



For unto us is born this day...Luke 2

Merry Christmas!
Parkview Newsletter
December 2024



Parkview December Activity 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 CW 9:30 a.m. Blumenort Community	2 10:00 a.m. Chaplain CW 7:00 p.m. Jac. & Helen Harder	3	4	5	6	7
8 CW 9:30 a.m. Ridgewood EMC	9 CW 6:15 p.m. Handbelles	10 CW 11:15 a.m. Stonybrook Middle School 2:00 p.m. Bible Study	11	12  5:00 p.m. Christmas Dinner	13 CW 2:30 p.m. Tilley & Susie	14 1:30 p.m. Couples for Christ
15 CW 9:30 a.m. Emmanuel Free	16 10:00 a.m. Chaplain 5:30 p.m. Isaiah 6	17 6:45 p.m. S. S. Choir	18 CW 7:00 p.m. John Hildebrand German	19 CW 7:00 p.m. A R Youth	20 CW 7:00 p.m. Bethaus Youth	21
22 CW 9:30 a.m. Steinbach EMC	23  2:00 p.m. Christmas Party 6:00 p.m. Christine Unruh	24 2:00 p.m. Bible Study	25 <i>Joy to the world</i> Merry Christmas!	26  Boxing Day!	27	28
29 CW 9:30 a.m. Pansy Chapel	30 6:00 p.m. Christmas Movie Night	31		Coffee Time Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. Sat. & Sunday Times may vary		

Charles Dickens: "I will honor Christmas in my heart, and try to keep it all the year"

Upcoming Christmas Events:

Dec. 12th - Christmas Dinner	5:00 p.m.
Dec. 14th - Couples for Christ	11:15 a.m.
Dec. 17th - Sunday School Program	6:45 p.m.
Dec. 23rd - Christmas Party	2:00 p.m.
Dec. 23rd - Christine Unruh (Harpist)	6:00 p.m.



Important Message

As of January 1st, 2025

Guest Room Rental will increase to \$25.00

Common Room Rental will increase to \$50.00



Welcome



Our Hairdresser
Marion Wiwsionski
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Short History of "Silent Night"

"The backstory is that the priest went for a walk before he wrote it, and he looked out over a very quiet, winter-laden town," says composer/conductor John Conahan, "He was inspired...the town was at peace. " It was Christmas Eve, 1818, when the now-famous carol was first performed as Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht. Joseph Mohr, the young priest who wrote the lyrics, played the guitar and sang along with Franz Xaver Gruber, the choir director who had written the melody. Even on the battlefield during World War I, when, during a temporary truce on Christmas Eve, soldiers sang carols from home.



Chaplain's Notes

Christmas and memories - how can we separate them?

As Christmas approaches, we recall memories of children, of friends, of family, and of loved ones. As Christmas approaches, we recall memories of hugs, of laughter, of visits, and of things done together. As Christmas approaches, we recall memories of caroling, of concerts, of gifts, and of Christmas baking. As Christmas approaches, we recall the reason behind it all, the birth of Jesus Christ.

“For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.” Luke 2:11, 12
Perhaps your Christmas includes memories of someone who has recently passed away. The room is now quiet where their voice was once heard, and the table seems empty where they once sat.

Christmas just isn't the same without them.

May you find special comfort and strength in the Lord and in the thought of meeting your loved one again someday.

Wherever your thoughts may go this Christmas,

may God bless you!

Peter Berg, Chaplain



Merry Christmas from Our Family to You & Yours!

