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Ruth Smit and family, in loving memory of Jeff Smit.
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PRAYERS

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Bob Lyons, Boone Collins, Doug Nikkila Sr., Sadie Selting, Eekiah Beug, Kevin Forrester, Jessica Magdanz, Ada Dobler (Ward and Garland Dobler's granddaughter), Renee Geppert, Thane and Tim Tetrault, Bree Mack, Ardith McFarland, Lynn Aga, Ted Sigman, Kaylynn Goergen, Myles Hupp, George Lisko, and Laurie Adkins-Heydon.

On-going prayers: Barb Haivala, Ruth Mechling, Danny Chapman, Donzetta Strandjord, Dan Zeiner, Paulette Walker, Ron Monson, Jody Wilke, Ethan Dschaak, Bud Rank, Dale Kreutz, Morgan Myers, Ally Tedder, Marcia Potts, Larry Schemmel, and Roger Ivers, our homebound members and those serving in the military.
(Please notify the office of changes)

NEWS AND NOTES

- **Check the signup sheets** for opportunities to volunteer on Sundays. We appreciate your service and your involvement in worship. All are invited to sign up on any month. A great service with a friend—be a coffee host.
- **The Children's Christmas Program** is Wed., Dec. 17 at 6:00 pm. They will also sing for the special music service on Sunday, Dec. 21 at 9 am. **All children should attend all practices beginning at 4:45 on Dec. 10, and 17.**
- **Gift packages for the shut-ins of Grace** will be prepared and delivered on **Saturday, Dec. 13th** beginning at **9:00 am** in the Rose Room. Donations of individually wrapped treats (candy, cookies, caramel corn,...etc.), puzzle books, window clings, etc. are needed for 18 people. Fruit will be furnished by GLCW. Drivers to deliver the goodies are also needed. We hope to see you on Saturday, Dec. 13th for this fun event. If you have questions, please contact Lynette at 605-499-9320.

CALENDAR

Tuesday December 9

1:30 pm GLCW Christmas Party

Wednesday December 10

8:30 am Quilting

4:45 pm Kids Alive/Confirmation

5 pm Adult Bible Study

5:30 pm WNL Supper

6:30 pm WNL Service

7 pm HS Youth Group

Thursday December 11

5:30 pm Mutual Ministry Meeting

Saturday December 13

8 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

9 am GLCW Prep/Deliveries for Shut-Ins

Sunday December 14

9 am Worship (HC) & Radio Broadcast

10 am Coffee Hour

10:30 am Choir

2 pm Community Christmas Concert

ATTENDANCE

Sun - 11/30/25 - 86



Stewardship

Income 11/30/25.....	\$3144.03
Weekly Budget.....	\$5172.11
Over/Short.....	(\$2028.08)
Red Bucket.....	\$665.84



GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Dec 7, 2025 - Second Sunday of Advent

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Peace



WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS
TEMPLE TALK—JARRED CURRY, EVANGELISM COMMITTEE

GATHERING

ADVENT HYMN....."Advent Song" verse 2
LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT WREATH AND ADVENT READING.....
.....The Rafevold Family
CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS.....ELW page 94-96
GREETING AND KYRIE.....ELW page 184-185
HYMN OF PRAISE....."Glory to God" ELW page 185-186
PRAYER OF THE DAY
BAPTISMAL HYMN....."Make This Child Yours" OSB #140
BAPTISM - Marshal Littler

WORD

INTRODUCTION TO THE LESSONS
FIRST READING **Isaiah 11:1-10**
PSALM **72:1-7, 18-19** (read responsively)
SECOND READING **Romans 15:4-13**
CHILDREN'S SERMON
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION "Alleluia" ELW page 188
GOSPEL **Matthew 3:1-12**
SERMON.....Pastor Kevin Jensen
SERMON HYMN....."There's a Voice in the Wilderness" ELW #255
PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

THANKSGIVING

NOISY OR NOT OFFERING
OFFERING HYMN....."On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry" ELW #249
OFFERTORY PRAYER
GREAT THANKSGIVING
WORDS OF INSTITUTION
LORD'S PRAYER (Traditional)
INVITATION TO COMMUNION
COMMUNION-continuous
DISTRIBUTION HYMNS...."Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus" ELW #254
....."O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" ELW #257 vv 1,2,4,&5
....."Come Now, O Prince of Peace" ELW #247
COMMUNION BLESSING/PRAYER

SENDING

BENEDICTION
SENDING HYMN....."Awake! Awake, and Greet the New Morn" ELW #242
DISMISSAL

**Hearing aides are available. Ask an usher if you would like one.*



I would like to thank everyone who attended my birthday party, and for the gifts, cards and stories. I would also like to thank all of my children for a wonderful day.
~Love you all, Dale Kreutz

SERVING AT GRACE Sunday, December 7

GREETERS.....Tim and Debbie Patmore
USHERS.....
ACOLYTES.....Blaisely Haugen and Torin Monahan
ASSISTING MINISTER.....Kim Webber
COMMUNION HELPER.....Garland Dobler
LESSON READER.....Garland Dobler
MUSIC.....Marlene Kotab, Danny Chapman, and Candy McKay
SOUND.....Christian Kotab
PROJECTOR.....Debbie Patmore
COFFEE HOSTS.....Ward & Garland Dobler and Casey & Heidi Rafevold
ALTAR GUILD.....Debbie Patmore and Sheri Boy
MONEY COUNTERS.....Pam Weidenbach and Debbie Patmore
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**SERVING AT GRACE Wednesday, December 10**

MEAL HOSTS.....Tim and Debbie Patmore  
ACOLYTES.....Bryson Potter and Jett Leonhardt  
PROJECTOR.....Michelle Williams  
SOUND.....JD Williams  
MUSIC.....Marcia Potts, Marlene Kotab, and Christian Kotab  
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SERVING AT GRACE Sunday, December 14

GREETERS.....
USHERS.....Al Weidenbach and Brandon Caneva
ACOLYTES.....Willow and Coral Nikkila
ASSISTING MINISTER.....Garland Dobler
COMMUNION HELPER.....Sandy Molitor
LESSON READER.....Tim Patmore
MUSIC.....Marlene Kotab, Danilee Pudwill, Danny Chapman, and Candy McKay
SOUND.....Christian Kotab
PROJECTOR.....Michelle Williams
COFFEE HOSTS.....Diana Bauer and Al & Pam Weidenbach
ALTAR GUILD.....Debbie Patmore and Sheri Boy
MONEY COUNTERS.....Kelly Magdanz and Terri Huntley



2nd Sunday of Advent Choosing Peace

Today's Advent Reading will be read by
The Rafevold Family



Marshal Paul Littler

Parents: Leonardo Comperatore and Bethanie Littler
Sponsors: Wayne and Kelly Jo Patterson

Offering Information

Send your offering to PO Box 577, Sturgis, SD 57785,
or drop off at the church in the Mail Box outside the Office

To Use Venmo:

1. Scan the QR code with your smartphone.
2. Login or setup your account (first time only).
3. Make your gift.

