



SHINER
LUTHERAN

WEEKLY CONNECTIONS

Growing together in grace and service

November 24, 2024 @ 10:15AM
Christ the King Sunday



IN PERSON
OR
FROM HOME



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Sunday November 24 will include a Thanksgiving emphasis, with the altar adorned with fresh fruits & vegetables. (Donations for this can be brought to church by Saturday morning.) We will also include a time for special gifts to our women's ministries, a tradition called the WELCA Thankoffering.

Women of the **ELCA**
THANKOFFERING



Beginning Nov. 24, our Caring Ministries will sponsor a Giving Tree filled with tags listing items that will help provide Christmas for two Shiner families. Just take a tag, record your choice, then buy and wrap the gift, returning it with the tag number on it. Donations are due December 15, so delivery of gifts can take place through SHISD before Christmas vacation begins. Be a blessing for others!



LOOKING AT THE LESSONS meets **Sunday** from 9:15-9:45AM

CANASTA gathers **Tuesday** at noon.



Both **CHOIR** and **HAND CHIMES** practice on **Tuesday** Nov. 26 – Chimes @ 7PM and Choir @ 7:30PM



Church activities will take a Thanksgiving break and the church office will be closed Thursday November 28 and Friday November 29. Have a blessed Thanksgiving!



On Sunday December 1, our congregation will be represented at **Christmas in the Park** in Shiner. We plan to give out hot chocolate and snack mix. Donations of snack mix (Chex mix, etc..) will be needed. Please bring donations packed in snack size bags by Saturday November 30. Thanks! See you at Welhausen Park at 5 PM on December 1.



The season of **Advent** begins December 1, preparing the way for the celebration of the nativity on Christmas Eve. Special Wednesday Advent Services will be held December 4, 11, & 18 at 7:15 PM. The **GIFT Christmas Program** is set for Sunday December 15 during 10:15 AM worship. On Tuesday December 24, we celebrate with one **Christmas Eve Candlelight Service** at 8:00 PM.



During December we do not have regular flower arrangements in church but do adorn the chancel with poinsettias as Christmas approaches. We have ordered 40 poinsettia plants that can be donated and dedicated. Following the Christmas Eve service, these poinsettias may be taken home. Donation and dedication forms are now available at church. Plants are \$12 each.

UPDATES & INFORMATION



Please note: Pastor Chris will be on vacation November 22-29.

Sun.	Nov 24	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:15AM	Coffee Fellowship Looking at the Lessons CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY
Mon.	Nov 25	1:00PM	Dominoes
Tues.	Nov 26	12:00PM 7:00PM 7:30PM	Canasta Chimes Practice Choir Practice
Wed.	Nov 27		
Thur.	Nov 28	All Day	Office Closed Thanksgiving Day
Fri.	Nov 29	All Day	Office Closed
Sat.	Nov 30	3:00PM	Hanging of the Greens
Sun.	Dec. 1	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:15AM 5:00 PM	Coffee & Donut Fellowship Looking at the Lessons First Sunday of Advent Christmas in the Park



This week we remember in prayer these **Baptism Anniversaries**: 11/24 David Boedeker, David Otto, Harold Koenning Jr, Kristine Schroeder, Megan Fiedler

This week we wish **Birthday Blessings** to: 11/25 Janis Richardson, 11/26 Lance Otto, 11/27 Gemayel Heinold, Collin Pustka, 11/28 Mason Davis

We celebrate these **Wedding Anniversaries**: 11/30 Greg & Danna Murrile



One arrangement of flowers is given by Mary Ann Fojt in memory of her husband Bill's birthday; the second arrangement is given by Bill & Cathy Becker in memory of members of the Delmar Lass and William H. Becker families.

PRAYERS FOR OUR LOVED ONES:

CURRENTLY REQUESTED FOR: Gary Valis, Barbara Hybner, Fred Chumchal, Virgie Chumchal, Andrew Schacherl, David Burnett, JoAnn Winkenwerder, Pastor Rosemarie Doucette, Carolyn Pauler, Amy Schroeder, Mike Vaughan, Edward Kloesel, Brandon Siegel, Cindy Winkenwerder, Robert Bruns, Michael Miculka, Jeanette Kocian, Eunice Mae Boedeker, Luke Abrameit, Daniel Harabis, Tiffany Wenske, John Zavadil, Kevin Lamza, Brooke Rabke, Arlen Boedeker, Dalton Winkenwerder, Kirk Remmers, Kyle Auxier



Beginning Sunday, 2025 Offering Envelopes are available for pick up in the Gathering Place. Envelopes are labeled according to past giving such as monthly vs. weekly. Please let the office or Financial Secretary Karen Vaughan know if an adjustment should be made. Thanks for giving!



Attendance: 11/10: 141

Online plays: 411

Offering & Gifts for week ending 11/10: General Fund: \$ 3,181.00 Building Fund: \$ 1,510.00

Weekly budget needs: General Fund: \$4,398.56 Building Fund: \$2,539.10

Electronic Giving will be reported at the end of the month.



IN PERSON: Bring to worship or drop off at church office.

BY MAIL: Send to the church at P.O.Box 26, Shiner.

TEXT: Text an amount to 1-844-697-3838 and use credit or debit card.

ELECTRONIC GIVING: Go to our website www.shinerlutheran.org and click on Connect/Give to get a direct link to our electronic giving platform.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY 10:00AM - 2:00PM