

## THIS WEEK AT CHRIST LUTHERAN: Jan. 3 - Jan. 10

SUN.	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Holy Communion
	5:30 p.m.	Confirmation Class
	6:00 p.m.	Junior Choir
WED.	10:30 a.m.	Bible Study (conference room)
	6:45 p.m.	Bell Choir
	7:00 p.m.	Exec. Mtg. (conference room)
	8:00 p.m.	Senior Choir
THURS.	7:00 p.m.	Church Council (lounge)
FRI.	10:00 a.m.	Play Group
	7:00 p.m.	Scrapbooking (social hall)
SAT.	6:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
	12:15 p.m.	T.O.R.C.H. (meet at Christ Lutheran)
	1:00 p.m.	Pack #300-Pinewood Derby (social hall)
	5:00 p.m.	Holy Communion
	6:00 p.m.	Pot Luck & Line Dancing (social hall)
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### TIME AND TALENTS

	<b>TODAY</b>	<b>NEXT SUNDAY, JAN. 10</b>
LECTOR:	Cheryl Higley	Trent Toy
CANTOR:	Anne Paine	Kevin Carpenter
USHER:	Karen Lecorchick	Ryan Smarsh
ACOLYTES:	Ericka Hallgren Alex Cseh	Alyson Musat Marisa Reynolds
ASSISTS:	Loren Easterday Karen & Harold Wagner	Natalie Drake, Anita Hlava Anne Paine
GREETERS:	Genny Helmink Chris Owens	Sue Naughton Pat Naughton
ALTAR:	Marilyn Culler	Marilyn Culler
FELLOW :	Roberta Ekleberry	Roberta Ekleberry
COUNTER:	Chuck Heindricks	Rob Johnson

**Welcome!**

**Sunday, January 3, 2010  
10:30 a.m.**



All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. What has come into being in him was life, and the life was the light of all people. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.

John 1:3-5



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## KEEPING CONNECTED

- ✠ Christ Lutheran extends sympathy to the family of Laurie Fournier who died on 12/26/09.
- ✠ Have you ordered your DVD of the Sunday School Christmas program, *The Christmas Bells?* Order forms are on the bulletin board. Cost \$10.00. Deadline to order is **TODAY!**
- ✠ On Wednesday mornings resuming on January 6 (Epiphany!) at 10:30 a.m. we gather to study The Gospel According To Mark. Led by Pastor Lynn Schlessman this group meets for one hour in the conference room of the office at Christ Lutheran. Expect to learn something new, and to participate in lively conversation when you attend. Bring your own Bible or use one that will be provided.
- ✠ Boy did we have “FUN” at the last line dancing. Well we’re going to have another line dancing night on January 9 in the social hall. Pot luck at 6:00 p.m. and then the line dancing begins at 7:00 p.m. - ***please bring a friend.***
- ✠ Pick up your 2010 Contribution Envelopes in the church office.
- ✠ Thank you for your generous Staff Gift contributions. We are very blessed to have such thoughtful and caring members and you are truly appreciated. *Sue Schlessman, Randi Smarsh, Lynn Schlessman, Bill Higgins, Beth Kral, and Kathy Greene.*

*Sacrament of Holy Communion is celebrated today. All baptized Christians who believe that with the bread and wine we receive the body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of sins, life and salvation are invited to come forward and commune. Families are invited to come forward together and children will be blessed.*

## WORSHIP

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