

Announcements and Upcoming Events

DECEMBER 12, 2021

"Unified Fund Summary (the Unified Fund is the checking account from which all routine operating expenses are paid; e.g. payroll, utilities, supplies, etc.)"	
Beginning Balance November 29, 2021	\$16,301.93
Offerings 11/28/21	\$2,750.00
Amazon Smiles	\$21.01
Learning Place Monthly Contribution	\$200.00
Online Giving	\$390.00
Subtotal	\$19,662.94
Payments	(\$6,853.73)
Ending Balance November 29, 2021	\$12,809.21
Beginning Balance December 6, 2021	\$12,809.21
Offerings 12/5/21	\$5,038.00
Online Giving	\$2,700.00
Subtotal	\$20,547.21
Payments	(\$2,812.78)
Ending Balance December 6, 2021	\$17,734.43
<p><i>A weekly offering of \$6,133.47 in undesignated funds is required to meet the current obligations of the parish. The 2021 budget is \$318,941.00</i></p>	
Temporary Restricted (Designated) Fund Offerings December 5, 2021.	
Altar Flowers	\$70.00
Capital Campaign	\$320.00
Member Emergency Funds	\$5.00
Memorial Fund	\$220.00
Poinsettias	\$88.75
Youth Fund (Memorial)	\$50.00
<p>Worship attendance for December 5th for 8:00AM- 60 and 10:30AM- 47 for a total of 107.</p>	



Our Church Mission *We are God's servant people with Christ-like hearts empowered by the Holy Spirit through Word and Sacrament. We proclaim God's grace, love, justice, and forgiveness to all people through worship, learning, witness, service, and support.*



At this time, it is required that any person in the church building wear a face covering. This decision was made based on the current data from the Pennsylvania Department of Health and the CDC. The council believes this is what is safest for our members and community, and how we can best serve our call to care for our neighbors. Thank you!



Friday, December 24th

Worship Services with Communion & Candlelight

- 4:30 PM
- 7:30 PM

We are still in need of some worship volunteers for both Christmas Eve services. Please call the church office 814.479.4110 or email secretary@stdavidslutheran.org if you can help in anyway.

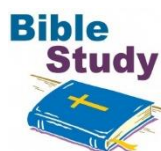


Members & Guests joining us for worship are reminded to fill out the attendance sheet in the pew pads located at the beginning of each pew. Thank you for taking the time to help us with our record keeping!



Just a reminder the Service Team will be collecting the Advent boxes from the Reverse Advent Calendar Project on **Next Sunday, December 19th** from 8:00-11:00 AM in the narthex. Questions, contact Sue Risch 814-421-0285.

Pastor Faron will be taking vacation time from December 13th -18th and December 28th & 29th. During that time, he will still be available for emergencies should they occur. You can contact him by cell at 570.246.3031



While Pastor Faron is on vacation there will not be Monday night bible study, December 13th or Tuesday zoom bible study on December 14th.



Following the December 19th service will be the **Annual Hanging of the Greens** with a covered dish meal. If Covid restrictions are elevated at this time, we will substitute a soup and sandwich meal. Decorating will take place following the meal.

We are looking for volunteers to carry the supplies and decorations into the church today **Sunday, December 12th after the 10:30 service.** If you are interested, please see Lois Tessari or any member of the Worship and Music Ministry Team.

Schedule of Upcoming Events in the Parish*
~ Please check the website calendar for the most up to date events ~

Sunday 12/12:	8:00-11:00 AM	Collection of Meals on Wheels Desserts (Narthex)
	8:00 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism/Advent Activities
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service
Pastor Faron is on vacation Monday, December 13th – Saturday, December 18th		
Wednesday 12/15:	5:30 PM	Liturgy Review Cantors & Choir (FH9)
	6:30 PM	Choir Practice (FH9)
Thursday 12/16:	January Messenger Deadline (Email articles to secretary@stdavidslutheran.org)	
Sunday 12/19:	8:00-11:00 AM	Collection of Advent Boxes (Narthex)
	8:00 AM	Worship/Communion Service
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Catechism/Pageant Rehearsals
	10:30 AM	Worship/Communion Service/Children's Pageant
	11:30 AM	Hanging of the Greens



As our weather is changing, we realize listening to worship from cars in the lower-level parking lot is becoming too cold. We invite you into the Fellowship Hall to worship and commune while allowing for distancing further apart than might be possible in the Nave.

*December 12 (Intinction) *Worship Volunteers*	
8:00 AM	10:30 AM
Acolytes- Matthew Desort & Isabella Kotch	Acolytes- NEED VOLUNTEERS
Altar- Sue Risch	Altar- Amanda Tercek
Communion Assistants Tom & Deb Harris	Communion Assistants Tom & Joanne Ravenscraft
Lector – Deb Harris	Lector – Linda Hoover
Ushers- Joe & Sue Risch	Ushers- Mike & Melissa Grose, Ron & Lois Tessari
Worship Captain- Deb Harris	
Counters- Bill & Sherri Andrews & Sonya Andrews	
REMINDER OF NEXT WEEKS *December 19 (Intinction) *Worship Volunteers*	
8:00 AM	10:30 AM (Children's Pageant)
Acolytes- NEED VOLUNTEERS	Acolytes- St. David's Youth
Altar- Deb Harris	Altar- Lois Tessari
Communion Assistants Doug & Linda Shrader	Communion Assistants St. David's Youth
Lector – Deb Hart	Lector- St. David's Youth
Ushers- Doug & Linda Shrader	Ushers- St. David's Youth
Worship Captain- Sonya Andrews	
Counters- Dennis Naugle, Ron & Lois Tessari	

Each Sunday the church looks for **FOUR** of our youth to acolyte. If you have been trained, we could use your help. Use one of these ways to sign up:

SCAN ME

1. Scan the QR code here.
2. Go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10cof4eaeac2fa4f5c70-october>



December 19th is the Fourth Sunday of Advent and the Children's Pageant. We will rehearse during the Sunday school hour that morning and the Pageant will happen during the Homily at the 10:30am service.



On Sunday, December 26th we will have a Worship Service of Lessons and Carols for the First Sunday of Christmas with only one service at **9:30AM**. We are in need of 2-3 lectors as there are 7 readings. Please call the church office 814.479.4110 or email secretary@stdavidslutheran.org



I would like to thank the St. David's Children & Youth for the beautiful wreath & wooden ornament I received.
~Jessica, Church Secretary