

THE JOTTINGS



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December 2021

Rooted In the Living Word

SUNDAYS

WORSHIP IN PERSON **9:30 am**
Growing in Faith Sunday School
following Divine Service
LIVING IN FAITH BIBLE STUDY **11:00 am**



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TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY
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SCRIPTURES FOR WORSHIP

December 5: Malachi 3:1-7b, Philippians 1:2-11, Luke 3:1-20
December 12: Zephaniah 3:14-20, Philippians 4:4-7, Luke 7:18-28
December 19: Micah 5:2-5a, Hebrews 10:5-10, Luke 1:39-45
December 26: Exodus 13:1-3a, 11-15, Colossians 3:12-17, Luke 2:22-40

PASTOR'S MESSAGE

Walking Together:
God's Word to You

Last week, in *Faith Bites*, we looked at the prayer said in the liturgy before the reading of the Scriptures. This week, in *Jottings*, we look at the readings themselves. When we think about it, this prayer followed by the Scripture readings forms a conversation: a conversation between us and God.

God begins this conversation with us when He calls us to the Divine Service through the invocation of His name: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We respond to this call from God by confessing our sins, receiving His forgiveness, and then calling on Him in prayer. God then speaks to us, through the Words of Scripture, inspired by Him and written down through human authors.

This is a striking concept, especially in our day, that God would speak to us humans through the Bible. Many today are "spiritual not religious," and as such, they look for God in nature, through events of daily life, and maybe even through spiritual exercises. This is not to say that such folks are bad people or that God is not present in nature or experience. Yet, we cannot hear God's voice clearly in nature, history, or the events of our everyday lives.

At best, we can make guesses about what God might be saying to us through His creation or through something that happens to us. We cannot, however, get a right view of God in this way. When we try to grasp the divine through nature or experience, we will always end up with a skewed view of the Almighty. We may even end up with a false god of our own making, an idol. To have a right view of God, to grasp God as He wants to be found, we must open our ears when He speaks to us.

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God speaks to us clearly in the Scriptures. In the Bible, our God comes to us and He speaks His Law, which shows His will and our sin. Then, God comes to us and speaks His Gospel, which forgives us and gives us eternal life through Christ Jesus, our Lord. Nowhere else will we hear God speaking to us this way, telling us what He has done for us. Nowhere other than His Word does our God tell us how He has become a human for us, was born of the Virgin Mary for us, was crucified and raised again for us, and will return for us and raise us to life forever with Him.

We won't hear this story anywhere else, only through the Word of God. That's why the German pastor and theologian Dietrich Bonhoeffer said that we should hear the Bible as if it is spoken by God directly to us—because it is! When you come to God's house and hear His Word, that is exactly what happens; God speaks to you directly. God tells you that He loves you, that He came as a baby in a manger for you, that He died and was raised for you, and that He is coming back for you. It's the best thing we'll ever hear.

Your Pastor,
Joshua Miller

¹ Martin Doblmeier, *Bonhoeffer*, a documentary film (First Run Features: 2003), remembrance of a 1933 lecture in Berlin by student Inge Sebrisky.



*Your Word is a lamp to my feet
and a light to my path.*

Psalm 119:105

GOD SHOWS UP: ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS 2021

In the 1990 film, *Europa Europa*—the story of a Jewish teenager who masquerades at times both as a communist and Nazi to escape the Holocaust—there is a striking scene where an atheist demands that God show up. The atheist is a Marxist commissar who is berating Catholic students for believing in God. The commissar stages a mock trial and summons God to show up as a witness, telling the youths to pray to God, so that He can show up and prove He exists.

Maybe you have felt something similar, though not with the animosity with which the Marxist commissar did. Maybe you have wondered or even said, “Why doesn’t God show up?” Maybe you look at all the mess in our world today or at the troubles in your own life and you wonder, “Why doesn’t God show up?” The almighty Triune God is not some spirit who can be conjured up at the will and whims of humans. Nevertheless, God does show up; He just doesn’t show in the way that humans expect or demand. When God shows up, He does so in His own ways and in His own time.

