

**Your works are wonderful,  
I know that full well.**

**Psalm 139:14, NIV**



# ***Ascension's Happenings***

**NOVEMBER 18, 2018**

**If it's happening at Ascension, this is where you need to look to find EVERYTHING you need to know!**

**Keep this booklet handy each week for useful information about Education Opportunities, Ministries, Fellowship, and everything else that you need!**

**It's all right here!**

## **ASCENSION'S MISSION STATEMENT:**

We as members of Ascension and fellow members in the body of Christ gather around the Word and Sacrament for worship and nurture. Here we receive power to reach out in Christ's name using our resources to seek and make new disciples while continuing to serve our community and our world.

# 'TIS THE SEASON!



## JOIN US FOR THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP!

Please join us at 7 p.m. on November 21 for our annual Thanksgiving Eve Worship!



## ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT: PLEASE JOIN US ON DECEMBER 5 AT 6 P.M.



*"Advent by Candlelight"*

Please join us for a special evening of devotion and fellowship as we celebrate "Advent by Candlelight".

Our dinner menu is: Green Salad with Carrots & Red Pepper; Roast Beef & Chicken Kiev; Cheesy Potatoes; Green Beans; Corn; Rolls & Butter; Christmas Cookies & Mints; Water & Coffee!

This is a special evening of Worship and Dinner that will include devotions and music between courses.

You must sign-up for this event and attendance is limited to 150 people. The sign-up is available now! The cost for the meal is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children 12 and under.

## A FESTIVAL OF LESSONS AND CAROLS



**December 16-ONE SERVICE ONLY AT 9:30 A.M.:** You are invited to join Ascension for its annual service of Lessons and Carols. The Ascension Chorale, Youth Praise Singers and Band, Agape Singers, Gloria Dei Ringers, and Confirmation Choirs will again tell the story of Christ's birth through great choral, vocal, and instrumental music.



## WANT TO SING IN OUR CHRISTMAS CHOIR?

The Ascension Chorale welcomes seasonal participation in our awesomely beautiful anthems. If you'd like to sing in our Christmas music ministry we kick off the season with a special Christmas Rehearsal on Saturday, December 1 at 10:30 am in the Music Room. There are four rehearsals for our Christmas music. Here is the complete rehearsal schedule for December if you'd like to sing in our Festival of Lessons and Carols on December 16 and in our Christmas Eve and Advent Worship:

- Saturday, December 1, 10:30 am
- Thursday, December 6, 7 pm
- Wednesday, December 12, 7:45 pm
- Wednesday, December 19, 7:45 pm

For more information, or to join us for the Christmas season, please see our Director of Music Ministries, Mike Zehnder or contact him through [musicmikealc@gmail.com](mailto:musicmikealc@gmail.com) or 303-794-4636 X102.



## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FLOWERS DONATED:

By Ellen Thompson in memory of Ralph, her husband, and also her dad's birthday.



Altar Flowers

### VOTERS' MEETING!!

The final Voters' Meeting of the year will be held at noon on Sunday, November 25. At this meeting the budget for 2019 will be discussed and set. New officers and chairs of various committees will be elected. Nominations for the President and Vice-Presidents of Synod can be made from the assembly, as well. The Foundation will fund the meal that will be served by our Ladies Guild. We would love to have you come and be part of this part of congregational life.

### WE ARE SO BLESSED!! THANK YOU!

"As Ian and I prepare to welcome our baby girl at the end of this month, we consider ourselves very blessed to have such support and love surrounding us! We are so blessed to be a part of this congregation and the ministry that goes on here. Thank you to all those who attended and to those who gave us gifts for the baby shower you threw us on November 4. We received many wonderful items. You are a blessing to us!" Sincerely, Christa and Ian Kirschner (and baby!)

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT!

