



SHINER
LUTHERAN

WEEKLY CONNECTIONS

Growing together in grace and service



worship
WITH US

In Person OR Shiner Lutheran Facebook Page

10:15 AM on SUNDAY December 24,



Fourth Sunday of Advent

Advent 4 Worship

Celebrating Mary the
Mother of Jesus in
song & word



6:30 PM on SUNDAY December 24, 2023

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

Celebrating the birth of Jesus
with carols & candles



Christmas Eve



2023 Deadline for Special Gifts and Offerings

To be credited for 2023, all offerings and special gifts must be received by the Financial Secretary on or before Thursday December 28 so that contributions can be deposited in the bank before the calendar year ends. Offerings on December 31 will be credited to 2024 contributions. Every contribution is appreciated. Thank you for your faithfulness and generosity!



As We Start the New Year

Growing in Faith Together

GIFT will follow the Shiner ISD calendar and will not meet again until Wednesday January 10



2024 Envelopes are ready to be picked up



January-March Devotional Booklets are now available



Sign up to Donate & Dedicate Altar Flowers for 2024

UPDATES & INFORMATION

SCHEDULE for this week:

SUNDAY December 24—4th Sunday of Advent Worship @ 10:15 AM;
Family Christmas Eve Candlelight Service @ 6:30 PM

TUESDAY December 26—Devotions at SNC @ 10:00

WEDNESDAY December 27—Brief Communion @ 1:30 PM

THURSDAY December 28—2023 Giving Deadline

SUNDAY December 31—New Year's Eve Worship @ 10:15 AM



This week we remember in prayer these **Baptism Anniversaries**: 12/24 Debbie Grosenbacher; 12/25 Michael Becker; 12/26 Christy Fojt; 12/27 Sarah Neal

This week we wish **Birthday Blessings** to: 12/26 Brea Lara, Scott Fojt, Taylor Hajek; 12/27 Holly Heinsohn; 12/29 Jennifer Voges; 12/30 Kim Brown

We celebrate the **Wedding Anniversaries** of: 12/27 A.J. & Sharon Jaks

Those who are ill: Tom McLean, Chesney Holly, Tammy Winkenwerder, Heather Olivarez, Myra Melvin, Clara Mozisek, Dorothy Vancura, Hope Hogue, Kirk Remmers, James Krause, Blake Durant, Susan Ward, Deborah Koerth, Daniel Berger, Diane Schroeder, Darryl Kalich, Karen Stolarski, Paul Long, Loninet Collins, Mariam Clark, Eric Cleckler, Fred Janszen, Charity Kneifel, Kyle Auxier, Virgie Barta Chumchal



Those in eldercare residences: Jeanette Kocian, Johnnie Valis, Oney Hagens, Buddy Remmers, Dorothy Vancura, Joyce Kneifel, Verline Esse, Lorene Nollkamper, Iva Harbers, Billy Jay Hendricks, Jack Volkmann

Those deployed: Chase Schroeder, Brad Foster

Families of: Catherine Valis, who passed away December 12, 2023 and Melba Stridde, Howard Stridde's mother, who passed away December 16, 2023.



GENERAL FUND for Nov. 2023	
Beginning Balance:	\$ 59,062.74
Receipts on Budget:	\$ 14,294.48
Expenses on Budget:	(\$ - 19,085.53)
Balance as of November 30:	\$ 54,271.69

BUILDING FUND for Nov. 2023	
Receipts for Bldg Fund for Nov.:	\$ 9,611.67
Monthly Payment:	(\$ -11,002.78)
Building Payment Balance for month:	(\$ -1,391.11)
Bldg Fund MM Reserves:	\$ 200,304.86



Attendance in worship 12/10: 83 Online views: 151
Offering for week ending 12/10 General Fund: \$ 4,035.00 Building Fund: \$ 4,640.00
Electronic Giving is not included in the above amounts
Weekly budget needs: General Fund: \$ 4,260.59 Building Fund: \$ 2,539.10



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.