



# Lamplighter Weekly

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Christmas, December 29, 2019

**Spanaway Lutheran Church**

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## Our Week at a Glance

### Sunday ♦ 12-29-19

10:00am Contemporary Worship  
11:10am Food for Families  
11:15am Holy Ground  
12:30pm Adelphos Worship  
2:00pm Adelphos Fellowship  
6:00pm NA Group Meeting

### Monday ♦ 12-30-19

5:00pm Catechism  
6:00pm TOPS Meeting  
7:00pm Boy Scout Troop #679

### Tuesday ♦ 12-31-19

6:30am Men's Breakfast  
10:00am Pastor's Bible Study  
11:45am Quiet Communion  
3:00pm JiM Cheryl Drewes (\*til 5pm)

### Wednesday ♦ 01-01-20

+++ Office closed +++  
+++ No Preschool +++

### Thursday ♦ 01-02-20

3:00pm JiM Cheryl Drewes (\*til 8pm)  
6:00pm Table Talk

### Friday ♦ 01-03-20

12:00pm Food Bank  
4:00pm JiM Matt Kusche (\*til 6pm)

### Saturday ♦ 01-04-20

6:00pm SAA Group Meeting

### Sunday ♦ 01-05-20

9:00am Women's Bible Study  
10:00am Classic Worship  
11:15am Holy Ground  
12:30pm Adelphos Worship  
2:00pm Adelphos Fellowship  
6:00pm NA Group Meeting

## Hours of Operation

Church Office M – F 9:00am – 3:00pm  
Preschool M+W+F 9:00am – 11:30am  
BASE M – F 5:30am – 6:00pm

## Food for Families

January Serving Dates are Jan. 12 & 26

### Volunteers:

Jan 11	Pick-Up	Steve Blacksten
Jan 11	Set-Up	SLC Volunteers
Jan 12	Set-Up	SLC Volunteers
Jan 12	Distribution & Clean-Up	SLC Volunteers

## Readings for January 5, 2020

### Isaiah 60:1-6

*Nations come to the light*

### Psalms 72:1-7, 10-14

*All kings shall bow down before him. (Ps. 72:11)*

### Ephesians 3:1-12

*The gospel's promise extends to all*

### Matthew 2:1-12

*Revelation of Christ to the nations of the earth*





Katherine Hall	January 5
Sara Jackson	January 8
Kris Bohnert	January 9
Sophia Schier-Hanson	January 9
Lydia Wise	January 10
Kristen Nieto	January 10

Join us on Monday, January 20<sup>th</sup> at NOON at the BAR BISTRO (1718- 99<sup>th</sup> St. E., Tacoma) as we celebrate our monthly birthdays with a lunch!

## A Prayer for the New Year

Lord,  
Whether I leave behind  
a year of joy or of trials and difficulties,

I pause to *give thanks*.  
Thank you for being with me  
every day of every year.

Thank you for making all things **new**  
and for giving me the grace of  
fresh starts

and *new beginnings*.  
Remind me of your presence in the days to  
come,  
even when I feel pushed and rushed by  
busyness.

**Be glorified in my life this year.**

*Amen*



## The Gift of Flowers

*Flowers are offered today by*

*Richard & Ealane Wollin*

*in Honor of their  
64<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary  
and for the Glory of God*



## THANK YOU



I would like to express my gratitude to everyone who helped prepare for Pastor's special worship and fellowship on the Anniversary of his Ordination on December 8<sup>th</sup>. It was a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our deserving Shepherd and you all did a phenomenal job working together for the common goal and keeping tight lips so we were able to "somewhat" surprise him.

Thank you Cheryl Drewes, Music Team, Choir, Worship & Music, Council, the Murrays, the Lackemanns, Charlotte Surridge, Elois Macdonald, the Howes, the Herems, Rob & Noah and all the ones I am now forgetting to mention ☺

Love and Peace,  
Stefanie



## Council Changes

As Doug Hedlund steps down as President we are pleased to announce that the newly elected Council Officers for 2020 will be Nancy Vignec - President, Rob DeZarn - Vice President and Laurel Wright Osborn - Secretary. We also welcome our newest member Erica Lustig!

We look forward to a new and fulfilling year and encourage you, as always, to share with us your goals and concerns for our continuing mission.

Wishing you a Blessed New Year!

SLC Council

# Prayer Request

*We are praying for...*

<i>Family of Gail Bohannon</i>	<i>congregation member</i>	<i>Gail died on 12/22</i>
<i>Kim Cleveland</i>	<i>sister of Angela Aponte</i>	<i>lung cancer, MS, in stable condition</i>
<i>Dave Percy</i>	<i>friend of many at SLC</i>	<i>Parkinsons</i>
<i>Audrey Charles</i>	<i>friend of Anne Briehl</i>	<i>Mesothelioma, currently in treatment</i>
<i>Lenville Sutherland</i>	<i>friend of Laurie Howe</i>	<i>healing and strength, searching for answers and appropriate care</i>
<i>Angie Rivera</i>	<i>congregation member</i>	<i>cancer</i>
<i>Sophia Schier-Hanson</i>	<i>congregation member</i>	<i>healing and strength</i>
<i>Justin &amp; Adri Wright Osborn</i>	<i>congregation member</i>	<i>strength and resolution</i>
<i>Anne Marie Bessette</i>	<i>friend of Cindy Boushack</i>	<i>son Blaise missing in Germany</i>
<i>Eva Farkas</i>	<i>family of Charlotte Surrudge</i>	<i>recovering from surgery</i>
<i>Glen Ruediger</i>	<i>congregation member</i>	<i>healing</i>
<i>Kathy Olsen</i>	<i>our BASE Director</i>	<i>insomnia and pain due to pulled groin, receiving physical therapy</i>
<i>Diane Parr</i>	<i>family of the Blackstens</i>	<i>cancer</i>
<i>Bob Coonc</i>	<i>family of Edna Coonc</i>	<i>open heart surgery/valve repair on 12/17</i>
<i>Family of Julie Christiansen</i>	<i>niece of Glen Ruediger</i>	<i>died unexpectedly on 12/19</i>
<i>Family of Kathy Malcolm</i>	<i>friends of the Wollins</i>	<i>Kathy died</i>
<i>Peg Schlotman</i>	<i>sister of Mary Herem</i>	<i>cancer</i>
<i>Gary Park</i>	<i>nephew of the Halmos</i>	<i>stage IV lung cancer</i>
<i>Vargas Family</i>	<i>congregation members</i>	<i>health of their family</i>

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## Office Hours

Monday through Friday

9 am to 3 pm

### Office is closed on:

**New Year's Day**, *Martin Luther King Day*, *President's Day*, *Easter Monday*, *Memorial Day*, *Independence Day*, *Labor Day*, *Columbus Day*, *Veteran's Day*, *Thanksgiving Day*, *Friday after Thanksgiving*, *Christmas Day*

## Worship Assistants for NEXT Sunday

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Christmas

January 5, 2020

### Assisting Minister

John Briebl

### Lector

Gregg Wright Osborn

### Children's Sermon

Erica Lustig

### Communion Assistants

Sarah and Anne Briebl

### Acolyte

Volunteer

### Altar Guild

Ron Morris and Sarah Briebl

### Greeters

Volunteer

### Ushers

Steve and Laurie Howe

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### Control Booth

John and Mary Herem

### Coffee Hour

UNKNOWN

### Holy Ground Leader

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