

THE HERALD

January 2025

Beloved Siblings of Christ,

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! There's something about entering a new year where everything feels so fresh and malleable, like we ourselves are a new ball of clay, ready to be shaped in any fashion. Whether you are someone who does New Years Resolutions, you prefer to follow Star Words, or you do something else (or nothing!) entirely, there is an endless road of possibilities that God has laid out before you. I look forward to seeing where we go together!

This month, I will begin my DMin studies by heading to Ghost Ranch in New Mexico. I will be taking a seminar on Creativity and Imagination; this class will focus on wonder, creativity, and hope as liberatory forms of Christian spiritual discipline and practice. I'm excited to share more about what that means when I get back!

I hope your holidays were full of joy and thanksgiving, family and friends, peace and rest! May those blessings continue to enrich your life as we continue throughout the year.

Blessings,
Pastor Erica

P.S.: This last month, I have been working on crocheting a blanket. I will get you all a picture when it's finished but for now, please enjoy this picture of Ollie taking over the work in progress after I had stepped away to do some chores.



JANUARY BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

05 – Alexis Hunzeker
07 – Isaiah Guillatt
08 – Amanda Miller
10 – Karen Griffin Sieber
12 – Missy Bahr
14 – Barbara Crawford
17 – Patty Doering
19 – Randy Smith
20 – James Robertson
22 – Jane Bitney
22 – Elisabeth Wahlgren
23 – Patty Wahlgren
27 – Phyllis Foreman
28 – Sharon Wells



HERITAGE BIRTHDAY CLUB



Anyone may join or renew their membership in Heritage's Birthday Club. Donations (usually 1 dollar per year of life) are made to our endowment fund.

thank you

A special THANK YOU to Patty Wahlgren for playing organ & piano on Sunday mornings until we are able to permanently fill the position.



CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

A thank you to everyone that donated gifts/money this year to the family selected for our giving tree! You helped spread the joy of Christmas with others in our community.



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	31	1	2	3 10:00 AM Al-Anon Boy Scouts	4
5 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship	6 Girl Scouts 20306	7	8 7:00 PM Choir	9 Boy Scouts	10 10:00 AM Al-Anon Boy Scouts	11 Lincoln Association of the Deaf
f12 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship	13	14	15 7:00 PM Choir	16 Boy Scouts	17 10:00 AM Al-Anon Boy Scouts	18
19 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship	20 Girl Scouts 20306	21	22 7:00 PM Choir	23 Boy Scouts	24 10:00 AM Al-Anon Boy Scouts	25
26 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship	27	28	29 7:00 PM Choir	30	31 10:00 AM Al-Anon	1

Please refer to the online calendar for updated/changed events.



Thank you to everyone that purchased a poinsettia to decorate our sanctuary during the Christmas season!

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