Thanks to everyone who participated in the fundraiser for the Aguilar Family! The dinner was a rousing success, attended by about 120. In addition, the sale of the quilts and the silent auction brought in additional funds. Many people made this event possible. In particular, we thank Lisa Riebling, Janet Heisz, the Ascension quilters, Kathleen Wucherpennig, Sherry Hitztaler, Romano's Restaurant, local restaurants, and others for their donations. Many thanks to all the families and young adults who helped with the dinner and evening. The Ascension Council allocated \$1000 from Thrivent Choice Dollars to the fundraiser. Including this amount, just over \$13,500 was raised! This will go directly to the Aguilar family to assist with medical and living expenses due to Frank's pancreatic cancer treatments. Blessings to the Aguilar family and to everyone who gave so generously! (If you would like to donate, make your check to Ascension and put "Aguilar Fundraiser" in the memo.)

### THE LOVE AND CARE OF QUILTS!

Were you fortunate to have purchased one of the beautiful, donated quilts and now would like to know how to care for it? I was certainly curious and so I asked Lisa Riebling. Per Lisa, don't be afraid of it! Wash in a gentle detergent on the permanent-press cycle in cold water with a cold water rinse. Dry on medium until dry. She noted that they get softer and more comfortable the more that they are used and washed. So don't hang it on a wall or put it in a drawer, if you love it, use it for the purpose for which it was created!

## STEWARDSHIP

### OUR STEWARDSHIP FOR: **November 11, 2018**

#### Attendance:

Sunday Worship:	8 a.m.: <b>137</b>	10:30 a.m. : <b>79</b>	Total: <b>216</b>
Sunday School:			Total: <b>93</b>

#### 2018 Offerings:

Needed each Week:	\$ <b>12,280</b>
Budgeted amount/Year to Date:	\$ <b>552,600</b>
Weekly Offering:	\$ <b>8,012</b>
Received amount/Year to Date:	\$ <b>563,298</b>



# CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AT ASCENSION

## SUNDAY SCHOOL: PERFECT ATTENDANCE

The following kids achieved perfect attendance for Sunday school for **October**: Lexi Anderson, Lilly Brinkman, Piper & Ruby Casey, Nevaeh Cooper, Eli & Matthew Faulk, Josh Federico, Gabrael Gutierrez, Grace, Luke & Ruth Redden, Owen Stasny, and Cody Urbach. They'll each receive a gift of their choice. Congratulations!

## SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES: HOMEWORD

Ascension has 12 small groups that meet in homes or at church on almost every day of the week. These HomeWord Bible Study groups meet at various times, some during the day and some in the evenings. If you would like to attend a small group Bible study, see Mike Zehnder, HomeWord Small Groups Coordinator, 303-794-4636 X102 or email him at musicmikealc@gmail.com.

## EXTENDED DAY PRESCHOOL

**EXTENDED DAY PRESCHOOL PROGRAM**—Ascension's Extended Day Preschool is a program for children ages 2 1/2 to 5 years old. Contact our Director, Chandra Cornell, at 303-794-4636 x 106. Classes are on Monday, Wednesday & Friday from 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m. during the school year. **We are accepting enrollments for the 2019 Winter & Spring sessions!**

## SUNDAY MORNING CLASSES

**Adult Bible Class**—Join us in the **Fellowship Hall** this morning at 9:15 a.m. as Pastor continues the study on the Book of Galatians.

**Young Adult Bible Class**—Join us in the **Music Room** as we continue our study on the Book of Daniel.

**Children's Sunday School**— Sunday School begins at 9:15 a.m. Grades 4 and below meet in the Community Room downstairs for their opening. Other grades go to their respective classrooms.

**Youth**—Grades 9–12 have a weekly Bible study. Please join us in the youth room at 9:15 a.m.

## CLASSES THROUGH THE WEEK

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**—Tuesdays, 9:30–11 a.m. Our current study is on the book "Love Story". Contact Mavis Slifka with questions.

**WEDNESDAY MORNING STUDY**—The NEW Wednesday 10 a.m. Bible Study led by Pastor Ginkel is titled, "A Time to Laugh...or Cry." This is a 20 lesson overview of the Old Testament. *Discover God's love in the midst of tears.* Please join us in The Fellowship Hall.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE

NOVEMBER 21, 2018

**NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE! JOIN US IN THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP!**

## ADULT STUDY FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT!

**NO BIBLE STUDY! JOIN US IN THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP!**

**KOINONIA**—Thursdays (1st and 3rd) at 1:30 p.m. Meets in the afternoon at various homes. Our study is The Day That Changed Forever by *Tim Roehl*. Please join us! For more information, call Joyce Dowdy at 303-794-7614.

## LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

"On Thursday, December 6 and Friday, December 7, the LuHi Music Department invites you to 'Behold, Your Lord Comes to You - A LuHi Christmas,' an evening filled with Christmas music from the Men's Choir, Bel Canto, Wind Ensemble, and Jubilate Choir. The evening will feature performances from these groups but will also provide opportunities for you to sing along on favorite Christmas hymns including a candlelight version of 'Silent Night'. The evening also shares the Christmas story through scripture readings and meditations. It is a great opportunity to hear the greatest story ever told and to take the opportunity to share this spectacular story with someone in your life that needs to hear it. The concert begins at 7 p.m. at Parker Bible Church and is free and open to the public. We hope to see you there!"



## **OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE AND GIVE**

### **INTEGRATED FAMILY COMMUNITY SERVICES—FORMERLY INTER-FAITH**

**OUR NEXT FOOD COLLECTION SUNDAY (FOR IFCS) WILL BE DECEMBER 2!** —Please place your non-perishable food items in the blue bin in the Church Office at any time! (They pick-up once a month!) If you have questions, please contact the Church Office.

### **SUPPORT OUR MILITARY**

**TODAY IS MILITARY MAILING COLLECTION SUNDAY!** Please place your donations in the white cabinet near the lower level entrance. Because of your generosity, we have been able to send **over 810** packages to service men and women as of **October 18!**

### **LOVE INC. CORNER: TO VOLUNTEER OR FOR ASSISTANCE CALL 303-794-LOVE (5683)**

**LOVE INC Orientations:** Our local mission partner, Love INC offers a 1-hour Orientation at their office every 2 weeks. (The 2nd Wednesday of the month at 1 p.m. & the 4th Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m.) This is a great chance to get information on how to partner through volunteering. [The next orientation is scheduled for Monday, November 26 at 6:30 p.m.](#) Email [kris@loveinlitleton.org](mailto:kris@loveinlitleton.org) to sign up.

**DO YOU HAVE ITEMS TO DONATE TOWARDS LIFE-CHANGING COMPASSION?** - Our local resale shop, Renewed Treasure is in need of the following donations: Toys for Christmas (store does NOT sell stuffed animals during flu season); Infant, Children and Teen clothing; a “Smart” TV to run an ongoing slideshow behind their register. Please contact Love INC directly if you have one available. [info@loveinlitleton.org](mailto:info@loveinlitleton.org).

**REDEMPTIVE COMPASSION TRAINING:** Christians are called to be compassionate but only doing compassionate giving has often resulted in sustaining people in need, not lifting them out of need. Redemptive Compassion should free one from any earthly bondage into God’s abundance. Our local mission partner, Love INC offers a 2-hour video training at their office on the FIRST Friday of the Month starting at 10am. Join the conversation! [www.loveinlitleton.org](http://www.loveinlitleton.org) to sign up.

**Can a two hour group visit really make a difference** in the lives of the elderly? Love INC groups visits in partnership with Bessie’s Hope include orientation, training and then move right into a spiritually uplifting and fun visit for the elderly in the nursing home and the adults and families that visit. Call Love INC at 303-798-0036 to set up a visit.

### **SEVERE WEATHER SHELTER NETWORK**

**Our next week to shelter will be November 25 through December 1!** If you are currently not involved in the ministry please think about giving it a try. Families (with young kids) are welcome to come volunteer, many of our partner churches have full families who participate in evening hosting. We are always in need of Evening Hosts, Overnight Hosts and this year I am in need of 2 Team Leads (Monday & Thursday). If you have any interest or questions please let me, Bri Fort, know (call me at 623-680-9510, email me at [bribly@gmail.com](mailto:bribly@gmail.com), or catch me after the late service). **Please see the Bulletin Board for information on the Severe Weather Network Shower!**

### **LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES**

Are you interested in reducing isolation and enriching the life of an older adult with limited to no social support? Join our Friendly Visitor Program and LFS will carefully match you with a participant in our Guardianship or Care Management programs. Visits may include conversation, card playing, crafting, or helping with practical tasks. For more information or to apply please contact Katie Scherr at [katie.scherr@lfsrm.org](mailto:katie.scherr@lfsrm.org).

