

Words of the Week

December 15, 2013

Held in Prayer

Concerns:

- Carol Miller, myeloma
- Connie Read, broke her collar bone
- Donna White, radiation treatments till Dec 31st
- Doreene Brown, health problems
- Ella Bransby, throat cancer
- Carol Duvall, multiple chronic health problems
- Rhonda Harman, physical therapy for arm
- Heidi Pauly, (Sylvia's Mom) clogged vein / angioplasty after holidays
- Sally Strom, undergoing radiation treatments
- Danny Pena, multiple strokes
- Rhonda Hamstreet, recovery from cancer surgery/Radiation
- Lois Tyler, broken ribs
- Luke Dunphy, 3 year old w/massive burns
- Skip Stadley, health issues

Thanksgiving

- Life, Health, Love and Community
- Our Church Family



No Adult Forum **Decorating Christmas tree**

Mid-week Advent Services *"Child of Promise"*

Join us on Wednesday evening at 7:00pm as we prepare our hearts for the coming of our Lord and Savior. The theme for our mid-week services this year will be "Child of Promise" and we will focus on a few of the promises contained in the book of Isaiah.

"Branch" will be the theme on Dec. 18 from Isaiah 11:1-5.

Bible Study & Prayer Group

meets upstairs in the Narthex
Monday December 16^h at 1:00pm.

Christmas Decorating



Today
at 9:30am

Join in the fun. There will be fun tasks for all ages as well as cookies and cider.

Also, donations of poinsettias will be greatly appreciated and will help make the Christmas services even more beautiful. Bring your poinsettia (s) before December 24th.



Christmas Lunch

Women of Atonement
& Friends

Please join us for a Salad Lunch and Program (*provided by Atonement's WELCA*).

Wednesday, December 18th
Noon in the Narthex upstairs.

Please **RSVP** to the church office, so we can plan accordingly.



Nursery Attendant Available

Kids age 5 years & under during worship services

Atonement's Activities

DECEMBER 15	8:00AM	WORSHIP	DECEMBER 23	9:30AM	LIBRARY
SUNDAY	9:30AM	CHRISTMAS DECORATING	MONDAY	1:00PM	BIBLE STUDY/PRAYER GROUP
	11:00AM	WORSHIP		5:00PM	STONE SOUP @ ST STEPHENS
DECEMBER 16	1:00PM	BIBLE STUDY/PRAYER GROUP	DECEMBER 24	2:00PM	STAFF MTG
MONDAY		<u>WAVES DEADLINE</u>	TUESDAY	7:00PM	<u>CANDLELIGHT WORSHIP</u>
				11:00PM	<u>CANDLELIGHT WORSHIP</u>
DECEMBER 17	2:00PM	STAFF MTG	DECEMBER 25		<u>CHRISTMAS DAY</u>
TUESDAY	7:30PM	CHANCEL CHOIR	WEDNESDAY		OFFICE CLOSED
DECEMBER 18	12:30PM	WELCA LUNCHEON	DECEMBER 26	8:00AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
WEDNESDAY	1-6:00PM	BLOOD DRIVE	THURSDAY		BREAKFAST AT FISH TAILS
	7:00PM	<u>ADVENT SERVICES</u>			
DECEMBER 19	8:00AM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY	DECEMBER 29	10:00AM	WORSHIP
THURSDAY		BREAKFAST AT FISH TAILS	SUNDAY		
DECEMBER 22	8:00AM	WORSHIP	DECEMBER 30	1:00PM	BIBLE STUDY/PRAYER GROUP
SUNDAY	9:30AM	ADULT FORUM	MONDAY		
	11:00AM	WORSHIP/SUNDAY SCHOOL	DECEMBER 31	2:00PM	STAFF MTG
			TUESDAY	7:30PM	CHANCEL CHOIR



- ◆ **Red Cross Blood Drive** will be at Atonement on December 18 from 1-6:00pm.
 - ◇ Please let Terri McCulley know if you can help by providing snacks or helping check people in or with the canteen. You can call her at (541) 270-3424 and leave a message and she will call you back.
 - ◇ Please sign up to donate blood if you can. You can sign up at the Red Cross web site. The need is great this time of year! It does not take long and your blood donation can help several people. *Thank you!*

- ◆ **Stone Soup** *Monday, Dec. 23rd* *Needs Help*
 - ◇ Many of our regulars will not be available that night, so if you are available please sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex or speak to Dee Waldo.
 - ◇ We have a wonderful Christmas dinner planned, but we are asking for help in baking and donating cookies for this meal. Cookies can be brought to church on Sunday December 22nd or dropped off at the church office... December 18th thru December 20th. *Thank You!*

Atonement Lutheran Church

Ed Milliken, Pastor



*Atonement is an inclusive,
Reconciling in Christ
Congregation.*

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Coffee Hour:

***If your birthday is in
December and January,
Please remember to sign up on the
bulletin board, next to the Coffee
Bar, to bring treats, set-up and
clean-up after Sunday services.***