



Valley of Peace Lutheran Church

Sunday, December 21, 2025 – Sunday, December 28, 2025

Sunday, December 21

No Children's Faith Formation
9:00 am Adult Faith Formation
10:15 am Worship
5:00 pm Longest Night Service

Sunday, December 28

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Wednesday, December 24

VoP Office closed
4:00 pm Christmas Eve Worship

Our Mission

Living in God's love and compassion, we are called and sent by God to be disciples of Jesus Christ, as the Holy Spirit works through us for healing, justice, and peace.



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REJOICE AND RENEW CAMPAIGN UPDATE

With a recent additional pledge from one of our members, we are now only \$4,185 from reaching our highest target for the campaign: \$1.3 million! Won't you help us get there? An extra gift at year end would make us very happy. Plus, when we reach that \$1.3 million goal, one of our donors will give us the second half of their original pledge: \$50,000!!!

Rejoice and Renew Pledge cards are in the plastic holders on the back of the Sanctuary chairs. You could fill one out and put it in the offering plate to help us reach our goal. Or you could talk with one of our Campaign Continuation Committee members: Pastor Ashley, Lauren Pockl, Diane Hinderlie or Paul Mikelson.

FROM OUR SCOUT TROOP

For the first time in a long time, our Troop has a few unsold wreaths. If you have anyone that is in need and cannot afford to purchase a wreath, please let us know and we can bring a wreath to VoP so you can deliver to them or we can deliver on your request.

Of course this is on a first come basis.

Thank you, and have a happy holiday!

Jeff Rosenquist
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DECEMBER MISSION OF THE MONTH

Although the Cookie and Lefse Sale was a marvelous success (we raised nearly \$1000 for Cherish All Children!), we appreciate any continued gifts to this important ministry throughout December. You may contribute by writing a check to Valley of Peace, with "Cherish All Children" in the memo or giving on-line at www.valleyofpeace.org Thank you so much!

Longest Night Worship Service

Sunday, December 21 at 5:00 pm
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This worship service is designed to provide space for prayer, reflection, and remembrance amidst the twinkle lights and holiday hustle and bustle. This service provides a safe space of calm, quiet, and healing.

Bring your grief. Bring your weariness. Bring your fatigue, and allow yourself a quiet space to reflect and draw near to God.

May you find peace on your journey.

Please share this information with loved ones who may also long for this service.

We will gather in the sanctuary.

This service will not be live-streamed.

Reception to follow in the Fireside Room.



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LUTHERAN CHURCH



DECEMBER

birthdays & anniversaries

Birthdays:

Anita Anderson, 12/21; Thomas Gale, 12/22; Max Balint, 12/23;
Becca Anderson, 12/24

Anniversaries:

Darlene and Dean Lamker, 12/21, their 57th

*We invite you to take the announcements home with you
and remember in prayer:*

The Lutheran Church of Christ in Nigeria/our Congregation partner -
LCCN, St. Luke Cathedral, Mayo-Gwoi, Jalingo, Nigeria and
Pastor Talmon Yakaba

The children and youth of Valley of Peace and the members of the
congregation who pray for them daily.

The congregation of Valley of Peace, that we extend an open welcome to
all people and model in our community the reconciling ministry of
Jesus Christ.

Those who have health concerns or are receiving treatment.

Prayer requests are listed with permission.

*If you would like to be included in the prayers please contact the church
office. Names will be included for 4 weeks unless otherwise asked for.
Confidential prayer support is also available.*

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All God's Children

Discovery Center

is a ministry of
Valley of Peace serving
families with infants to
preschoolers.

For more information
please visit
ladcfamilies.org

Valley of Peace is
committed to Racial
Justice & is a
Reconciling in Christ
Church.

