

Living Word Lutheran Church LCMS

December 2008 Newsletter
"Communicating the Love of Jesus"



Worship Hours:
Christian Growth Hour: 8:45 a.m.
Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.

Living Word Lutheran Church

Located on the West of Spicer on Cty Rd 10
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What we aim to do:
Make disciples for Jesus - as we go, wherever we go.
What we aim to be:
A joyful, caring, Christ-centered family of God.

Question for Pastor...



What's your favorite Bible passage or story?

This is a question that came from Heidy, the young girl from Ecuador that we support through Compassion, Int'l. It's not an easy question to answer considering "All Scripture is ... profitable for teaching, reproof, correcting and training in righteousness" (emphasis added). But there are always passages that stick in your mind more than others. I can't narrow it down to just one (I had a hard time narrowing it down to just ten!), so here are a few that came to mind.

In no specific order....

1. I've always liked the account of Daniel's three friends: Shadrak, Meshak and Abednego. What an example of faith in God! They trusted that God could spare them from the fiery furnace they were threatened with, but they also said (and this is the real show of faith) that even if it's not God's will to spare them from death, they wouldn't bow to any other idol. You can read about them in Daniel chapter 3. It's also a great passage showing how God stands up for you when you take a stand for Him. (You can ask Anthony & Becca about another reason that story has a special place in my heart.)

2. The account of the blind man Jesus healed in John chapter 9 has always been a favorite too. It teaches the lesson that the more we tell what Jesus has done for us, the stronger our faith gets. Read it and notice how the man's understanding of Jesus (and his conviction to follow Him) grew each time he had to tell

about how Jesus healed him.

3. Jesus' appearance to Thomas has always been a favorite. All of us can relate to Thomas at some point in life - wanting to see evidence for what we've been told to believe. The fact that Jesus came back and made a special appearance just for Thomas shows that He's not "put off" by our times of questioning. In fact, it shows that He desires to reveal Himself to people who are truly seeking God. (And I also love Thomas' response: He gives the greatest, point-blank statement of faith in the Scriptures. You can read about it at the end of John chapter 20.

4. Philip gives us the best - and simplest - example of how to witness at the end of John chapter one.

5. My confirmation verse - John 15:16. The pastor who chose this verse 'hit the nail on the head' for me. "*You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last.*" At that point in my life the *last* thing I would have chosen was to be a pastor (because that's what my mom wanted me to be.) But, even if I didn't know it at the time, God *had* chosen me for that task.

6. There's a verse that really helped me get through a tough time about six years ago. My father was dying and there was a lot of turmoil in the church at the time. John 16:33 is something Jesus told his disciples just before he was going to die and they were going to experience a lot of turmoil.

7. One of my memory verses from way back when I was in confirmation class - Ephesians 2:8-10. Initially I was attracted to the first two verses that state so plainly that salvation cannot be earned - it is a gift that must be received by faith. (And lest we want to pat ourselves on the back for having faith, the verse reminds us that our faith is also a gift from God.) But over the years the last verse has become just as meaningful. It's a great reminder that "good works" are necessary. Not as a cause of our salvation, but rather as a result of it.

8. There's a verse that we have used as a benediction in worship, Ephesians 3:19-20. It is a great reminder of the indescribable power that God makes available to believers. A reminder that we don't ask for that power enough - or ask

for enough of it.

9. John summed up his gospel in John 20:31. But in that one sentence he also summed up the purpose of both the Bible and our faith.

10. The Battle of Armageddon. All the powers of evil are mustered to come against God. We always hear about this great battle that will one day take place. But when I first read Revelation 20:7-10 I was amazed that God "vaporizes" the enemy without any battle. That verse paints for me a picture of Satan and the forces of evil thinking they are so tough and proudly marching up to defeat God. But with a mere breath God vaporizes them all without any "shots being fired." What a great reminder of the final outcome - and that it has already been decided. God wins!

I could go on and talk about examples set by many of the characters from the Bible. Folks like Joshua, Nathan, Abigail, the Centurion, Rhoda (check out Acts 12), Isaiah, Samuel, Peter (after the Resurrection), Ruth, Joseph (both of them). But space is limited. So, even though I'm sure there are many passages that will come to mind tomorrow and cause me to say, "I should have included that one..."

I'll leave it at that for now.