# SPECIAL MINISTRIES AND MISSIONS!

## ASCENSION LUTHERAN CHURCH FOUNDATION

YOU are a Member of the Foundation if YOU are a Member of Ascension Lutheran Church!

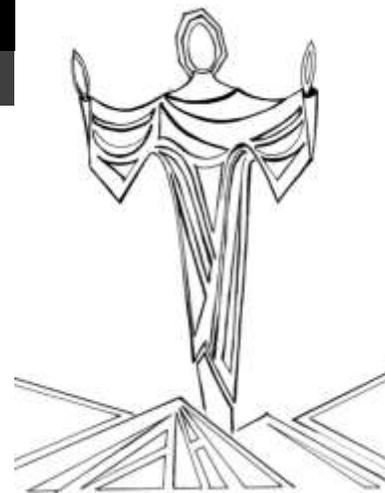
The Ascension Lutheran Church Foundation Board of Directors met on September 13 with 7 members in attendance.

The Board approved a grant request from Chandra Cornell for the purchase of two tablets and cases. Chandra has now introduced one wireless tablet into each of the two preschool classrooms to help with educational needs as well as parent communications. Young families are used to a more instant type communication. Ascension's Preschool would like to continue to bring families into our program by making them feel comfortable and well-informed, and hopefully introduce them to our congregation as well. The success of the preschool continues to be a positive outreach to both non-members and members of Ascension.

The Board also reviewed and approved the 2019 funding budget in the amount of \$35,150. More than 50% of the budget will go toward activities that directly benefit the Ascension congregation, including the book reimbursement program for college students, matching funds for our youth for their annual missionary trip, and support for the Severe Weather Shelter Network. Funds are also allocated for an African Mission, to be discussed with John Wolf of LCMS at the Board's October meeting, and funds for Resurrection in the City Church, to enable the church to attract and keep a new pastor, since the departure of Pastor Roger Schlechte. Bob and Rima Hea attended a worship service at RITC and reported that the congregation, while small, is very committed to the church's mission and is attracting new members. Hope lives in the city!

Please feel free to contact any of the Board Members for further information.

To support your Foundation with a gift or submit a Grant Request please contact Mike Price at 303-880-0028 or Jim Shelton at 303-794-3504. For a timely response please have your Grant Request in before the end of the month.



## THE FOUNDATION BULLETIN BOARD

In the Narthex, you will find a Foundation Bulletin Board. There are envelopes for special gifts or memorials made to the Foundation. Grant applications and guidelines are available, as well. **PLEASE SUBMIT GRANT APPLICATIONS BY THE END OF EACH MONTH. THANKS.**

## MISSION AND MINISTRY

**Ascension's Mission Partners:** The Rocky Mountain District—LCMS; Lutheran High School; Lutheran Family Services—Rocky Mountains; LeadaChild; Rev. Adam DeGroot; Biblical Orthodox Lutheran Mission (BOLM); Mission Experience (Haiti), Lutherans for Life.

**Prayer Ministry**—Doris and Charlotte are the contacts for our prayer chain. Please call or email them with your prayer concerns. Doris Rohde: (303-912-6262 ) or dj424@comcast.net or Charlotte Wilkinson: (303-877-2954) or charwilk25@hotmail.com.



**Ascension is a Stephen Ministry congregation**—If you are interested in having a caring Stephen Minister support and encourage you through any concern or crisis in your life, call one of our Stephen Leaders:

Dana Thom at 303-263-5203, Steve Shelton at 720-845-9104, Lorraine Winckler at 303-875-9345, or Pastor Larson at 303-794-4636.

