

Holland Church

December 11, 2022

Mission Statement:
Together, we will
Follow Christ,
Share Christ's love, and
Serve in the Power of Christ

Welcome and Greeting

Songs of Praise and Worship

Emmanuel (Hallowed Manger Ground)
196 O Come, Let us Adore Him vss 1,4,5)

Advent Lighting

Advent Response

Prayer *Dismissal of children for Children and Worship

Message "Rejoice in the Lord!"

Scripture Philippians 4:4-7 *Page 11401 in Church Bible*
Romans 12:12 *Page 1101 in Church Bible*
I Thessalonians 5:16-18 *Page 1148 in Church Bible*

Prayer

Songs of Praise

Hymnal 271 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore You (vss 1,2)
Hymnal 260 Worthy, You Are Worthy (vss 1,2,3)

Benediction

**Children and Worship* for young children (ages two and older) will meet the storyteller at the back of the sanctuary and go to the Education Wing and have their worship time together, then return to the sanctuary during the last hymns. Childcare is available for those 2 years and younger.

Third Sunday of Advent

Join our Fellowship Time today. Have a cup of coffee, water, or cookie, or just visit.

Two adult classes meet following Fellowship Time and both meet in the Education Wing. One studies the Sunday School Guide. The other class is using the book Walking with Christ the Navigators have published.

Our liturgical cloth is changed to purple for preparation and penitence.

Tuesday

Consistory will meet at 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday

The meal tonight is pizza from 5:30-6:10. The program is to start at 6:30. Congregation, please join us tonight for an evening of family enjoyment as Wednesday Nights Alive younger children will have a Christmas Program. Meet the children and families who attend our Wednesday Nights Alive. Tonight will conclude our Wednesday Nights Alive for 2022. We will resume meals and classes on January 11, 2023

Saturday

Rehearsal for Christmas Program by school-age children at 9:30 a.m.

Next Sunday

Christmas Program by school-age children during the Worship Hour.

Our Church

Voted in from our Congregational meeting were: Elder Eunice Cramer and Deacons Mike Peters and Cindy Widhalm. On the table in the Narthex are copies of the 2022 agenda and financial budget for 2023. The date for installation is January 8, 2023.

Oops so sorry, two important birthdays were missed in the December newsletter: Primrose Gunther December 7 and December 12 Kyle Townsend! Enjoy your birthdays.

Words of Hope for January-March are on the Information Desk.

Thank You does not describe how we have felt, overwhelmed with love. Thank you for ALL the prayers, cards, and meals, asking how I was doing. We appreciated opening the refrigerator and finding a meal prepared for us. A blessing for us from our church Family. I have an appointment with the oncologist in December. **Carol and Wilbur Auman**

Our Community

Are you looking for meaningful work? Do you have the heart to serve others? We are looking for a few special people to care for an amazing woman, in her home (Firth area) She needs a one hour visit each morning and evening. We can be flexible on the times. Pick the shifts that fit your schedule. She is witty, sharp minded and very independent...just needs a little help. Caregiving experience is not necessary, we can train. Call Guardian Angels Homecare for more information: 402-474-4000, or apply online: guardianangelsnebraska.com/career-opportunities.

Remember in Prayer

Our missionaries: Brian and Beth Bruxvoort, Mike and Amber DeBoer, and the P's (name withheld).

Ron, Julie Rosburg, and family

No longer able to attend worship at Holland Church: Henrietta Liesveld at Haven Manor, Evelyn Essink at Ambassador in Lincoln, and Barb Sears at Orchard Park, Lincoln NE.

Stay Connected

You may view past sermons on our streaming site: YouTube - Holland Church Nebraska

You can access both the bulletin and newsletter from our website. Go to www.thehollandchurch.org and click on "News."

Contact information for Pastor Anthony:

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Office hours 9 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Monday-Friday

Information for newsletters is due in the last week of the month. Bulletin information is due by Thursday at 1:00 p.m.

Sign up to serve cookies during our Fellowship Time. There are cookies in the freezer for you to serve if you want. You are responsible for making coffee and serving and cleaning up. **There are volunteers to run the cups through the dishwasher for anyone who serves coffee. If you would like this help, talk to Larry Schmid or Jerry Widhalm.**

SERVING	TODAY	NEXT WEEK
Child Care		
Children and Worship	Judy Nyhof	No Children and Worship
Coffee	Cindy Marolf	
Greeter	December Janis Walvoord Kody Pritschau	January Randal Wubbels

Mission Project	Week December 11	Week December 18
Toss Box	Dick Marolf	Ron Rosburg

Up Coming Events

December 24	Christmas Eve 6:30 p.m. Candlelight Service.
January 8, 2023	Installation of Elder and Deacons

God's Church in Holland has committees that function within the church to help with activities, education, maintenance, mission, reaching out in the community, music, and worship/prayer. Where will you serve in 2023?