Thanks for asking,
Pastor David

Send your questions to pastor@livingwordlutheran.net

Poinsettias Welcome...



Everyone is welcome to bring a poinsettia plant to place in the sanctuary for Christmas. You may bring the plant any time and set it on the counter. The Altar Guild will take care of it and place it around the altar.

GoodSearch...

GoodSearch Results For the Past Year:

This year we received a check for \$25.14 as a reward for the people who used the internet search engine *GoodSearch* and listed Living Word - New London as their charity of choice. Thanks to those of you who use Goodsearch.

NOTE: Now we can also earn money for Living Word when we shop online and go through the GoodSearch site. The dollars for GoodShop add up real fast. Here are the details....

GoodSearch.com is a new Yahoo-powered search engine that donates half its advertising revenue, about a penny per search, to the charities its users designate. Use it just as you would any search engine, get quality search results from Yahoo. With just a few web-searchers using GoodSearch, Living Word received \$25 over the past twelve months.

GoodShop.com is a new online shopping mall which donates up to 37 percent of each purchase to you're a charity the shopper indicates. Hundreds of great stores including Amazon, Target, Gap, Best Buy, ebay, Macy's and Barnes & Noble have teamed up with GoodShop. When you designate Living Word as your favorite charity, every time you place an order, you'll be supporting Living Word.

Just go to www.goodsearch.com and be sure to enter Living Word Lutheran Church - New London as the charity you want to support, then simply use GoodSearch when you search the web and GoodShop when you shop online.

December Discipleship Verse...

"And you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins."

Matthew 1:21

E-mail Humor...

Mom's Night Out

My parents had not been out together in quite some time.

One Saturday, as Mom was finishing the dinner dishes, my father stepped up behind her.

"Would you like to go out, girl?" he asked.

Not even turning around, my mother quickly replied, "Oh, yes, I'd love to!"

They had a wonderful evening, and it wasn't until the end of it that Dad confessed...

His question had actually been directed to the family dog, lying near Mom's feet on the kitchen floor.

E-Mail Wisdom...

You may have seen this one before, but it's more appropriate now than ever...

A father wanted to read a magazine but was being bothered by his little girl, Shelby. She wanted to know what the United States looked like.

Finally, he tore a sheet out of his new magazine on which was printed the map of the country. Tearing it into small pieces, he gave it to Shelby and said, 'Go into the other room and see if you can put this together. This will show you our whole country today.'

After a few minutes, Shelby returned and handed him the map, correctly fitted and taped together. The father was surprised and asked how she had finished so quickly.

'Oh,' she said, 'on the other side of the paper is a picture of Jesus. When I got all of Jesus back where He belonged, then our country just came together.'

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That for a day: Baptism: A kind of damp Bar Mitzvah.

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Santa or Jesus...

Santa lives at the north pole...

...Jesus lives in heaven

Santa rides on a sleigh...

...Jesus can fly

Santa comes only once a year...

...Jesus is with us all the time

Santa brings toys...

...Jesus brings love

Santa comes down chimneys...

...Jesus comes into hearts

Santa lets himself in...

...Jesus knocks and waits

Santa makes kids wait in a line...

...Jesus is never too busy

Santa lets kids sit on his knee...

...Jesus upholds us with his power

Santa doesn't know your name...

...Jesus knows everything

Santa eats too much...

...Jesus has perfect self control

Santa offers a little happiness...

...Jesus gives perfect happiness

Santa gives toys...

...Jesus gives new lives

Santa cheers you up...

...Jesus gives you inner strength

Santa leaves a few gifts...

...Jesus gave himself

Santa is not real...

...Jesus is real and true

Who would you rather have ?

Secret Paul Prayer Partners

Remember to send your prayer person a Christmas card this month.

A Christmas-Giving Lesson from Jesus

The celebration of Christmas reminds us that in addition to being fully God, *Jesus was also fully human*. Indeed he is the ultimate example for us humans to follow.

As we approach the Christmas season and the celebration of His coming to earth, He gives us the example of the gift to give. What gift did He give us on his birthday (setting the example of something He later said, "It is more blessed to give than receive.")?

The most basic gift Jesus gave was the gift of Himself.

God came to be with us as one of us.

As you are tempted this month to buy all sorts of material gifts for the people close to you, remember what they really want is your presence - not your presents. Get creative and think of ways to give your presence *throughout the coming year* - not just for a week or so after Christmas...

