



December 2010 Newsletter

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

The Lutheran Church — Missouri Synod

2701 College Ave.
Quincy, IL 62301-3558
Internet: orlc-quincy.com
Telephone: (217) 223-1769

Fax: (217) 223-2392
Email: orlc-quincy@att.net
meden68@yahoo.com
The Eden Home 224-3929

To the people of God at Our Redeemer,

During this time of year, thankfulness and giving are two dominant themes even within the secular society. Within the Church, thankfulness and giving have greater implications than images of turkeys and Santa Claus. We have celebrated the National Day of Thanksgiving by acknowledging all that we have comes from God. As we now enter into the Advent Season and look forward to Christmas, we are told by the TV ads and the retail world that this is the “season of giving.” As God’s people, we recognize that this is the season of Christ’s birth and the anticipation of His return.

The birth of Jesus, the greatest of all gifts, is not the gift with which the world is concerned. The mountain of wrapped up toys or the Lexus with the big bow on top are the images of giving that dominate our culture. But this year, we are told that this will be a bleak Christmas – a Grinch-like Christmas – because the current economy will not allow the giving of gifts in the way we have seen in the past.

For the parents fretting over what to give their children, I will remind you that the best gift you can offer is time with them. A father’s embrace will be remembered far longer than unwrapping “GI Joe with the Kung-fu Grip”.

Likewise, there is nothing you can give your Father in heaven that is of greater value than time. During the Advent and Christmas Seasons, give thanks for all that your Father has done – especially sending the gift of a Savior. Make this season memorable. Spend time with you family, especially your Father in heaven.

In Christ,
Pastor Eden

BLUE FOR ADVENT

During our 7:00 PM Wednesday Advent services, Pastor Eden will focus on why the liturgical color has changed from purple to blue.

December 1 – Blue is the color of hope

December 8 – Blue is the color of Mary

December 15 – Blue is the color of heaven

Who's Who at Our Redeemer

President	Larry Ehmen	Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012
Vice-President	Bill Dicks	Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012
Secretary	Wanda Spohr	Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012
Treasurer	Hanna Ott	Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012
Financial Secretary	Janett Mueller	Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012
Education Board	Becky Lunt	Oct. 2009 – Sep. 2011
	Lisa Howerton	Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012
	Hannah Ott, S. S. Supt., ex officio	appointed
	Melissa Knapp, S.S. Supt., ex officio	appointed
Board of Elders	Terry Morse	Oct. 2009 – Sept. 2011
	Jerry Lunt	Oct. 2009 – Sept. 2011
	Steve Schoch	Oct. 2009 – Sept. 2011
	Chris Knapp	Oct. 2010 – Sept. 2012
	Ryan Vaughn	Oct. 2010 – Sept. 2012
	Ray Miklius	Oct. 2010 – Sept. 2012
Evangelism Board	Rosie Meyer	Nov. 2010 – Sep. 2012
	Michelle Urbon	Oct. 2009 – Sep. 2011
Property Board	Steve Kaiser	Oct. 2009 – Sep. 2011
	Bill Humphrey	Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012
Stewardship Board	Eldon Schoch	Oct. 2010 - Sep. 2011
	Jim Howerton	Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012
Youth Ministry Board	Jenna & Josh Crabtree	Oct. 2009 – Sep. 2011
	Heidi Schlipman	Oct. 2010 – Sep. 2012

Remembering In Our Prayers



REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE IN OUR NATION'S MILITARY SERVICES:

Mark and Kari Adams, Mark Borg, Paul Boriack, Aaron DeWerff, Cindy Flesner, Rick Flesner, John Haines, Blake Hemmann, Zach Howerton, Jason Klauser, Jared Lunt, Dan Meyer, Jeremy Meyers, Amanda Schwartz, Jeremy Schwartz, Aaron Smith, Ryan Thruston, Spencer Toner, Marc Troxel, Kristen Vahle, Phillip Weisheit, and Patrick Weppler.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER THOSE WITH ONGOING HEALTH NEEDS: Nick Austin, Warren Bingman, Sean Burner, Mary Butler, Max Ellerbrock, Joseph Hoebing, Michael Morgan, Nancy O'Neal, Nancy Ott, Cole Schullian, Dean Schulte, Kory Tournear, Kurt and Alissa Ulmer and child, Jacob Weimer, Frank and Kay Weiss, and Vicki Wemhoener

