

Worship with us - Sunday at 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

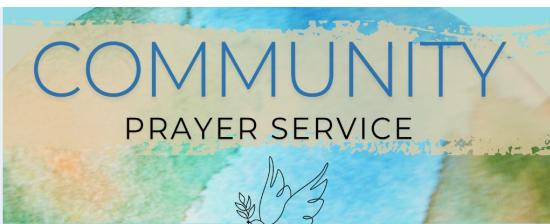
Online Worship @ <https://www.youtube.com/c/gloriadei> (Sunday @ 10:30am)

3K-5th grade Sunday School @ 9:10-10:10 a.m. 6th-8th grade Confirmation Wed @ 6:15-7:30pm
Adult Bible Study - Thurs @ 7:30 a.m. and Sunday @ 9:10 a.m.

Office Hours
Mon-Thurs:
9:30am-4:30pm
Friday:
10am-12noon



Prayers for Sarah Mercier, Sandy Wahamaki, Tom Flemming, Russ Stern, Bob Frank, Judy Davis, Amelia, Kaysen Krutz, Sara Krueger, David, Monica, Jane Joseph, Jodi Main, Char, and Annette Sikma.



Pray for Peace

Sunday, February 1, 2026 @ 2PM

Join us for an hour of readings, reflection, and song
as we pray for our brothers and sisters
who are suffering across the world.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Our Savior's Lutheran Church
809 S. Commercial St., Neenah, WI 54956

Sponsored by the Neenah-Menasha Ministerial Association

Flowers on the altar this morning
are given by Terry & Valerie Gulke
in memory of Don & June Lorenz.

Hazel Anderson has moved to be closer
to family. Her new address is 18386
Minnetonka Blvd, Wayzata, MN 55391

Consider Helping with Worship: Looking for a few
more people to sign up for worship help in Feb.
Sign up on kiosk or call the church office.

Gloria Dei Ministry: Reaching Out in Community - Crossways Camping - There are three camps that are part of Crossways Camping. They are Imago Dei - Clintonville; Pine Lake Camp - Waupaca; and Waypost Camp - Hatley, which merged with Imago Dei Village. The camps offer Youth Programs, Family Camp, Adult Camp, Self Determination Campers, Confirmation Camps, and Churches Camping. We are one of nearly 190 congregations supporting their ministries. On Jan 30-Feb 1 we had 10 confirmation students attend a Winter Retreat at Pine Lake. For information on events and camps go to www.crosswayscamps.org. Crossways Annual Mtg will be March 14 at 9:30 a.m. at St Mark's Church in Neenah. We are looking for 2 delegates to represent Gloria Dei. If you would like to attend this meeting, please contact the church office so you can get registered for this meeting.

NEWSLETTER—WEEK of February 1, 2026

office@gloriadeilc.org ~ 920-725-6822

Pastor Dan Luett will be available to provide Pastoral care until Mar 1. If you have a Pastoral care need, contact the church office at 920-725-6822 or Pastor Dan at 920-594-2015.

New 2026 Phone Directory is ready and is in your church mailbox. If you don't have a mailbox and would like a copy, please stop in the church office to pick one up.

Lost containers looking for a home!! We have some unclaimed containers that were left in church kitchen. There are on the table in the narthex until Feb 8. If you are unable to get to church, please call the office to have them kept aside. Containers will be donated if not picked up. Thank you for helping us care for our shared space and for your continued generosity in providing food for our festivities. Lost & Found items left at the church will be on the table in the narthex. If items are not claimed by Feb 8, they will also be donated on Feb 9.

We wish to thank all of our Gloria Dei family for all the prayers, cards, calls, outreach to us during our son, David's health crisis & now with Sherry's knee replacement. God heard your prayers & provided so many miracles, guidance to hospital staff, to bring Dave through this health episode. He is doing amazingly well, both physically & mentally. We are so thankful to God & to all of you for your care. Sherry is doing very, very well with surgery recovery. God's healing hand is so wonderful.

Jim & Sherry Klitz

Coffee House Ministry – Thursdays from 3:15-4:15pm

Thank you to all you have brought treats or volunteered. 101 kids and parents were served last week. If you would like to bake or purchase items for coffee house, please let the church office know. Thanks.

Scam of the Week: If you receive a frightening phone call from someone claiming to be a law enforcement officer telling you there is a warrant for your arrest because you missed jury duty, failed to appear in court, or owe unpaid taxes. They might even use your real name, tell you their badge number, or give you a specific court case number. All this information may lead you to believe that you are in serious legal trouble. However, this is actually a vishing, or voice phishing, scam! You're not speaking to a real law enforcement officer, but a cybercriminal who is trying to make you panic. Their goal is to scare you into acting without thinking. They will ask you to pay a fine by wiring money, purchasing gift cards, or sending cryptocurrency if you want to avoid being arrested. Remember, you aren't actually in any legal trouble, and if you pay this "fine", you'll be giving your money directly to a scammer! Follow these tips to avoid falling victim to a vishing scam:

- If someone calls you and threatens to arrest you unless you pay a fine immediately, it's a scam. Cybercriminals often try to scare you into acting without thinking.
- Keep in mind that cybercriminals can search online for public information, such as a case or badge number, and use it to make their scams appear more convincing.

