

Chisago Lake Lutheran Church

December 16th – December 22nd, 2018

Sun.	8:30 am	Traditional Worship Service, Holy Communion
	9:30 am	Fellowship Coffee/Christmas Hymn Sing
	9:30 am	Sunday School/D & D – Youth room
	10:45 am	Newsong Worship Service, Holy Communion
	7:00 pm	Narcotics Anonymous – Fellowship Hall
Mon.	4:00 pm	Community Meals – Zion Lutheran Church
	7:00 pm	Boy Scouts - Undercroft
Tues.	10:30 am	NA small group – Green room
	7:00 pm	Al-Anon - Undercroft
Wed.	11:00 am	Staff meeting -Office
	2:30 pm	KAT/3:30 pm JAM
	4:30 pm	Confirmation
	5:30 pm	Meal
	5:45 pm	Children's' choir
	7:30 pm	Senior Choir rehearsal
Thurs.	8:00 am	Thursday Guys at Phil's Grill
	7:00 pm	Church Council
Fri.		January newsletter articles due to the church office. Annual reports from committee chairs are due to the church office.

Sunday, December 23rd, 2018

8:30 am	Traditional Worship Service
	NO Sunday School or Donuts and Discussion
9:30 am	Fellowship Coffee – Fellowship Hall
	NO Adult Forum
10:45 am	Newsong Worship Service
7:00 pm	Narcotics Anonymous – Fellowship Hall

Sunday, December 9th, 2018
Generous gifts \$5,181.75
Attendance 185

The flowers by the lectern are in memory and to honor Bea Nelson from her family. Bea passed away on Dec. 6th and her funeral was held at CLLC on Tuesday, Dec. 11th.

Christmas Hymn Sing

Join us today at 9:45 in the Fellowship Hall. Cider, treats, and caroling!

Advent Open House

The congregation is invited to the parsonage for an Advent Open House TODAY, Dec 16th from 2-4pm. Join us for wassail, holiday treats, and good fun!

Baby Shower for Baby Jesus!

On Sundays in Advent we are collecting baby supplies during worship to support the LSS Crisis Nursery in Duluth. Bring your items to worship, as we prepare for baby Jesus and help children and families in need. Items needed are:

- Diapers: sizes 4, 5, or 6
- Baby wipes
- Diaper ointment or other baby skin care items

Christmas Eve Worship Schedule:

Join us for worship on Christmas Eve! 4:00 Family Service with New Song Worship Band, 5:30 Traditional Service, 11:00 Traditional Service with Choir. Preludes begin 30 minutes before the 4:00 and 11:00pm services. Communion and candlelight at each service. All are welcome!

Buy local coffee & support Friends of CLLC!

Friends of CLLC are selling Northwoods coffee to raise money for the stained glass window restoration. One half pound bag of Northwoods roast, Dark Roast or decaf are \$10.00 you can get the coffee in ground or beans. Look for Chris Lundberg, Barb Wikelius, Heidi Gemuenden or Bonnie Anderson to order your coffee. Delivery will be December 19.

Annual Reports are due in the office by December 21st

Notice to all church committees: your annual reports are due in the church office on Friday, December 21st. You can drop them off at the office or email them to office@chisagolakelutheran.org. Thank you!

Community Meals:

Monday, December 17th will be the Christmas dinner for Chisago Lakes Community Meals. The meal runs from 4-6 pm and Santa will be making an appearance! Don't

miss it! There will **not** be a Community Meal on Christmas Eve, December 24th but you can go to the Community Meal on Christmas Day at the Methodist Church. Monday, December 31, Chisago Lakes Community Meal returns for a New Year's celebration. The meal will be pizza and ice cream will be the dessert. Come and join others to start your New Year's Eve from 4-6 p.m. at Zion Lutheran in Chisago City.

"Blue Christmas" Worship - Dec 21st

A service for those struggling through the holidays. Friday, Dec 21st (the longest night of the year) at Zion Lutheran in Chisago City. Worship at 7:00pm.

Estimate of Giving - \$244,380 for 2019

Thank you to everyone who has turned in estimate of giving cards! The updated total of pledges for 2019 is \$244,380! Last year's total was \$207,000. THANK YOU for your generosity and expression of faith! If you have not filled out a card, you are encouraged to stop by the church office. Thanks!

Bulletin & Newsletter Deadlines

As we are trying to streamline our processes in the office, please note that if you want any announcements included in the bulletin you should email them to Louise by 2:00pm on Wednesdays. The deadline for the newsletter is the 20th of the month. Anything turned after that point is not guaranteed to be printed. Thanks for your help and understanding!

New Staff Emails:

The staff in the office have updated email addresses, to match our soon to be updated website... We will no longer use our old email addresses. Thanks!

Louise office@chisagolakelutheran.org

Stacy youth.family@chisagolakelutheran.org

Stephanie finance@chisagolakelutheran.org

Pastor Taryn pastortaryn@chisagolakelutheran.org

Office Hours during the holidays will be 9:00 am – 1:00 pm -Dec 26-27, Jan 2-3, 7-9.