This year for Advent and Christmas at Jehovah Lutheran, we will gather together and hear from God’s Word just how it is that He does show up. We will focus on the theme “God Shows Up” both in our Sunday celebrations of the Divine Service and our midweek gatherings on the first three Wednesdays of Advent. We will hear how it is that God shows up, and indeed we will be witnesses together of God actually showing up!

Below are the specific aspects of God’s showing up that we will hear this Advent and Christmas season. We will gather on Sunday mornings at 9:30am for Divine Service. As we transition into using the *Lutheran Service Book*, we will continue using a form of the liturgy that we have used in the past Church year through the Advent season (Setting 2). Then we will move to using another setting with which we are familiar during Christmas and Epiphany (Setting 1). In addition to these Sunday services, we also will hold two midweek Advent services during the first three weeks of Advent. We will hold these services of the Word on Wednesdays at 11am and 6:30pm. At the 11am service, we will use the order for Matins, and at the 6:30pm service, we will use the order for Vespers. These simple but beautiful orders are very similar to one another and enfold our hearing of God’s Word in services of prayer to our God who shows up for us.

At these services, we will hear some familiar accounts of how God showed up for His people in the Old Testament. We also will hear from the Gospel writers Luke and John about how God has shown up in the first coming of Jesus Christ as a baby for our salvation and promises to show up again in the second coming of Christ for the renewal of all creation. Moreover, we will actually experience God showing up as well, as our Lord Jesus comes to us in the present through His Word and in His blessed sacrament. I pray that our Lord will draw you to Himself during the coming month and bring you to the services of God’s house where, indeed, He does show up for you.

In Christ,

Your Pastor, Joshua Miller

ADVENT SCHEDULE AT JEHOVAH

“God Shows Up”

Advent Midweek, 2021 (11 am and 6:30pm)

Wednesday, December 1 – “God Shows Up with Light” (Genesis 1:1-3 and John 1:1-5)

Wednesday, December 8 – “God Shows Up on the Stairway” (Genesis 28:10-22 and John 1:35-51)

Wednesday, December 15 – “God Shows Up and Tells Us His Name” (Exodus 3:1-15 and John 8:31-59)

“God Shows Up”

Advent Sundays, 2021 (9:30am)

1st Sunday in Advent (11/28)– Watching for God to Show Up (Luke 21:25-36)

2nd Sunday in Advent (12/05) – Getting Ready for God to Show Up (Luke 3:1-20)

3rd Sunday in Advent (12/12) – What Happens when God Shows Up (Luke 7:18-35)

4th Sunday in Advent (12/19) – How God Shows Up (Luke 1:39-56)

God Shows Up”

Christmas, 2021

Christmas Eve - Lessons and Carols (4:30pm) – God Shows Up in a Stable (Luke 2:1-20)

Christmas Day with Holy Communion (9:30am) – God Shows Up in the Flesh (Exodus 40:1-38 and John 1:1-18)

1st Sunday after Christmas – God Shows Up for Everyone (Luke 2:22-40)



PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Sunday, December 5:

Malachi 3:1-7b,

Malachi announces the coming of the messenger of the covenant who will purify the people in preparation for the sudden appearance of the Lord.

Philippians 1:2-11

Paul gives thanks for the Philippians' partnership in the gospel and prays that their love may abound and that they may be pure and blameless until the day of Jesus Christ.

Luke 3:1-20

John came preaching a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, echoing Isaiah's call to make the way straight to God's coming with salvation.

Sunday, December 12

Zephaniah 3:14-20

The prophet promises restoration to Jerusalem following judgment for their sin. Zion may sing and rejoice for "the Lord your God is with you, he is mighty to save."

Philippians 4:4-7

"The Lord is near," Paul writes, so live rejoicing, not anxious about anything, presenting your requests to God with thanksgiving - and the peace of God will guard your hearts in Christ Jesus.

Luke 7:18-28

The Baptist warns of judgment and calls for the fruit of repentance, for radical generosity and faithfulness in vocations, and points to the one coming who is more powerful than he.



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PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Sunday, December 19

Micah 5:2-5a

The prophet announces the coming of a shepherd king in the line of David who will rule Israel. He will be their peace and “his greatness will reach to the ends of the earth.”

Hebrews 10:5-10

“When Christ came into the world,” he set aside sacrifices and offerings and rather made God’s people holy through the sacrifice of his body, once for all.

