



Poinsettia

A Special Thank You!

*Thank you to all who helped make the Sanctuary,
Celebration Center and Friendship Gathering Area
so beautiful for the Advent Season. Without your
donations, memorials and time, we would not be able to make
these areas look so beautiful.*

*During this Christmas time,
we remember and honor those who are
no longer with us and cherish*

- Holiday Blessings to our dedicated Church Office volunteers. You are the best! Given by Jotie, Pastor Chad, Megan, Jon and Pastor Joel.
- In memory of our parents, Nell & Willie Ackerman and Hazel & Henry Manske. Given by Larry & Donna Ackerman.
- In honor of our daughter & son-in-law, Kim & Mike Reed, granddaughters and spouses, Bethany & Kevin Gerdes, McKenna & Nick Musgrave, great-granddaughters, Libby, Maggie & Tatum Gerdes. Given by Larry & Donna Ackerman.
- In loving memory of Zach, our dear son, brother and uncle. You are missed. Wir lieben dich fur immer!! Given by Steve & Verona Anderson, Lindsay, Jackson, Deacon Bowen Seim and Daniel, Romina, Nico & Lena Schmitz-Padilla.
- In loving memory of Eugene Auten. Given by Greg & Ann Auten
- In loving memory of Elton Temme. Given by Greg & Ann Auten.
- In loving memory of Charles Himmelberg. Given by the Auten family.
- In gratefulness to God for all the blessings He has given me, for the years He gave me with Dan and for my children and grandchildren. Given by Jan Baird.
- In remembrance of a beautiful soul, Cheri Reams. We miss our wife, mother, mommo, and friend here on earth. Gone but not forgotten. Merry Christmas from the entire Reams, Bates, Fitzke and Miller families.
- In remembrance of a great man, Marlyn Bates. We miss our husband, father, papa and friend. Gone but not forgotten. Merry Christmas from the entire Bates family.
- In loving memory of my parents, John & Flora Adam and brother, Dan Adam. Given by Eunice Bienhoff.
- In loving memory of my son, Del Hemje and my husbands, Lamoine Hemje and Lavon Bienhoff. Given by Eunice Bienhoff.
- In loving memory of our parents, Norm & Dianna Bokelman. Given by Scott & Theresa Bokelman.
- In loving memory of our parents, John & Marie Neuman. Given by Scott & Theresa Bokelman.
- In honor of Jason, Geri, Noah and Ellie Pagel. Given by Arlen & Sue Brown.
- In memory of Al & Margie Rieschick and Neal & Alta Brown. Given by Arlen & Sue Brown.
- In loving memory of our parents, Don & Helen Bruntz and Rey & Bobbie Kohmetscher. Given by Kevin & Jane Bruntz.
- For unto you is born this day a Savior, which is Christ the Lord. Given by Dave & Patty Bruntz.
- God's gift to us resides in Heaven. In loving memory of Mel Bunde and all our family keeping him company. Given by Betty & Renae Bunde.
- In loving memory of loved ones, who celebrate Christ's birth in heaven. Given by Dean & Micki Buscher.
- In honor of our family with whom we celebrate the birth of Jesus. Given by Dean & Micki Buscher.
- With thankfulness to Pat Gartner, Al Gerloff and all the kitchen helpers, who graciously serve meals on Wednesday nights. Given by Dean & Micki Buscher.
- In loving memory of my parents, John & Onalee Meredith. Given by Marcia Colombo.
- In loving memory of Kenneth Nash. Given by Mike & Diane Conroy.
- In honor of Dorothy Nash. Given by Mike & Diane Conroy.
- In loving memory of our daughter & sister, Jenna Rene Cox. Given by Robert & Stephanie Cox, Trevor & Cody.
- In loving memory of Alan DeJonge. Given by Brandon & Valerie DeJonge and family.
- In loving memory of those who have gone before us. Given by Linda Dill & Ken Reutter.

