



The KOG Weekly Connection

Week of December 2, 2018
King of Glory Lutheran Church, Fountain Valley

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This Week for Youth and Family

Sunday—December 2:

Worship 8:00 am and 10:30 am

Wednesday—December 5:

Crittenton Girl's Home Party 5:30 pm

Sunday—December 9:

Unity Service 10:00 am

Christmas Party on the Patio 11:00 am

WEEKLY ADULT EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday Adult Education Class:

Pastor Lund's Adult Education Bible Class focusing on each Sunday's scriptures meets in the Fellowship Hall Library at 9:30 am between church services.

Men's Bible Study:

The Men's Bible Study group meets on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Center Library. Please call Alan Marcum at 714.328.9968 or email wb6rqm@gmail.com if you have questions.

Women's Wednesday Fellowship, Prayer Group and Bible Study:

The Women of Spiritual Character Prayer Group gathers every Wednesday at 1:30 pm in Little Ed. The current study is Daily Discipleship which is based on Sunday's lectionary texts. Contact Debbie Bise at 714.963.3099 with any questions. All are welcome.

Upcoming Events and Other Information

Stewardship 2019 Update: Many thanks to all who turned out for our Commitment Sunday Service and Lunch and to those who returned their Commitment Cards. Thus far, we've had 82 members pledge to give over \$339,000 in 2019!!! Even more exciting is that we have 13 new pledging members and 38 members who increased their pledge (compared to last year's 11 and 29). THANK YOU! We now have less than \$15,000 to go to reach last year's end of the year total of \$353,624, so please consider turning in your Commitment Card to the Sunday Offering plate or Church Office, if you have not yet. Having this information is a great help in planning and budgeting for next year. Remember, "We are the Church!"

New Habitat For Humanity Build Opportunity—Budapest, Hungary: June 22-30, 2019. Join Lynn and Gerry Marecek as they lead a build team to the beautiful and historic city of Budapest, Hungary where the team will renovate municipality owned, run-down and vacant apartment buildings. You can make a world of difference for a family providing a "hand up" working with them to build a simple, affordable, and decent home. For more info contact team leader Lynn Marecek at lynn.marecek@gmail.com or 714-393-6642. First information meeting on Dec 2nd at 4 pm at the Mareceks -10498 Sioux River.

Family Promise in December: Family Promise is a partnership of local churches working together to shelter and encourage newly homeless families on the journey to gainful employment and a new permanent residence. We will be hosting our next group of guests from Family Promise Dec. 9th-15th. Paul Wallace will be available after services on the patio to answer questions and receive volunteer sign ups.

A Woven Image of Christmas: Sunday, December 9th, at 4 pm, Our Redeemer Lutheran Church will be offering a free concert to celebrate the music of the season and benefit the Interfaith Refugee and Immigration Services of Los Angeles (IRIS).

Save the date Guatemala Habitat Trip: On January 6, 2019, Ron & Lin Baesler will be hosting an informational meeting for all of you interested in the Guatemala Habitat for Humanity build, June 29-July 7, 2019. The meeting will be held at their home, 150 Anned Drive, Placentia, CA, 4pm-6pm. Pizza will be served. Feel free to invite a friend!

Faith Bible Study Group: This group will be meeting offsite this month, on December 22nd, 10:00 am, at the home of Linda Arnett.

Local Lutheran Social Services food pantry is in dire need of donations. Please bring non-perishable food items or diapers to Little Ed, the area right off the Narthex.

Prayer List for the Week of Sunday, December 2, 2018

For our members...

