Giving

Ways you can give to God's work through the ministry of Resurrection:

- **At services: envelopes are available in the chair backs, and offering boxes are located by the doors entering the sanctuary**
- **Mail or drop off at the office during the week** *(mail slot after hours)*
- **Pre-authorized debit** *(forms are available online or at the office)*
- **E-transfer: donations@rezchurch.ca** *(please state full name in message)*
- **Online: following instructions in Church Center** *(please note these gifts are subject to a 3% processing fee)*

Office Information

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Resurrection
Lutheran Brethren Church

Order of Worship

Sunday November 29, 2026

Gathering Song: Joy to the World

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship: Psalm 27:1-6

Opening Prayer

Song of Worship: O Come O Come Emmanuel
Light of the World (Sing Hallelujah)

Children's Message

Gospel Reading: John 1:1-9

Prayers of Praise and Petition

Message Reading: Isaiah 60:1-9

Message
Rise and Shine
Pastor Mac Wahl

Song of Response: Light of the World, Abide

Benediction

Sending Song: O Come All Ye Faithful
O Come Let Us Adore Him

Leader: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
Congregation: Thanks be to God. Hallelujah! (3x)

Reflection Questions on Sermon

1. What does Isaiah mean when he says, "darkness covers the whole world" and what evidence is there for this?

2. What does it mean that God brings people into the light? How did/does He do this?

3. Jesus has made His followers the light of the world, how does Jesus call you, specifically, to rise and shine His light in an otherwise dark world?

UP glorifying God;

"let all the peoples praise You, O God!" Psalm 67:3

Praise items

- Lord, we praise You for being our light and salvation. We need not fear, for You are our stronghold; Hallelujah! (Psalm 27:1)
- For all the ways Your glory has risen upon us, we praise and thank You, Lord. You have been so good! (Isaiah 60:1)

IN interceding for one another;

"be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people" Ephesians 6:18

Special Needs

- Jesus, as we have opportunities to be a witness to You, the Light of the World, enable others to come to believe through our witness (John 1:7)
- many are in a season of waiting. Heavenly Father, make Your presence known to _____ while they wait for _____.

  Grant them the gift of patience and spiritual eyes to recognize ways You are able to redeem the time during which things remain incomplete.

Resurrection Family

- Julia
- Sonja
- Ben & Haley with Ella, Abel, Iver, and Freya
- Dennis & Ardell
- James & Kaitlyn

Resurrection Ministries

- Sunday Worship Advisory Team McKenzie, Geoff, Nicholas, Alex, Jeannine, Tara, Natalie & Cheryl
- Worship co-ordinator: Steven

OUT to needs beyond

"petitions, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for all people" 1 Timothy 2:1

- Lord, we ask that You would call all nations to dwell in Your house. As they come to You shelter them and set them high upon a rock (Psalm 27:4&6)
- Holy Spirit, stir in the hearts of leaders and kings that they would recognize the dawn, the approaching light of Your glory. May it result it their salvation. (Isaiah 60:3)

Other Church Communities

- St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church Father Kris Schmidt, Deacon Doug & Deacon Kevin
- The River, Red Deer, AB Pastor Harold and Joyce Rust & Naomi
- Bethany Lutheran restart Meeting Creek/Donalda, AB area

If you would like others to join you in prayer contact the church at info@rezchurch.ca. A group meets to pray each Wednesday morning.

If you would like to have your request circulated among the Prayer Chain please email: prayer@rezchurch.ca

Partners in Ministry and Missions

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Lutheran Brethren International Mission - LBIM

As the LBIM looks over the past year they see joy with the faithful missionaries answering the call to go and serve among the nations and the faithfulness of the churches that send them, God has worked. God has opened the doors in the Asian and African fields. Praise God!

There have been some dificulties for the LBIM to navigate through this year as well. A reciprocal visa ban between the US and Chad has obligated our American missionaries called to Chad to return Stateside. Other families have had to leave the field due to sickness or other challenges. Missionaries in both our Africa and Asia fields have been disheartened when their proclamation of the gospel and their ministries seem to bear little lasting fruit. And yet...there is much to praise God for: Our partners in Chad (Chadian and Taiwanese) continue to faithfully persevere with the work even in the absence of their American colleagues. The Word of God and the testimony of the gospel continues to go forth through the multifaced ministry platforms in both Africa and Asia, (schools, water-well ministry, The Joseph Project, Christian concerts, Children's Day camps, English classes, Hiking clubs, game nights, Storying ministries, relief work), and the relational testimony of our missionaries that accompany these. New believers are coming to faith and being discipled. Others are seeking after truth and asking questions. Praise God indeed!

There is great peace and anticipation for the coming year and what God will continue to do.

To read more about the LBIM and how God has been at work using this ministry organization please take the time to read the letter from the Director of LBIM found on the Mission board by the coffee station.

