

# Redeemer REVIEW



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*from the Pastor...*

*Rev. Donald Jordan*

## ON THE WORSHIP OF GOD

The Divine Service of God, in which He serves us with His gifts of forgiveness and life in Christ, is our encounter with God as He comes to us, serving us.

God is not casual about the way he comes to us, coming in the forms of Word and Sacrament, Law and Gospel, in teaching and preaching. There is something significant occurring in the Divine Service and it is readily apparent that a sense of reverence, holiness, and respect is necessary when in the presence of almighty God.

The hymn and chant of the congregation comes from Scripture, as we sing and praise God. The pastor wears the historic vestments of the Christian church, indicating the covering of his sinful self, to place the emphasis upon Jesus who robes us in his righteousness given in baptism. There is much physical action as we make the sign of the cross, bow, kneel, genuflect, stand, sit, and posture ourselves with our whole bodies in worship of God. The mighty roar of the organ reaches a crescendo in the Sanctus as we express the holiness of God before receiving the body and blood of Jesus.

This sense of holiness is expressed by the church of Jesus in her rituals of vestments, rites, postures, art, glass, music, bells, organ, paraments, furnishings, appointments, and all that expresses this holiness and reverence of God. The church is a place set apart and dedicated for the holy things of God.

There is something different going on in the church that is not casual and worldly. In fact, it is other-worldly. It is out of this world and heavenly.

Closed communion is a sign that the church takes the holy supper of Jesus seriously and does not indiscriminately distribute the holy things of



Jesus, but ensures that baptism, catechesis, and true confession of doctrinal unity is present before partaking.

There is an objective quality to the worship of God. That is, it does not depend on our feelings or emotions. Sometimes we feel like coming to Divine Service and other times we don't. Our worship is God-centered, Christ-centered, and Scripturally-centered.

But, worship is moving and does affect us. There is a powerful response to the Holy Spirit that causes us to burst forth in song and prayer. There is that which causes us to say "Amen" to the Gospel preached and administered.

We experience heaven on earth in the liturgy of the church, as our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, comes to us to give us forgiveness of sins and eternal life. This is our foretaste of the feast to come in heaven. We know how we stand with God in confession and absolution, as he grants to us free and complete pardon for all our sins. We are washed and cleansed in the Divine Service.

Having received these gifts from Christ, we are empowered to love God and our neighbor, going forth in our daily vocation to love all people, serving as light and salt to the world. We cannot help but speak of the great things God has done for us.

A blessed Christ Mass to all of you as we celebrate these twelve days of Christmas, rejoicing that heaven has come down to earth in the person and work of Jesus and particularly received in the worship of God as we come to his church, the body of Christ, with its marks of the pure Gospel and the sacraments rightly administered.

*Soli Deo Gloria!*  
*Pastor Jordan*

## REDEEMER FINANCIAL SUMMARY

## CHURCH STAFF

REDEEMER FINANCIAL SUMMARY  
January 1, 2017 – November 30, 2017

### INCOME/EXPENSE – ACTUAL:

ORDINARY INCOME:	\$160,533.83
EXPENSES:	
Administration	\$129,562.18
Christian Education	897.24
Evangelism	1,059.41
Fellowship	560.82
Stewardship	405.39
Trustees	<u>\$38,750.50</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES:	<u>\$171,235.54</u>
NET ORDINARY INCOME	\$-10,701.71
CHURCH FACILITY RENT INCOME	500.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$-10,201.71
RETAINED EARNINGS	<u>\$33,879.70</u>
BALANCE (Total Equity)	\$23,677.99

### ASSETS/LIABILITIES:

#### CHURCH

Directed Funds (TCB)	\$139,774.97
Operating Funds (TCB)	\$23,677.99
Mission Trust Fund (Thornburg)	\$260,591.66
Scholarship Fund (Stifel Nicolaus)	<u>\$319,605.81</u>
TOTAL CHURCH ASSETS/LIAB.:	\$743,650.43
TOTAL SCHOOL ASSETS:	<u>\$23,152.22</u>
TOTAL ASSETS/LIABILITIES:	\$766,802.65
PARSONAGE INCOME	\$13,000.00
Minus Renting Expenses	00.00
Parsonage Deposit	\$1,000.00
Disbursed to Pastor Jordan	<u>\$12,000.00</u>
Net Parsonage Income	00.00