Real law enforcement agencies will never ask you to pay a fine using gift cards, wire transfers, or cryptocurrency. If anyone asks for these payment methods, hang up.

Lenten Worship Opportunities

Ash Wednesday:

– **Community Worship Service** – Ecumenical worship service with St. Mark's, St. Paul's, Our Saviors and Gloria Dei. Come and observe Ash Wednesday and enter into Lent with the imposition of ashes and the Sacrament of Holy Communion - February 18 at 12 noon at Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 809 South Commercial Street, Neenah.

– **Gloria Dei Worship Service** at 6:30 p.m.

Midweek Lenten Gatherings, Meals and Worship @ Gloria Dei – Wednesdays: Feb. 25, Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25:

– **Soup Supper & Evening Worship** – Drop-in Soup Supper meal at 5:30 p.m., Evening Worship at 6:30 p.m. Come for worship or come for both supper and worship!

Fall Craft Fair Committee is looking for empty plastic coffee cans (any size, any color). If you have any, please drop them off in the church office. Thanks.



Lenten Soup Suppers starts Wednesday, February 25. If you can volunteer to help set up/clean up or bring soup, bread, or desserts, please sign up on the kiosk. There is also a sign up if you plan to attend so we can make sure there is enough food. Thanks.

First Communion Instruction Classes:

First Communion classes help prepare young people and their families to receive Holy Communion and is a special milestone in the journey of faith. If your child or youth have not yet attended Communion instruction before, you are invited to join us. They are designed for both youth and parent/guardian presence and participation in the process. Classes are scheduled for **Sundays March 1, 8, 22 from 1:00-3:00 p.m.** at Gloria Dei. First Communion will be celebrated during Maundy Thursday worship service on **April 2 at 6:30 p.m.**

Interested in Membership? Please email the church office at office@gloriadeilc.org. A new members class will be scheduled sometime this spring.



Thank you for Serving in Faith! On behalf of the whole congregation, we wish to say THANK YOU! to GD members who have completed their term serving on Gloria Dei's Congregational Council and Endowment Committee. Thank you for your hard work and using your gifts for the purpose of leading ministry at Gloria Dei.

Council: Kevin Buss, Tori Imhoff, and Christine Olsen

Endowment: Steve Soileau

We wish to thank those willing to serve on church council and endowment:

Council: Carol Anderson, Vincent Guardiola, Dave Kraus, and Don Reid

Endowment: Lori Johnson

Thank you Roger Herman for serving as Gloria Dei's Treasurer and David Guif as leader of the Financial Secretary team. GD transitioned to a paid accounting and bookkeeping service last summer along with Gloria Dei member, Wendy Stabler, handling part-time treasurer position. Wendy will also lead the Financial Secretary team (starting Feb 2026) with duties performed by Karen Jewell-vanBuskirk and Annette Sikma. Thank you for committing to use your gifts for leadership in ministry here at GD. We are blessed by your gifts of time, expertise, teamwork, and faithfulness!

Upcoming Events:

*NHS Black Box Play
"The Snow"
Jan 29-Feb 1
*Jubricosa
Spring Play
at Gloria Dei
Mar 12-14

There are some old Hymnals on the table in the Narthex. Free to a good home!

		Acolyte	Ushers	Liturgy Assistant	Lector	Communion Assistant	Greeter	Nursery Attendant	Live Stream	Altar Guild
Feb 1	8:00		Paul Bonikowske/ Christine Olsen	Robyn Krueger	Robyn Krueger	Nancy Swanson/ Valerie Gulke				Christine Olsen
	10:30	Alaina Thiel	Garrison Cummings/ Don Reid	Pastor Dan Luett	Roger Herman	Roger & Jean Herman	Jean Herman		Ryan Helms	Christine Olsen
Feb 8	8:00		Steve Graf/ Nancy Swanson	Deb Barkholtz	Deb Barkholtz	Tom Riedasch				Judy Brown
	10:30	Ava Corbin	Garrison & Lia Cummings	Michelle Higgins	Michelle Higgins	Linda Christianson			Vincent Guardiola	Judy Brown

Week at a Glance

1 SUNDAY	2 MONDAY	3 TUESDAY	4 WEDNESDAY	5 THURSDAY	6 FRIDAY	7 SATURDAY
8:00 Worship Service- One Voice Choir sings 9:00 Fellowship Hour 9:10 Sunday School 9:10 Adult Bible Study 10:30 Worship Service- SS children sings (<i>Live Streamed on YouTube</i>) 12:30 Woodchippers 1:00 Return Home from Winter Retreat 2:00 Pray for Peace Community Service @ OSLC SCRIP	7:30 Pilates	9:00 Quilting 9:00 Zumba	5:45 Jr High Choir Practice 6:15-7:30 Confirmation Class 6:30 One Voice Choir Rehearsal	7:30 Morning Bible Study 3:15-4:15 Coffee House 7:00 Narcotics Anonymous	7:30 Pilates 7:00 Women w/Hope NA	9-12 Jubricosa