

Good News

Christ Our Redeemer Lutheran Church Weekly Announcements January 10, 2024

What Will You Learn?

A new year is an opportunity for a variety of new habits, or for breaking old ones. What if we made it our intention each year to learn something new? It could be anything, big or small! What is something you've always wanted to know more about? Is there a craft you want to learn, a subject that interests you, a technical skill you'd like to try? Maybe you'd like to read a book or two about something intriguing. What's stopping you? How would you start?

Pick one thing, and you don't have to tell anyone about it – this is your personal intention. Check out your local library or search online for free courses. Maybe you want to pay for a course. Just go for it!

May we stay humble enough to know we don't know everything, and may we stay curious and be lifelong learners!

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Welcome to the world!

Congratulations to Jameka Carter and Bai-Eyse Pugh on the birth of their baby girl Nala on December 28, 2023. Mama, Daddy, Big Sister Kyra and Baby are all well and joyous!

Announcements

Here you will find the most recent church announcements. If you have any questions, please call the church at 201.433.1836 or email at contact.redeemerlutheranjc@gmail.com.

Congregational:

- On Friday, January 19 @6:00 pm, the British Swim School will be here to present on the importance of swimming for adults and children. Refreshments will be provided.
- *OFFERING ENVELOPES:* We are using only 1 offering envelope this year to replace the 2 used previously. Please note that your envelope number may have changed. See Wanda Fluellen if you don't have your envelope number.
- *Good news!* The installation service for Pastor Kimberly Vaughn will be Saturday, January 27, 2024 at 11 am here at Christ Our Redeemer. All are welcome. Refreshments will follow the service.
- For those participating in the Sight & Sound bus trip on March 16, 2024, please remember that final payment is due no later than January 15, 2024. Please see Timekia to make a payment.
- *BIBLE STUDY:* Join us each Thursday at 6:30 p.m. for study and conversation on "Daily Discipleship". See Pastor Kimberly for details.
- *HOLY BAPTISM and FIRST COMMUNION:* If you or your child are interested in being baptized, the next "Festival of Baptism" dates will be Sunday, February 11 (Transfiguration Sunday) and March 31 (Easter

Sunday). If you have a child ready to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion? Please see Pastor Kimberly.

- Happy birthday to Allen Reid, whose birthday was January 13th!
- Please see page 9 of this week’s worship bulletin for the list of upcoming worship assistants. We are in need of help for February, March and April!

NJ Synod and Community:

- The 2024 ELCA Youth Gathering will take place July 16-20, 2024 in New Orleans. Registration fee is \$425 through February 14th. Late fee (Feb. 15—April 15) is \$475. MYLE and tAble registration fee is \$190 (Waived restriction apply). A \$150 nonrefundable and registration fee are due at sign-up.

Worship Assistants for January 2024

	1/7	1/14	1/21	1/28
Lector	Bai-Eyse Pugh	Joan Narain	Joy Griggs	Corey Brooks
Counters	TBD	Wanda Fluellen and TBD	Joy Griggs and TBD	Corey Brooks and TBD
Ushers	Wanda Fluellen, Ed Price	Wanda Fluellen and Ed Price	Wanda Fluellen and Ed Price	Wanda Fluellen and Ed Price

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