Some ideas: Give your wife the promise of a "date a month"

Give your kids the promise of a special day spent with each of them each month. If they no longer live at home, promise them a visit more often than in the past. Or mark dates each month (week?) when you will call them.

The same thing applies with your parents and your friends. The gift they really want is your presence. It's the example that Jesus set the first Christmas. You will be blessed and so will they.

p.s. Don't forget, that's also the gift Jesus wants for His birthday - and the rest of the year.

Caroling Anyone?

If anyone would like to organize a group to go caroling around Spicer and/or New London please let Pastor David know. Thanks!

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Thot for a day: Blessed are those who can give without remembering and take without forgetting.

Do It Because Of Jesus...

During the busy weeks prior to Christmas thoughtful Christians go out of their way to show their love for others. Here are a few suggestions. You may think of more. The possibilities are limited only by your creativity.

- Babysit for someone while they shop.
- Shovel snow for someone this winter who could use the help.
- Invite at least one person to join you in worship Christmas Eve.
- Drive others to church for worship.
- "Adopt" someone in a care center, not just for Christmas, but for an indefinite period of time.
- Use your special talents (what are they?) where needed.
- Invite someone who is alone for the holidays over for dinner.
- Ask the Lord for guidance in using you in meaningful ways to bring glory to Him - **He will direct you.**

The Back Pew - Jeff Larson



While the shepherds were speechless in the presence of the newborn baby Jesus, Sal the Sheep summed up that first Christmas night very nicely.

Upcoming Schedules...

If you aren't able to serve on your Sunday, please call someone and switch with them. Thanks!

Scripture Readers

Dec 7	Tammy Wachter	796-6222
Dec 14	Duane Hansen	796-5605
Dec 21	Scott Wachter	796-6222
Dec 28	Bryson Wachter	894-6378

Jan 4	Jack Kuppich	254-8355
Jan 11	Tris Mische	354-9046
Jan 18	Wendy Robbin	354-9049
Jan 25	Mona Hjelle	354-4315

Feb 1	Kevin Welsh	796-6840
Feb 8	Allan Fuglie	796-6975
Feb 15	Linda Dilley	235-0235
Feb 22	Mark Fuglie	796-6975

Fellowship Servers

Dec 7	Wendy Robbin	354-9049
Dec 14	Nancy Jo Wendt	354-2398
Dec 21	Donna Peterson	354-5247
Dec 28	Pam Johnson	354-3545

Jan 4	Laurel Iverson	354-4932
Jan 11	Tammy Fuglie	796-6975
Jan 18	Janet Towner	444-0125
Jan 25	Mona Hjelle	354-4315

Feb 1	Stacy Olson	212-9647
Feb 8	Violet Dauk	220-0344
Feb 15	Lu Kiehm	979-0097
Feb 22	Tris Mische	354-9046

Usher & Greeter Schedule

	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Greeter</u>
Dec 7	Mark Fuglie/Chuck Weffen	Lu
Dec 14	Joe Johnson/Anthony Dauk	Laurel
Dec 21	Jason Miller/ Kevin Welsh	Janet
Dec 28	Janet Towner/Linda Dilley	Violet

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That for a day: Where there is no wonder there is no worship.

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Jan 4	Troy Hansen/Bryson Wachter	Lu
Jan 11	Mona Hjelle/ Pam Johnson	Laurel
Jan 18	Jamie Iverson/Lonny Robbin	Janet
Jan 25	Charlie & Heather Carver	Violet

Feb 1	Duane Hansen/Chuck Weffen	Lu
Feb 8	Jack Kuppich/Mark Fuglie	Laurel
Feb 15	Kevin Welsh/Jason Miller	Janet
Feb 22	Joe Johnson/ Anthony Dauk	Violet

Acolyte

Dec 7	Noah Welsh
Dec 14	Michelle Johnson
Dec 21	Phil Iverson
Dec 28	Mikayla Geer

Jan 4	Noah Welsh
Jan 11	Michelle Johnson
Jan 18	Phil Iverson
Jan 25	Mikayla Geer

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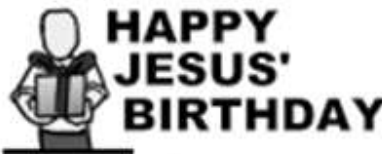