If you are interested in becoming a Stephen Minister, please contact any of the individuals listed.

## UPCOMING EVENTS!

### DENVER SOCIETY OF CREATION: DECEMBER 6!

Pastor Dave Ahlman, Senior Pastor of Peace Lutheran Church in Arvada will be our speaker for our December 6 meeting. His presentation is entitled, "Genesis: Back to Basics." Sometimes it is easy for us to forget the basics of God's creative work. In this presentation Pastor Dave Ahlman will walk us through Genesis Chapter 1 highlighting the incredible power of the creative hand of God!

We also have two exciting conferences we'd like you to "save the date" for! On May 3-4, 2019, Dr. Jason Lisle will present a conference on pre-suppositional apologetics. We'll follow that with a conference on creation and education in the LC-MS. Then, on June 2, 2019, we'll have four nationally known Ph. D scientists from four different fields talking about the evidence that our earth is young at our "Age of the Earth" Conference. Mark your calendars for these events! More info to come!

If you'd like to receive our emails or newsletters, you can sign up by going to our website, [www.denversocietyofcreation.org](http://www.denversocietyofcreation.org) or send an email to [info@denversocietyofcreation.org](mailto:info@denversocietyofcreation.org) and request to receive our emails. Also, we've been posting videos of our speakers on the web site, so if you missed a meeting and would like to see the presentation, just go to our website, click on "Past Speakers" and select the video you would like to view.

### LUTHERAN CHORALE

#### PLEASE CHECK THE BULLETIN BOARD FOR A FULL CONCERT SCHEDULE!

Please join us for "Caroling for Our Lord" on December 9 at 1 p.m. at Chapel of the Good Samaritan (8300 W 38th Ave., Wheat Ridge 80033) and "The Miracle of Our Lord" at 3 p.m. at Chapel of the Good Samaritan and at 7:30 p.m. at Ascension Lutheran.

As in the past all of our concerts will be free of charge with a Free will Donation accepted. If you have any questions please view our website at [thelutheranchorage.org](http://thelutheranchorage.org) contact David Peterson at 303-386-4755 or email us at [thelutheranchorage@comcast.net](mailto:thelutheranchorage@comcast.net).

## MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE!

### DONATE ONLINE!

We offer a convenient way for you to submit your donations or offering right from your church pew! No need to remember the checkbook or make sure you have cash in your wallet. You can just scan this QR code and with a few clicks, send your offering or donation electronically. (You will need to download a QR reader app to get started.) If you have any questions, please contact Margo @ 303-979-3497 or [MargoALPasha@yahoo.com](mailto:MargoALPasha@yahoo.com)



### LISTEN TO WORLDWIDE KFUE!

Listen to Worldwide KFUE.org, your radio station for practical Lutheran talk, daily Bible and Confession studies, daily worship opportunities, and current issues from a Lutheran worldview. Programs are archived at KFUE.org for 24/7 on-demand listening. You can also find our programming wherever you get your podcasts! Have a question or comment? Find us at @KFUEradio on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

**This week on KFUE.org**, we begin studying the book of Revelation on Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11:00 a.m. CT), continue with the new Sharper Iron mini-series "The New Covenant" with Rev. Jonathan Fisk and guest pastors (weekdays at 8 a.m. CT) and hear part 3 of our series on listening to sermons with the Rev. Phil Hoppe on The Coffee Hour (11/20 at 9:15 a.m. CT). Find these programs on demand at [kfue.org](http://kfue.org) or wherever you get your podcasts.

## **MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE!**

### **ANGEL TREE UPDATE!**

I can see each and every halo at Ascension highly polished and shining brightly because of our very significant donation to Angel Tree this year! You gave with full hearts and increased our giving by \$705 over 2017! You are amazing and now over 305 children will receive Christ's good tidings and gifts as we celebrate the birth of Jesus. Our total, including the gift of \$500 from the Foundation and the matching gift certificate was \$6098.50. PTL!!!!!! He works in mysterious ways...and we get to help Him. The inmates thank you for loving their kiddos, the guardians thank you for easing their burden, the children excitedly and joyfully thank you that there are gifts to open...and I thank you that we have given glory to God by encouraging 'the little children to 'Come to Him and know Him more fully.'" Donations can still be sent directly to Angel Tree or I'll mail them for you if you leave a check in my mailbox. Jude Donovan, prison ministry coordinator.

