

ELM GROVE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
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Fourth Sunday in Advent
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Elm Grove Evangelical Lutheran Church Calendar

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| <p>S 9:00 a.m. Worship (DS2)
 10:30 a.m. Sunday School/Bible Study (Concord)
 12:00 p.m. Gym Rental
 7:00 p.m. AA Mtg (FH)</p> <p>M 4:30 p.m. Exultate Ringers and Singers and Intrada Ringers (Church)</p> <p>T 7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study (Romans) (228)
 10:00 a.m. Women's Study (Romans) (BAAC)</p> | <p>5:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Worship
 8:00 p.m. Christmas Eve Worship</p> <p>W Office Closed
 10:00 a.m. Christmas Day Worship ©</p> <p>T Office Closed</p> |
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IN THE LORD'S HOUSE: There were **176** people that attended services last week in person and **64** households streamed the services for a total of **240**. "And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers."

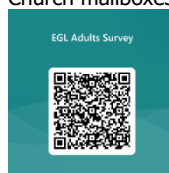
CHRISTMAS DAY OFFERINGS collected are designated to support a Place of Refuge. This mission is helping women choose life for their babies and is guiding them toward a life in Christ. Please be generous in your support of this wonderful mission outreach.

EGL YOUTH BAKE SALE: EGL Youth Ministry is holding a bake sale this Sunday (December 22) after church in the Friendship Library. Stop by to pick up some sweets and baked goods. All proceeds will support the participants attending the LCMS Youth Gathering in July 2025.

LWML RETREAT: If you are planning to attend the LWML SWD Winter Getaway, please note that the deadline for reserving rooms at the Cranberry Country Lodge for the LWML room rate is December 31, and the deadline for registering for this retreat is January 17. Check the LWML bulletin board in the lower entrance of the church for details.

ADULT SURVEY: The Elders are requesting that adults in our congregation complete a survey. You may complete the survey by following the QR code below or there are hard copies in the back of Church. Please

complete them and put them in the red mailbox near the Church mailboxes. Thank you very much for your time!



GROW IN GOD'S WORD IN 2025 – Join an EGL Bible Study!

Day & Time	Location	Topic	Open To	Pastor Leader
Sun 10:30-11:30	Sanctuary	Formula of Concord	All	Skovgaard
Tues 7-8 a.m.	Rm 228	Romans	Men	Skovgaard
Tues 10-11 a.m.	BAAC	Romans	Women	Hipenbecker
Wed 10-11 a.m. (except 1 st Wed. of Month)	BAAC	Acts	All	Skovgaard

ALSO CALLING ALL HOME BIBLE STUDY GROUPS: If you are willing to invite new members, contact the BOCE so we can promote it and encourage EVERYONE in our EGL family to "let the Word of Christ dwell in ypu richly" (Co.. 3:16) in 2025!

This Advent Season the Sunday sermons will focus on the Old Testament Prophets while the Midweek sermons will focus on the "I Am" statements of Jesus.		
December 24, 5:00 & 8:00 p.m.	Christmas Eve	"I Am the Way, the Truth, and the Life" (John 14:6)
December 25, 10:00 a.m.	Christmas Day	"The Piling Up of Goodness and Mercy" (John 1:16)

