

NEWS & NOTES

What's Coming Up....

Sunday 12/22	9:00 AM	Worship
	10:00 AM	Fellowship Hour
		Bible Study: The different Christmas Accounts
Mon. 12/23	6:30 PM	No Monday Night with Jesus
Tues. 12/24	2:00 PM	Sun City Gathering
	6:00 PM	Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
Wed. 12/25	10:00 AM	Christmas Day Celebration
Sun. 12/29	9:00 AM	Worship and WELS Connection

Willing Hands

This Sunday: 12/22	Next Sunday 12/29
Organist: Computer	Computer
Ushers: Andrew Ryan	Bryan Becht
	Mark Boehringer
	Chuck Ochsner
Altar Care: Kelley Buch	Kelley Buch
Tellers: Dick and Cathy Yeakel	Dick and Cathy Yeakel
Kitchen Helpers: The Meyers	The Buchs



Summerlin Lutheran Church Officers:

Please call our elected officers with questions.

Chairman:	Mr. Chuck Ochsner
Vice-Chairman:	Mr. Mark Boehringer
Treasurer:	Mr. Eric Braun
Trustee:	Mr. Mark Osterberg
Elder:	Mr. Duane Meyer

Coming Up:



Christmas Worship Schedule

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service: 6:00 PM

Christmas Day Celebration: 10:00 AM



Church Planning Seminar
Saturday, January 18



Church Member Offering Envelopes for
2020 are here!!!

Please pick yours up on the desk to the right as
you leave.



Poinsettia Envelopes are here!!

If you would like to adopt a poinsettia in memory of
a loved one, please fill out the envelope and put it
in the offering plate or bring it to the office. Our
list will be included later in the month.



Our Thanks to the Lord: Our congregation has prayerfully and thankfully chosen to support the ministry of our church through our thank offerings.

May God continue to bless us with his gifts and with a heart of praise and thanks to bring our offerings of thanks to do his work.



*We're here to
Serve*

December 1	Jim Moldenhauer	Tom Johnson
December 8	Wally Marsh	Bill Meyer
December 15	Joe Schindler	Larry Wiersum
December 22	Andrew Ryan	Mark Boehringer
December 24	Jim Moldenauer	
December 25	Jim Moldenauer	
December 29	Bryan Becht	Chuck Ochsner
January 5	Joe Schindler	Larry Wiersum
January 12	Andrew Ryan	Mark Boehringer
January 19	Jim Moldenhauer	Tom Johnson
January 26	Bill Meyer	Bryan Becht



Knitting with Friends



January 6th
February 3rd
6pm

For all adult skill levels and talents.

Beginners: Bring yarn and needles and learn to knit.

Experienced: Bring along a current project and work on it.

Everyone: Come and enjoy the time getting to know one another.

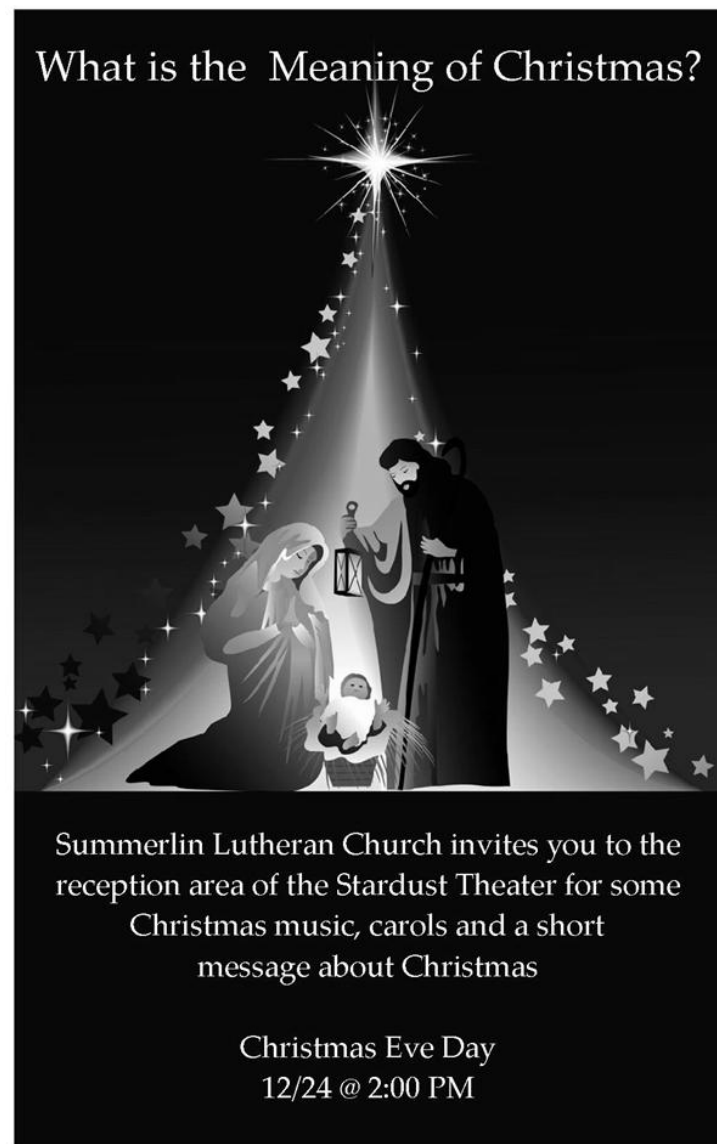
RSVP to Shawncee Osterberg by DECEMBER 31ST

Please find our Christmas door hanger invitation on the table in the entryway. Make sure to take a few and invite your family, friends and neighbors to see why there is no Christmas without the Cross. Take as many as you need.