REMEMBER OUR SHUT-IN MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

Norma Baird, Dolores Bruenger, Maxine Delven, Gloria Douglas, Barbara Ebel, Doreetha Elliott, Ralph Genenbacher, Paul Hagemann, Ruth Holt, Merle Kuntemeier, Bob McGartland, Jacqueline Mickens, Mary Morgan, Marilyn Newman, Sue Patton, Patricia Powers, Dora Rodefild, LaVora Scoggan, Ike Shaffer, Ruth Sprenger, Lucille Stuffing, Thea Suelman, Ida Utterback, Ann Viar, Robert Wemhoener, Wilma Wemhoener, Lucille Wiskirchen

Keep Our Missionaries in Your Prayers

Our Family in Turkey,
Apple of His Eye Mission Society,
The Evangelical Lutheran Church in Latvia,
The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Harlow, Essex, U.K.,
The Independent Evangelical Lutheran Church in Germany,
Mrs. Alvina Federwitz in Liberia, West Africa,
Jonathan and Carrie Federwitz and their children in Papua New Guinea,
Danny and Becca DeLoach and their children in Papua New Guinea,
Dr. Steve and Mrs. Julie Lutz, home on furlough.

Our Seminary Students



Concordia Seminary, Saint Louis, MO:

Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, IN:
Andrew Dierks, 6600 N. Clinton St. 189, Fort Wayne, IN 46825



Our Mission

To the glory of God we are SHARING Our Redeemer by ...
CARING for one another in Christian love and compassion
ENCOURAGING growth and outreach through worship and Bible study
BEARING one another's burden's as family

News & Notes

3-Drawer Cart by the Office Steps

Top Drawer: For Campbell's labels & General Mills box tops for education, HyVee UPCs, County Market brand UPCs, & Tyson A+ labels. They benefit the St. James school library. They can't use the Betty Crocker or the Kool-Aid points though. Thanks!

2nd Drawer: For any type used greeting card fronts. Good Samaritan home used them to make things.

3rd Drawer: For cancelled stamps for missions. They must be complete stamps.

GREETING CARDS (sponsored by the PLuS group) Be sure to check out the wide variety of assorted greeting cards. Each card is only 50 cents.

SCRIP Volunteers needed- Help is always needed to fill in workers for the Scrip Sales. If you can help please sign the sheet on table in the entrance hall. Parents of St. James students should especially try to sign up for a few time slots, since the profits are to help with school expenses. A huge thank you to those who have volunteered their time to the scrip program. Your help is making the program a great success. Thanks again for your support. If you have any questions, please see Tina Vaughn.

The Shoeman Water Project: Bring all your unwanted shoes - old or new. They will be traded for cash which is used to purchase materials to dig & build wells in places where clean fresh water is needed. This is an on-going project with no deadline. **Thrivent is not taking the shoes any more**, but other drop sites will be listed on their website www.shoeman.org.

Food Bank: Do you know anyone from our church family or their families who needs the help of our Food Bank? If so contact Cindy Ott at 228-9354 or 430-0301.

PIZZA! PIZZA! PIZZA! Hungry yet?? The 2nd **Thursday** of each month is PIZZA NIGHT for St. James at Papa John's. Papa John's graciously donates 20% of the proceeds to St. James. Just tell them when you order it is for St. James. And don't forget you can order a Papa John's Scrip card to pay for it. So that would be 20% from Papa John's PLUS the 8% from the Scrip card!! How awesome is that?!

