Events in Advent and Christmas

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| Wed 5 Dec | 6.45 pm | Advent Vespers with catechetical sermon 2 Meadowbank Road Fareham PO15 5JX |
| Sun 9 Dec | 10.30 am | Divine Service (Advent 2), Scout Hall |
| Wed 12 Dec | 6.45 pm | Advent Vespers with catechetical sermon 2 Meadowbank Road |
| Sat 15 Dec | 10am–2pm | Christingle Making Fareham Shopping Centre Organised by Christians Together in Fareham <i>If you would like to be involved, please let the pastor know.</i> |
| | 5 pm | Community Carol Service Carols (hopefully by candlelight) for all the community. Followed by refreshments. Please invite neighbours and friends. If you would like to help with refreshments, please sign up on the notice board |
| Sun 16 Dec | 10.30 am | Divine Service (Advent 3), Scout Hall |
| Tue 18 Dec | 2 pm | Carol Singing Kiln Lodge, Fareham |
| | 3 pm | Carol Singing (<i>to be confirmed</i>) Hunters Lodge, Fareham |
| Wed 19 Dec | 6.45 pm | Advent Vespers with catechetical sermon 2 Meadowbank Road |
| Thu 20 Dec | 2 pm | Carol Singing Willow Tree Lodge, Fareham |
| | 3 pm | Carol Singing (<i>to be confirmed</i>) Hartwell Lodge, Fareham |
| Sun 23 Dec | 10.30 am | Divine Service (Advent 3), Scout Hall |
| Mon 24 Dec | 11 pm | Midnight Mass |
| Tue 25 Dec | 10 am | Divine Service (Christmas Day), Scout Hall |

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

This Week

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| Today | 6 pm | Youth Club |
| Wed | 10.30 am | Pastor's Drop-in (The Hub) |
| | 7 pm | Advent Vespers |
| Thu | 1.10 pm | Bible study (Parsonage) |
| | 6.45 pm | Bible study (Eastleigh) |
| Sun | 10.30 am | Divine Service (Scout Hall) |
| | 4.30 pm | Divine Service at Brighton Mission (Rev. Claudio Flor) |

Further Ahead

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| 12 Dec | 10.30 am | Pastor's Drop-in (The Hub) |
| 13 Dec | 1.10 pm | Bible study (Parsonage) |
| | 6.45 pm | Bible study (Eastleigh) |
| | 10am–2pm | Christingle making (<i>see notice on the previous page</i>) |
| 15 Dec | 5 pm | Community Carol Service (Scout Hall) |
| 16 Dec | 10.30 am | Divine Service (Scout Hall) |
| | 6 pm | Youth Club |
| 18 Dec | 2 pm | Carol singing at Kiln Lodge |
| | 3 pm | Carol singing at Hunters Lodge (tbc) |
| 19 Dec | 10.30 am | Pastor's Drop-in (The Hub) |
| | 7 pm | Advent vespers |
| 20 Dec | 2 pm | Carol singing at Willow Tree Lodge |
| | 3 pm | Carol singing at Hartwell Lodge (tbc) |
| 23 Dec | 10.30 am | Divine Service (Scout Hall) |
| | 3 pm | Bible Study at Oxford Mission |
| | 4.30 pm | Divine Service at Oxford Mission |
| 24 Dec | 11 pm | Divine Service (Scout Hall)—Midnight Mass |
| 25 Dec | 10 am | Divine Service (Scout Hall)—Christmas Day |

Daily Readings:

Sun: Isaiah 8:9–9:7 1 Peter 4:1–19 *Large Catechism I:1–12*

Mon: Is 9:8–10:11 1 Pet 5:1–14 *LC I:13–23*

Tue: Is 10:12–27a, 33–34 2 Pet 1:1–21 *LC I:24–29*

Wed: Is 11:1–12:6 2 Pet 2:1–22 *LC I:30–40*

Thu: Is 14:1–23 2 Pet 3:1–18 *LC I:41–48*

Fri: Is 24:1–13 1 John 1:1–2:14 *LC I:49–58*

Sat: Is 24:14–25:12 *Obadiah 1–21* 1 John 2:15–29 *LC I:59–68*

Sun: Is 26:1–19 1 John 3:1–24 *LC I:69–77*