SCHOOL INCOME	\$43,185.50
35% to Mission Trust Fund (Thornburg)	\$15,114.93
30% to Scholarship Fund (Stifel Nicolaus)	\$12,955.65
20% to Facilities Reserve Fund (Thrivent)	\$8,637.10
10% to School Reserve Fund	\$4,318.55
5% to Musician & Concert Fund (TCB)	\$2,159.27

For more details or an explanation,  
see the office manager.

REV. DONALD JORDAN, PASTOR  
JACKIE VIEIRA, OFFICE MANAGER  
REV. DAVID BUNTING, ORGANIST  
JERRY BRANDT,  
HANDBELL CHOIR DIRECTOR

#### OFFICERS

BRUCE HOLDERBEIN, PRESIDENT  
STEVE HALL, VICE PRESIDENT  
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& BOARD OF YOUNG PEOPLES WORK  
DIANE SCOTT

## 2018 BUDGET

<b>ADMINISTRATION</b>	<b>\$147,265.00</b>
Altar Worship	\$ 1,000.00
Bookkeeping	\$ 250.00
Conference	\$ 500.00
Elders	\$ 200.00
Office Expenses	\$ 2,450.00
Bank/Checking Fees & Supplies	\$ 350.00
Licenses and Permits	\$ 150.00
Supplies	\$ 850.00
Periodicals	\$ 250.00
Postage	\$ 250.00
Guest Pastor Wages	\$ 1,215.00
Office Manager Wages	\$ 22,720.00
Health Insurance Supplement	\$ 2,400.00
Retirement/Disability	\$ 1,600.00
Wages	\$ 18,720.00
Organist Wages	\$ 8,361.00
Mileage	\$ 3,300.00
Wages	\$ 5,061.00
Pastor Wages	\$108,134.00
Car Allowance	\$ 4,500.00
Continuing Education	\$ 500.00
Health Insurance	\$ 23,400.00
Retirement/Disability	\$ 7,815.00
Salary	\$ 71,919.00
<b>CHRISTIAN EDUCATION</b>	<b>\$ 500.00</b>
<b>EVANGELISM</b>	<b>\$ 1,200.00</b>
<b>FELLOWSHIP</b>	<b>\$ 1,000.00</b>
<b>STEWARDSHIP</b>	<b>\$ 500.00</b>
<b>TRUSTEES</b>	<b>\$ 42,210.00</b>
Property Tax & Assessments	\$ 1,200.00
Church Repairs	\$ 2,500.00
Copy Machine	\$ 2,250.00
Garbage	\$ 1,400.00
Grounds Maintenance	\$ 2,250.00
Insurance - Liability	\$ 9,500.00
Insurance - Work Comp	\$ 3,200.00
Janitorial Service	\$ 500.00
Janitorial Supplies	\$ 500.00
Telephone	\$ 1,650.00
Utilities	\$ 11,000.00
Van	\$ 3,400.00
DMV/Insurance	\$ 900.00
Fuel	\$ 1,000.00
Repairs	\$ 1,500.00
<b>TOTAL BUDGET</b>	<b>\$192,675.00</b>

## NEW MEMBERS



**KATHLEEN WEAVER**

PROFESSION OF FAITH  
OCTOBER 10, 2017

**THERESA BURCH**

CONFIRMATION  
DECEMBER 3, 2017



**THE TIEMANN FAMILY**



JAMES TIEMANN  
TRANSFER FROM DENISON, TEXAS

LISA TIEMANN  
CONFIRMATION

JASPER TIEMANN  
BAPTISM

DECEMBER 17, 2017

## HYMNS THAT SING OF CHRIST: LSB 549

### “ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME”

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name!  
 Let angels prostrate fall;  
 Bring for the royal diadem  
 And crown Him Lord of all.  
 Bring for the royal diadem  
 And crown Him Lord of all.