Papa Murphy's Pizza gives a % to the school on purchases made on the Tues after Papa John's deal.

Tony's Too is also giving a % of sales made on Wed., December 1 to the school. This is a one time deal, but goes all day. Be sure to tell each business when you order that you are ordering the St. James school deal.

Hanson-Spears religious Calendars for 2011 are here on the table in the Narthex. Help yourself.



34th Biennial Lutheran Women's Missionary League Convention:

Pray, pray, pray for the LWML Convention in Peoria, June 23-26, 2011. Pray for everyone involved with preparations and pray that we have enough workers. Please send in your Call for Workers Form by January 15, 2011. Find the form at www.lwmlcid.org and click on the Forms Library. Pray that this convention will be a time of praise and thanksgiving to God who sent His Son, Jesus, into the world as the Babe of Bethlehem. Pray that God will bless the Bible studies and every phase of the convention. Come to Peoria and share "Being with Jesus—Living on the Edge." Speaking of Sharing... Do you still need a Christmas gift for someone and you just don't know WHAT to buy? Make your own gift certificate or card and give them "a gift to the LWML 2011 Peoria Convention!"



Reminder: Place your Rada order today!

Once we have enough orders that total around \$60 to \$70, we will place an order. The Rada Cutlery is an ongoing fund-raiser.

Please see the display by south entrance.

(If you would like to view some of the knives, see Melissa in the Sunday School office.)

Rada also hand pours their

SOY WAX CANDLES

in America's heartland!

There are sample candles so that you can see the fragrance you like before you order.

Rada has a variety of products: cutlery, stoneware, soy wax candles, and quick mixes.

Catalogs are available.

Please feel free to take one.

Sales to benefit Lutheran education!



"It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas ..."

okay, maybe not just yet but it will be here soon! Don't forget you can start your shopping TODAY with your ORLC Scrip order.

You don't have to worry about size or fighting the crowds. Scrip cards are the perfect gift for EVERYONE!!! Pick from gas cards, book stores, hotel stays, movie theater, department stores, internet shopping, clothing for men, women, 'twins and kids.

Pointsettias - We are again ordering Pointsettias. They are \$8.00 each. All orders must be in by Dec. 12, 2010. Flowers may be taken home after the service on Dec. 26th. See enclosed order form.

Concordia Seminary Food Bank is always collecting manufacturer's "Money Off" coupons for all products which the student families use when they have to go shopping at the regular stores. If you are interested in helping with this project. Clip coupons, mail them in a small or legal size envelopes, making sure they are not over 1 oz. in weight for a & \$.44 stamp. Mail them to: Concordia Seminary Food Bank, 801 Seminary Place, St. Louis, MO 63105.



That's My Pan!

Sale: December 5th is the last day to order your personalized "That's My Pan!" from the LWML girls.

These aluminum pans have your name

engraved on the lid **and** the pan itself! How great is that? They come in a variety of sizes and colors with 100 different choices of artwork to use with your name. Visit the girls in the Pastor's lounge after each service to see the samples and place your order. Order one for yourself and several for Christmas gifts!

Thrivent Financial for Lutherans is sponsoring two different events for Christmas to be held in the St. Louis area.

1. The National Lutheran Choir Concert "Christmas Festival", Sat. Dec. 18, 2010.

2. "Away in the Basement" - A Church Basement Ladies Christmas - Dec. 21, 22 & 23, 2010.

Posters with more information are posted by the East and South entrances to the church.

JR. YOUTH - December Christmas Party!

This year is will be taking place at the Williams' house at 400 Koch's Lane, along with the Jr. Youth from St. James and St. Johns! December 11th from 6-10pm. There will be pizza, but please bring a snack to share. Please call Pam Klusmeyer at 430-1776 to RSVP.

Thrivent members: Please be proactive and vote for our National Board of Directors. A booklet should have been in your mail box with the 2010 election information. You can either go online to vote or return the Ballot/ postcard in the booklet.