GIFT OF JESUS

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



Oh that men would praise the LORD for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men! For he satisfieth the longing soul, and filleth the hungry soul with goodness. -PSALM 107: 8,9 KJV

December 2008 - Living Word Church Calendar of Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Nov 30 8:45 Growing in Christ Hour Adult Forum - <i>Faith Under Fire</i> Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:15 Fellowship & Choir practice	Dec 1 Pastors' Conf. @ Willmar	2 NOON Bible Study @ Geneva Olson's	3 Noon Study: Boundaries 6:00 Youth Mtg 6:15 Meal 6:30 Confirmation 6:30 Men's Study 7:30 Advent Devotion & Gift Making for Heidi	4 Noon NL-S Ministerial @Living Word	5	6 9:30 - 11:00 Christmas Practice 11:00-2:00 Bake Sale @KandiMall 11:00 - 3:00 Bell Ringing @ Kandi Mall
7 8:45 Growing in Christ Hour Adult Forum - <i>Faith Under Fire</i> Sunday School 10:00 Worship w/Lord's Supper 11:15 Fellowship Bldg Comm, Mtg after f-ship	8	9 NOON Bible Study @ Geneva Olson's	10 Noon Study: Boundaries 6:15 Meal 6:30 Confirmation 7:30 Advent Devotion & Gift Making for Soldiers	11 7:00 Elders Team LWML	12	13 9:30 - 11:00 Christmas Practice 11:00 - 4:00 Child Care While U Shop
14 8:45 Growing in Christ Hour Adult Forum - <i>Faith Under Fire</i> Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:15 Fellowship & Choir practice Outreach Team mtg after f-ship 6:00 New Neighbor Visits	15	16 NOON Bible Study @ Geneva Olson's	17 Noon Study: Boundaries 6:15 Meal 6:30 Confirmation 6:30 Men's Study 7:30 Advent Devotion & Gift Making for Prisoners	18 7:00 Mission & Ministry Team (Including LEARN Presentation)	19	20 
21 8:45 Growing in Christ Hour Adult Forum - <i>Faith Under Fire</i> Sunday School 10:00 Worship w/Lord's Supper 4:00 Christmas Program 5:00 Christmas Dinner	22 	23 No Bible Study Today	24 CHRISTMAS EVE 5:00 CANDLELIGHT WORSHIP W/Lord's Supper 	25 Christmas 9:00 Christmas Worship	26	27
28 8:45 Growing in Christ Hour Adult Forum - <i>Faith Under Fire</i> Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:15 Fellowship	29	30 NOON Bible Study @ Geneva Olson's	31	Jan 1	Jan 2	Jan 3

December - 15-Minutes-A-Day

TODAY'S LIGHT BIBLE READING PROGRAM: We finish the prophecy of Isaiah - the OT book with the most prophecies of the Messiah then move into the Gospel of Matthew in time for Christmas (In parentheses are verses to focus on if you are short on time that day)