Luke 1:39-45

By the Holy Spirit, Elizabeth knows that the babe, John, leaps in her womb upon recognizing his Lord, Jesus, in the womb of Mary. Mary’s song then rejoices in God’s fulfillment of promise.

December 26:

Exodus 13:1-3a-11-15

Moses gives the covenant of circumcision.

Colossians 3:12-17

Paul exhorts the Colossians as God’s chosen people to “clothe yourselves” with all the virtues of the new life in Christ, forgiving one another, doing everything in the name of the Lord, Jesus.

Luke 2:22-40

Jesus is attested as the Messiah by Anna and Simeon when his parents bring him to be dedicated at the temple.



JEHOVAH SERVICE AND EDUCATION SCHEDULE



9:30am Divine Service

Sundays in the Sanctuary

Invite a friend and join us
for a year of connecting and Walking Together

Living by Faith

11:00am on Sundays

Ages 14 - 100+

Join us in person in the lounge

Contact Pastor Miller with questions
at 612-600-3514 or pastorjoshuamiller@gmail.com



Growing in Faith

Ages Birth - 13 years

Gather with us weekly in the nursery after the Divine Service.

Parents are welcome to stay with their children.

Dear Friends,

As we come into the Advent and Christmas seasons, we meditate on the greatest gift of all time: God's gift of Himself in the flesh to us for our salvation. At the same time, we naturally associate these seasons with the giving and receiving of gifts among friends and family. We give to others because God has first given to us.

We want to take this opportunity to thank you for giving to the work of God at Jehovah Lutheran. Thank you for your faithful stewardship of God's resources and your promises of financial support for our congregation in 2022. Our parish is blessed with generous members who show their gratitude to God through giving back to their congregation and their community.

If you have not yet returned your completed promise card to the office, you may still do so by mail or in-person, or by dropping the completed card in the envelope we provided into the offering basket on a Sunday morning. These are promises you make personally to the Lord, and as such, they are kept confidential by those who serve our congregation in financial capacities. You may also return your completed time and talent sheet to the office if you wish to give your time and your abilities to serve others in our congregation in the coming year. There are many ways in which you can do this from reading God's Word in worship to helping in Sunday school to welcoming those with questions about the Christian faith. If you have any questions about the time and talent sheet, feel free to contact Pastor Miller.

If you are looking for a tangible way to help others during this season in which we celebrate the coming of our Lord Jesus, there are opportunities available. One way is through giving one of the gifts requested for at-risk youth and their families who are served by Lutheran Social Services at Rezek House. Another way is through giving socks to the New Freedom Store to be distributed to men and women returning from incarceration, to Afghan refugees, and to the homeless.

As we celebrate this season of giving, we do so knowing that our gifts are a response and sign of the greatest Gift from the greatest Giver.

May our Lord's peace and love fill your hearts and lives this Advent and Christmas.

Yours in Christ,
Pastor Joshua Miller,
Daniel Miller,
and Marge Avoles



IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Donna Ostenson Kiefert
 Bernice Demulling (hospitalized)
 Rita Galston
 Paul Finegan
 George Mendoza
 Sandy Quenzer
 Tom Kelly
 Tim Robinson
 Patrick Carey
 Wesley Pagel
 Shirley Starner, and her son-in-law Greg Beaudoin
 Jim Kinsel
 Lynne Baerthel and her family
 Marge Maule
 Mark Kolar
 Marlyss Wolf (recovering from fall)
 Shirley Dorow (hospice)
 Jeannie Edwards (cousin of Pastor Miller)
 Joyce and Susan Boettcher (stepmother and cousin of Elizabeth Wegner)
 Martha Koepke (aunt of Ali Hequet)



*Let my prayer
 rise before you as incense.
 Psalm 141:2a*

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IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Those suffering or recovering from COVID-19, including Nick Macias (former coworker of Pastor Miller), Brian Fishback, and Pastor Juls and Nel Clausen (pastor Clausen was the interim principal at King of Kings), and for wise use of the vaccines.

Safety and good health for all students, teachers and staff at schools, including those from this congregation.

For the families suffering with loss and trauma in the wake of the shooting at Oxford High School in Michigan.