Also you should have received a survey on the "Choice Dollars " program. Please take 2 minutes to fill this out and return it in the envelope provided.



Sock And Mitten Tree:

We will be setting up the annual Sock and Mitten tree again this year. We would like to decorate the tree with items such as Socks, hats, mittens, sweat shirts, sweat pants, coats etc. for our children in the community. Sizes that are needed are for small children 4-8 year old range. Your warm hearts help keep our children warm.

Do you enjoy listening to Christian Music? Check out 15 original works by Lutheran Artists, now available for free streaming or download on the new [Music for Members](#) page and come back monthly for new songs by & for Thrivent members. Go to www.thrivent.com; Under the Thrivent Community Column click on thrivent magazine; and then on that page in the left side column, click on Music for Members. Pick Playlist 1 or 2. No pass words are required so I think anyone can access this music. At present Pastor Buelman's son (Kevin) has a song on there.



A VERY BIG Thank you to everyone who helped with our 1st Annual A Very Merry Market! We had very gracious members donate Christmas decorations, decorate the fellowship hall, make goodies for the bake sale and volunteer their time during the market! Thank you for your continued support of the Christian education of the kids of Our Redeemer and the PLuS group.

Merry Market Yard Signs – Please return your yard signs to the boxes by the coat rack and men's restroom. Thank you for helping make the 1st Market such a huge success.

ORLC PLuS

It's that time of year again!!! It's time to



start **Thinking Of Your Savior** with our T.O.Y.S. project. For the past 3 years TOYS has provided new and gently used toys, books, games, and stuffed animals to chil-

dren in our community, giving us the opportunity to share the good news of Jesus Christ with their parents. We are collecting Now - Nov. 28th. Please leave donated items in the "wrapped" box in the lobby. (Include new batteries, if possible). If you need to make special arrangements for toy pick up, please contact Mindy Holthaus (222-0256). In the past years, we have seen a real need for older children (10-14), so this year we are trying to expand our project to include birth through 8th grade. Examples of items for the older children are: Boys (legos, nerf guns, sports balls, books, games, hackysacks, transformers, and movies) Girls (nail kits, crafts, jewelry, games, webkins, games, and books). Thank you and may God bless you as we share the real joy of the season!!!

The Lutheran Catechetical Society

invites you to hear the Rev. John Pless speak at Christ Lutheran Church in Normal, IL on Saturday, December 4th from 1:30pm - 4:00pm. Professor Pless will teach concerning "Luther's Advent Preaching." So that enough materials may be prepared, please contact Christ Lutheran Church at (309) 452-5609 if you are interested in attending this free seminar. All are invited to stay for the evening Service at Christ Lutheran at 5:30pm, during which Rev. Pless will deliver the sermon. For directions or more information please contact the church or visit www.thelcs.org.



Evening Ladies Aid

Our monthly meeting was held on Nov. 4th with our newest member, Colleen Westberg, serving as hostess. The desserts, as usual, were delicious and enjoyed by all in attendance.

First of all, we want to thank all the members of our congregation for being so generous with your donations for our LWR health kits mission project! We were able to send them 50 health kits! Maybe we will get started a little earlier next year and can send 100?!?

Another **big** 'Thank You' to all who have purchased and sold 'That's My Pan' pans and accessories! To date we have sold 78 pieces and raised over \$500, which will be matched by Thrivent! God bless you all! With that money we were able to send Veteran's of the Cross a nice donation for our fourth quarter mission project. The last date to place a pan order is December 5th. We will also be donating items to Birthright for the fourth quarter.

Unfinished business – We talked a little more about a soup and bread fundraiser event to be held in Jan. or Feb. Michele and Renee are finding out prices for containers and bread. Be on the lookout for details in the Sunday to Sunday after the first of the year.

New business – Our Christmas party is being held on Dec. 3rd in lieu of a meeting. We are bringing white elephant gifts for the exchange (can't wait!) and the money we would have used to buy a gift will be collected to send to our seminary student. Joann and Linda are the hostesses for the evening and will be contacting us to let us know what to bring for the meal.

