

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Glory of God Lutheran Church

November 9, 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*

Technical Administrator: *Michael Taggart,*
tech@gloryofgodchurch.net

Music Coordinator: *Roz Kueter*

Choir Director: *Colleen Turner*

Accompanist: *Matheus Pagliacci*

Reader: *Jeri Schmelzel*

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

CONGRATULATIONS

Abbey, Kurt Esbenson's daughter delivered her first child
Phoenix and Kurt's first grandchild on October 23! She was 6
pounds and 21" long.

OUR WEEKLY FAMILY PRAYERS

Shermaan, Strickert, Sutherland, Swanson

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

PASSED AWAY

Janet Moore, prayers for the family. Friend of Colleen Turner.

Eliot, prayers for the family. Requested by Fred and Karen Setzer.

Jesús, prayers for the family. Maria's cousin.

Our church family: Tom Roepcke; Judy Roepcke; Val Shaffer;
June Marquez; Dottie Reesman; Nancy Hall; Jan Sherman;
Joyce Zeiler.

Our family and friends:

Mallissa, June Marquez's Niece; Julie, daughter of June Marquez;
Steven, friend of Debbie Losey's son Donovan; Mike Matulich, Bingo
supply sales rep. requested by Rick Johnson; Amanda requested by a
friend of GOG; Maddy, Kim & Nancy Hornecker's daughter; Ann
Emerson, Julie Hohn's mom; Amanda Miller, Daughter of EL & Nancy
Brant, JR Doner, requested by EL & Nancy Brant; Ben Doner,
requested by EL & Nancy Brant; Ed Hickey requested by Jeri
Schmelzel; Angie Behnken, Fred Behnken cousin's wife; Debra Trepp
Holt requested by Dianna Trepp; Sophia Clark requested by Nick &
Courtney Eccles; Mike & Beth Richie & Family requested by Gloria
Beasley

THIS WEEK AT GLORY OF GOD

Sun. - 11/9: 9:00 AM: Worship & Zoom

Meeting ID: 250 943 9880 Password: 494411
Congregational Meeting & Chile Cook-Off

Mon. - 11/10:

Tue. - 11/11: 10:30 AM: Bible Study

Wed. - 11/12:

Thur. - 11/14:

Fri. - 11/15:

Sat. - 11/16: 10:30 AM: Bingo

Sun. - 11/17: 9:00 AM: Worship & Zoom

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NEW PHOTO PAGE ON OUR WEBSITE

We're excited to announce the launch of our **new Photo Album page** on the Glory of God website! This special addition gives us a place to share and celebrate the many wonderful moments that make our church family so special.

We have uploaded highlights from our **Film Festival, Wheat Ridge Trunk or Treat, Visit to Fletcher Miller School, Men's Group Corn Maze, Carnation Festival Parade** and our **Fall Festival** which was a day filled with laughter, fellowship, and the joy of being together. From the delicious food and lively music to the smiling faces of friends old and new, these photos capture the heart of our commUNITY in action.

Visit our website and enjoy a look back at this wonderful day:

<https://www.gloryofgodchurch.net/photo-album>

More photos will be added soon--so check back often and relive the joy of our shared moments together!

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

TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Join us this Tuesday at 10:30 AM for our Community Bible Study. This week we are looking at chapter 4 of Apostle Paul's letter to the Philippians, a letter of joy written by Paul while he was in prison. Everyone is welcome-- come and be part of this time of learning and fellowship.

REMEMBERING THE SAINTS IN OUR LIVES THIS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

We will celebrate All Saints Day this Sunday. During worship, you will have an opportunity to come forward and light a candle in memory of your loved ones who have died. We'll also have a picture memorial of some of our beloved saints while we are lighting candles

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING THIS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

Please make sure to stay after worship. We'll have our semiannual meeting to approve the budget, authorize the purchase of two HVAC units, and celebrate all the amazing things God has done here over the past year.

CHILI COOK-OFF

Accompanying this Sunday's semiannual meeting is our first annual chili cook-off. A number of folks are competing with their chili entries. During the meeting, we'll all have a chance to eat some chili and vote for our favorites, with the winner taking home bragging rights and a really cool chili cook-off apron.

We're asking all of us who aren't in the chili cook-off to **bring a food item that goes with chili** - corn bread, drinks, sides, desserts, etc. We also need folks to get there **a bit early to help set up** and others to **stay afterward to help clean up**. Thanks to everyone in advance.

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**.

UPCOMING LUNCH BUNCH

Our next Lunch Bunch is this Monday, November 10 at 11:30 AM. (Please contact Lynn Hornecker with any questions.) We hope you'll join us.



So much fun at the Child Priority Halloween Parade in Fellowship Hall. We served the parents pumpkin pie, donut bites, coffee and Apple Cider and they loved it!
Thank you Dana, Jan and Nancy!

PLEASE CHECK YOUR MAILBOX FOR CONTENTS

Letting you know that each family unit has a mailbox in the church entrance. Please check it when you leave church for items that have been placed in your box. If you can't find your box (alphabetical by last name), please let Michael know.

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.

GLORY OF GOD COLUMBARIUM

Glory of God has a very nice columbarium in the back of our building, used both for outdoor worship and to hold the cremated remains of many of our beloved church folks. We are looking for people who would like to serve on the Columbarium Committee to assist in its ongoing operation. If serving on the committee is something God may be calling you to do, please contact Pastor Dana.

FELLOWSHIP HELP WANTED

Our fellowship time at Glory of God is so important to all of us. Thanks to all of you who bring in food or donate money. However, we could use more help with cleaning up afterward. There is a sign-up sheet right outside the kitchen window, and we're asking a few people or groups to sign up a couple weeks in advance to be responsible for upcoming Sundays. Let's all pitch in and help!

MONDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES: HOLIDAY SPECIAL

We're keeping the fun going with our next movie night – our Holiday Special! Join us Monday, December 1st at 6 PM for a cozy evening filled with festive cheer, an Ugly Sweater Contest, and plenty of “treats and sweets.” It's sure to be a joyful way to kick off the holiday season! And don't forget – we're planning our next one so please get your Christmas movie suggestions to Michael soon so we can make it another fun and festive night for everyone.

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

FLETCHER MILLER SCHOOL TOYS FOR CLARK'S TOY WORKSHOP

As many of you know, we purchased a bunch of toys for Clark's Toy Workshop for the kids at Fletcher Miller School last month. On December 13, the school will have a Winter Wonderland party where everyone is invited for a pancake breakfast, crafts and fun, and the kids who use adaptive toys will be able to select their Christmas gift.

There are a couple opportunities for us to help, both on the day of the party and earlier. The School would like some help ahead of time – sorting pre-made crafts and helping to make centerpieces. They'll also need help decorating for the event on Friday, December 12, and then people to help on the day of the party. Sign-up sheets are on the council table, and if you have any questions, please see Dana. (Since much of this stuff can be done at home, this is a great opportunity for everyone to be involved)



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