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NORMANDALE
LUTHERAN CHURCH

WORDS
FOR THE **BEGINNING**

Worshiping with all of our senses - Advent
Liturgical color: Blue

Advent is a season of endings & beginnings. The calendar year draws to a close as a new church year begins. As a congregation, we look to our past with gratitude as we look ahead to our 75th anniversary year. In this season, we prepare for Christ's birth at Christmas, which brings us new ways of living & loving.

This Advent is filled with blessings & words of hope we need to hear again & again. As we move through new chapters individually & together, may these words for the beginning renew us & remind us of the ways we are called to live out our faith. You're invited to enter this Advent season as if you are entering a sacred new chapter, holding fast to the reminders that will bolster you for the journey ahead.

Enjoy Delicious Food on Wednesday

COMMUNITY MEALS
Every Wednesday
5:00 - 6:30pm

\$8 (ages 16+) \$5 (ages 3-15) 3 & under FREE

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- Spaghetti & Meatballs
- Roasted Vegetables
- Fresh Salad & Fruit
- Freshly Baked Cookies

Come to Preschool's Christmas Chapel

**Normandale Preschool & Blessing Place
Christmas Chapel**

**Thursday,
December 19**



10:30am

All are welcome!



Shop for Gifts at the Bazaar After Worship



NORMANDALE

LUTHERAN CHURCH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

DECEMBER 8 & 15 | 9AM - NOON | ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY



Learn More About This Amazing Trip!

Travel to Guatemala

June 14-24, 2025*

*Travel dates subject to change



Information Session

Sunday, December 15

10:45-11:30am



Wonderful Seasonal Music This Afternoon!

Stories of the Season



The
APOLLO
Club

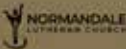
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Sunday, December 15

2:30 - 4:30pm

Sanctuary

Get your tickets today!



Christmas Eve Worship Times!

**Christmas Eve
Candlelight Worship**

December 24, 2024

3:30pm

5:00pm

9:00pm

Family-Oriented

Holy Communion



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**Christmas Day
Worship**
December 25, 2024
9:30am

Lessons and Carols
with Holy Communion



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NORMANDALE LUTHERAN CHURCH



**WINTER
RETREAT**



**COST
\$125**



**WEEKEND
31-2
JAN/FEB**

Come out of hibernation! Come to Camp Vermillion!

In Remembrance of Our Beloved



With humble acceptance of God's will, we announce the passing of Miriam "Mim" Manfred, which occurred on November 28.

A memorial service celebrating Mim's life is expected to be held in late January; we will share those details once they are determined.

If you register and pay-in-full before 2025, you'll save \$25.00 dollars on your cost. Come for the games, cocoa, stargazing, & discussion about Jesus's Sermon on the Mount.

**This Week at Normandale Lutheran Church
December 16 - December 22, 2024**

Monday, December 16th 5:30pm - 6:30pm 7:00pm - 8:00pm	Finance Committee Meeting Executive Committee Meeting	Studio A Fireside Room
Tuesday, December 17th 9:00am - 9:20am 9:30am - 10:45am 4:30pm - 6:00pm 6:30pm - 7:30pm 7:00pm - 8:30pm	Prayers for Peace Worship Planning Team Meeting Normandale House Board Meeting Alcoholic Anonymous Church Council	Chapel Choir Conference Room Studio A Room 207 Studio A
Wednesday, December 18th 12:00pm - 1:00pm 5:00pm - 6:30pm 5:00pm - 5:45pm 5:15pm - 6:00pm 5:40pm - 6:20pm 5:45pm - 6:30pm 6:30pm - 7:00pm 7:10pm - 8:00pm 6:45pm - 7:45pm 6:45pm - 7:45pm 7:30pm - 9:00pm 8:00pm - 9:00pm	Al-Anon Community Meal Cherub Choir Rehearsal Brass Quintet Youth Choir Children's Choir Rehearsal Advent Midweek Vespers Worship Normandale Choir Rehearsal SPARK (Grades 5 & 6) IGNITE (Grades 7 & 8) AA Meeting ABLAZE (Grades 9-12)	Multi Purpose North Fellowship Room Multi-Purpose South Balcony Rehearsal Room (3rd Floor) Multi-Purpose South Sanctuary Rehearsal Room (3rd Floor) Room 209-211 Chapel Studio A Fishbowl
Thursday, December 19th 10:30am - 12:00pm 5:45pm - 6:45pm	Preschool & Blessing Place Christmas Program Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary, Fireside Room Multi-Purpose Room North
Friday, December 20th	<i>No events planned.</i>	
Saturday, December 21st	<i>No events planned.</i>	
Sunday, December 22nd 9:30am - 10:30am 11:30am - 1:00pm	Worship Virtual Coffee Hour	Sanctuary Zoom (Virtual)