Crown Him, ye martyrs of our God,  
 Who from His altar call;  
 Extol the stem of Jesse's rod  
 And crown Him Lord of all.  
 Extol the stem of Jesse's rod  
 And crown Him Lord of all.

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,  
 Ye ransomed from the fall,  
 Hail Him who saves you by His grace  
 And crown Him Lord of all.  
 Hail Him who saves you by His grace  
 And crown Him Lord of all.

Hail Him, ye heirs of David's line,  
 Whom David Lord did call,  
 The God incarnate, man divine,  
 And crown Him Lord of all.  
 The God incarnate, man divine,  
 And crown Him Lord of all.

Sinners, who love can ne'er forget  
 The worm-wood and the gall,  
 Go, spread your trophies at His feet  
 And crown Him Lord of all.  
 Go, spread your trophies at His feet  
 And crown Him Lord of all.

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe,  
 On this terrestrial ball  
 To Him all majesty ascribe  
 And crown Him Lord of all.  
 To Him all majesty ascribe  
 And crown Him Lord of all.

Oh, that with yonder sacred throng  
 We at His feet may fall!  
 We'll join the everlasting song  
 And crown Him Lord of all.  
 We'll join the everlasting song  
 And crown Him Lord of all.

This great and powerful hymn by Edward Perronet was first printed anonymously in the Gospel Magazine for November 1779 with the tune *Shrubsole or Miles Lane*. The complete seven stanza poem first appeared in the April 1870 issue of the same magazine entitled *On the Resurrection, the Lord is King*. It was later published in several other publications.

Edward Perronet (1726 - 1792) was born at Sundridge, Kent, into a family of French Huguenots (Calvanist French Protestants) who had come to England to escape persecution after the revocation in 1685 of the Edict of Nanes in 1598. Edward accompanied John Wesley in Bolton, Lancashire. A mob attacked the house where they were staying and beat them mercilessly. In 1775, a dispute arose among them as to who had the right to administer the Sacraments, every pastor wherever he was, or only the pastor in their respective parishes of the Church of England. Perronet's relationship with the Wesley's was broken off at this time, as he believed that every pastor could administer the Sacraments wherever he was. At this time, he became minister in a chapel in Watling Street, Canterbury. He continued his attacks on the Church of England until his death. Despite his violent temper, he is said to have possessed a warm, devotional spirt as well as poetic talent. Many of his hymns were published anonymously.

The tune, *Coronation* was composed by Oliver Holden, a Massachusetts carpenter and self-taught musician. The phrase in the hymn, "Crown Him Lord of All," evidently prompted him to name the tune *Coronation* when it was first published in Boston in 1793. He wrote over 35 tunes. British congregations still use the tune that first accompanied this text, *Shrubsole or Miles Lane*.

Oliver Holden (1765 - 1844) was born in Shirley, Massachusetts. Moving with his family to Charlestown when he was 21. He found work as a carpenter, rebuilding the city burned by the British after the battle of Bunker Hill. His building operations and real estate transactions proved highly successful and profitable. Moreover, his great interest in music found expression in leading, directing, and selling music as a sideline in the general store he owned and operated. He donated land for the site of a Baptist church as well as constructing, practically unaided, a Puritan church where he preached from 1818 - 1833. During this time, he was also a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives. After the death of singing master and composer William Billings in 1800, Holden was the most popular American composer of Psalm and hymn tunes. He wrote hymn texts as well as tune. *Coronation* is his most celebrated.



## JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

02 LINDA ALLEN  
02 REV. DONALD JORDAN  
02 RUTH SHUEY  
03 MARY SIEMENS  
10 DAVID SWEET  
11 RYAN YOUNG  
14 BRI LOFINK  
17 SVETLANA SMITH  
17 JASPER TIEMANN  
18 CAROLYN MARTIN  
20 LINDA ROWE  
23 SAMANTHA ZIMMER  
30 TODD THOMPSON  
30 RHONDA WERNER