Dec 7 Use the time today to worship and catch up on any readings you missed

Dec 8 Isaiah 40-41 (41:1-29) _____

Dec 9 Isaiah 42-43 (43:1-28) _____

Dec 10 Isaiah 44-45 (44:1-28) _____

Dec 11 Isaiah 46-47 (46:1-12) _____

Dec 12 Isaiah 48-49 (49:1-26) _____

Dec 13 Isaiah 50-52 (52:1-25) _____

Dec 14 Use the time today to worship and catch up on any readings you missed

Dec 15 Isaiah 53 (53:4-11) _____

Dec 16 Isaiah 54-57 (55:1-13) _____

Dec 17 Isaiah 58-59 (59:1-21) _____

Dec 18 Isaiah 60-62 (61:1-11) _____

Dec 19 Isaiah 63-66 (66:1-24) _____

Dec 20 2 John (2 Jn 1-6) _____

Dec 21 Use the time today to worship and catch up on any readings you missed

Dec 22 Matthew 1-2 (1:18-25) _____

Dec 23 Matthew 3-4 (4:1-11) _____

Today's Light Devotional Readings

Dec 24 Matthew 5-7 (5:1-12) _____

Dec 25 Matthew 8-9 (9:1-8) _____

Dec 26 Matthew 10-11 (10:1-42) _____

Dec 27 Matthew 12-13 (12:1-30) _____

Dec 28 Use the time today to worship and catch up on any readings you missed

Dec 29 Matthew 14-15 (14:1-12) _____

Dec 30 Matthew 16-17 (16:1-12) _____

Dec 31 Matthew 18-19 (18:21-35) _____

Jan 1 Matthew 20-21 (21:1-11) _____

Jan 2 Matthew 22-23 (23:1-39) _____

Jan 3 Matthew 24-25 (25:31-46) _____

Jan 4 Use the time today to worship and catch up on any readings you missed

Jan 5 Matthew 26-27 (27:32-56) _____

Jan 6 Matthew 28 (28:1-15) _____

Jan 7 Philippians 1 (1:1-24) _____

Jan 8 Philippians 2 (2:1-18) _____

Jan 9 Philippians 3 (3:1-16) _____

Jan 10 Philippians 4 (4:1-19) _____

Thank You...

Special Thank-Offering Can Still Be Given

God commanded the Israelites to come to the temple once a year for a joyful celebration of the blessings God provided in the harvest. This harvest festival was called The Feast of Weeks.

Then celebrate the Feast of Weeks to the Lord your God by giving a freewill offering in proportion to the blessings the Lord your God has given you. Deuteronomy 16:10

In keeping with the example of the Israelites, on Thanksgiving Eve we came together for a special joyful celebration of the blessings God has provided us. We also brought special Thank-Offerings to the Lord in proportion to the blessings He has given us this past year. If you weren't here for the Thanksgiving service, you can still give your Thank-Offering during the month of December. Please use the special "Thank-Offering" envelope and simply place it in the offering at worship.

"But who am I, and who are my people, that we should be able to give as generously as this? Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand."

King David in 1 Chronicles 29:14

THANK-OFFERING UPDATE

To date we have received over \$2000 (toward our goal of \$3000) in Thank-Offerings. Thank you!

Operation Christmas Child

(We collected over 25 shoe boxes filled with the love of Jesus! Thank You!)



Choose the right words, and if you aren't sure, check it up in Luke 2: 8-16

Now there were in the same country
builders? plumbers? shepherds?
living out in the fields, keeping watch over their
stone walls? clothes lines? goats? Sheep?
by night.
When behold, an angel of the Lord
flew by? landed on the hillside? stood before them?
and the glory of the Lord shone around them,
and they were sad? and they were greatly afraid?
Then the angel of the Lord said to them
"Do not laugh?" "Do not cry?" "Do not be afraid?"
For behold I bring you good tidings of great joy
which will be to
Just your family? All people? Only the Jews?
"For there is born to you this day in the
City of David? City of Paul? City of Jonathan?
A Saviour, who is Christ the Lord,
And this will be the sign to you:
You will fall down? You will shiver? You will find a Babe?
Wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a
Bath? Shed? Manger? Water trough? Box?
And suddenly there was with the angel a
Flock of geese? A multitude of the heavenly host? Bees?
Praising God and saying:
"Glory to the Babe? Glory to Mary? Glory to God?
In the highest and on earth
Parties? Plenty of food? Peace? Rivers of water?
Good will toward men!"
So it was, when the angels had gone away from them
The shepherds danced? The shepherds went to sleep? Said?
To one another, "Let us now go to
Town? The lake? Bethlehem? The local pub?
And see this thing that has come to pass, which the
Lord? Angels? People from town?
Have made known to us."
And they came with haste and found Mary and
John? Paul? Phillip? Joseph? Graham? Joseph?
And the Babe, lying in a manger.



Upcoming Events...

Wednesdays: December 3, 10 & 17

Advent Midweek Worship "Living Like THE King"

"What You Do For the Least of These.... You Do For Me"

Advent Midweek Worship continues Wednesday
December 10 @ 7:30.

Each Wednesday we will have gather for a time of prayer and devotion followed by a time to put together special gifts for people others may overlook: Heidy - our Compassion child from Ecuador; people in treatment for substance abuse; people in prison; families of deployed soldiers.

Please make time in your schedule to come and Live Like THE King who gave us - "the least of these" - the greatest gift of all: Himself.

December 3 & 10 & 17 @ 7:30

"Child Care While You Shop"

THIS Saturday, December 13, from 11:00 - 4:00

In an effort to give families with young kids a time to go Christmas shopping without the kids, the Living Word youth will offer free child care on December 13. Space is limited, so sign your kids (or grandkids or neighbor's kids) up right away.