LWML is hosting Dec. 15th dessert after the Advent service. We also had signup for hostesses for the 2011 meetings. Officers will be remaining the same for 2011. We also got suggestions for events to be held in 2011.

Last order of business was voting for our first quarter mission project, which will be a Lutheran World Relief Gift, such as a dairy cow, alpaca or even an acre of land! They all have a \$ amount attached to them. We shall be finalizing the selection in the first quarter of 2011. We chose this as one of our mission projects in 2009 and were able to send a goat for \$100. I think we have our sights set a little higher this time! God has truly blessed our fundraising efforts this year!

Please make plans to attend one of our meetings and check us out! Our group is truly blessed with the many gifts, talents and resources of all the ladies and we welcome you to join us in "serving the Lord with gladness"!

If you would like more information about our Evening Ladies Aid Society, please contact any member, Michele Clevenger at 217-224-7881 or m.l.clevenger@comcast.net or check out the LWML on the World Wide Web at www.lwmlcid.org or www.lwml.org.

*Lutheran Women
in Mission*

December Birthdays

1 Kaitlyn Fischer	8 Chad Purcell	20 Luke Westberg
1 Larry Foster	9 Emily Drescher	20 Alison Zehnle
1 Kayla Fuller	9 Nathaniel Hurley	22 Kari Adams
1 Harrison Knapp	9 Charles Perry	22 Emma Fischer
2 Cheryl Holtman	9 Heidi Schlipman	22 Beverly Post
2 Brian Manton	9 Eldon Schoch	22 Christian Schweitzer
3 Thaddeus Douglas	11 Valerie Ohnemus	23 Darrell Drescher
3 Carol O'Dell	12 Ryely Meyer	23 Carole Lannerd
3 Morgan Weiss	13 Norma Baird	23 Kaiden Weisheit
3 Jeffrey Wemhoener	13 Timothy Westberg	24 Ann Knoernschild
4 Phyllis Cook	14 Anne Schanbacher	26 Charla Weisenburger
4 Lucinda Klingele	14 Shanna Wemhoener	27 Dennis Fischer
5 Harlie Whitaker	15 Sean Burner	27 Donna White
6 Anthony Bowles	15 Eric Fischer	29 Monica Foster
6 Barbara Ellerbrock	16 John Hallerberg	29 John Frohn
6 Li Voepel	16 Christine Schwartz	29 Mary Lazzeri
7 Linda Go	17 Ronald Bowles	30 Elizabeth Burner
7 Olivia Showman	17 Lauryn Hinthorne	30 Marcus Chezem
7 Suzanne Troxel	18 Mark Weisheit	30 Maxine Delven
8 Lillian Cramlett	18 Zachary Wyatt	30 Richard Lazzeri
8 Elizabeth Fodor	20 Joan Siebrasse	30 Lavern Wagner
8 Amie Hoebing		31 Jane Howlett

December Anniversaries

4 Richard & Mary Lazzeri	23 Bradley & Karol Ehmen
5 Robert & Krystal Frink	23 Steven & Li Voepel
6 Paul & Angela Clevenger	26 Donald & Bonnie Blattner
9 Eric & Haley Sass	30 Steven & Donna Schoch
19 Jerald & Mary Meyer	