For strength to speak out for and protect the lives of the unborn our God has created and compassionate care of all that He has made. For the support of all mothers of young children who are in need.

For the refugees who have fled for refuge from Afghanistan to North America.

For better stewardship of God's creation and strengthening of those whose professional vocation it is to care for the earth.

For President Biden and Vice President Harris as they serve our nation.

For Governor Walz and all in leadership in our state.

Mayor Carter and all in city government.

For our Synodical President Matthew Harrison, our District President Lucas Woodford as they lead us, and for our Circuit Visitor, Steven Bielenberg.

For our congregation as we follow our outreach roadmap, *Walking Together*.

For the Mekane Yesus congregation as they call a new pastor.

*Pray
without
ceasing*

Special Weekly Prayers:

As we pray for each member and family in our congregation by name, this week we pray for Lynne Phillipi.

Note: we are currently praying for two members or families from Jehovah Lutheran each week. The order for these prayers is alphabetical. In addition to our public prayers, our pastor and board of Lay Ministry are praying individually for these members and families each week. Special prayer requests are encouraged any time and may be given to Pastor Miller via phone or email.



THE LUTHERAN CHURCH—MISSOURI SYNOD

Pray For Us Calendar

ADVENT: THE SECOND COMING — DECEMBER 1-15

Advent means coming. We anticipate the promised return of Christ as the judge of the world. We look with hope to the day of the resurrection of all flesh, when those who believe in Christ will rise to everlasting life.

The Church waits for the Second Coming in repentance, hope and faith. For the following, we pray "Lord, have mercy."

1. For hearts that imitate the generosity and graciousness of Jesus: Pray that God's people would be eager to show forth the love of God through their good works for their neighbor.
2. That the Lord would preserve His Word and Sacraments in our midst; so that we may be kept strong in the one, true faith until Christ's return.
3. That the people of God would be faithful in their attendance of the Divine Service, where God

strengthens our faith toward Him and our steadfast love for one another.

4. That all people would fear God and find hope in His gracious forgiveness through Christ.

5. For all who do not believe in Jesus, that they might hear the Gospel and believe.

6. For all Christians, that we might repent of our sins and prepare for Christ's return.

7. For steadfast faith as the world writhes and groans in anticipation of the day of judgment.

8. For the ministers of the Word, that they would be faithful to their calling.

9. For the Church's missionaries, that through them the Word would go forth into the world with power.

10. For our government, that we might live peaceable and quiet lives.

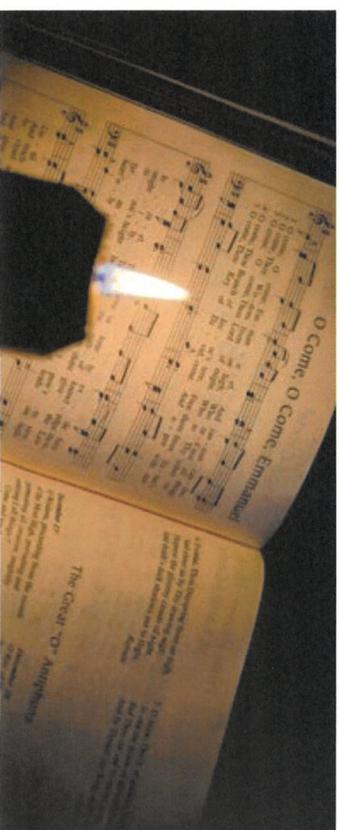
11. For parents, that they would see their role in raising children as a holy calling from God in these last days.

12. For patience, as we wait for Christ's coming, that we might believe God is not slow in keeping promises, but patient.

13. For those who mourn the loss of loved ones, that the promise of the resurrection may be their hope.

14. For those who are dying, that they may entrust their whole lives unto God who keeps them.

15. For the coming of Christ. Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.



DECEMBER *Pray For Us Calendar*

ADVENT: THE INCARNATION — DECEMBER 16-31

During Advent we rejoice that God sent His Son to be the redeemer of the world. We gather with all Christians to celebrate this gracious gift from our heavenly Father. We trust in Christ alone as our Savior.

The Church gathers to thank God and ask for faith to trust in His gift of a Savior. For the following, we pray "Lord, have mercy."

