



*A note
from the pastor*

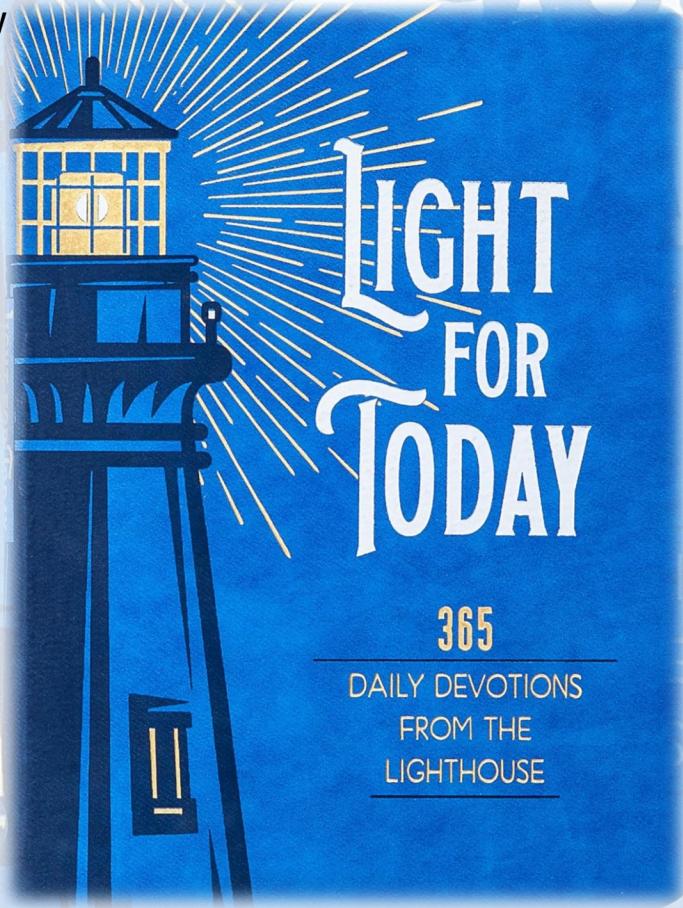


REFLECTIONS

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2026 Devotional - January 4 at 3pm (Pastor will send email zoom invitation)

A PERFECT devotional for us as a Lighthouse Congregation. Amazon has them for \$9.64. Used copies are available for around \$5. I have some copies left for those who want to do this but are not computer savvy. Readings will be each day in 2026, and once a week, we hold a Zoom meeting from our homes (with a possible same-time “group zoom” meeting at church) where we share something from the devotional that moved us, inspired us, and gave us something to think about. I love the theme of Christ as the Light of the World. I hope you will join us next year. Please send me a message if you’d like to take the journey with us with *Light for Today!* Pastor Rusty





Reception to honor drummer,

Brannon Cook

Sunday, January 4, 2026 @ 12PM (S.H.)

There will be a basket for cards
in the narthex.



Many hands make light work!

JANUARY 10 @ 9 AM

**TAKE DOWN THE
CHRISTMAS
TREE
DAY**

at the church

January 7th
2026

SAVE THE DATE!

Wonderful WEDNESDAY

🍴 Dinner starts at 6:00 p.m., and program at 6:45 p.m. The best part? For just \$7 per adult, you'll enjoy a hearty meal and a night full of fun, fellowship, and inspiration. **First-time visitors and children eat FREE!** It's a deal you won't find anywhere else!

MidWeek

BIBLE STUDY

Methodism
Teacher: Laurie Fite

2026 Combined Sundays

DAY	DATE	LOCATION	TIME	NOTES
Sunday	01-04	Sanctuary	11:00 AM	Communion
Sunday	02-01	Bridge	9:30 AM	Communion
Wednesday	02-18	Sanctuary	6:30 PM	Ash Wednesday
Sunday	03-01	Bridge	9:30 AM	Communion
Thursday	04-02	Sanctuary	6:30 PM	Maundy Thursday
Friday	04-03	Bridge	12:00 PM	Good Friday
Sunday	05-03	Sanctuary	11:00 AM	Communion
Sunday	06-07	Bridge	9:30 AM	Communion
Sunday	07-05	Sanctuary	11:00 AM	Communion
Sunday	08-02	Bridge	9:30 AM	Communion
Sunday	08-16	Sanctuary	11:00 AM	Homecoming
Sunday	09-06	Bridge	9:30 AM	Communion
Sunday	10-04	Sanctuary	11:00 AM	Communion / Consecration Sun.
Sunday	11-01	Bridge	9:30 AM	All Saints / Communion
Sunday	11-24	Sanctuary	6:30 PM	Thanksgiving
Sunday	12-06	Bridge	9:30 AM	Advent 2 / Communion
Thursday	12-24	Bridge	6:30 PM	Christmas Eve