December Baptisms

1 Alexander Miklius	13 Alexander Fitch	26 Anne Schanbacher
1 Walter Sheer	13 Kathleen Schoch	26 Brandon Voepel
2 Carrie Fischer	14 Tanner Clevenger	27 Carolyn Cramlett
2 Hayley Ott	14 Stacy Valentine	27 Dorothea Drescher
3 Jaela Vaughn	18 Mark Key	27 Anthony Myers
3 Emily Weppler	19 Brianna Frink	28 Barbara Ellerbrock
4 Alexis Markert	19 Amy Killday	28 Robert Jording
4 Clayton Markert	22 Ruth Caldwell	28 Heidi Schlipman
7 Heather Feinstein	22 Matthew Dyer	29 Bethany Foster
8 Olive Cook	22 Angela Nixon	29 Shelia McElfresh
8 Elizabeth Fodor	24 Andrew Allen	30 Audrey Church
8 Olivia Hoebing	24 Robert Frink	30 Charles Church
11 Ruth Sprenger	25 Paul Weisheit	30 Donna Church
13 Guye Dedert	26 Verna Harker	30 John Church
13 Eben Fischer		30 Maxine Delven

Assignments for December 2010

Communion Assistants:

Sat., December 4 at 5:00 p.m.	Dennis Go	
Sun., December 5 at 8:00 a.m.	Larry Ehmen	Jerry Lunt
Sun., December 5 at 10:15 a.m.	Terry Vaughn	Terry Morse
Sat., December 11 at 5:00 p.m.	Dennis Go	
Sun., December 12 at 8:00 a.m.	Bill Dicks	Brad Ehmen
Sun., December 12 at 10:15 a.m.	Ryan Vaughn	Steve Kaiser
Sat., December 18 at 5:00 p.m.	Dennis Go	
Sun., December 19 at 8:00 a.m.	Chris Knapp	Clint Gooding
Sun., December 19 at 10:15 a.m.	Steve Schoch	Bill Humphrey
Sat., December 25 at 9:30 a.m.	Bob Frink	?
Sun., December 26 at 10:30 a.m.	Chet Vahle	Jeff Wolfmeyer

Ushers:

Saturday at 5:00 p.m.	Gary McElfresh
Sunday at 8:00 a.m.	Chris Clevenger, Bill Dicks, Brad Ehmen, Greg Zehnle
Sunday at 10:15 a.m.	Chet & Barb Vahle, Howard & Ruth Ann Snowden

Parish Nurse: Mrs. Reva Ehmen

Altar Care: Rosie Meyer, Ruth Hall, Mona Fischer, Ellen Stockhecke

Counters: Bill Schlegl & Janett Mueller

Registration Slips: Marilyn Hanawalt

Van Driver: Steve Hyer

If you wish to help in one of these areas, please contact the church office at 223-1769 or by email: secretary@orlc-quincy.com, and we'll help you contact the appropriate person.

Pastoral Report

(October 1- October 31, 2010)

Official Acts

Baptisms:

Weddings:

Funerals:

Confirmations:

Membership Changes

Gains [+0B, +0C]

Baptisms [+0B,+0C]

Transfers In [+0B, +0C]

Profession of Faith [+1B, +1C]

Confirmations [+0B, +0C]

Losses [-0B, -0C]

Transfers Out [-0B, -0C]

Deaths [-1B, -1C]

Paul Morgan

10/31/10

Statistical Adjustment [+/-0B, +/-0C]

Membership	Jan. 1, 2010	Gains	Losses	July 31, 2010
Baptized	593	+11	-13	591
Confirmed	460	+12	-13	459

December Puzzle Page Answer page 13

"It is by grace you have been saved, through faith -----and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God." Eph. 2:8

Treasurer's Report

(January 1 — October 31, 2010)

Fund	Jan. 1, 2010	Oct. 31, 2010
Building Fund	62,100.85	57,644.14
Endowment Funds	25,202.94	26,103.82
General Fund	5,874.10	11,190.32
Kleinsorge Income	4,695.64	20,460.45
Kleinsorge Bequest	79,531.19	45,060.37
Memorial Fund	24,796.01	27,817.57
Total All Funds	197,505.09	188,276.67

