

Sunday to Sunday

A Journal of Our Daily Walk with Our Redeemer, Christ Jesus
For the week of December 1 - 8, 2024

Birthdays This Week

- 1 Max Showman
- 1 Kayla Terstriep
- 1 Harrison Knapp
- 1 Larry Foster
- 1 Kaitlyn Fischer
- 2 Brian Manton
- 3 Morgan Longcor
- 3 Cheryl Newbrough
- 3 Jeff Wemhoener
- 3 Tad Douglas
- 3 Carol O'Dell
- 4 Phyllis Cook
- 4 Allan Murphy
- 4 Allan Struve-Murphy
- 4 Cindy Klingele
- 6 Barb Ellerbrock
- 6 Tony Bowles
- 7 Olivia Showman
- 7 Linda Go

Baptismal Birthdays This Week

- 3 Jaela Vaughn
- 3 Emily Wepler
- 3 Mike Herschler
- 3 Donna Johnson
- 4 Alexis Hibbert
- 4 Clayton Hibbert
- 6 Sarah Lucas
- 7 Brady Essington
- 7 Heather Feinstein

Anniversaries This Week

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| 1 Brett and Brianna Lehman | 2 years |
| 4 Richard and Mary Lazzeri | 53 years |
| 5 Bob and Kriss Frink | 54 years |

JWCC Blazer Fuel Station Food Pantry: *Thank you for your heartfelt and generous donation. Your support plays a big role in helping our students fuel their success! Thank you!*

Courtney w/ JWCC Fuel Station

CareNet is running **low on baby wipes**. If you can donate, please drop them off at church and Michele Urbon will deliver them. Thanks!

We are updating our email lists. If you would like to **receive our weekly bulletins and/or monthly newsletters by email**, please let Gretchen know in the church office.

Most **Thrivent members** have the ability to host two Action Teams each year. Each project is allowed **up to \$250** from Thrivent to help get the project going. If you would like to host an Action Team this year, please contact Barb Vahle or Gretchen in the church office for ideas.

Altar Care needs your help in 2025. Each team of people is responsible for one month. If you can help, please get in touch with Dennis Fleming.

March 22nd, 2025 is our annual **Spring Fling!** This year's theme is **Game Night!** We will have a cocktail hour with drinks and games, starting at **5 pm**. The silent auction will open at **5:30 pm**. We will eat at **7 pm**, and the live auction will start following dinner.

Offerings donated to **Lutheran Bible Translators** from the **Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class** for the month of **November** were **\$162.00**.

St. James Lutheran PTL Spring Fling Auction Wish List! We need your support! Help us make this year's Spring Fling the best yet! We are adding a few new opportunities to this year's Spring Fling event and we need your help! We are **asking for donations** to make our Game and Cocktail Hour a hit! [What We Need](#)

- Various **Gift Cards** of any amount (*minimum of \$5, please*)
- **Bottles of Wine** (*sealed, any brand/price*)
- **Bottles of Bourbon** (*sealed, any brand/price*)
- **Board Games** (*can be used and/or missing pieces*)
- **Baskets** for Silent Auction Items (*New/Good Condition*)

Monetary donations welcome to help us purchase above items! Please drop off any donations to the school office or contact us to arrange pickup.

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For the week of December 1: KFUE Radio, the broadcast voice of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on **KFUE.org** via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. Find programs on demand at kfuo.org and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: **@KFUEradio** on [Facebook](#), [X](#), and [Instagram](#). **CHRIST FOR YOU this week on KFUE AM850 & kfuo.org:** Sharper Iron airs a new series called "The Fifth Evangelist" (*weekdays at 8 AM*), going through the book of Isaiah. On Thy Strong Word (*weekdays at 11 AM*), we enter into Holy Week, taking a look at chapters 12-14 in John's Gospel. Join us live on Sunday and Wednesday (*1 PM and 7 PM*) as we bring back a special 100th anniversary edition of JOY!, a one-hour program of sacred music for the Advent season. Find the full program schedule at kfuo.org/joy.

