

This week's calendar 01/08/2023 thru 01/15/2023

Sunday	10:00 AM	Worship Service With Communion – Pastor Jaime Decker Make-A-Change Sunday, Sunday School After Worship Church Council Meeting After Worship		
Wednesday	5:15 PM	Wednesday Night Wo	rship & Education	
Thursday	9:00 AM 2:00 PM	Bits N' Stitches Quilters Carol Holmstrom's Funeral at GA- Visitation 1:00-2:00 PM		
Sunday	9:30 AM 5:00 PM	Worship Service With Communion, Sunday School Kids Sing – Pastor Jaime Decker Sunday School After Worship Men's Group Meeting and Supper		
Worship Assi	stants Janua	ary 8 th	January 15 th	January 22 nd
Acolytes:	Teagan Beck		Kyle Potts	Ethan Weigelt
-	Payten Herman		Cyprian Johnson	Jaylene Herman

Communion: Joan Peterson Auston Creech Mike Larson Sound System: New Sound System, Kris is running it at this time. If anyone wants to learn let her know! Thank You

Steve Melroe

Karla Waloch

Ryan Enge/Carter Gilje Rosi Odegard Jeremy & Jackie Meyer Greeters:

2nd Sunday Ushers: **January Ushers**

Nancy Wrage

Captain: Steve & Barb Melroe Carter Gilje Dale & Coleen Beaver Nate Hansen Scott & Jan Melroe Lily Walth Jerrod & Becky Sandness Athena Erickson

Troy & Lynn Jacobson

Weekly Giving	January 1 st, 2023	December 28 th , 2022
Total Envelopes:	\$ 975.00	\$ No service
Make-A-Change:		
Other:	\$	
Total:	\$ 975.00	Weekly Amount Needed: \$3,041.66
Attendance:	136	

Monthly Finances: For **November**: Starting: \$15,971.05- Debts \$25,540.19 + Deposits \$30,672.97 = End \$21,103.83

This week we lift in prayer to God:

Reader:

- + All those in our congregation who are celebrating their **birthday** this week: Jan Melroe, Doug Anderson, Chloe Beck, Jason Bauer, TJ Johnson, Jan Bjork, Troy Jacobson, Masyn Stahl.
- + All those in our congregation who are celebrating their **anniversary** this week: Carolyn & Steve Jacobson
- + All those who mourn the loss of a loved one: The Family & Friends of Randall (Randy) Hanson.

If you have announcements for G.A., please call them to 678-2552 or send them to galutheranchurch@outlook.com or leave a note on the secretary's door. Just a reminder that all announcements and newsletters are posted to the website www.galutheranchurch.org check it out!

If you need to reach Jaime feel free to call her cellphone 701-680-2637 or email her at jaimedecker4@gmail.com

- Weekly bulletin announcement Deadline: Fridays by Noon. February newsletter Deadline: Monday, Jan 23rd Pastor Jaime will be taking Friday off as her designated day each week.
- **Worship & Music Committee:** The GA Worship and Music Committee is looking for a new member to join them. If interested or you have questions contact Julie Johnson, Barb Melroe or Pastor Jaime. Thank you.
- ➤ <u>Leaders Needed:</u> Pastor Jaime will be off on Sunday, February 5th and Sunday, March 12th. If you are interested in leading either of those Sundays, please let Carrili know. Thank you in advance for your help.
- > Snow Removal: Since Winter has decided to make a grand entrance, this is just a reminder that snow removal is done at the church on a voluntary basis. If you have the time and equipment, it would be greatly appreciated if you helped out to keep the church safely accessible this winter. Thank you in advance.
- ➤ <u>Bulletin Donation Sheet:</u> The bulletin donation sheet for the 2023 church season is on the table in the Narthex. If you would like to donate/sponsor a bulletin for a Sunday please mark it down and get your payments to Carrili. Bulletin donations are \$15.00 per Sunday. Thank you for your support.
- Poinsettias: A Jingle Bell Poinsettia was donated by Rosi Odegard in Loving Memory of ElRoy Odegard, A Jingle Bell poinsettia was donated by Betty Melroe & Family in Loving Memory of Stan Melroe. A Jingle Bell poinsettia was donated by Shirley Waloch in Loving Memory of Debra and Gail. A Red Poinsettia was donated by Geneva Waswick in Memory of Corwin Waswick, A Red Poinsettia was donated by Tracey Waswick in Memory of Roger & Connie White, A Red Poinsettia was donated by Kent & Julie Johnson in Memory of Our Grandchildren, A Red Poinsettia was donated by Barb Melroe, "Merry Christmas From The Melroe's!", A Red Poinsettia was donated by Becky & Darrel Salberg, "Merry Christmas From The Salberg's!", White Poinsettia was donated by Kirstin & Torey Kempel in Honor of their Grandson Jack, A Jingle Bell Poinsettia was donated by the Christensen's in Memory of Donald & Cody Christensen, A Red Poinsettia was donated by the Christensen's in Memory of Their Parents, A Jingle Bell Poinsettia was donated by Chuck & Barb Klemetson in Memory of Their Parents, A Jingle Bell Poinsettia was donated by the Odegard Children in memory of ElRoy & LaVelle Odegard, A Jingle Bell Poinsettia was donated by David & Linda McFarland in Memory of Karen McFarland and Dwight Hanson. Thank you to all who donated to make our worship space beautiful this Advent Season.
- ➤ <u>Do You Know:</u> of any members that do not get our monthly newsletter, but would like to? If so, please contact Carrili at 701-678-2552 or galutheranchurch@outlook.com and let her know. Thank You.
- ➤ <u>Venmo:</u> GA Church has Venmo! If you would like to use Venmo to place your Weekly, Monthly, and Annual Offerings or any other donations please do so!! Our account is @GustafAdolf-LutheranChurch or scan the QR Code. Thank you!



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- ➤ Men's Group Meeting: Sunday, January 15th at 5:00 PM. Soup/Chili Supper and Annual men's group meeting. Please spread the word. All men that are members of GA are invited to attend.
- Annual Reports: Happy New Year everyone, and with that brings the yearly Annual Meeting at GA. All financial reports, leader reports, council & pastoral reports must be in to Carrili by February 6th. Thank you in advance for getting them done in a timely manner. Annual Meeting for GA will be held on Marth 5th. Members of GA, if you would like any items put on the agenda for discussion at the meeting please let Carrili know.
- ➤ <u>2023 WELCA Booklet:</u> The Updated 2023 WELCA booklets are available on the table in the Narthex. Feel free to pick up a copy. Remember that all ladies that are members of GA are also members of WELCA. So please grab a booklet and see what month you are assigned to. Thank you in advance for all you ladies do for GA Church.