- 16.** For faithful reading of Old Testament, that all who read may see Jesus as the promised Savior.
- 17.** For opportunities to proclaim the Gospel in this season. When the world is open to hearing the story of Christmas, may we be unshamed in our witness.
- 18.** That all Christians might see the needs of their neighbor and love with the love of Christ.
- 19.** For those who only attend worship at Christmas, that the Spirit would work faith through the hearing of the Word.
- 20.** That we may believe the truth of the two natures of Christ.
- 21.** For St. Thomas, apostle. That with him we might believe and confess that Jesus is Lord and God.
- 22.** For faithful readings of the New Testament. That all the words of the apostles and evangelists may result in faith in Jesus Christ, the Son of God.
- 23.** For pastors who serve as Christ's under-shepherds in our midst. That they might proclaim the truth of the Good News of Christmas.
- 24.** Rejoice that Jesus is Immanuel. God is with us to save us.
- 25.** Rejoice in the incarnation of Jesus Christ. The Word became flesh and dwelt among us. We have seen His glory — glory as the only-begotten of God.
- 26.** Thank God for St. Stephen, the first Christian



- Martyr. That we might also serve God with our lives — thoughts, words and deeds.
- 27.** That God would grant us faith to believe that He comes to us in the Means of Grace.
- 28.** For all those who face depression and desperation at this time of year. That God's gift of love in Christ would gladden their hearts.
- 29.** For all those who travel. That God would grant them safety.
- 30.** That all would know and believe in the suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus for the world's salvation.
- 31.** That the Lord would abundantly bless the efforts of the LCMS and its partners in the coming years. That the Gospel is the primary focus of all that is done and proclaimed.

Congregations and individuals are invited to copy these pages for newsletters or other distribution. Download at lcms.org/prayforus or call 888-843-5267 to request a copy.



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★HAPPY★
BIRTHDAY!

*The Lord bless you
and keep you;
the Lord make his face
shine on you
and be gracious to you;
the Lord turn his face
toward you
and give you peace.
Numbers 6: 24-26*

JOIN US FOR OUR FRIENDLY FRIDAY CALL - IN CHAT



We chat at **11:10am each Friday**. All you need is your phone. Dial: 978-990-5000. If you are using a land line please dial 1 and then the number. When prompted enter the JELC code:

796345#

After the beep just say hello and your name. We can visit about how our days are going, silver linings, concerns, etc. We will also have a short devotion and prayer.

Join us on Fridays at 11:10am

*Therefore encourage one another and build each other up,
as indeed you are doing.
1 Thessalonians 5:11*



Join us for Bible Study at 1:00pm
the first Thursday of each month
Open to everyone.

Our curriculum comes from the Winter Quarterly

If you have questions or would like more information,
contact Pastor Miller.

No meeting in December

NOTE ON COVID MITIGATION AT JEHOVAH LUTHERAN

During this time of uncertainty with the new omicron variant of COVID-19, we continue to ask our Lord's deliverance from this pestilence, and we continue good practices for mitigating the spread of COVID-19. Our leaders advise that lockdowns are not necessary, but continued vigilance and good mitigation practices are. The CDC recommends that the best strategy for preventing infection with COVID-19 is what is known as "layered mitigation."

Layered mitigation means being vaccinated, getting recommended booster shots, masking in public places, and staying home and getting tested for COVID-19 if you feel sick. We urge all of God's people at Jehovah Lutheran to follow this wise counsel.

In our building at Jehovah Lutheran, we require universal masking. That means anyone who is in the building and is together with someone outside their immediate family should wear a mask. Thank you for your participation in using this simple but effective tool for combating the spread of COVID-19 and its variants.

We pray for the day when masking is no longer necessary. We pray for the end of this pandemic. "In the meantime, we will continue to worship our Lord together, and we will continue to show our love and care for one another by wearing our masks."

Yours in Christ,
Pastor Joshua Miller and the board of Lay Ministry



In compliance with the recommendations of the U.S. Center for Disease Control and the Minnesota Department of Health, face masks must be worn inside the facilities of Jehovah Lutheran Church anytime you are with another person who is not in your immediate household. This includes worship services, all board meetings, Bible studies, working, and volunteering. A facemask must completely cover the mouth and nose. If you do not have a facemask, we are happy to give you one.

