

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

1-3-21

Stuff to know about Christ Lutheran during the pandemic

THE SCRIPTURE READING THIS WEEK: LUKE 1:41-52

Worship in January is at 10:00am

on Facebook live.

Don't miss your chance to direct Thrivent Choice Dollars. Eligible members have until the March 30<sup>th</sup> deadline to direct any unused balance from the previous year.

For eligibility requirements and how to give go to [www.thrivent.com/choice](http://www.thrivent.com/choice), or call financial associate, Justin Carlson, at (316) 729-2631 or [Justin.Carlson@thrivent.com](mailto:Justin.Carlson@thrivent.com).



WOW. All I can is "wow" and THANK YOU for your incredibly generous

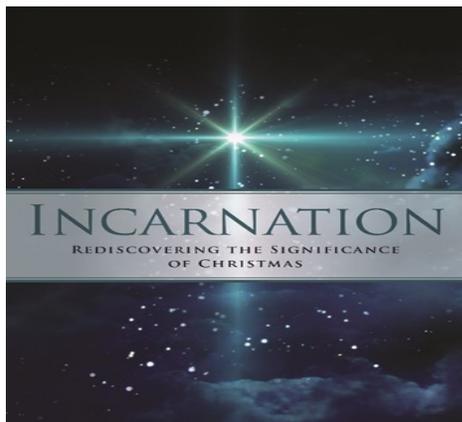
Christmas gift this year. It has been a fascinating year to be a pastor and to be part of the Church. I am truly blessed to serve such a faithful congregation and I'm glad that it's all of you that I'm going through the pandemic with. I so look forward to the day when we can all be together again in person!

Thank you, Christ Lutheran!

~Pastor Chad (& family)

Pics from  
St. Paul's  
Breakfast  
12/26/20





# God's Story @ Home

## PRAYING GOD'S STORY

*Mealttime Prayer: God the Provider, you gather your hungry people and feed us with your grace and forgiveness. You shape us in your love so that we can be family to one another. You send us into the world to reach out to others with kindness. Amen.*

## READING GOD'S STORY

*As you read, ask yourself: What is the true meaning of Christmas? How does each of the children promised in these passages change the world?*

Sunday	Luke 2:41-52	Boy Jesus at the Temple
Monday	Genesis 17:19-24	Sign of the Covenant
Tuesday	Exodus 13:1-2	Consecration of Firstborn
Wednesday	Leviticus 26:3-6	God Will Grant Peace
Thursday	Leviticus 26:7-13	The Covenant Revealed
Friday	Malachi 4:4-6	Advice for the Coming of the Lord
Saturday	Isaiah 62:10-12	Build up a Highway
Sunday	Luke 3:1-22	Jesus and John the Baptist

## CONTEMPLATING OR DISCUSSING GOD'S STORY

*Make a moment to check in with each other or to use the questions below.*

**? Highs and Lows:** Name one thing that went well today. Name one thing that did not go well.

**? Thinking About This Week's Story:** Jesus stayed behind to learn from the teachers at the temple. What is one thing you learned today, on any subject?

**? Getting Ready for Next Week's Story:** John the Baptist tells the people to turn around and live God's way. What is one good or helpful thing you did today? What is one thing you should have done, but did not (or did, but should not have done)?

## LIVING GOD'S STORY

*SERVICE is how we enact God's great love for the entire world.*

**Donate a new or gently used toy to your church nursery.**