### **UPDATE ON THE CALENDAR FUNDRAISER!**

In October, the youth did a fundraiser for their trip to the National Youth Gathering. We sold God's Creation Calendars and took in over \$500! Thank you to all those who ordered calendars, who supported us financially, and to those of you who pray for us as we prepare for this trip! We could not go to the youth gathering without your support. Also, a big thank you to the Ascension Foundation for the matching funds! Thank you for supporting our youth!

### **THE NEXT BIG THING!!**

On October 9, the Church Council approved spending up to \$7,500 to receive remodeling plans for the education wing. The remodeling CAD-CAM plans include both the upper level and lower level of our west wing. The needs that have been expressed are an expanded music room, additional classroom/small group meeting area, accessible library and lounge area, a location for the counters of offerings, restrooms, additional office space and upgrades for the HVAC systems, windows, floor covering and painting. Ed Geisler is chairing this committee. Bob Hea, Eugen and Angel Ihly, Roger Koester, Dustin Olson and Jim Riebling are serving on the committee. In the coming months reports will be made to the Voter's Assembly concerning this project.

Remodeling Committee Update: Our West Wing Remodeling Committee has chosen a design concept to recommend that will satisfy our identified space and use issues. Diagrams will be posted at church for viewing. The concept adds offices and classrooms, restrooms, a library/lounge, upgrades to windows and HVAC systems, an expanded music room, lower level storage rooms, and a south-facing patio. Plans are for a presentation to the congregation in the January 27, 2019 Voters' Assembly. A workable design, along with a funding plan, will be recommended for approval. Questions for the committee? Contact Ed Geisler, Chairman

### **LUTHERAN WITNESS SUBSCRIPTION**

**It is, once again, time to renew your Lutheran Witness subscriptions**—Please contact the office ONLY if you wish to CANCEL a current subscription or if you wish to ADD a new subscription. The cost of a subscription is \$22 (you can place your check made out to Ascension and noted 'Lutheran Witness-2019', in the offering plate). **The deadline for changes is December 19!** (*New subscriptions will begin in March of 2019.*)

### **LCMS FOUNDATION—A LIFE OF LEGACY**

**Your estate plan can be a thank offering** of gratitude for blessings of faith, freedom and wealth enjoyed in our age. Gifts to ministry underscore your priority for God's salvation to witness and encourage loved ones. To learn more contact Jason Jones, Ascension Gift Planning Counselor, at Jason.Jones@lfnd.org or call him directly at (970) 988-0305.

## FELLOWSHIP AND MORE!

### MOTHERS OF PRESCHOOLERS (MOPS) THANKS YOU!

Mothers of Preschoolers meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month during the school year. Our next meeting will be on **December 11!** We are looking forward to another wonderful time together this coming year and would love for any moms of babies (Pre-born and up!) to 5 year olds to join us! God's blessings! Questions? Email Christy Williams at [hhpets@yahoo.com](mailto:hhpets@yahoo.com) or Jenna Lawrenz at [jenna.lindeman@cune.org](mailto:jenna.lindeman@cune.org). We will see you there! A children's program is provided!

*Thank you for your generous support! We were able to pack 23 Shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child!*

### QUILTERS CIRCLE

**Quilters Circle:** Ascension Ladies who gather to quilt on Saturdays from 12–3 p.m. Call Chris Peepgrass at 303-798-4018. *Please note difference in time!*

**Dear Older Lutheran Ladies Socials (DOLLS)**—Single ladies who get together monthly for an outing and fellowship. Call Carol Shepherd for more information at 303-552-7485.

### YOUTH HAPPENINGS! (GRADES 5-12—UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED)

#### DECEMBER

December 2 at 2 p.m.—Caroling!

December 2 at 5 p.m.—Youth Christmas Party!