2026 Wednesday Kids Programming 5PM - 6PM

WED. DATE	ACTIVITY	COORD.	SAFE SANCTUARY PERSON	BIBLE LESSON TEACHER
1/7	Craft	Jane Pingley	Bob & Carlie Stevens	Pastor
1/14	Bookmark Craft	Chelsey Brilliandt	Bob & Carlie Stevens	Pastor
1/21	Learning Song for Bridge Performance on 2/1	Adelaide Kiser	Bob & Carlie Stevens	Pastor
1/28	Learning Song for Bridge Performance on 2/1	Adelaide Kiser	Bob & Carlie Stevens	Pastor
2/4	Valentine Craft	Debbie Gantt	Nona Walser	Pastor
2/11	Valentine Cards	Ann Shaver	Nona Walser	Pastor
2/25	Cooking Class	Joyce McKenzie	Nona Walser	Pastor
3/4	Last Supper Play Practice	Pastor	Chris & Gerri Trabookis	Pastor
3/11	Last Supper Play Practice	Pastor	Chris & Gerri Trabookis	Pastor
3/18	Last Supper Play Practice	Pastor	Chris & Gerri Trabookis	Pastor
3/25	Last Supper Play Practice	Pastor	Chris & Gerri Trabookis	Pastor
4/15	“Junior Trustees Month”: Safety / First Aid	Geno Cope	Sandy Davis	Pastor
4/22	“Junior Trustees Month”: Cleaning the Sanctuary	Gene Turner	Sandy Davis	Pastor
4/29	“Junior Trustees Month”: Cleaning the Bridge	Gene Turner	Sandy Davis	Pastor
5/6	VBS Planning Session with the Kids	Pastor and All volunteers	Sandy Davis	Pastor



Upcoming Events

Thursday, January 1, 2026—Office Closed!

Friday, January 2, 2026

Saturday, January 3, 2026

7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

Sunday, January 4, 2026

9:30 a.m.—10:30 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Combined Service (Sanctuary)

3:00 p.m. Zoom Devotional (*Light for Today*)

Monday, January 5, 2026

Tuesday, January 6, 2026

6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m. Quilters Guild (S.H.)

6:30 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Gamblers Anonymous

Wednesday, January 7, 2026

8:30 a.m. Men's Sharing Group (S.H.)

9:45 p.m.—10:45 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

5:00 p.m. Kids Program (Bridge)

6:00 p.m. Wonderful Wednesday Meal (S.H.)

6:45 p.m. Methodism Study (S.H.)

Thursday, January 8, 2026

6:00 p.m.—7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

Friday, January 2, 2026

Saturday, January 3, 2026

7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous

Sunday, January 4, 2026

9:30 a.m.—10:30 a.m. Sunday School

9:30 a.m. Contemporary Service (Bridge)

10:30 a.m. Coffee & Refreshments (Bridge)

11:00 a.m. Traditional Service (Sanctuary)



Church Staff

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To add to or delete from the list,
please call the church office.

Special Prayer Requests

Harry & Betty Johansen

Wayne Dorr & Family

Eddie Smith & Family

Steve Frantz

Gene & Nancy Johnson

Joan Davis

Geno Cope

Jimmy Gaddy

Jim Crain

Linda Black

Max & Susan Cromer

Mary Jo Gay

Mel Casby

Residential Care

Linda Black, Bob & Ellen Elson,
Jim Crain, Annette Hunter,
Natalie Smith, Gene Johnson &
Sadie Murphy

At Home

Ann Huntley (with daughter)

Extended Family

Mother of: Tammy Brown

Father of: Marc Turcotte, Karen

Turner

Brother of: Vicky Williams

Nephew of: Linda Black,

Mckelvie Wilder, Sandy & Joan
Davis

Niece of: Laurie Fite, Gene

Turner

Family of: Don Sandor, Patsy

Kleman, Carol Hyde

Friends of:

Sandy & Joan Davis, Debbie
Gantt, Jane Pingley, Elizabeth
Lowrey, Gail Bachman, Wayne &
Denise Dorr, Alida Weber, Mike
Martin, Trace Silvers



Christmas Eve Service—

December 28, 2025

Contemporary Service—25

Traditional Service—38

2025 Tithes & Offerings

Thank you for giving toward
the budget. Your faithfulness
is much appreciated.

12/07/25	\$4,555.00
12/14/25	\$6,085.00
12/21/25	\$5,438.00
12/28/25	\$1,071.00
Total	\$17,149.00

Prefer to pay your tithe online?



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