

December 2018

SHEPHERD OF THE VALLEY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2 1st Advent 8:15 Worship 10:30 Worship/SS Fair Trade Shop at First Lutheran	3 5pm Common Ground Work Team @Foothills	4 10:00 ABC Chapel 4:30pm ABC/Exec Mtg	5 7:30pm Women's AA	6 Quilting 9am—1pm 6:45 pm Choir	7 9am Centering Prayer	1/8
9 2nd Advent 8:15 Worship 10:30 Worship/SS Advent Cookies & Hot Chocolate , 12p	10 6:00pm Bible Study	11 10am <i>Gather</i> Bible Study 6:00pm Council Mtg Bike Building: 6-9pm at CasaDeOro Elementary	12 10:00 ABC Chapel 7:30 Women's AA	13 6:45 pm Choir	14 9am Centering Prayer	15
16 3rd Advent 8:15 Worship Bench Dedication 10:30 Worship/SS	17 6:00pm Bible Study	18 10:00 ABC Chapel	19 ABC Barn Chapel and Open House 6:30pm	20 6:45 pm Choir	21 9am Centering Prayer	22
23 4th Advent 8:15 Worship 10:30 Worship/SS	24 ABC Barn and Church Office Closed Christmas Eve Services at 6pm and 9pm	25 Christmas Day ABC Barn and Church Office Closed	26 7:30 Women's AA	27 6:45 pm Choir	28 9am Centering Prayer	29
30 1st Christmas 8:15 Worship 10:30 Worship/SS	31 ABC Barn and Church Office Closed	Jan. 1 New Year's Day ABC Barn and Church Office Closed	Jan. 2 7:30 Women's AA	Jan. 3 6:45 pm Choir	Jan. 4 9am Centering Prayer	Jan. 5

We raise our prayers for... our members: Ruth Bidwell, Dave Buller, Jan Hardy, Grace Hemstreet, Mike Kaine, Elizabeth Lansdown, Lisa Lansdown, Loretta Moody, Barbara and Michael Norton, Norris Padfield, Rich Rier-son, Robinanne Robinson, Bill Schneider, Velma Star-man, **our family:** Anders, Evan Baily and family, Friends & Family of Jon Broste, Atlas Clark, Lexie Faggins, Jesika Hinkley, Denise Keohane, Luga Lizarraga, Jacob Lewis & family, The Chris Merlick Family, Dana Metcalf, Bob Nordlie, Dolores O'Connell, Louise Potocki, Robin Reith, Suzanne Ritz, Carmine Smedira, Nancy Speck, Brian & Mimi Sturgell, Frank Testa, **our friends:** Jerry & Karen Ault, Naemi Cunningham, Virginia Dickerson, The Dieter-man Family, Carolyn Eoss, Glenda Fatroy-Beverly, Carol Holmberg, Dan Jackson, Steve Knox, Liz, Chris Martin, Cecelia Nishiguchi, Pamela, Bill and Jennifer Renz, Beth Russell, Larry Storm, Kelly Wright, Our friends and relatives serving in the military. Our congregation, Council, Transition Team, Call Committee, Interim Pastor Karla, Bishop Andy Taylor & Pacifica Synod staff. All the candi-dates and our eventual settled pastor, Our community of La Mesa and East County neighbors, our ministries: ABC Barn students, families and staff, Common Ground, Agape House, TACO, El Nido, & LRCC, Victims of violence and disasters. **God of Mercy—Hear our Prayers!**

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

6th Dustin Blake
 6th Tierney Froelich
 7th Dusty Holycross
 8th Malcolm Collins
 9th Tara Ellingson
 10th Ardy Chadwick
 17th Norris Padfield
 19th Maren Lechner
 22nd Ellen Brady
 24th Eva Schneider
 27th Mark Taylor
 27th Karol Provost
 27th Jade Verri
 31st Marie DiMercurio
 31st Marta Monroe

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

19th David & Lori Schweighauser
 25th Judy & Lee Ellingson
 26th Larry & Stephanie Jordan
 27th Matt & Jenny Fenner