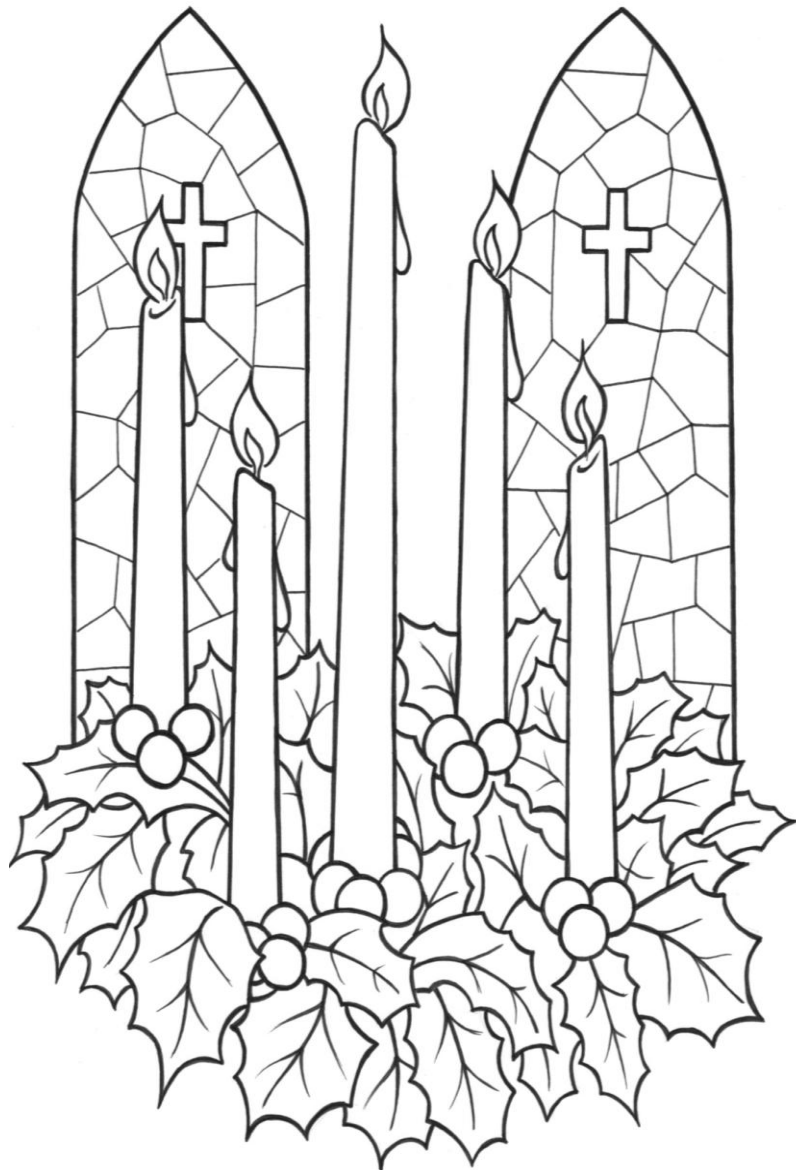
My Special Savior, My Special Gift

As we prepare for Jesus to be born, we contemplate the gifts that he gives freely to us. We can never repay Jesus for these gifts. Yet, we can show thanks and praise to him by what and how we give. As we think about those blessings this Christmas-time, please take a moment to prayerfully consider giving a special offering of thanks to the Lord for his great Christmas gift.



Please grab a few of these invites for your friends and neighbors too!!!!

For the Young.... and Young at Heart
Crayons are available. Please ask an usher for assistance.



Advent Wreath

1st Candle (Purple) **THE PROPHECY CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF HOPE.** We have hope because God is faithful and will keep all of the promises he has made to us. Our hope comes from God. (Romans 15:12-13)

2nd Candle (Purple) **THE BETHLEHEM CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF PREPARATION.** Preparation means to get ready. God keeps his promises, especially his promise to send a Savior. We prepare to welcome our Savior as God fulfills his promise again. (Luke 3: 4-6)

3rd Candle (Pink) **THE SHEPHERD CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF JOY.** The angels sang the good news with joy. The shepherds went to find the Savior and returned with joyful hearts telling all they had seen. (Luke 2:7-15)

4th Candle (Purple) **THE ANGEL CANDLE or THE CANDLE OF LOVE.** The angels announced the good news that God, in his love, has kept his promise and sent his Son to earth to save us.

5th Candle (White) **THE CHRIST CANDLE.** The white candle, lit on Christmas Day, reminds us that Jesus is the spotless lamb of God, sent to be the sacrifice to wash our sins away. He was born to take our place and die for us! (John 1:29)