Christmas Program and Dinner

Sunday, December 21

Program: @ 4:00 p.m.

Dinner: @ 5:00 p.m.

(Program practice Saturdays 9:30-11:00, Dec. 6, 13, 20)

Christmas Eve Worship

Candlelight Service @ 5:00 p.m.

The entire service is held in candlelight.

The Christmas story in Word and song, plus Lord's Supper.

Christmas Day Worship

Christmas Worship: 9:00 a.m.

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Thot for a day: A mother can touch a whole generation just by loving her own child well.

Opportunities to Share the Love of Jesus In Practical Ways...

Be part of our 'Make-a-Meal' Team

Do you have a heart for helping people in need? We're in the process of updating our list of people who can serve as either "meal makers" and "meal takers" (or both). Our "Make A Meal" program is a great way to show the love of Jesus. Please talk to Pastor David if you can serve on our Make A Meal Team. Thanks!

Make Some Cookies for New Neighbor Visits

Our "New Neighbor" Visitors welcome people who have recently moved into the area with a basket of 'goodies' that includes cookies/bars. If you like to bake it would be a big help to have more folks provide cookies or bars for our visits. Talk to Bryson if you can serve the Lord in this way. Thanks!

"Secret Paul" Prayer Partner Program

Reminders:

- 1) Please remember to pray for your partner.
- 2) Send them a Christmas card this week letting them know you are praying.

Help Wish HEIDY a Merry Christmas

Heidy is a young girl from Ecuador that we have been supporting through Compassion, Int'l.

This Christmas we would like to share with Heidy not only our monetary support, but also our faith. We have special Christmas Cards that you can use to tell Heidy about a favorite Bible passage or verse (and why it is your favorite). You can also share with her a favorite Christmas tradition that has special meaning for you. Please fill one out at church and leave it with Pastor. Thanks!

(p.s. As always, if you'd like to share a monetary gift for Heidy, simply place it in the "Heidy" box by the door of the sanctuary. Checks should be made payable to Compassion, Int'l.)

Help with our Youth Ministry

- Lead a Bible Study for Sr. High Youth
- Chaperone a service project (and fun outing) in the Twin Cities

Please talk to Pam Johnson if you can serve the Lord in any of these ways.

Invite Someone To Our Christmas Program...

... or to our Christmas Eve or Christmas Day services. It's a very simple way to share Jesus with someone.

Stewardship Minute...

Each month this coming year will have a unique stewardship theme.

December theme: THANKSLIVING

We've just celebrated the holiday remembering the first Thanksgiving that the Pilgrims celebrated giving thanks to God for the bounty He had provided.

But Thanksgiving should not be celebrated only once a year. Instead we should be giving thanks every day for what God has provided - and continues to provide.

Some things that we, as a congregation, can continually give thanks for:

- The purchase of land for our building site Our building committee
- working to put into place the plans for a building The school building
- that has provided a wonderful place for worship The members of Living
- Word - young and old alike - providing a family atmosphere as a church
- The community, people and businesses that make up the area where we

- live and work and worship Most of all we give thanks to God for sending His Son for the forgiveness of our sins.

Ask God for His help to turn a day of ThanksGiving into a life of ThanksLiving!

Opportunities to Use Your Talents...

We need someone to:

Plan and Organize Fellowship Activities

One of the goals we set for the coming year is to provide more opportunities for members to get to know each other outside of church. In order to accomplish that goal we need someone who enjoys organizing activities that "get people together." Things like 'fun nights' or service projects or outings. Please talk to Pastor David if you would like to help in this way. Thanks!

Become Part of the Living Word's LWML

(Lutheran Women's Missionary League)

For Christ-Centered Women of All Ages

The Mission of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League: is to assist each woman of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod in affirming her relationship with the Triune God, so that she is able to use her gifts in ministry to the people of the world.

The Living Word LWML meets the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 for devotion and mission/ministry planning. Please join us next month.

Could You Help With Children's Church?

The only pre-requisite is a love for Jesus and for His kids. You read a Bible story or Object Lesson, say prayers and do an activity that reinforces the lesson. Lessons are provided. All you do is show up and lead. Please talk to Mona Hjelle if you can help in this way. Thanks!

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