- In honor of our loved ones. Given by Linda Dill & Ken Reutter.
- In loving memory of relatives. Given by Marge Eitzmann.
- In honor of my grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Given by Marge Eitzmann.
- In loving memory of loved ones who are no longer with us. Given by Al & Val Erickson.
- In loving memory of family, friends & fur babes. Given by Jeanne, Brian, Thera, Grayson and Angela Fisk.
- In honor of our children – Hannah & Carson, Jake and Zach, Given by Wade & Jennifer Fleischer.
- In celebration of the blessings & challenges of 2024. Given by Wade & Jennifer Fleischer.
- In honor of our children, Morgan & Brandon Savage, Whitney & Trent Hinze, Taylor & Russ Kindig, RJ & Steph Flohrs, our grandchildren, Cooper, Easton, Madyx, Dawson, Porter, Cash, Griffin, Camden, Vivian, Clay and Cali. Love you! Given by Roger & Stacy Flohrs.
- In loving memory of our parents, John & Betty Flohrs, Don & Flossie Uhrmacher, our siblings, Charlie Flohrs, Robert Flohrs, Ron & Joni Calhoun, and our niece, Sarah Uhrmacher. Given by the Roger & Stacy Flohrs.
- In loving memory of Jan's sisters, Lila Grummert and Betsy Clark. Given by Ken & Jan Franzen.
- In loving memory of Gerald Frerichs, our "Duchman" and the years God blessed us with his presence. Given by Vicky Frerichs and family.
- In loving memory of our parents, LeRoy & June Samuelson, Floyd & Lois Frerichs and our grandson, Evan Franzen. Given by Vicky Frerichs and family.
- In honor of our children, Becky & Rodney Hermann, David & Misty Gartner and Kelly & Andy Nelson, and grandchildren, who have been there for us for all these years. Love you! Given by Dave & Pat Gartner.
- Thank you to all of our volunteers who help with preparing the Ichthus meals. God Bless you all and wishing you a very Merry Christmas! Given by Dave & Pat Gartner.
- In loving memory of Kenneth & Maxine Gerloff and Herbert & Doris Bankson. Given by Jim & Allerita Gerloff.
- In loving memory of family gone but not forgotten. Given by Mike & Sheryl Haack.
- In loving memory of Les Hamburger. Given by Donna Hamburger, our children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.
- In loving Christmas memory of a very special lady, wife & mother, Shirley Harms and also my son, Steve Harms. Given by Les Harms.
- In memory of loved ones. Given by Marlin & Joan Hartman.
- In loving memory of Burdell & Dorothy Lange, Kathryn Hughes & Vicki Gustafson. Given by Mike & Connie Hartman.
- In honor of our Godchildren, Deanna Sypherd, David Hoylman, Devin Munroe, Melissa Winkler and Brad McWhirter as well as our son, Randy. Given by Dean & Karen Hawthorne.
- In loving memory of our parents & siblings, Elmo & Margaret Hawthorne, Eileen Way, Lawrence & Mildred Munroe and Larry Munroe. Given by Dean & Karen Hawthorne.
- In loving memory of Ruben & Marie Hofmann. Given by LeRoy & Carol Hofmann.
- The Christmas Trees in front of the Church are given in loving memory of John & Gesche Hohlen, William & Clara Hohlen, Karl & Mina Hohlen, Frederick & Pearl Hohlen, George Hohlen, Lloyd & Mary Hohlen, Lloyd James Hohlen, Mary Jean Hohlen, Walter & Lavon Hohlen, Karen Hohlen, Elmer & Colleen Hohlen, Howard & Carol Hohlen, Maurice Hohlen & Virginia (Hohlen) Arnold.
- Happy Birthday and Merry Christmas in heaven to our parents, Howard & Carol Hohlen. Given by Barb & Mark Hohlen.
- In loving memory of the many family members, who are no longer celebrating with us. Given by Barb & Mark Hohlen