Budget Summary for Jan. 1 —October 31, 2010

General Fund only	Actual	Budget	Difference
Income	263,644.38	214,304.93	49,339.45
Expenses			
Missions	20,198.75	23,038.90	2,840.15
Personnel	127,201.00	128,885.32	1,684.32
Program			
Education	56,833.91	69,062.12	12,228.21
Elders	4,799.84	5,788.34	988.50
Evangelism	1,500.00	4,354.18	2,854.18
Stewardship	6,629.51	9,408.34	2,778.83
Youth Ministry	<u>00</u>	<u>833.34</u>	<u>833.34</u>
Total Program	69,763.26	89,446.32	19,683.06
Property	<u>25,878.53</u>	<u>32,291.70</u>	<u>6,413.17</u>
Misc.	40,569	0.00	-40,569.82
Total Expenses	283,611.36	218,929.28	-64,682.08
Income – Expenses	-19,966.98	-4,624.35	-15,342.63

Ongoing Ambassadors for Christ

December 29-January 1, New Years, St. James, Quincy , IL

January 28-30, St. John, East Moline, IL

February 25-27, Calvary Lutheran Church, Watseka, IL

March 18-20, St. Paul Lutheran Church, Lexington, IL

April 8-10, St Johns, Green Valley, IL

May 20-22, St. Matthews, Milan IL

June 23-26, Christ Lutheran, Peoria, IL

Note: Starting Friday Morning, LWML Convention Participation.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO bring your medical release forms. You never know when something can happen. You can find the form online at www.OAFC.org.

May God Bless each of you. Please invite your family, friends, and church members.

Jamie Louderback

jamie62359@hotmail.com

(217) 430-4760

Practices for the Christmas Program on Dec. 24 @ 7:00 p.m. will be as follows:

Our rehearsals times will be:

Sunday, Dec. 5th 1-3pm

Sunday, Dec. 12th

1-3pm

Sunday, Dec. 19th 1-3pm

Thurs., Dec. 23rd

**3-4 pm

**Dress Rehearsal



Poinsettias for Christmas

The poinsettias are available at a cost of \$8.00 each. You will be able to take home your poinsettia(s) after the conclusion of the Christmas Musicale on December 26th. If you would like to sponsor one or more poinsettias, please fill out the form below and bring or mail it to the church office. Payment should accompany the order.

I would like to sponsor _____ poinsettia(s).

The poinsettia(s) is/are given:

[] in loving memory of _____

[] in thanksgiving for blessings received

[] for the glory of God and the beauty of his house

Name: _____

(All orders must be received by Sunday, Dec. 12th.)

PUZZLE PAGE

THE GREATEST GIFT

by
Bill Schlegl

Giving and Receiving gifts from family and friends is always an exciting time. Do you know what is the greatest gift that you could receive? Place each letter on its correct line to learn of this great gift.

16 – A	52 – O	33 – G	8 – R	55 – O	27 – O	65 – T	5 – B
10 – C	61 – V	26 – E	68 – T	40 – A	11 – E	42 – D	58 – S
77 – G	45 – I	2 – T	31 – O	18 – E	71 – G	78 – O	23 – S
35 – F	15 – H	50 – F	46 – S	73 – F	20 – E	47 – N	74 – T
57 – R	39 – H	62 – E	12 – Y	79 – D	60 – L	14 – U	34 – H
4 – S	64 – I	22 – N	75 – O	36 – A	3 – I	44 – H	70 – E
69 – H	32 – U	72 – I	7 – G	76 – F	37 – I	53 – M	28 – T
21 – E	66 – I	13 – O	41 – N	25 – V	49 – T	9 – A	63 – S
48 – O	24 – A	43 – T	59 – E	1 – I	51 – R	67 – S	30 – R
6 – Y	56 – U	29 – H	17 – V	54 – Y	38 – T	19 – B	

01 02

03 04

05 06

07 08 09 10 11

12 13 14

15 16 17 18

19 20 21 22

23 24 25 26 27

28 29 30 31 32 33 34

35 36 37 38 39

40 41 42

43 44 45 46

47 48 49

50 51 52 53

54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63

64 65

66 67

68 69 70

71 72 73 74

75 76

77 78 79

Answers on page 10