Doris Marilyn Williams—for continued healing
Bev Stolte—for successful treatment
Bob Stolte—for treatment & healing
Wayne Anderson—for healing
Joy Mangan—for strength and good health & test results
Bud Potter—for wisdom and discernment for GADL
Alan Luken—for healing
Joyce Ackermann—for peace
Hilda Saavedra—for healing
Ruth Clausen—for peace and strength
Judy Bartz—for continued healing
Roni Stubban—for continued healing
Marlene Watton—for successful surgery
Alvera Bowling—healing of mind, body & recovery of self
Marcia Cruchley—for healing
Joanne Woolley—for continued healing
Fred Luhman—for success of new treatment
Carol Tonjes—for healing
Ryan Bobar—for healing & wisdom
Bob Flowers—for continued healing
Nancy Cotta—continued healing of knee and hip
Ernie Butler—for continued healing

Joan Butler—for healing
Marlys Buckey—prayers for continued healing of back
Glenn Travers—hip surgery successful-/pray for recovery
Nancy Jaeger—for continued successful treatment
Jerilyn O'Campo—continued health/healing/new glasses
JB Johnson—for prayers and blessings for new job
Lucy Garza—prayers for continued healing
Vinh Quan Tran —career guidance and strength
Andrew Marcos—guidance for job/career decisions
Steve Chakos—health and wellness
Andrew Johnson—for career and bring closer to the Lord
Ed Buerk—for successful surgery and follow-up
Ed Cotta—Nancy (next Rectora for Credo) prayers for her and her team

For our family and friends...

Maura Hankinson—sister of Pat Gordon
Deborah—daughter of Gwen TeGantvoort
Jill Burt—cousin of Karen Ronchetti
John Collins—friend of Michèle Jensen
Brian Martein—nephew of Vicki Murrell
Scott Tipton—brother of Roberta Osterode

Because of confidentiality concerns, we can only list non-members' names and connections to KOG in public documents. Prayer requests for members, family members and friends are encouraged. Names of family members and friends will be listed here for up to one month (depending upon the need). After this time, they will be placed in the hands and hearts of our Prayer Warriors for continued prayer. Please provide updates to your requests on the back of your worship response sheet or by calling the church office. Thank you.

For those who mourn:

The family and friends of Louise Scauzillo.

Other celebrations and concerns:

For the Stephen Ministry. For Neema Nuru School in Rionchogu, Kenya. For our partnership in the ELCA and for our bishops: **Andy Taylor** (Pacifica Synod) and **Elizabeth Eaton** (ELCA). For our military chaplains and our active military personnel, especially those military and civilians deployed abroad: **Andrew Krisher** (Louise Scauzillo's grandson), **Teresa Prupis** (Deloris Bixler's niece) and **Travis Heximer** (Bev Karl's grandson).

This Week Around and About KOG

Sunday, December 2 First Sunday of Advent	AA (LE) Worship with Choir and Organ (S) Council Meeting (BE) Adult Education (L) Worship with Praise Band (S) Kid's Time (S/BE) Brazilian Ministry (S) AA (LE)	6:00 am 8:00 am 9:15 am 9:30 am 10:30 am 10:30 am 3:30 pm 8:00 pm
Monday, December 3	AA (LE) Prayer Warriors (LE) Brazilian Ministry Bible Study, Band Practice (S) Boy Scout Troup 442 (BE)	6:00 am 4:30 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm
Tuesday, December 4	AA (LE) Al-Anon (BE) Praise Band Rehearsal (S) FA (LE) Venture Scouts (BE)	6:00 am 12:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm
Wednesday, December 5	AA (LE) Preschool Chapel (S) Women's Weekly Fellowship/Bible Study (LE) Crittenton Girl's Home Party Men's Bible Study (L) AA (FH)	6:00 am 10:00 am 1:30 pm 5:30 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm
Thursday, December 6	AA (LE) Preschool Dance (FH) West Grove Sorority Council Meeting (BE) FA (LE) Christian Meditation Group (S) Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (CR)	6:00 am 9:00 am 7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:30 pm 7:30 pm
Friday, December 7	AA (LE)	6:00 am
Saturday, December 8	AA (LE) Property Work Day AA (LE)	6:00 am 9:00 am 7:30 pm
Sunday, December 9 Family Promise Week	AA (LE) Unity Service-Music Sunday and Kid's Program Kid's Time (S/BE) Christmas Party on the Patio Single Sisters in Christ (BE) Brazilian Ministry (S) AA (LE)	6:00 am 10:00 am 10:30 am 11:00 am 12:00 pm 3:30 pm 8:00 pm