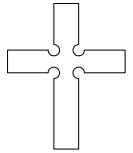


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The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

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Opportunities for Worship and Service at Elm Grove Evangelical Lutheran Church

S-	8:00 SERVICE (Service of Prayer & Preaching)		Th-	6:30 Men's Bible Class	Rm. 228
	9:30 Sunday School & Bible Class			9:30 Bread & Fish Folding	FH
	10:45 SERVICE-C (LSB DS2)			9:30 Library Committee	FL
	12:00 EGLS Open House and Movie Viewing			4:45 Youth Confirmation Class	Rm. 228
	7:30 AA Mtg.	CLC	F-	EGLS High Interest Day	
M-	10:00 Knit 1/Crochet 2	BAAC	S-	4:00 Individual Confession/Absolution	CN
	5:30 Bd. of Finance	FL		5:30 SERVICE-C (LSB DS4)	
	6:00 Intrada Ringers	BR		6:30 Chinese Fellowship	
	6:30 Bd. of Trustees	Rm. 234			
Tu-	10:00 Women's Bible Class	BAAC			
	5:45 Exultate Ringers	BR			
	7:00 Bd. of Elders	Rm. 228			
W-	8:15 CHAPEL				
	10:00 Women's Bible Class	Rm. 228			
	1:00 Sheepshead Players	BAAC			
	6:30 7:00 Exultate Singers	MC			

Location Symbols
 BAAC – Bartelt Adult Activities Center
 BR – Bell Room FH – Fellowship Hall
 CLC – Christian Life Center
 CL – Church Lounge CN – Church Nave
 FL – Friendship Library MC – Music Center
 WFH – West Fellowship Hall YC – Youth Center

Matt. 21:3 – “If anyone says anything to you, you shall say, ‘The Lord needs them,’ and he will send them at once.” Just a colt and her foal. How significant could they be? Could they really be used by the Lord for some great, heavenly purpose? This is one facet of stewardship we often forget: it is a blessing *to us* to be of service in the Lord’s kingdom. What honor the Lord bestows upon us by using our gifts for His goals!

HOSPITALIZED: No known hospitalized.

IN THE LORD’S HOUSE 247 attended services last weekend. “*Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!*”

2019 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS: The 2019 contribution statements were mailed out on Monday, Jan 20. If you need a more itemized statement please contact the church office.

CALL COMMITTEE UPDATE: A survey and Call Committee information were put into your mailboxes last weekend. Your input is greatly appreciated.

KNIT 1, CROCHET 2: Are you a knitter or do you like to crochet? We knit for those in need or on our own projects. Come with suggestions of places or people who have a need for knit items. We will meet in the BAAC on Monday, January 27, from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Questions? Luanne Schaefer (262-784-3106)

EGL BUCKS GAME: We have reserved 50 tickets for the Friday, March 27, 7:30 p.m. game against the Washington Wizards. Tickets are \$43 per person. Order deadline is Feb 21. For more information see the flyer in the tract rack area.

EGLS TO CELEBRATE NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK – Jan 26-31: Many special events are scheduled for the week to which EVERYONE is invited! Watch for more details on the week’s upcoming activities.

TODAY, Sunday, Jan 26

- School children will be singing in both Sunday services.
- 12:00-1:00 p.m. All are invited to a potluck lunch in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a dish to pass.
- 1:00-3:30 p.m. The Bd. of Christian Education and the Bd. of Elders will be hosting the viewing of the movie, “Screenagers”, with a discussion to follow. The movie is designed for ages 10 and up. All children must have an adult with them.
- 1:00-2:00 p.m. “Sunday School Hour”. All younger children (with a parent/adult) are invited to the gym for Bible stories, songs, and activities.
- 2:00-4:30 p.m. EGLS will host an Open House Adventure which is open to the public. Activities will take place in every classroom. Come and meet the teachers and fill your “passport” by stopping in each classroom to win a prize.

We hope to see you there.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Anyone looking to donate the altar flowers in the coming months is asked to call the church office. There are a number of available weekends. Cost is \$35. Thank you.

LWML: The morning group of LWML will meet on Wednesday, February 5, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. in the BAAC. "Beautiful Savior" is the Bible study, which is found on pages 16-17 of the winter issue of *Lutheran Woman's Quarterly*. Jesus is our Beautiful Savior for all that He has done for us and still does for us every day of our lives. We praise the Lord for His grace and mercy.

KFUO RADIO is a media ministry extension of LCMS congregations, which shares Christ for you anytime, anywhere on KFuo.org via worship services, Bible and theology studies, practical talk programs, and sacred music. You can find programs on demand at kfuo.org and wherever you get your podcasts! Find us on social: @KFUOradio on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/kfuo), [Twitter](https://twitter.com/kfuo), and [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com/kfuo).

COLLEGE STUDENTS: Please supply the church office with their mailing address and we will send them the monthly Seasons. Also, if you have a former "church buddy" who is now a college student, you might also consider reaching out to them now, as you did then, to encourage them in their studies and faith.

EGLS PRAYER CHAIN: The prayer chain at EGL is a group of "prayer warriors" who receive prayer requests either by email or phone. The prayer requests received are from EGL members, friends, relatives, or others who are asking for this team to pray for them. We offer prayers of: thanksgiving, comfort, praise, strength, peace, blessings, wisdom, and healing. If you wish to become a part of this great effort, please contact Mindy Aldinger at prayerchain@egl.org or [414-698-8774](tel:414-698-8774)

CHURCH NURSERY USAGE: We have been blessed with a beautiful play area for children who need a quiet place during the church services. PLEASE make sure that if you use the nursery you clean up the toys. Thank you!

UPDATED PHONE NUMBERS: Many parishioners have "dropped their land line" in their homes. Please alert the church office of any changes to your phone number, address, or email. Thank you.

PLEASE CHECK YOUR MAILBOXES either before or after services.

PLEASE LET US KNOW! As your church family, we want to make sure all your needs are being met as well as being able to pray for you. If you or a family member is in the hospital, please let the Pastors, the Parish Nurse, or the church office know. Unfortunately, hospitals no longer contact the churches to let us know when our members may be hospitalized.

Financial Update – January 12, 2020

We thank and praise our Lord for His many blessings and pray for faithfulness from each steward of His gifts.

Offerings received thru Jan. Jan 12	493,087
Offerings anticipated thru Jan 12	530,313

PLEASE PRAY FOR and remember these members of EGL who are confined to bed or to their homes. They would surely also appreciate a visit from friends. Addresses and telephone #'s are in the church directory.

Marie Herzberg	Walter Joers
Inge Klammer	Carmen Klug

Remember those serving in the Armed Forces:

Rebecca Butler – Hawaii
Jack Butler (Burhop son-in-law) – Hawaii
Alex Ohde – USS Key West, Guam
Joshua Tesch – Shaw Air Force Base

SERVICE SCHEDULE

Saturday, February 1, 2020 – 5:30 p.m.-C (LSB DS4)

Sunday, February 2, 2020 – 8:00 a.m.-C (LSB DS4) & 10:45 a.m. (Matins)

"You Enter the Kingdom of God by Blessing Alone" [Matthew 5:1-12] – Pastor Skovgaard, Preacher