## JANUARY BAPTISMAL DATES

01 JUDY MORENO  
01 LINDA ROWE  
02 RUTH SHUEY  
07 JUDY SMITH  
14 JERRY BRANDT  
15 TRACY WOOLERY  
18 ELEANORE BINGEN  
19 DIANE SCOTT  
20 JOHN CHRISTENSON  
25 HENRY DEGARMO

## ELDER ASSIGNMENTS

TRACY WOOLERY:  
Allen - Frerichs

TIMOTHY WENSLAFF:  
Godsil - Keil

WILLARD SCHLESNER  
Lamont - Ryan

FRED SHERMAN, III  
Schaffer - Sweet

ROBERT ENGELKEN  
Tefelski - Zimmer

## HOMEBOUND

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121 Dorsey Dr, Rm 605  
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1 Scarlet Grove Court  
Chico, CA 95973

### WOMEN'S KAFFEEKLATSCH

Monday, January 15  
10:00 A.M. - 12:00 NOON  
at Sharon Schaffert's  
627 Larch St  
343-1596

**Esther Henry** 342-2288  
14 Discovery Way  
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### REFERRAL REWARD

If you or others are considering moving into an independent or assisted living facility, be sure to contact the church first for a referral. Many facilities will give a \$1,000 referral reward to the church, but you must obtain the referral first before contacting the facility. (can't be done afterward) Contact Pastor Jordan.

### PASTOR JORDAN'S SERMONS

www.kkxx.net (live and podcasts) - www.tunein.com  
KKXX Chico, CA 930 AM Saturday/Sunday 1:00 PM  
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### THE LUTHERAN HOUR

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## CIRCUIT 12 NEWS

Our Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod is geographically divided into Districts, ours being the California-Nevada-Hawaii District. The CNH District is then geographically divided into circuits, ours being Circuit 12.

Here is a roster of the 12 churches that compose Circuit 12:

Artois	Gridley
Brownsville	Oroville
Burney	Paradise
Chico	Red Bluff
Colusa	Redding
Corning	Willows

At the Circuit 12 Forum held on December 5, our Circuit Visitor was elected for the next term, which begins July 1, 2018.

Each congregation was represented by their pastor and a layman in the voting.

The result was Pastor Brian Cummins - six votes and Pastor Robert Roberts - four votes. Pastor Brian Cummins, Trinity Lutheran Church, was elected by majority vote and will serve as our Circuit Visitor for the next three years.

Our current Circuit Visitor, Rev. James Cavener of Yreka will resign his position on December 31, 2017. District President Robert Newton will appoint an interim Circuit Visitor to fill the time between January 1 and July 1, 2018 and it is expected, based on an advisory vote, that Pastor Brian Cummins will be appointed.

At the next Circuit Forum the agenda will be to elect a pastor and layman delegate from our circuit to the LCMS national convention in July 2018, Tampa, Florida.

## CAMPUS MINISTRY



There is no January meeting. The next meeting is Sunday, February 4, 5:00 p.m. meeting with dinner and Bible study on "Martin Luther - The Movement."

## MONTHLY MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

There is no men's Bible class on Epiphany, January 6. We resume on February 3, 8:00 a.m.

From "The Spirituality of the Cross" by Gene Veith, Chapter Six - Conclusion - Worshiping God.



## THURSDAY BIBLE CLASS

### JUSTIFYING CHRISTMAS

No study on December 28 and January 4. We resume on January 11 with a new study for the Christmas season - "Justifying Christmas."

Session 1 - Isaiah 64:1-9  
Session 2 - Matthew 1:18-25  
Session 3 - Luke 2:1-14  
Session 4 - Galatians 4:4-5

## SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS

### LUTHERAN DOCTRINE AND PRACTICE

Our study of the Augsburg Confession continues each Sunday, 8:45, in the Parish Hall.

Upcoming topics are: Baptism, The Lord's Supper, Good Works, The Church, Confession, The Mass and Ceremonies, Free Will, Church Authority, and Civil Government.

## ALTAR FLOWERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to sign up to provide altar flowers for 2018. Commemorate someone you love or an occasion. Sign up sheets are posted in the Parish Hall or call the office and the office manager will be happy to sign you up.