- In loving memory of Esther Hoagland, your friendship & wisdom are missed. Given by Barb Hohlen.
- In loving memory of John S. Huffman, Merry Christmas in Heaven. Given by your loving wife, Martha Huffman.
- In loving memory of Millie Rose Janda. Given by Jeff, Kristen, Ellie, Owen, Claire & Kate Janda.
- In loving memory of Waldeen & Gladys Eigenberg. Given by Don Janssen.
- In loving memory of Dennis Janssen. Given by Geraldeen Janssen.
- In recognition of all cancer patients. Given by Craig & Lesa Kautz.
- In recognition of the dedicated doctors, nurses and staff who help cancer patients. Given by Craig & Lesa Kautz.
- In recognition for all the dedicated staff and volunteers at First St. Paul's. Given by Craig & Lesa Kautz.
- In loving memory of my husband, Marvin Kerr and my parents, Palmer & Neola Einspahr. Given by Donna Kerr.
- In honor of my children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Given by Donna Kerr.
- In loving memory of Grandma Konert and other loved ones. Given by Ed, Karen & Jamie Klein and Emily & Brandon Konert.
- In loving memory of Martha Krabel and Jack & Shirley McCallum. Given by Roger & Carmyn Krabel.
- In thankfulness of our family. Given by Roger & Carmyn Krabel.
- In honor of Vicki's mother, Barbara Hager and brother, Jeff Payne. Given by Bill & Vicki Krueger.
- In loving memory of Bill's dad, Arlon; mom, Evelyn and our grandparents. Given by Bill & Vicki Krueger.
- In loving memory of my wife, Amy Krueger. Given by Tom Krueger.
- In loving memory of Melvin & Alice Krueger. Given by Tom Krueger.
- Merry Christmas to everyone. Given by the Krull family.
- In loving memory of Richard & Wanda Langer. Given by Jerry & Deb Langer.
- In loving memory of Larry Davidson. Given by Jerry & Deb Langer.
- In loving memory of our granddaughter, Henleigh Yoachim. Given by Jerry & Deb Langer.
- In loving memory of John & Marjorie Loch and Dale & Helen Stewart. Given by Jeanne, Andrew, Jeremy, Amy, Lia, Emily & Evan Loch.
- In memory of James L. Loch. Given by Jeanne, Andrew, Jeremy, Amy, Lia, Emily & Evan Loch.
- In loving memory of Bob & Bonnie Lubken. Given by the Lubken family.
- In memory of Dee's mother, Maureen Faimon. Given by the Lubken family.
- In loving memory of Per Lysthauge, Jens & Laura Lysthauge and Leo & Ruth Richardson. Given by Gayle Lysthauge.
- In loving memory of former church members, Einer Petersen and Larry & Clara Mortensen. Given by Gayle Lysthauge.
- In loving memory of Charles Magee and other loved ones. Given by Betty Magee.
- In loving memory of Don & Phyllis Hartman with love from your family, Cindy Marr & family, Brenda Ensor & family and Sheryl Hajny & family.
- In loving memory of Bud & Nellie McGovern, R.J. & Marie Van Lengen and Susan Cox. Given by Bob & Jan McGovern.
- To remember with love my husband, Duane, son, Steve and son-in-law, Darrel Ragland. Given by Gloria Mills.
- To our beloved parents, grandparents, our son, Christopher and other loved ones. Given by Steve & Becky Mohling.
- In loving memory of our daughter, Lori Ann. We hope you are celebrating a glorious heavenly Christmas. Given by Wayne, Ila & Linda Nelson.
- In loving memory of our dad & grandpa, Brian Nollette. Love Michael, Courtney, MaKenzie & Luke Nollette.

- In loving memory of Raymond & Larry Janssen and in honor of Martha Janssen by her daughter, Phyllis Oelschlager.
- In loving memory of Lavern (Olie) & Illene Olsen and Bob & Jeanne Tharp. Given by Margaret Olsen and family.
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- In loving memory of Keith Placke. Given by Steve, Sharon, Kyle, Katie & Kelsey.
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- In loving memory of Wandalee Reinhold. Given by Janette Richardson.
- In loving memory of our parents, Clarence & Charlotte Rutt. Given by Jim & Rhonda Rutt.
- In loving memory of our parents, Dallas & Helen Bruns. Given by Jim & Rhonda Rutt.
- In loving memory of Charles & Eleanor Buss. Given by Steve & Linda Scheierman, Gloria Smith and Nellie & Matt Keller, Hadley, Rhett & Charlie.
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- In honor of our grandsons, Harrison & Preston Sjuts and Cooper & Damon Rutt. Given by Allen & Connie Sjuts.
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- In honor of Grandma Judy. Given by the Solem family.
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- In loving memory of our daughter, Tara. Given by Dennis & Brenda Stark.
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- In honor of our parents, Gene & Ruth Svoboda. Given by Steve & Amy Svoboda.
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- In loving memory of Isadore & Marilyn Jonak. Given by the Treffer family.
- In memory of our three losses this year. Given by Kevin & Carissa Uhrmacher and family.
- In loving memory of family, friends & fur babes. Given by Joe & Holly Vanderpool and family.
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- In honor and recognition of our Christian Service Members: Elvera Winbolt, Duane & Ardyce Biede, Evelyn Dravland, and Sandy Placke. Given by the LCW Group 2.
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- In honor and recognition of our Christian Service Members: Martha Janssen, Jerry & Nancy McCoy, and Marilyn Schneider. Given by the LCW Group 2.
- In honor of our Christian Service Members: Henry & Marva Potts, Delma Bartling, Donna Shoemaker, Sandy Hansen. Given by the LCW Group 2.
- In honor of our Christian Service Members: Dave & Pat Gartner, Eilene Saylor, Elmer & Barb Murman and Dennis Jay. Given by the LCW Group 2.
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- In honor of our Christian Service Members: Harry Martin, Klara McLeod, Barbara Sinner, Ruby Walker, Kelly Boom, Chuck Stowers, Pete & Sandy Mackie, and Geraldeen Janssen. Given by the LCW Group 3.