

Announcements

BUSY BAGS for little children can be found on a pole in the back of the sanctuary.

WISH TO JOIN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN?

Please speak to Pastor Zamzow. We would love to have you with us!

Nov. Offering—\$9,050; Benevolence \$ 362; Monthly Budget \$18,139, Benevolence. \$1,210

Average Attendance— 96

† **SUNSHINE CORNER:** Please take some time to bring a little sunshine into the life of a home-bound with a personal note and/or sign the card in the back of the sanctuary! This week we remember: **Sandra Campbell, 1409 285th Street, Eagle Grove, IA 50533**

† **OUR RADIO BROADCAST** is given by friends and family of Evangelical Lutheran Church.

† **MISSION SUPPORT:** The **December** Benevolence will be given to the Shepherd of the Prairie Lutheran Church, Huxley, Ia., **a mission church.** The benevolence box is on the table in the back of the Sanctuary.

† **Thank you to Russell & Maia Romero for reading and lighting the Advent Wreath Candles today.**

Hymns: GH #250 “Open Now Thy Gates Of Beauty”

BH #725 “Blest Be The God Of Israel”

GH #58 “Lo, How A Rose Is Growing”

GH #26 “Prepare The Royal Highway” V. 1,3,4

Parents of Sunday School children:

November 30 -fitting costumes for Christmas Program and practice during Sunday School.

December 7—Program Practice during Sunday School

December 12 -Program Practice 5:00 Pizza provided.

December 14- Christmas Program

December 21—No Sunday School

Calling all students in grades 7-12!

Mark your calendars for Sunday, December 14th. After worship and the Sunday School Christmas Program, let's gather for some good food. How does Pancakes and Bacon sound to you? We also want to find out what you would like to do as we revitalize our Youth program here at Evangelical Lutheran before we plan on all sorts of things we think are cool. So be there. Extra bacon for those who bring a friend!



“Eagle Grove Evangelical”

KQWC 95.7— Live Sunday Broadcast

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Next Week's Lesson:

Isaiah 35:1-10; Psalm 146; James 5:7-11;

Matthew 11:2-15

Eagle Grove Evangelical Lutheran Church

Second Sunday of Advent

December 7, 2025

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

May our message today strengthen your faith in the grace of God. **The service is available on the screen. The hymns are in the green and blue hymnals.** All baptized persons who believe that Christ is truly present in the bread and wine for the forgiveness of sins are welcome to commune. Grape juice and gluten-free bread is also available. Please join us for coffee and fellowship following the worship service!

ORDER OF SERVICE

Welcome

Confession & Absolution

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

Gathering Hymn GH #250

Apostolic Greeting

Advent Kyrie

Hymn of Praise

Prayer of the Day

First Reading

Psalm

Second Reading

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel

Children's Sermon

Sermon

Hymn

BH #725

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the Church

Sharing The Peace

Great Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Distribution

Lamb Of God

Hymn

GH #58

Post-Communion Blessing & Prayer

Benediction

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Sending Hymn GH #26 v. 1,3,4

Sending



Lector: Linda Spangler

Greeter:

Acolyte: Avery Locke

Crucifer: Keegan

Eisentrager

Cantor: Marla Lorenzen

Accompanist: Linda

Bickford

Ushers: Ron Spangler, Lyle Larson

Comm Asst: David Muzzey, Todd Nielsen, Jody Eisentrager

Coffee Fellowship: Evangelism Committee, Conaway Family

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Isaiah 11:1-10

¹There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse,
and a branch from his roots shall bear fruit.
²And the Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him,
the Spirit of wisdom and understanding,
the Spirit of counsel and might,
the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD.
³And his delight shall be in the fear of the LORD.
He shall not judge by what his eyes see,
or decide disputes by what his ears hear,
⁴but with righteousness he shall judge the poor,
and decide with equity for the meek of the earth;
and he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth,
and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked.
⁵Righteousness shall be the belt of his waist,
and faithfulness the belt of his loins.
⁶The wolf shall dwell with the lamb,
and the leopard shall lie down with the young goat,
and the calf and the lion and the fattened calf together;
and a little child shall lead them.
⁷The cow and the bear shall graze; their young shall lie down together;
and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.
⁸The nursing child shall play over the hole of the cobra,
and the weaned child shall put his hand on the adder's den.
⁹They shall not hurt or destroy in all my holy mountain;
for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the LORD
as the waters cover the sea.
¹⁰In that day the root of Jesse, who shall stand as a signal for the peoples—of him shall the nations inquire, and his
resting place shall be glorious.

