



Welcome



December 8, 2019 ~ 10:00 am  
Combined Worship Gathering  
KidsChurch Christmas Program

# Happenings

## Welcome

We're so glad you're here. Thanks for filling out the Welcome Card. Please join us for coffee, hot chocolate & cookies after worship today. A special thanks to our Surprise Visitor, Ray Martin.



## KidsChurch Christmas Program – Today

Enjoy the KidsChurch program, “Heaven and Nature Sing”.

## Alternative Gift Fair in the Commons Today 8:45am – 12:30 pm

Help someone in need - honor someone on your Christmas list.

## Christmas Angel Project

Return your labeled gifts to church by Thursday on Dec. 19<sup>th</sup> so that we can deliver them to Santa Maria. Questions? Call Chrissy Ravera 805-709-2746.

## Womens Ministry Luncheon Wed. Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> 12 noon in the Commons

Please come and celebrate with us at our annual luncheon. Lunch includes a buffet of pastas, meat entrees, salad and breadsticks, catered by Olive Garden. Desserts will be donated by our women.

## Lay Staff Christmas Bonus

Please join me in showing your appreciation for our hard working lay staff who keep our church on track and running well, often going above and beyond. Place your gift of cash or check in a pew envelope, designating it “Staff Bonus.” Merry Christmas to you all! Pastor Greg.

## Candlelight Worship Gatherings Christmas Eve with Communion

Join us for Family worship at 4 pm on Christmas Eve with Songfest and Traditional Worship at 6 pm with the organ.

**Last date to submit January Newsletter Article – Dec. 10th**

**Last date to submit Annual Report – Dec. 17th**

2020 Proposed Budget available in the Commons  
Congregational Meeting Sun. Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> after  
Christmas Celebration in Song

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Singing Together

Light of the Stable  
Good Good Father

Welcome & Greeting

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Special Music

Come Thou Long Expected Jesus

KidsChurch Program

Heaven & Nature Sing

Hark the Herald Angels Sing

Luke Dodds, Piano

All Sing

Emmanuel

Kid's Special Music

O Come All Ye Faithful

All Sing

The First Noel (vs. 1)

All Sing

The First Noel (vs. 3)

All Sing

Go Tell It on the Mountain

Kids

Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Apostles Creed

Offering & Announcements

Blessing

Singing Together

He Shall Reign Forevermore

Sending

## Prayers

Our friends & family: Flo, Maxine, Sandra, Axel, Betty, Shirley, Barbara, Arianna, Tim, Rose, Karen, Jim, Belinda, Eric, the family of Donna Filter.

**December Food of the Month – Beans, Rice, Masa Harina  
for Iglesia Luterana Santa Cruz**

## Info to Know

Nursery Care is available. The Cry Room is located in the back of the Sanctuary.

Large Print Bulletins & Hearing Assisting Devices are available.

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## Thanks for Serving Today

Special Music	Heavenly Handbells
Ushers:	Ed & Diane Muraski
Acolytes:	Angels
Altar Guild:	Kay Werner, Ethel Lenz, Rena Weiger
Greeters:	Rena & Bob Weiger
Guest Book:	Mona Hart, Susan Epp

## This Week

### Sunday December 8 – KidsChurch Program: Heaven & Nature Sing

#### Alternative Gift Giving

10:00am Combined Worship

6:00pm Youth Group

### Monday December 9

3:00pm Stephen Ministry

### Tuesday December 10

7:30am Men at Lebens

9:00am Morning Bible Study

11:30am Chapel People's Kitchen

5:00pm Handbell Rehearsal

### Wednesday December 11

12:00pm Women's Luncheon

### Thursday December 12

8:30am Prayer Walk at Beach

5:00pm Heavenly Handbells

6:00pm Chancel Choir

6:00pm Worship Team

### Friday December 13 Office Closed

## KidsChurch Program

Angel Phanuel	Rose Overduin
	Luke Dodds
Angel Serafina	Lydia Wallace
	Miriam Ravera
Angel Daniel	Lucca Ravera
	Evan Reilly
Angel Jordan	Nicco Ravera
	Abby Kaseman
Angel Harold	Micah Wallace
Angel Speakers	Owen King
	Luke Kaseman
	Levi Kaseman
Angel Readers	Heather Houston
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