## USHER/GREETERS NEEDED

Men and women are asked to consider volunteering as usher/greeters before services on Sundays. A sign up sheet is posted in the Parish Hall or call the office. It is helpful to sign up for a month at a time, but if that isn't possible, sign up for the Sundays you can help.

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE** for the February Redeemer Review is Tuesday, January 23 - 4:00 p.m.



# Epiphany

*From January 6th until the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday*

## The Theme

The Feast of the Epiphany closes the celebration of Jesus' Nativity. The remainder of the season is concerned with the adult Christ. The Greek word, "Epiphany," means to show forth. Jesus is shown forth as the Son of God, first, by the coming of the wise men, who were gentiles, to worship Him; then at His baptism (January 13th or the Sunday after the Epiphany), when the Holy Spirit descended upon Him and the voice of the Father declared Him to be His beloved Son; and on the following Sunday, by His miracles and teaching. The last Sunday is the Feast of the Transfiguration, the greatest of His epiphanies until the Resurrection.

## The Mood

The season is one of joy, a following up on the Christmas season. We contemplate the meaning of His coming. Originally, the Epiphany celebrated three mysteries together: the coming of the wise men; Christ's baptism; and His first miracle, turning water into wine at Cana. These events came to be spread out in our Western calendar, but are still kept together by the Eastern churches. The day of the feast itself concerns the coming of the wise men, showing Jesus forth as the Savior King of the whole world.

In the nativity scene set up in church and home, the shepherds are removed from the stable, and put at a distance, to show them going to spread the good news, and the three wise men replace them at the manger. A crown may be placed on the head of the Christ child. For the procession, the choir or a group of children may process around the aisles of the church, while all sing "We Three Kings." Three "gifts" may be placed by three of the children (or adults) at the manger. Incense is appropriately used for the mass, since one of the gifts of the wise men was frankincense.

Some parishes hold a Christmas party after mass, with a big white cake in which a metal ring has been baked, as well as ice cream and other refreshments. Whoever gets the metal ring in his piece of cake receives a prize. The ring represents the crown of Christ the King. (Care should be exercised if there are small children, so that they do not swallow the ring.) The Christmas decorations are taken down and put away for another year. This can also be done in the home.

## The Colors

The color for the Epiphany is white. Some may want to use this color for the entire season to stress its unity, but the traditional practice is to use green from the day after the celebration of the Baptism of our Lord until the Saturday before the Feast of the Transfiguration. This color represents the newness of life which Christ bestows through our Baptism. White is the color for the transfiguration. This represents Christ's purity and holiness.

The descent from the Mount of Transfiguration into the swirling mass of sick humanity on the plain below is indicative of the sudden plunge from the heights of the Christmas-Epiphany celebration into the depth of repentance on Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent. Christ came down from the heights of glory into the valley of the shadow of death.

## CPR/AED TRAINING - JANUARY 30

### CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION/AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR TRAINING

CPR/AED training will be held Tuesday, January 30, 6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Sign up in the Parish Hall, call the office at 342-6085, or email to [redemerchicooffice@gmail.com](mailto:redemerchicooffice@gmail.com).

The class will be taught by First Responder, our local EMS provider.

All are welcome to participate and we especially encourage officers, board members, ushers, and others who attend church events frequently. The church has two AED units, located in the Parish Hall and Narthex. This valuable training may be used to save a life and the skills learned can be applied anywhere there is a need.

Those who were certified at the previous training will need to be recertified, as their certificates have expired.

The cost is \$45. If the fee poses a problem, contact Pastor Jordan or the office manager. Scholarships may be available.



Place your CRV plastic and aluminum beverage containers in the bins located in the Parish Hall. Proceeds support the Youth Group.

## 2018 MISSION SUPPORT

- 1Q YOUTH/CAMPUS MINISTRY
- 2Q SYNOD DEAF MINISTRY
- 3Q INTERNATIONAL MISSIONARIES,  
LUTHERAN HERITAGE FOUNDATION
- 4Q RADIO SERMONS KKXX, LUTHERAN HOUR,  
ISSUES, ETC.