Dollar for Missions finds itself able to include an unexpected project this year. Furnace replacements at the campus ministry center in Macomb did not cost as much as anticipated, so **CID can now devote incoming dollars** to a couple of needed items at **University Lutheran Church, Champaign: new toilets** in a **men's room** and a **new water heater**. This project is for **\$5,000**. Will that amount be received by the end of 2024? You can help. *For additional information please visit www.cidlcms.org.*

Thanks for all of the prayers, cards, and visits.
Dick & Joann Reichert

Good News for the St. James School Tuition Endowment Fund Once again ORLC is blessed to have an anonymous donor offer to **match up to \$5,000.00 in donations** to the endowment fund. This matching challenge will run until the end of the year. If you are not familiar with this endowment or have any question about it, please check with any of the committee members. Checks should be made out to: **ORLC St. James School Tuition Endowment Fund – Endowment Committee**

This Week at Our Redeemer

Sunday, December 1:

Advent 1 (DS IV)

9:00 AM Holy Communion *Streamed online*
10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School

Monday, December 2:

Tuesday, December 3:

9:15 AM Women's Bible Study
7:00 PM Choir

Wednesday, December 4:

10:00 AM Bible Study *Streamed online*
11:30 AM Holy Communion
2:00 PM Banner
5:45 PM Advent Meal
7:00 PM Advent Midweek

Thursday, December 5:

6:45 AM Coach House Bible Study
6:00 PM LWML Christmas Party

Friday, December 6:

Saturday, December 7:

5:00 PM Holy Communion

Sunday, December 8:

Advent 2 (DS I)

9:00 AM Holy Communion *Streamed online*
10:15 AM Bible Class & Sunday School

Response Last Weekend to God's Grace

Attendance	Nov. 24
Saturday at 5:00 PM	54
Sunday at 9:00 AM	97
Total Attendance	151
Holy Communion	125
Adult Bible Class	26
Sunday School	15

Offerings	Nov. 24
Needed Each Month	\$32,930.47
Received Last Month	\$33,032.15
Received This Month	\$23,115.15
Needed This Year	\$395,165.69
Received This Year	\$318,389.74
Received This Week	\$4,815.53

Scrip Update:

Week ending:	27-Oct	3-Nov	10-Nov	17-Nov	24-Nov
Profit:	\$131.45	\$50.54	\$38.05	\$105.70	\$58.85
# orders:	17	7	7	13	10
Profit/Order:	\$7.73	\$7.22	\$5.44	\$8.13	\$5.88
Overall Profit:	\$2,726.59	\$2,777.13	\$2,815.18	\$2,920.88	\$2,979.72

Thank you for your continued support of this program!

We do have some Visa \$25 now in stock. If you are planning on purchasing scrip cards for shopping or gifts, please stop by the scrip table to order. Available cards for ordering can be viewed at raiserright.com and we also have a binder at the scrip table with that information.

Inkjet Cartridge Recycling. Each cartridge is examined for its value. Even the ones which they cannot use and refill we will **receive 25 cents** each for our effort. Your combined efforts of simply recycling your inkjet cartridges will result in a larger sum being sent to Uganda. Here's how you can help: 1. Bring your used INKJET cartridges and deposit them in the collection box outside of the church office. OR 2. If you prefer to mail your own cartridges (*at least 7*) you can do so by using our **PROGRAM ID: 31683** at planetgreenrecycle.com to request a **FREE USPS label** to print and mail.

Bella Ease Join the guys for good food and good discussions. **All Dads are welcome!** 3rd Thursdays from 6-7:30 PM, 707 Broadway. Child care available. RSVP to bellaease.com/event or call 217-209-0632.

Bella Ease Care Closet Open Monday-Friday 8:30-4:30 PM, 707 Broadway, for personal Hygiene Products.

Bella Ease Motivation Mondays at 10 AM Set Goals, Create a Plan, Overcome Obstacles, Make Life Happen at 707 Broadway.

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