

# January

## Holland Church Where you find family



Paul shares the function of God's Word in 2 Timothy 3:17: "so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work." When we read the Bible, God speaks directly to us by his Holy Spirit, revealing what is right and pleasing to God. He may want to teach us something, correct a decision or action, or equip us to become more like Christ. Within the body of Christ, God's Word teaches us how to love and build each other up in the faith.



King David knew God's Word was precious when he declared, "I seek you with all my heart; do not let me stray from your commands. I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you" (Psalm 119:10-11).

When God's Word gets into our hearts and minds, it becomes our strength and weapon when facing temptation to sin or do evil. Remember when Jesus was tempted by the devil? He used the Word of God to defeat the enemy and so should we (Matthew 4:4)!

Let Us not neglect Fellowship, Consistent Prayer and Commitment to His Word.

God Bless,

Pastor Anthony, Holland Church Sunday Worship is at 9:30 Wednesday Nights Alive meal at 6:10 p.m. Bible Study for 3 years -12 grade



We will celebrate our  
Lord's Supper on January 5, 2025

We will also install our newly elected  
Elders Dick Marolf and Patty Peters,  
and ordain and install  
Deacon Faye Weckle

CHOIR WILL REHEARSE ON JANUARY 19 AT 9 A.M. AND PERFORM ON THE 26



Wednesday Nights Alive will resume on  
January 8, 2025. We are looking forward  
to seeing everyone after our holiday



- 3 Anthony Godtel
- 12 Gordon Essink
- 12 Laura Hilkemann
- 17 Sam Gemar
- 22 Jamie Prange
- 23 Josh Godtel
- 28 Don O'Connor
- 29 Eunice Cramer
- 29 Tim Pritschau
- 30 Maddie Driskell

Two Bible studies and Prayer 365 will start in January

**January 6 Mondays 6:00-6:30 a.m. on going**  
**Prayer 365 START the week from our knees**

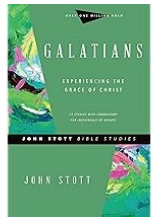
**January 15 Men's Bible Study on Wednesday Nights**  
**7:30-8:30 on going**  
**Abide, Apply and Activate**

**January 19 Bible Study Methods Sundays 6-7 p.m. 12-14 weeks**

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## WinGS (Women In God's Service)

Please join us on Tuesday evening, January 7, at 7:00, as we start a new Bible Study titled Galatians: Experiencing the Grace of Christ. Julie Rosburg will lead the lesson on Chapter 1, "False Teachers and Faithless Christians". How to start the year off on a positive note, huh?! Fortunately, one of the final questions is "How can we recognize the true gospel?" Come join in the discussion! We will also determine our mission project schedule for 2025.



Our mission project for January is BraveBe. Their mission statement says "BraveBe Child Advocacy Center is a non-profit organization providing a safe, child friendly location for conducting forensic interviews and medical evaluations for abused children in Southeast Nebraska."

They are very grateful for any of the following donations: snacks, blankets, stuffed animals, gift cards to Target, Walmart, Office Depot for office and lobby supplies;

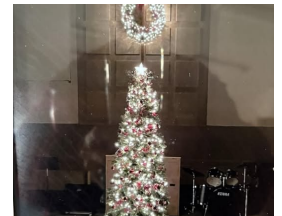
for families who end up spending hours at BraveBe over mealtimes - \$10-\$20 gift cards to Dairy Queen, Raising Canes, McDonald's, Noodles, Chik-fil-a, Taco Bell, HyVee, Super Saver;

for families who need help getting to and from their appointments - \$10-\$20 gift cards to Phillip's 66, Kwik Shop, Casey's, etc.



Gifts to our local Care Facilities.

## Christmas at Holland



Craft Night on Wednesday Nights Alive



Collection of Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes headed to distribution center in Lincoln



"The Witnesses of Christmas" written and directed by Laura Hilkemann and performed by our Wednesday Nights Alive children.