## 2017 MISSION SUPPORT

- |   |            |
|---|------------|
| 1Q YOUTH/CAMPUS MINISTRY  | \$3,704.55 |
| (\$1,047.39 Mission Reserve, \$1,563.49 Mission Interest, \$1,093.67 Mission Envelopes)       |            |
| 2Q RADIO SERMONS/LUTHERAN HOUR/ISSUES, ETC.   | \$4,423.77 |
| (\$1,536.17 Mission Reserve, \$970.00 Mission Interest, \$1,917.60 Mission Envelopes)         |            |
| 3Q DISTRICT MISSION: Deaf Ministry, Texas/Los Angeles   | \$4,082.24 |
| (\$1,089.71 Mission Reserve, \$2,231.53 Mission Interest, \$761.00 Mission Envelopes)         |            |
| 4Q INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS: Pastor Rabe, Ethiopia; Pastor Meeker, Kenya; Pastor Conrad, Mexico |            |



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# January 2018

January 2018						
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28	29	30	31			

February 2018						
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25	26	27	28			

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Dec 31	Jan 1, 18 [F] The Circumcision and Name of Jesus (W) Office Closed - Pastor's Day Off	2 J. K. Wilhelm Loehe, Pastor 6:30pm Catechism Class (Fireside Room)	3	4 6:30pm Bell Choir Practice (Choir Loft)	5 Office Manager's Day Off	6 Day of Epiphany 1:00pm KXXX Sermon 1:30pm Lutheran Hour
7 First Sunday after the Mite Box Sunday 8:45am SS/Adult Bible Class 10:00am Divine Service 11:15am Fellowship (Parish 1:00pm KXXX Sermon	8 Office Closed - Pastor's Day Off	9 6:30pm Catechism Class (Fireside Room)	10 Basil the Great of Caesarea, Gregory of Nazianzus, and Gregory of Nyssa, Pastors and Confessors	11 9:30am Bible Study (Fireside Room) 11:30am Christmas Tree Removal (Sanctuary) 6:30pm Bell Choir Practice (Choir Loft)	12 Office Manager's Day Off	13 9:30am LWML Mary/Martha Opt. Bus. Mtg. (Fireside 10:30am LWML Mary/Martha 11:00am LWML Mary/Martha 1:00pm KXXX Sermon 1:30pm Lutheran Hour
14 Second Sunday after the 8:45am SS/Adult Bible Class 10:00am Divine Service 11:15am Fellowship (Parish 1:00pm KXXX Sermon 1:30pm Lutheran Hour	15 Office Closed - Pastor's Day Off 10:00am Women's Kaffeeklatsch (Sharon Schaffert's)	16	17	18 [F] The Confession of St. Peter (W) 9:30am Bible Study (Fireside Room) 6:30pm Bell Choir Practice (Choir Loft)	19 Office Manager's Day Off	20 Sarah 10:00am Lofink Baby Shower (Parish Hall) 1:00pm KXXX Sermon 1:30pm Lutheran Hour
21 Third Sunday after the 8:45am SS/Adult Bible Class 10:00am Divine Service 10:00am Installation of 11:15am Fellowship (Parish 1:00pm KXXX Sermon	22 Office Closed - Pastor's Day Off	23 4:00pm Newsletter Deadline	24 [F] St. Timothy, Pastor and Confessor (W)	25 [F] The Conversion of St. Paul (W) 9:30am Bible Study (Fireside Room) 6:30pm Bell Choir Practice (Choir Loft)	26 [F] St. Titus, Pastor and Confessor (W) Office Manager's Day Off	27 John Chrysostom, Preacher 1:00pm KXXX Sermon 1:30pm Lutheran Hour
28 Fourth Sunday after the Kenya Orphan Student 8:45am SS/Adult Bible Class 10:00am Divine Service 11:15am Fellowship (Parish 1:00pm KXXX Sermon	29 Office Closed - Pastor's Day Off	30 6:00pm CPRI/AED Certification Class (Parish Hall)	31	Feb 1	2	3

**OFFICE MANAGER'S HOURS      TUE - THU      9:00AM - 4:00PM\***

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