

Splash Pad

December 31, 2023

LIVING WATERS LUTHERAN CHURCH
SAUK RAPIDS, MINNESOTA

GUEST INFORMATION

We are glad you are here!

Welcome

All are welcome to receive communion.

Prayers of the People request sheets are in the front of the Watersource book, and will be collected during the service. Additional prayer request sheets (for requests that need not be shared publicly) are inside the Watersource books.

Need a hearing device?

We have them! Please ask an usher.

Blessing Bags are available for children

Filled with activities, Blessing Bags are available by the side doors of the sanctuary.

Children's Offering during Worship

Kids are welcome to come up front during the offering and put coins in the globe or an item for the Living Waters Food Shelf.

Coffee Fellowship

Enjoy goodies and a cup of coffee or lemonade at the Coffee Bar today at 10:00 a.m. LWLC is always looking for people to host fellowship.

Sign up at lwlcmn.org.



POINSETTIAS

In Memory of

Hermoine & Gene Barron
Vernon Becker
Hollis Dickinson
Ruth & Orton Germundson
Tyler Hondl
John Lund
Toody & Irvin Melville
Jerry and Lorraine Ross
Orville Schmieding
Norbert Szymanski

Thank you for beautifying the sanctuary for Christmas.

Volunteers Needed to Move Hay Bales

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No Table Talk

There is no Table Talk today or next Sunday, Jan. 7. Table Talk will resume on Jan. 14 at 10:15 a.m.

Youth Education is Back, Jan. 10, 14

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 Prayers for healing for Steve Rock, father of Josh Rock, following his heart surgery.
 Prayers for healing and comfort for Trudy Schmieding, mother of Teresa Szymanski.
 Prayers for healing for Josh, brother of Ellarry.
 Prayers for healing for Jim, brother of Pastor Jake.
 Prayers for healing and comfort for Candis, sister of Ted Helgerson, who is receiving radiation and chemotherapy treatments for a brain tumor.



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people attended the evening candlelight services at the church.

Marriage Encounter Experience at LWLC

February 16-18, 2024

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