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A Christmas Carol

Name: _____

Word Search

N	J	Q	T	Y	M	I	S	E	R	A	B	L	E	X
C	H	A	R	L	E	S	L	T	N	E	P	H	E	W
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Word list:

CAROL
CHARLES
CHRISTMAS
EBENEZER
FUTURE
GENEROUS
GHOSTS

GRAVE
GREED
MISERABLE
MONEY
NEPHEW
PAST
POOR

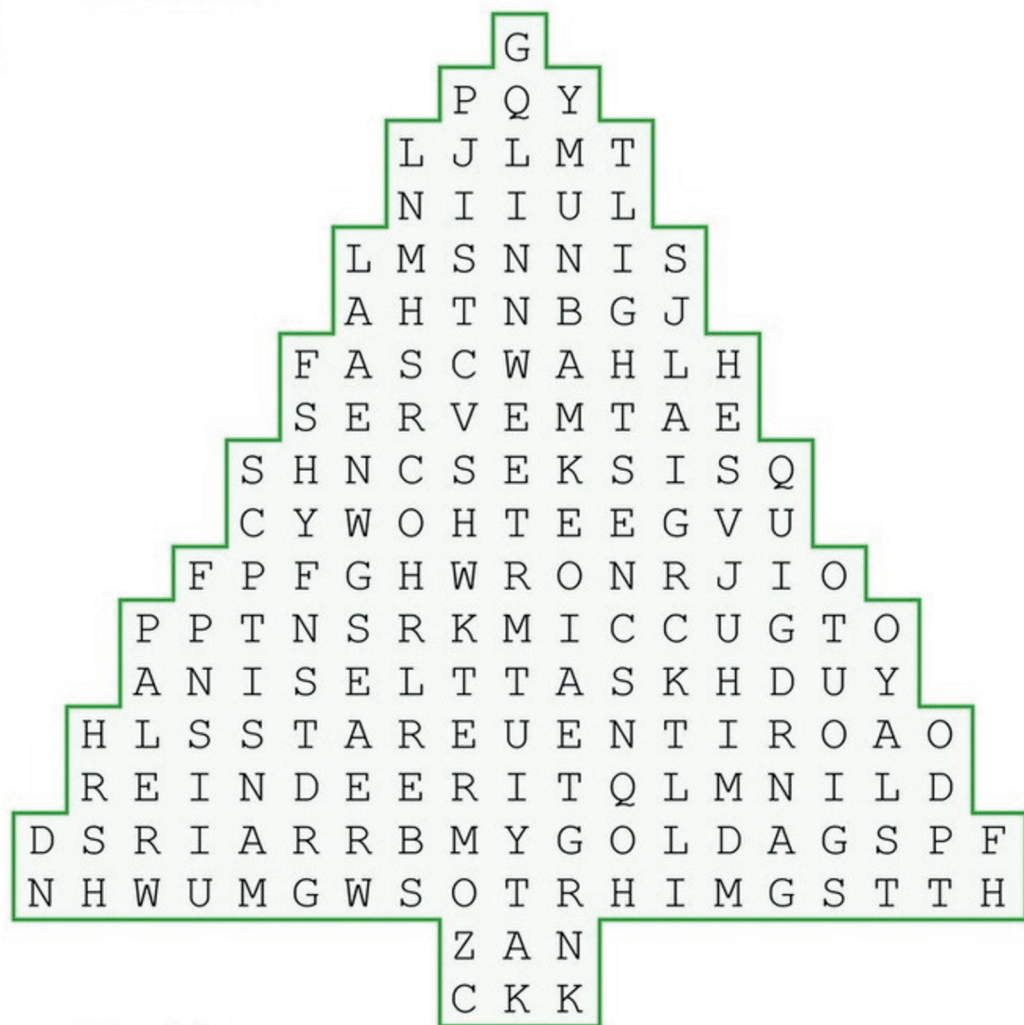
PRESENT
SCROOGE
SPIRIT
TINY
TREE
TURKEY



Christmas

Word Search

Name: _____



Word list:

CAROL

CHESTNUT

CHRIST

CHRISTMAS

FAMILY

GREETINGS

HAPPY

JINGLE

LIGHTS

NATIVITY

REINDEER

RUDOLPH

SING

SLEIGH

SNOWMAN

STAR

STOCKING

WINTER