



# All Saints Lutheran Church

Everyone is Welcome here! Seriously, Everyone!

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent**

***Sunday School Christmas Program***

December 21, 2025 at 9:30 am

Wales, WI



# WELCOME TO WORSHIP THIS MORNING!

We are glad that you've come to worship with us.

Everything you need to participate in this morning's service is in your handout.

We celebrate God's love and forgiveness with Holy Communion  
every Sunday and you are welcome to join us.

All Saints Lutheran Church is a Reconciled in Christ Congregation.

We welcome people of every age and size, color and culture,  
every sexual orientation and gender identity,  
any socio-economic status and every ability and challenge.

We welcome believers and questioners, and questioning believers.



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# Welcome to the Sunday School Christmas Program!

**Congregational Responses will be in Bold.**

## Prelude

Judy Knoernschild

## Welcome and Prayer Requests

## Special Music                    "Waiting for Messiah"                    Carl Kelly

## Lighting of the Advent Candle

## Prayer of the Day

**Stir up your power, Lord Christ, and come. With your abundant grace and might, free us from the sin that binds us, that we may receive you in joy and serve you always, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

## 2025 Sunday School Christmas Program:

## Scene We Go to Bethlehem

# Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

## Scene Mary and Joseph Go to Bethlehem

## **Song** “O Little Town of Bethlehem” Sunday School Choir

## Scene Jesus is Born

**Scene** The Shepherds and the Angel Visit

**C:** “**Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among men in whom he is pleased”**

**Scene** The Wise Men Come from the East

**Song** “Joy to the World” Children vs 1, **All vs 2, 3**

**C:** **Joy to the world! The Savior reigns”** Let men their songs employ;  
While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains Repeat the sounding  
Joy, Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

**He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the nations prove  
The glories of his right-eous-ness, And wonders of his love,  
And wonders of his love, And wonders, wonders of his love.**

## Prayers of the People

*Each prayer petition will end with:*

**P:** God of grace,

**C:** **hear our prayer.**

*The prayers will end with:*

**P:** Draw near to us, O God, as we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy through Jesus Christ, Emmanuel.

**C: Amen**

## Sharing the Peace of Christ

**P:** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

*We encourage you to share God’s peace however you are comfortable.*

*Handshakes, high-5’s, fist bumps, peace signs, and waves are all appropriate.*

## OFFERING

The offering is an act of worship. We offer a portion of what God has blessed us with for the purpose of doing God’s work in the world through the church. You can donate via collection plate, by scanning the QR Code, or Texting to Give at 262-233-1776.



**Post Offering Canticle “He Came Down”**

#253 vs 3, 4

**Offering Prayer**

P: Let us pray.

C: Nourishing God, you are water in the wilderness and streams in the desert. Through this meal, satisfy our parched places, that we may rejoice and be for the world signs of your kingdom come. Amen.

**Words of Institution****Invitation to Communion**

**Communion Hymn      “The Angel Gabriel from Heaven Came”      #265**

**Communion Hymn      “Angels, from the Realms of Glory”      #275**

**Communion Hymn      “Your Little Ones, Dear Lord ”      #286**

**POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

P: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of his body and blood strengthen, keep and unite us, now and forever.

C: Amen.

**Prayer After Communion**

C: God our host, at this table you have fed us with joy and gladness. Send us forth, eager to share the feast, welcome the stranger, and bear good fruit in the name of Jesus. Amen.

**Announcements****Benediction**

P: May God who comes among us, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, grant you patience in waiting, peace in the darkness, and good news to share today and always.

C: Amen.

**Closing Hymn      “Go Tell It on the Mountain”      #290 vs 1, 2**

## **Sending**

P: Go in peace. Keep awake.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

**Postlude**

Judy Knoernschild

***Thank you to all of the children for their participation in today's program!***

***Thank you to the adult leaders of the program!***

***Thank you all for joining us today and we hope you all***

***Have a Merry Christmas!***



# Christmas Services

## SCHEDULE

<b>Sunday 14th</b>	Christmas Music Festival	<b>09:30 AM</b>
<b>Sunday 21st</b>	Children's Christmas Program	<b>09:30 AM</b>
<b>Wednesday 24th</b>	Christmas Eve Worship	<b>04:00 PM</b>
<b>Thursday 25th</b>	Christmas Day Worship	<b>10:00 AM</b>

Worship Participants	December 21 <sup>st</sup>	December 28 <sup>th</sup>
<i>Reader</i>	Dyan Pasono	Dyan Pasono
<i>Communion Servers</i>	Florence Brehm <i>and Volunteer Needed</i>	Florence Brehm <i>and Volunteer Needed</i>
<i>Communion Prep</i>	Florence Brehm	Florence Brehm
<i>Greeters</i>	<i>Volunteer(s) Needed</i>	<i>Volunteer(s) Needed</i>
<i>Coffee Hosting</i>	Kathy Neubert	Chuck and Ellen Gallagher
<i>Ushers</i>	Al and Kathy Theis	Dan and Christine Makovec

To sign up for Greeters and Readers, you can scan the QR Code.

Coffee Hosts can sign up in the kitchen.

Ushers are assigned by Greg Cholka.



Worship Participants	December 24 <sup>th</sup>	December 25 <sup>th</sup>
<i>Reader</i>	Bethanne Cochenet	Thea Kuhn
<i>Communion Servers</i>	Rick and Pam Gasper	Joanne Bartelt <i>and Volunteer Needed</i>
<i>Communion Prep</i>	Carol Renner	Joanne Bartelt
<i>Greeters</i>	Bethanne Cochenet	<i>Volunteers Needed</i>
<i>Ushers</i>	Dan & Christine Makovec	Jim and Laura Dralle





# Poinsettias Decorating the Sanctuary for Christmas

Given By: In Honor Of:

Laura Dralle Nancy Schultz

Eric & Amy Holland Our Family & Friends

Given By: In Memory Of:

Joanne Bartelt Dad, Dick Schultz

Barb Deichl & Rebecca Seevers Our Parents

Charles & Ellen Gallagher Ruthie Notter

Nansi & Dick Hawkins Curt, & Lisa Hughes

Holland Family Dave Holland, Al Mullins, Gary Depies

Jeff & Jean Voelkel Tom, Lila, Harriet, Bud and Judy

Given By:

Bob & Kathleen Eastman

Rob Hegberg

Rob Nelson

Kathy & Bill Neubert

*Plants may be taken home following the 10:00 am Christmas Day Worship Service.*

# Thank You

