



DECEMBER 2, 2018

Welcome to Lincoln! We're glad you chose to worship with us!

Worship Through Music

9:00 am

Joy To The World

O Little Town Of Bethlehem

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Cornerstone

10:45 am

Joy To The World

Love Came Down

O Little Town Of Bethlehem

Cornerstone

Prayer of Praise / Apostle's Creed / Pass the Peace - Kristen Lambdin

Advent Candles

9:00 am - Silva Family

10:45 am - Nalls Family

Announcements / Call for Offering - Bob Mitchell

Offertory

Morning Prayer

9:00 am - Liam Tacla

10:45 am - Michelle Sallee

(K-6th grade dismissed to Sunday School)

Sermon

"Real HOPE"

Isaiah 40:25-31

Pastor Jon Hathorn

Communion - Bob Mitchell, **9:00 am** - Shawn Loy, Elder assisting

Benediction

Next Sunday
"Bethlehem Faith"
Pastor Bob Mitchell

Sunday Schedule:

Worship Services - 9:00 am & 10:45 am
Children's Sunday School & Nursery during both services
Adult Sunday School - 7:25 am & 10:30 am
Youth Sunday School - 10:45 am
Senior High School Group - 6:00 pm

Wednesdays:

Junior High Group at 5:45 pm
Awana Club - Pre-school through 6th grade at 6:00 pm
Bible Study at 6:00 pm

Thursdays @ 7:30 pm:

Mainspring Young Adult Group

Call the office, 477-2783, or pick up a catalog in the foyer for information on the many LIFE groups meeting during the week.

Pastoral Staff

Dr. Bob Mitchell, Pastor
Jon Hathorn, Pastor of Church Ministries
Fred Jantz, Senior Executive Pastor
Heidi Verheyden, Director of Student Ministries
Kristen Lambdin, Director of Children's Ministries
Miranda Abrescy, Assistant Director of Student Ministries
Dr. Al Van Selow, Administrative Pastor
Ministers: The Congregation

Upcoming Events

Hanging of the Greens - December 2

December Movie Night - December 7

Christmas Play - December 8

Congregational Meeting - December 9

Classes on Sunday

7:25 am – “I Peter”

Join us in the Fireside Room and gain a fresh perspective on how to live a triumphant life. This is a new series starting November 18th. Light breakfast served, led by Carol Bedell and Patrice Verhines.

9:00 & 10:45 am – KidZone

Children, 1st through 6th grades - dismissed after the Offertory.

Nursery care is provided for children ages 0-2.

Preschool & Kindergarten Class - Children, ages 2-6.

10:20 am - “1 & 2 Peter”

Led by Pastor Al Van Selow, in the Fireside Room.

10:30 am - “The Book of John” with Tony Evans.

Led by Lise Karnes in Pastor Jon’s Office.

Youth Sunday School (6-10th grades) -

Meets in the Youth Room during 2nd service, after being dismissed mid-service, except on Communion Sundays.

Wednesday

6:00 pm - A Book by Book Journey Through the Bible

Led by Ed Miller in the Fireside Room.

Announcements

Deacon's Message: "Behold the virgin shall be with child and shall bear a son and they shall call his name Immanuel which means 'God with us.'" Matthew 1:23. This month we celebrate the birth of our Messiah and the fulfillment of God's prophecy. We can be grateful for the new members who have also claimed His promises. One of the benefits of becoming a member of LPC is having a deacon who checks in with you monthly, prays for you and may attend to other needs as they may arise. Each deacon has a "cluster" which consists of about 12-15 families with whom they regularly contact via phone call, email, text or in person. Do let your deacon know if you have any special needs. The deacons wish you a season of delight and wonder at the commemoration of Christ's birth.

Christmas presents for the men in the Gospel Center Rescue Mission program. We want to support and bless these men. If you would like to participate, please take a tag from the cross at the stage, purchase the gift, wrap it and return it to the church, preferably this coming Sunday December 9th. December 16th is ok, but next Sunday is best.

FIRST FRIDAY DECEMBER MOVIE: We welcome you to join us on December 7th @ 6:30pm to celebrate the Christmas Season with a movie. We will have a short old Christmas cartoon to start the evening and the main movie is "Silver Bells". In addition, you can have a Christmas cookie. Come a little early to hear Christmas music from a video DVD. Merry Christmas!

LINCOLN is kicking off the season with a Christmas Play and a Soup & Salad meal. Plan to see "I Believe" and enjoy a meal & fellowship around the table on Saturday, Dec. 8th at 11:45am & 5pm in Agape Hall. Tickets available in the foyer today. Nursery care provided at both times.

Session has called a Congregational Meeting on December 9th immediately after the first service to nominate the Elders, Deacons and Trustee.

Christmas Eve Gathering - If you or someone you know is need of a place to go for a Christmas gathering, it will be on Christmas Eve at 3:00, which provides a chance to attend the 5:00 Christmas Eve Service. Please mark the connect card or contact Cheryl in the office for more information.

Please Pray for . . .

- Pastor Saul and City Church in Lithuania
- Barbara Vallandingham, Angie Marulo, Irma St. John, Ron & Mary Bruegel, Shirley Grimes, Barry & Connie Baxter, Anna Woods, Harriet Myrick, Dorothy Swoverland, Charlene Nelson, Pat Winter-berg, Joanna Stone, Suedee Howell, Art & Janice Mockler, Nadine Kuhlman, Jeannette Good-man, Don Shuldberg, Lorna Zink, Patrice Verhines, Beth White, Donna Halboth, Bill Wagner, Gary Kudla.

Prayer Families . . .

- Dorothy Wilkins ...Praises for two great granddaughters born in Aug. and Sep. Praises for the wedding of my grandson this Sep.
- Anna Woods... Prayers for healing and pain relief from my fall. Prayers for my daughter who has health issues as well.
- Noralee Willard, Pat Winterberg, Cindy Wong

**To reach the Prayer Chain, call Terri Long, 957-3816
or email her at TLong54@sbcglobal.net**



Worship Assistants

Greeters:

9:00 am - Patty Roek

10:45 am - Bill & Merrilee Chapman

Ushers:

9:00 am - Maria Montalvo, Betty Crecelius, Charito Lopez, Jane Carson,
Lori DeMercurio

10:45 am - Dave & Sharon Olney, Drew & Holly Meyers, Jim & Ingrid Best

Sound - Dan Bates

Video Tech: Ron Korock

Security:

9:00 am - Mark Gantt

10:45 am - Stan Kaneko

Our Mission:

**To know and love God,
to know and love people,
and bring the two together through Jesus Christ.**

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