

# Waukeee Christian Church

December 2021

Reminder that our special congregational meeting is this Sunday afternoon at 4pm. Come out to the church for a short business meeting to approve the budget for 2022 and election of officers. We will then have some special seasonal music by Sophia to put us in the Christmas mood. We will then have an update on what has been happening at the church and looking to the future. Bring your questions and ideas. Stay for some refreshments and fellowship.

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Also, this is the time of year to be generous to our staff for all they do throughout the year. Please give your contributions to Suzanne, Mike or George or send to the church office.

George

The holiday season is here,  
and the trees are out. Let's  
fill them up!



## REVERSE ADVENT CALENDAR

- |                                    |                                      |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| December 1- box of cereal          | December 17- package pasta           |
| December 2- peanut butter          | December 18- spaghetti sauce         |
| December 3- stuffing mix           | December 19- chicken noodle soup     |
| December 4- boxed potatoes         | December 20- tomato soup             |
| December 5- macaroni and cheese    | December 21- canned corn             |
| December 6- canned fruit           | December 22- canned mixed vegetables |
| December 7- canned tomatoes        | December 23- canned carrots          |
| December 8- canned tuna            | December 24- canned green beans      |
| December 9- dessert mix            |                                      |
| December 10- jar of applesauce     |                                      |
| December 11- canned sweet potatoes |                                      |
| December 12- cranberry sauce       |                                      |
| December 13- canned beans          |                                      |
| December 14- box of crackers       |                                      |
| December 15- package of rice       |                                      |
| December 16- package of oatmeal    |                                      |



# Homebound Members

Here is a list of our friends homebound or in care facilities. These friends need your prayers but also would welcome cards or visits (in person or by phone). Their days are so long with many hours to ponder why none of their church family visits (cares). They are a special part of our church family. A few minutes out of your day would mean so much to them!

~ Pastor Julie

- Thelma Frank  
Sends Cards and Mail to  
Beckie Myers  
2409 NW 162<sup>nd</sup> Lane  
Clive, IA 50325
- Barry Snover #26A  
Glen Oaks  
8525 Urbandale Ave.  
Urbandale, IA 50322
- Jack Harris  
8013 Tiburon Place  
Johnston, IA 50131
- John Wasson  
280 Northview Drive  
Waukee, IA 50263
- Juanita McBeth  
835 NE Boston Pkwy #4313  
Waukee, IA 50263
- Bethalene & Alan Finestead  
13240 NW 102<sup>nd</sup> Ave  
Granger, IA 50109  
Home: 515-999-2367  
Cell: 515-240-7708



	September 2021	October 2021	November 2021
<b>Receipts</b>	\$ 5, 121.27	\$6,488.54	\$
<b>Expenses</b>	\$ 7,526.38	\$5,642.72	\$
<b>Difference</b>	\$ (2,405.11)	\$845.82	\$
<b>Money available for expenses</b>	<b>\$ 40,375.90</b>	<b>\$39,400.72</b>	<b>\$</b>

12-02 Lanita Cavanaugh

12-03 Ora Hansen

12-18 Mary Lou Harris

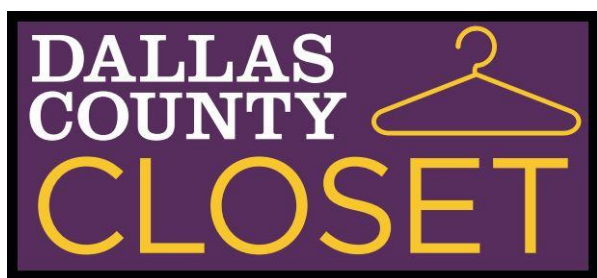
12-23 LaNelle Bentz

12-25 Kayson Taylor



12-06 Jim and Rosalie Pfeifer

12-27 Alan and Bethalene Finestead



### **December SHOPPING Hours:**

**All shopping is by appointment only.**

Please use the link below or visit our FB page to make an appointment.

[www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a4ba9a622a64-december6](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a4ba9a622a64-december6)

### **December DONATION Hours:**

**FIRST** Wednesday, December 1: 4-6pm

**SECOND** Monday, December 13: 3-5pm

\*\*\*\* Bring donations to the back door. #43 \*\*\*\*

Dates and times available for appointments are:

Monday, December 6: 5-6:30pm

Saturday, December 11: 10am -12:15pm

Tuesday, December 14: 5-6:30pm

Monday, December 20: 5-6:30pm

**Dallas County Closet**

**43 NE Carefree Lane**

Free clothing is be available to children, students, and families in need, living in Dallas County.

[waukeecommunitycloset@gmail.com](mailto:waukeecommunitycloset@gmail.com)



## Wow Brunch

The WOW (Women of Waukee Christian Church) held a brunch on November 13, 2021. Over 30 participants enjoyed egg casseroles, cinnamon rolls, fruit, and good conversation. Guests were asked to join the group.

Tommy Hardersen introduced the concept of music in our lives. The main speaker was Dirk Thieben from Critchett in Des Moines. He played several songs on the keyboard and then talked about how music is beneficial to our health.





## Cup of Cheer WoW Christmas Event

December 15, 6:00 pm  
Thomas Place  
560 SE Brick Drive, Waukee, IA 50263

Please wear a mask when not eating.

The Women of Waukee Christian Church invites all church women to an evening of Christmas Cheer on December 15th. The evening will consist of light refreshments, beverages, and lots of laughter. Please bring a Christmas cup filled with small goodies of your choice. Examples might be lip gloss, lotion, packaged beverages, money, socks, etc. Items are only limited to your imagination. Your cup will be traded during the evening.

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## Christmas Caroling

WCC's prayer/shut-in list is long. At this holiday season it is important for us to remember these people that can't be with us due to quarantine or illness. On December 12th right after Sunday morning service, we will be caroling at various locations.

We are working off the list from the back of the bulletin and calling those people before visiting. If you know of additional people that may need an extra boost, please contact Shari Burgus at 515-987-8037 or [skburgus@gmail.com](mailto:skburgus@gmail.com). Also, please contact Shari if you can share a ride with others.

Due to COVID restriction we may need to stay outside so dress warmly and bring your loudest voices.





# December 2021

# WINTER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
Sunday School Sunday Service 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent	6	7 Pearl Harbor Day 	8 	9 Christmas Card Day 	10 	11
Sunday School Sunday Service Christmas Offering 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent	13 Ice Cream Day 	14	15	16	17 	18 Bake Cookies Day
Sunday School Sunday Service Christmas Offering 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent	20 	21 1 <sup>st</sup> Day of Winter	22	23 National Chocolate Day	24 Christmas Eve Service 	25 MERRY CHRISTMAS!
Sunday School Sunday Service	27	28 Card Playing Day	29 	30 Bacon Day	31 New Year's Eve	January 1 HAPPY 2022!
						



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### **WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

9:00 am Sunday School  
10:00 am Worship Service

### **...OUR STAFF...**

Pulpit Supply: Jason-Paul Channels  
Associate Pastor: Pastor Julie Cornelius  
Admin. Assistant: Katie De Jong

### **... CHURCH OFFICE ...**

Tuesday and Thursday  
7:30AM – 11:30PM

### **Vision Statement**

Waukee Christian Church is an inclusive community that demonstrates discipleship by welcoming, honoring, and celebrating God's image in all people.



Please remember to keep your Revitalize Pledges as current as possible. If you are unsure of the status of your Revitalize Pledge, please call the office.