

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Glory of God Lutheran Church

September 28, 2025



*"DO EVERYTHING IN LOVE"*

*1 Corinthians 16:14*

**We extend a warm welcome to all our visitors.**

**We are glad that you are here!**

**You're welcome to join us in fellowship time  
immediately following the postlude.**

**Ministers:** *Members and Friends of Glory of God*

**Pastor:** *Dana O'Brien*

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**Music Coordinator:** *Roz Kueter*

**Choir Director:** *Colleen Turner*

**Accompanist:** *Matheus Pagliacci*

**Reader:** *Ann Craig*

**Technology:** *Michael Taggart, Rob Maruyama, Rick Johnson,*  
*John Pattison, Jeremiah Ware, Taylor Garcia, June Marquez*

### **OUR WEEKLY FAMILY PRAYERS**

Link, Linsenmeyer, Losey, Lucas

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** The people of Ukraine, Gaza, and Israel; the Wheat Ridge Police Department; Evergreen High School.

### **PASSED AWAY**

**Tristin Vandall**, prayers for the Vandall family. Connie Bartram's great nephew.

**Nancy Bowen**, prayers for the family. Requested by Ron Casias.

**Paul Jeske**, brother-in-law of Ruth and Dick Zinn. Prayers for the family.

**Our church family:** Tom Roepcke; Judy Roepcke; Val Shaffer; June Marquez; Bob Lundgren; Kathryn Gault; Dottie Reesman.

### **Our family and friends:**

Tony Bryant, Dottie Reesman's son-in-law; Ann Strong, Friend of Natalie Craig; Karla, coworker of Natalie Craig; Mallissa, June Marquez's Niece; Julie, daughter of June Marquez; Doris Oberosler, friend of Nancy Welch; Donna, Requested by Nita Barchus; Dave and Marie, Debbie Losey's son-in-law and daughter; Cheryl Amdahl, friend of Connie Bartram; Steven, friend of Debbie Losey's son Donovan; Doreen Wenzel, Peggy Arkins niece; Mike Matulich, Bingo supply sales rep. requested by Rick Johnson; Amanda requested by a friend of GOG; Maddy, Nancy Hornecker's Daughter; Ann Emerson, Julie Hohn's mom.

### **THIS WEEK AT GLORY OF GOD**

**Sun. - 9/28: 9:00 AM:** Worship & Zoom

*Meeting ID: 250 943 9880 Password: 494411*

**11:00 AM: Fall Festival**

**Mon. - 9/29:**

**Tue. - 9/30: 10:30 AM:** Bible Study

**Wed. - 10/01:**

**Thur. - 10/02:**

**Fri. - 10/03: 10:00 AM:** Craft Group

**Sat. - 10/04: 10:30 AM:** Bingo

**Sun. - 10/05: 9:00 AM:** Worship & Zoom

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**GOG IS LIVE ON YOUTUBE!**

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### **FALL FESTIVAL**

This Sunday is our **FREE** Fall Festival, September 28th from 11 AM to 2 PM for our Fall Festival—a fun-filled day for the whole family!

Enjoy a Scavenger Rock Hunt for the kids with plenty of prizes, along with free family fun including:

Car and Bike Show • Baked Goods & Cake Walk • BBQ & Live Music  
Face Painting • Craft Vendors • Art Gallery  
Games & Activities for All Ages

Invite your friends and neighbors for an afternoon of community, celebration, and fall fun! Please join us after our worship service!

**OUR PRAYER LIST** is sent out each week to our faithful “prayer warriors”. It is such a powerful resource we use in our congregation and church community. **As per our church guidelines, friends and loved ones will be removed from the prayer list if Pastor Dana and/or Michael have not received an update after 30 days.** Thank you!

