



4th Sunday of Advent

December 21, 2025

Order of Worship

Prelude
 Welcome
 Lighting of Advent Wreath
 Gathering Hymn
 "O Come, All Ye Faithful" ELW #283 v1, 2, 3
 Confession and Forgiveness
 Sharing of Peace
 Gospel Reading Matthew 1:18-25
 Message "Twelve Days of What?"
 Hymn of Day
 "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear" ELW #282
 Advent Creed
 Prayers of Intercession
 Offering Hymn
 "The First Noel" ELW #300 v1, 2, 3, 4
 Offering Prayer
 Celebration of Holy Communion
 Lord's Prayer
 Instruction and Invitation
 Distribution Hymns
 "What Feast of Love" ELW #487
 "Away in a Manger" ELW # 277
 Post Communion Blessing and Prayer
 Sending Hymn
 "Go Tell It on the Mountain" ELW #290
 Announcements
 Blessing and Sending
 Postlude

Please Keep in Prayer
 Noel Mills, Selah, Ben, Natalie, Kaleb,
 Brenda Mullenmaster, Cody Nelson,
 John Town, Jane Town, Danita Poremba,
 Brooklyn, Kirk Eide, Geri Staley, Tom
 Staley, John Lund, Mike Ptacek,
 Diane Schires, Marit McCluske,
 Dave Trampe, Beatrice,
 Dan Barfknecht, Diane Vaughn, Rod Mouw,
 Larry Nelson, Jan Marr, Joyce Graunke,
 Dave Vandenberg, Phil Anderson,
 Sara Felton, Cheryl Epping,
 Johnny Eibergen, Caitlin Utley, Jenny Olsen
 & Kykah Myers.
 Family and Friends of Irene Schires

Serving Today

Organist Tammy Devine
 Ushers/Greeters Roger & Linda Bechtold
 Lay Reader Colleen Moravek
 Bread Servers Pastor, Janna Williams
 Wine/Grape Juice Jan Stadtherr
 Diane Peters
 Communion Care Diane Peters
 Sound Technician Jim Fladmoe
 Video Technicians Mitch Jorgenson
 Doug Williams
 Money Counters Jenny Schock
 Randy Swanson
 Fellowship Angie Lyle & Family

Serving Sunday, December 28

Organist Mary Hagelie
 Ushers/Greeters Greg & Diane Peters
 Lay Readers Cris Smith, Garry Gaffey
 Sound Technician Pat Wrucke
 Video Technicians Ron Stadtherr
 Mark Wrucke
 Money Counters Mike Meagher
 Mark Wrucke
 Fellowship Flohaug Team

WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD FOR YOU!

Tithes and Offering

Sunday December 14, 2025 | 9am
Attendance: 43

General Fund Income	\$ 4,462.00
Sunday Fellowship	\$ 43.00
Total General Fund Income	\$ 4,505.00
Designated Fund Income	
World Hunger	\$ 65.00
Community Meal	\$ 113.00
ELCA Good Gifts	\$ 250.00
Copies Reimbursement	\$ 6.00
Salem Quilters in Memory of Ken & Marie Wenstrand	\$ 500.00

Nov 30, 2025, the General Fund should be \$232,985. The actual giving was \$226,366, which is \$6,619 short of our budgeted goal. Recognizing our challenges, you have responded with increased giving. As a result, on Nov 30, 2025, **cash available for General Expenses is in the black at \$14,482.**
THANK YOU for your GENEROUS support of the ministry God has called Salem to.

Announcements

Last Minutes Shopping

Check out the ELCA Good Gifts tree and find gifts that give life to people in need and make a huge difference in our world.

Christmas Eve Worship

December 24 | 6pm

Celebrate the Good News of Jesus' birth in word, song, candlelight and holy communion!

Lessons and Carols Worship

Sunday, December 28 | 9am

Welcome to Salem Lutheran Church

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Office Hours:
Mon - Thurs 9am - 2pm
Fri 9am - 12pm

This Week at Salem

Sunday, December 21

9am Children & Youth Christmas Worship
 10am Fellowship
 4 - 6pm Confirmation & Youth Group

Monday, December 22

9:30am Men's Bible Sharing
 1pm Busy Needles

Tuesday, December 23

9am Bone Builders
 9:30am Text Study
 4pm Faith Formation

Wednesday, December 24 Office Closes 12pm

6pm Christmas Eve Worship

Thursday, December 25 Office Closed

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Friday, December 26

9am Bone Builders

Saturday, December 27

Pastor Trish Vacation - 12/26/2025 - 1/1/2026