



SHINER
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WEEKLY CONNECTIONS

Growing together in grace and service



January 12, 2025 @ 10:15AM
Baptism of Our Lord

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THIS WEEK AT GLANCE



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



Blessed Buzzards meets Monday at 6:00PM at the Jaks' place.

CANASTA gathers **Tuesday** at noon.



Tuesday: **Hand Chimes** @ 7:00PM; **CHOIR** @ 7:30PM



MIDWEEK MORNING BIBLE STUDY meets on **Wednesday** at 10:30AM.



GIFT

Wednesday: 5:30PM Meal 6:00PM Class 7:00PM Dismissal

BRIEF COMMUNION meets **Wednesday** at 1:30PM



Our congregation encourages daily home devotions by providing two quarterly booklets, both available in regular or large print. Pick up one or both booklets at the church entrances and begin the new year by taking a few moments each day to focus on your faith and blessings.

Shiner Lutheran is the site for **EQUIPPING THE SAINTS Saturday February 1 from 8:30-3:30PM**

This year a new format features two guest speakers. **Rev. Dr. Craig Nessen** from Wartburg Seminary will focus toward a fresh orientation of our ministry and mission. **Pastor Jon Anderson** from Luther Seminary will emphasize God's church in small town and rural settings. A catered lunch will be provided. There is no fee for attending, but **registration is requested by January 24**. Information on the event with a registration form is attached and available at church, or registration can be submitted online at www.swtsynod.org/events.

ALL Shiner Lutheran leaders—Church Council, Mission Group members, Worship Leaders, and those who are involved in any ministries from GIFT to JOY—are strongly encouraged to participate. Indeed, interested members or friends are welcome to join us as we continue to move forward in faith in Shiner, Texas.

UPDATES & INFORMATION



Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday
10:00AM - 2:00PM

Sun.	Jan 12	8:30AM 10:15AM 6:00PM	Coffee & Donuts BAPTISM OF OUR LORD Church Council Installation 4-H
Mon.	Jan 13	6:30PM	Men's Fellowship
Tues.	Jan 14	10:00AM 12:00PM 7:00PM 7:30PM	SNRC Devotions Canasta Hand Chimes Practice Choir Practice
Wed.	Jan 15	10:30AM 1:30 PM 5:30PM	Midweek Morning Bible Study Brief Communion GIFT Meal & Learning
Thur.	Jan 16	10:00AM	Shiner hosts Area Pastors Meeting
Fri.	Jan 17	All Day	Pastor's Day Off
Sat.	Jan 18	All Day	Office Closed
Sun.	Jan 19	8:30AM 10:15AM 11:15AM	Coffee & Donuts 2ND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY Campers & Parents Meeting



Chancel flowers this week are given by Sheri Bickham in honor of her son Ryan's birthday on January 10 and her daughter Lindsey's birthday on January 11.



For the coming week we remember these **Baptism Anniversaries:** 1/16 Damon Williams, Johnny Wheelis
We wish **Birthday Blessings** to: 1/15 Emma Pohler, Randy Zarubas; 1/18 Johnny Schroeder Jr., Roy Pfuhl
We also celebrate these **Wedding Anniversaries:** 1/12 Mike & Karen Vaughan

PRAYERS FOR OUR LOVED ONES:



CURRENTLY REQUESTED FOR: Waldine Ahlschlaeger, David Bowman, Rosa Lynn Nerada, Jeff Zimmerman, John & Betty Britsch, Rachael Dobson, Cindy Winkenwerder, Dianne Finger, Kevin Petrash, Gary Valis, Fred Chumchal, Andrew Schacherl, Pastor Rosemarie Doucette, Mike Vaughan, Edward Kloesel, Brandon Siegel, Robert Bruns, Michael Miculka, Jeanette Kocian, Eunice Mae Boedeker, Daniel Harabis, John Zavadil, Kevin Lamza, Brooke Rabke, Arlen Boedeker, Kirk Remmers, Kyle Auxier

PRAYERS FOR THE FAMILY OF: Dorothy Mae Vancura, member of the congregation, who died January 7, 2025. Dorothy's funeral is set for Saturday January 11 at the church. Visitation begins here at 1:00PM and the service will be at 2:00PM.



Attendance: 1/5: 86

Offering & Gifts for week ending: 1/5: General Fund: \$ 2,687.58 Building Fund: \$ 2,345.00

Weekly budget needs for 2025: General Fund: \$ 4,770.94 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