Psalm 72:1-7

¹ Give the king your justice, O God,
and your righteousness to the royal son!
²**May he judge your people with righteousness,
and your poor with justice!**
³Let the mountains bear prosperity for the people,
and the hills, in righteousness!
⁴**May he defend the cause of the poor of the people,
give deliverance to the children of the needy,**

and crush the oppressor!

⁵ May they fear you while the sun endures,
and as long as the moon, throughout all generations!
⁶**May he be like rain that falls on the mown grass,
like showers that water the earth!**
⁷ In his days may the righteous flourish,
and peace abound, till the moon be no more!

Romans 15:4-13

⁴For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that through endurance and through the en-
couragement of the Scriptures we might have hope. ⁵ May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live
in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, ⁶ that together you may with one voice glorify the God
and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁷Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of
God.
⁸For I tell you that Christ became a servant to the circumcised to show God's truthfulness, in order to confirm the
promises given to the patriarchs, ⁹and in order that the Gentiles might glorify God for his mercy. As it is written,
“Therefore I will praise you among the Gentiles, and sing to your name.”
¹⁰ And again it is said, “Rejoice, O Gentiles, with his people.”
¹¹ And again, “Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles,
and let all the peoples extol him.”
¹² And again Isaiah says, “The root of Jesse will come, even he who arises to rule the Gentiles; in him will the Gentiles
hope.”¹³ May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you
may abound in hope.

Matthew 3:1-12

¹In those days John the Baptist came preaching in the wilderness of Judea, ²“Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at
hand.”³For this is he who was spoken of by the prophet Isaiah when he said,
“The voice of one crying in the wilderness:
‘Prepare the way of the Lord;
make his paths straight.’”
⁴Now John wore a garment of camel's hair and a leather belt around his waist, and his food was locusts and wild hon-
ey. ⁵Then Jerusalem and all Judea and all the region about the Jordan were going out to him, ⁶and they were baptized
by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins.
⁷But when he saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees coming to his baptism, he said to them, “You brood of vipers!
Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come? ⁸ Bear fruit in keeping with repentance. ⁹ And do not presume to say
to yourselves, ‘We have Abraham as our father,’ for I tell you, God is able from these stones to raise up children for
Abraham. ¹⁰ Even now the axe is laid to the root of the trees. Every tree therefore that does not bear good fruit is cut
down and thrown into the fire.
¹¹“I baptize you with water for repentance, but he who is coming after me is mightier than I, whose sandals I am not
worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. ¹² His winnowing fork is in his hand, and he will clear
his threshing floor and gather his wheat into the barn, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.”

Sunday, December 7	Monday, December 8	Tuesday, December 9	Wednesday, December 10	Thursday, December 11	Friday, December 12	Saturday, December 13	Sunday, December 14
9:00 AM Worship 10:15-11:05 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Coffee Fellowship		7:00 PM Property Committee	9:00 AM Bible Study 12:00 PM Men’s Bible Study 5:30 PM Confirmation 7:00 PM Church Council Pastor Zamzow in the office	12:00 noon ELCW meet at the Family Table for our Christmas Dinner 2:00 ELCW @ Rotary Senior Living Pastor Zamzow in the office	5:00 Sunday School Christmas Practice Pizza will be furnished.		9:00 AM Worship with Sunday School Christmas program 10:15 –11:05 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Coffee Fellowship 10:15 AM Choir Practice