Please help us continue to keep our facilities open, our worship services in-person, and our neighbors safe.

Carols in the Midway



Saturday, December 11

6:00 pm

In the church parking lot

Come sing Christmas carols with us!

Dress warmly and join your friends at Jehovah Lutheran on Saturday, December 11, at 6:00pm, for outdoor caroling in the church parking lot. We will sing Christmas carols, drink some hot beverages, and shine the light of Christ in the darkness of the winter's night.

For questions, contact Pastor Miller: pastorjoshuamiller@gmail.com

EARTH CARE

“THE EARTH IS THE LORD’S ...” PSALM 24:1

This column intends to highlight ways to care for God’s creation.
Maynard and Shirley Dorow pursue Earth care issues and welcome your feedback.



Food is the central issue of our time (and of all times). So say the authorities around the world (and the Authority over all: “I was hungry and you gave me something to eat,” Matt. 25:35).

Food underlies our concern with environment, ecology, and energy.

“It is necessary to cultivate a public conscience that considers food and water as universal rights of all human beings...” (Benedict XVI, Charity and Truth)

“The ecological crisis is at least as morally urgent as the civil rights movement – maybe even more so since this test is timed.” (Bill McKibben, The Christian Century)

“If our attack on the food issue is to have any teeth, it has to affect our style of eating.” (M. Dorow)

Our present style of eating is unsustainable because our present ways of agriculture are not sustainable.

Livestock is responsible for 18 percent of greenhouse gas emissions – more than transport. Growing corn, soybeans, and hay for livestock feed uses up about half of all U.S. fertilizer. Industrial agriculture has made our food supply entirely dependent on fossil fuels.

Who is responsible? The U.N.? World leaders? All of us? Yes.

“God gives His human creatures special responsibility. In one narrative He gives the commission to ‘subdue’ and ‘rule’ over the earth (Gen. 1:28). In another, He places Adam in the garden to ‘work and keep’ the earth (Gen. 2:15).” (Charles P. Arand, *Lutheran Witness*, April 2009)

What can we do?

1. **Buy less, waste less.**
2. **Avoid air-freighted and hothouse-grown foods.**
3. **Eat less meat.**

Learn more...at www.eatlowcarbon.org.

Listen to one another. Encourage one another (1 Thess. 5:11).

A special note:

This is the final column from the Dorows.

They thank you for sharing their passion for God’s loving care for creation over the past two years in the *Jottings*.

KEYSTONE COMMUNITY SERVICES



I want to say thank you for all of the ways you help our community. Your support of Keystone sincerely makes a tremendous difference, and we are grateful beyond words for your kindness and generosity.

At this time when so many more people are in need and looking for support, you continue to be there for your neighbors! You make it possible to provide support and connection to more than 40,000 people in our community.

THANK YOU from all of us at Keystone Community Services!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mary".

Mary McKeown
President/CEO
Keystone Community Services

THE NEW FREEDOM STORE PACKING PARTY!

We packed up 157 backpacks today and all of those lovely winter coats. Every recipient got a pair of gloves, a hat, and at least one pair of socks. A special thanks to Shawn Davis, Marc Hequet, Don Ullman, Jim McClusky, and Rosie Braun. Our next Packing Party is:

Tuesday, December 7
10:30am in the Fellowship Hall

Jehovah is collecting socks during Advent and Christmas in the Narthex until December 25. These are for the needy served by the New Freedom Store (returning Christians, homeless, and Afghan refugees.) Bring them when you come to the packing party, or drop them off in the narthex. Contact Jim Seemann at seemann@csp.edu if you have questions.

MAIN STREET LIVING | SUNDAYS 9:00 – 10:00am | WFTC CHANNEL 29/9-2



Main Street Living is an LCMS program that features pastors from the WFTC, channel 29/9-2, viewer area. The first half hour is a reproduction of *This is the Life*. The second half hour is a modified Lutheran worship service, which is produced locally. Program information for December is not available at this time. To watch, go to mainstreetliving.com and select the "Twin Cities" tab.



ACTIVITY CALENDAR

December 2021



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