**IF YOU NEED TO GET IN TOUCH WITH PASTOR DANA,** you can contact her at: [dana@gloryofgodchurch.net](mailto:dana@gloryofgodchurch.net)

**PASTORAL CARE EMERGENCIES...** If you need pastoral care in an emergency (hospitalization, accident, death) and it is during church office hours, Monday – Thursday – 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM, please contact Michael. If outside those office hours, you can Pastor Dana directly at: **414-916-3241.**

### **THANK YOU & UPCOMING LUNCH BUNCH**

A big thank you to everyone who joined us for Lunch Bunch and to those who helped make it possible! We were blessed to hear Pastor Brian Lubowa share about Transform Families Ministry in Jinga, Uganda. Watch the video on our Facebook page or on YouTube. Mark your calendars—the next Lunch Bunch will be on Monday, October 13th. We hope you'll join us!

### **TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY**

Join us this Tuesday at 10:30 AM for our Community Bible Study as we are studying the book of Amos. Amos, one of the Old Testament prophets, speaks boldly about justice, righteousness, and God's call to faithfulness. This Tuesday we will be looking at chapters 7-9. All are welcome—come and be part of this time of learning and fellowship!

### **HOW TO FUND GLORY OF GOD NOW AND THROUGH A**

**LEGACY GIFT** - please give some thought and prayerful consideration of including Glory of God Lutheran Church in your financial plans. Working with your attorney or other professional, ask them to:

- Direct gifts to Glory of God in your estate distributions.
- And/or designate some or all of your annual Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) from your retirement IRA(s) to the church in 2025. Your tax advisor can explain any tax benefits and make sure any gifts are properly deducted.
- Clip this article for when you visit your estate and tax planner next time.

By increasing your current giving, you will enable our church to pay for all of the things that we budgeted a year ago during the congregational budget meeting. Help us be in the black, not the RED, to fulfill our many community and in-house missions.

Thank you, Connie Bartram, Council Treasurer

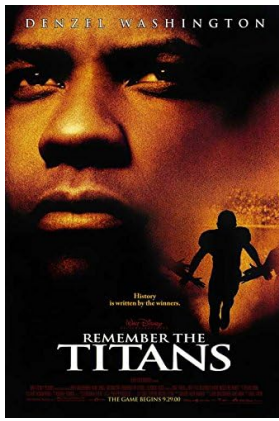
### **WE APPRECIATE YOU**

A big thank you to Bob Lundgren and Kurt Esbenson for fixing the dishwasher in the kitchen! Your help keeps everything running smoothly.

Thank you to Earl and Connie Bartram for their ongoing efforts in keeping our grounds looking beautiful. Your dedication makes a real difference!

### **RED WAGON NEEDS**

Our Red Wagon is currently in need of the following personal hygiene items: Toothbrushes & Toothpaste, Deodorant, Bath Tissue, Feminine Hygiene Items. Your donations help support those in need in our community. Thank you for giving generously.



## MONDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES - REMEMBER THE TITANS

As the crisp air of autumn settles in and football season kicks off, what better way to spend an evening together than with dinner and a movie that captures the spirit of teamwork, perseverance, and community?

Join us for Monday Night at the Movies on October 6th at 6 PM as we share a meal and watch *Remember the Titans*.

Based on the true story of a high school football team in Virginia, *Remember the Titans* is an inspiring film about unity, overcoming adversity, and the power of working together. Just as fall reminds us of change and new beginnings, this story shows how courage, friendship, and faith can transform lives.

Come for dinner, a great movie, and fellowship. Bring a friend—there's a seat waiting for you!



## WOMEN'S RETREAT

The women had a wonderful time at Snow Mountain Ranch this past weekend! It was a beautiful time of fellowship, reflection, and renewal. Together, we studied the Fruits of the Spirit, diving deeper into how we can live out love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control in our daily lives. Amid the beauty of the mountains, God's presence was felt in both the study and the fellowship shared. Thank you to everyone who made this retreat such a meaningful and refreshing experience!

## CONNECTING WITH FLETCHER MILLER SCHOOL

We are excited to share that GOG is partnering with Fletcher Miller School this year to help the staff better serve their kids and families. Fletcher Miller, a public school at 200 Kipling in Lakewood, is the only school in Colorado to offer its unique academic environment for students with significant support needs (SSN). **Please scan the QR code below** to help us make wishes come true for 120 Jeffco kids (ages 3-18) with complex special needs for their Christmas toy program.



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## GOG COUNCIL

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