Contact Christa Kirschner at 303-913-7668 or email [christa.lindeman@cune.org](mailto:christa.lindeman@cune.org) with questions!



### YOUNG ADULT EVENTS! (AGES 18-30 OR THERE-ABOUTS!)



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#### NOVEMBER

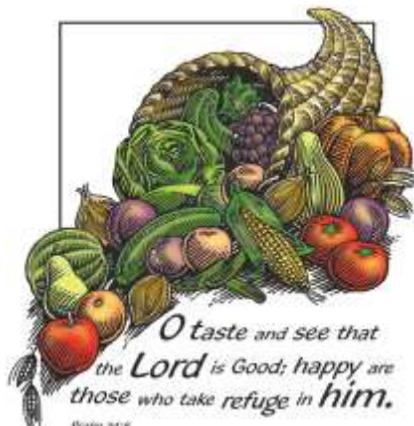
**TODAY @ 9:15 a.m.** —Please join us in the Music Room for a study on the Book of Daniel.

Call Jenna Lawrenz 303-913-3512 or email [jenna.lindeman@cune.org](mailto:jenna.lindeman@cune.org) with questions!

### UPCOMING MEETINGS AT ASCENSION

**Next Council Meeting**—Tuesday, January 8 at 6:30 p.m. Remember—Meetings are open to anyone who wishes to attend!

**Voters' Meeting**—November 25 immediately following late Worship.



### EXTENDED CALENDAR

- Ladies Guild Bake and Craft Sale—TODAY!
- Thanksgiving Eve Worship—November 21
- Thanksgiving Day—November 22
- Office Closed—November 22 and 23
- Voters' Meeting—November 25
- Severe Weather Shelter Network @ Ascension—November 25–December 1
- First Sunday of Advent—December 2
- Congregational Caroling—December 2
- Youth Christmas Party—December 2



## ASCENSION'S WEEK-AT-A GLANCE!

*The Deadline for Prayers and Announcements in the Bulletin will be WEDNESDAY at Noon unless otherwise noted!*

### **SUNDAY—November 18**

#### **MILITARY MAILING COLLECTION SUNDAY**

8 a.m. Traditional Worship with Holy Communion

9:15 A.M. LADIES GUILD BAKE & CRAFT SALE

9:15 a.m. Education Hour/Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion

### **MONDAY—November 19**

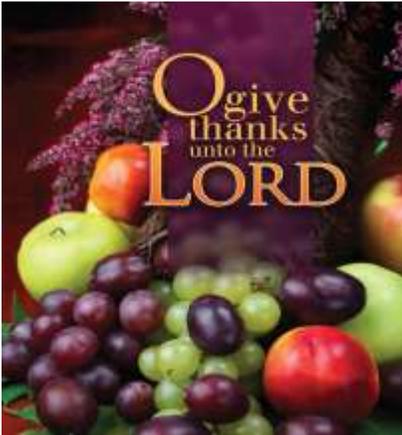
7 p.m. Boy Scouts

### **TUESDAY—November 20**

Deadline for Prayers and Announcements is TODAY at noon!

9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study

7 p.m. Agape Rehearsal



### **WEDNESDAY—November 21**

10 A.M. "A TIME TO LAUGH...OR CRY" - A BIBLE STUDY LED BY PASTOR DON GINKEL

7 P.M. THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP

### **THURSDAY—November 22**

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

### **FRIDAY—November 23**

OFFICE CLOSED!

### **SATURDAY—November 24**

12 p.m. Ascension Quilters

### **SUNDAY—November 25**

#### **MILITARY MAILING COLLECTION SUNDAY**

8 a.m. Traditional Worship with Holy Communion

9:15 a.m. Education Hour/Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship with Holy Communion

12 P.M. VOTERS' MEETING!

7 P.M. SEVERE WEATHER SHELTER NETWORK AT ASCENSION



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## **Sunday Worship at Ascension**

### **WELCOME!**

8 a.m. Traditional (Formal) Worship with Holy Communion  
9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Class/Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Praise (Informal) Worship with Holy Communion

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