Service Details

Scripture Texts

This Sunday

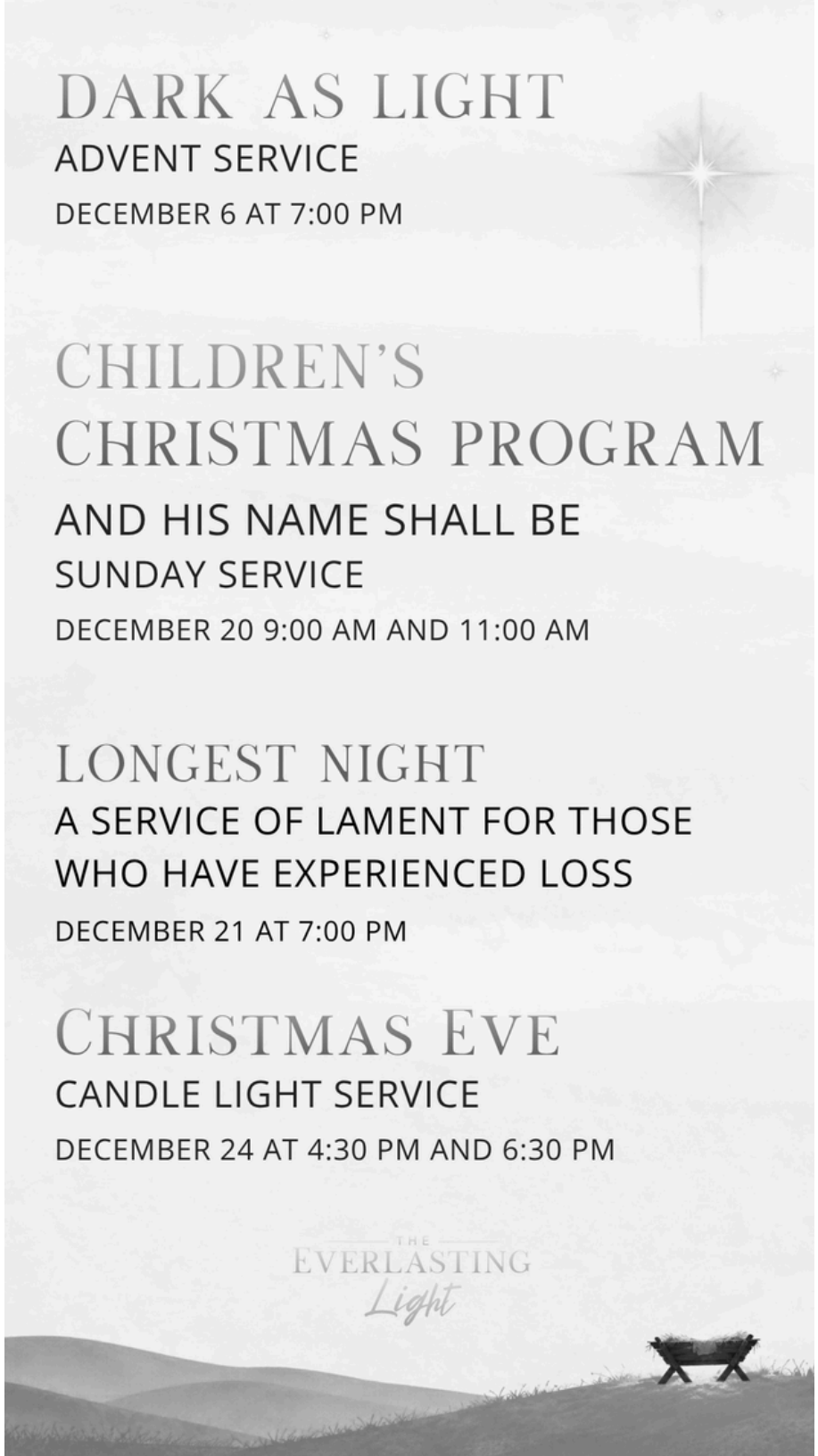
Psalm 27:1-6 John 1:1-9 Isaiah 60:1-9

First Sunday of Advent Prayer Buddies: no Sunday School

Next Sunday

Psalm 98 Luke 1:46-55 Isaiah 60:1-9

Second Sunday of Advent



Announcements and upcoming events

Advent Services

If you would like to invite a neighbor or friend to any of our Advent special services there are invitations in the foyer by the main entrance.





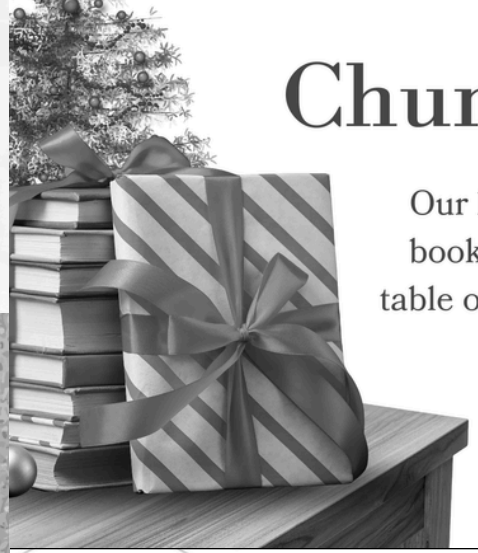
check out the bulletin board for opportunities and events.

Dark as Light

EVENING SERVICE

DECEMBER 6 AT 7:00 PM

NEXT WEEK



Church Library

Our library is very full! Christmas books are out. But we also have a table of FREE books for you to keep. These books are found in the entry way. Please take them, keep them, give them away for Christmas gifts.

Resurrection workBEE

Friday, December 4
1:00 - 3:00 pm

Volunteers Needed
Come help with washing down chairs
Coffee fellowship to follow.

LOVE OFFERING



G. FAMILY



E. FAMILY



SHALAYNE



WANDA

During the season of Advent we will be collecting donations for each of these members of the congregation that serve in other ministries. If you would like to give a love offering please mark your envelopes under special giving "Love Offering". If you would like to specify which ministry member, please add thier name as well, otherwise the donations are divided. Please note Love Offering gifts are not issued a tax-deductible receipt.

Financial Update

General Fund - November 2026

	Annual Budget	Actual	48 Wks Budget	(Under) Over
Revenue Receipts	589,628	507,215	512,594	(14,379)
Operating Expenses and Debit Repayment	540,628	421,890	478,248	(56,358)
Mission Giving	49,000	59,505	43,346	16,159
Ballance	-	25,820	-	25,820

Upcoming Dates