

## Worship Duty Schedule

	December 24		December 25	January 1
	5:30 pm	8:00 pm	11:00 am	11:00 am
Asst. Minister	M. Minard	T. Fawley	J. Clark	L. Marquis
A. Comm. Assist	C. Ekenberg	A. Robinson	---	S. Harklau
A. Comm. Assist	K. Ekenberg	K. Robinson	---	M. Ellis
Y. Comm. Assist	B. Ekenberg	T. Robinson	---	S. Harklau
Y. Comm. Assist	B. Ekenberg	K. Robinson	---	J. Harklau
Greeter/Usher	Grieser/Fawley	Minard	TBA	Adams/Grentz
Flowers	---	---	Langford	TBA
Welcome Table	D. Phillips	D. Phillips	D. Phillips	D. Phillips
Sound Board	L. Fillgrove	B. O'Neal/ C. O'Neal	C. Clark	D. Barnes
Projectionist	---	---	S. Frohreich/ M. Landau	D. Adams
Nursery	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA

Our monthly newsletter, the **Reveler**, goes out on the 25th of each month via email. The deadline for news items is the **20th of each month**. Copies are also available in the hallway. Items for **Trumpet Notes** are due no later than **noon on Wednesdays**. Send to: [communications@rejoicelutheran.com](mailto:communications@rejoicelutheran.com)

## Worship Attendance

### Sunday, December 18

8:30 am Traditional Service 60  
11:00 am Celebration Service 120



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*Rejoice Lutheran*

## Trumpet Notes

*December 24 & 25, 2011*

The **Trumpet Notes** and other church-related news/info can be found on our church website: [www.RejoiceLutheran.com](http://www.RejoiceLutheran.com)

### Weekly Calendar

**Saturday, December 24**  
5:30 pm Traditional Service  
8:00 pm Traditional Service  
**Sunday, December 25**  
11:00 am Traditional Service  
**Thursday, December 29**  
12:00 pm Hannah's Huddle  
**Sunday, January 1**  
11:00 am Celebration Service

### CHRISTMAS SERVICES

**Christmas Eve Services:**  
**5:30 pm** (Family-oriented Lessons and Carols Candlelight Service)  
**8:00 pm** (Lessons and Carols Candlelight Service)  
**Christmas Day Service:**  
**11:00 am** (Service of the Word with Lessons and Carols)



### The Christmas Card Post Office

is set up in the West Fellowship Room. Bring your cards for Rejoice families and "mail" them in the hanging file folder set up for each Rejoice Family.  
*Be sure to check your folder each week for your mail.*

### Is Parking a little tight?

If you are unable to find a parking space on our lot on Christmas Eve, you may park at the Hindu Temple next door. We have a mutual agreement with them for overflow parking.



Parking attendants may also be directing people to park on the grass next to our facility.

**TO ALL REJOICE FAMILIES:**  
The Outreach Team would like to give you an update of everything you have helped us with during the year 2011.

We appreciate your help in accomplishing all that was done. Without **you** we could not have been so successful!!

In June, July & August we collected the Back to School Supplies which raised a total of \$993.00.

In October we raised \$1,338.00 for Clothe-a-Child.

In November we distributed Thanksgiving baskets with a total of \$900.00.

In December the Angel Tree helped over 300 people receive gifts and toys.

When we ask, are always there to help. Thank you to all our Rejoice Families for your support!

Let's us all be thankful as we celebrate the birth of our Savior. May you all have a joyous Christmas and many blessings in the New Year.

Rejoice Outreach Team  
Peggy Snyder  
Kristene Hostenske

*New Years Day service will be held at 11:00 am.*



*The church office will be closed December 23rd and December 26th.*

### 2012 Flower Chart Now Available

The new Flower Chart is now available on the sign-up table in the Hallway. Flowers will be purchased and placed on the altar for you.

Your name and event/loved one will be placed in the Trumpet Notes.



## Prayers

### Prayer List

Ray R. by Jerry and Rachelle P.  
 Lavinia S. by Connie N.  
 Monique R. by Maija E.  
 Kaden T. by Stephanie W.  
 Becca C. by Judy and Clay C.  
 Gerald O.  
 Neil H.  
 Jerry P.  
 Edie F.  
 Dave F. by Barb F.  
 Marilyn N.  
 Caleh S. by Candy F.  
 Samantha S.  
 Family and Friends of Pastor John V.  
 Family and Friends of Jim B.  
 Family and Friends of Kathryn H.



Prayer Request

*Last names are not published for privacy purposes.*

### Prayers for the Military

Brian T.  
 Justin R.  
 Stephanie T.



Together the Northern Texas and Northern Louisiana Mission Territory prays for each of its congregations and ministries on a rotating basis throughout the year.

*This week we pray for:*

Grace Lutheran Church in Abilene,  
 Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church in Amarillo,  
 and the Greater Fort Worth Conference

## Prayer Request

If you have a request for *Prayers of the People* (spoken during services) or a confidential prayer request, please contact Sandra Gass at [gass@att.net](mailto:gass@att.net).



Stephen Ministry is a confidential ministry: The identity of those receiving care and what takes place in each caring relationship remain private.



Contact Jan Fischer  
 Or  
 Bruce Grentz

*"As I have loved you, so you must love one another."*  
 -John 13:34b

## Youth News



### CONFIRMATION

Classes will resume Jan 4th.

### Flamingo Victim of the Week

#### THE MINARD'S

The Youth Group would like to thank the Fawley's, the Grieser's and the Minard's for their support!!



### SUNDAY NIGHT LIVE!

Jr. & Sr. High  
 Youth Gathering



Jan. 8th & 22nd  
 5-7 PM IN YOUTH ROOM

## Congregational News

### Find Important Information Online!

The Rejoice Calendar, Trumpet Notes, the Reveler, Ministry Information, and much more are available at:

[www.rejoicelutheran.com](http://www.rejoicelutheran.com)



Church Financial Reports and the Rejoice Directory are available on our website by using the log-in tab.

Sign up for **Simply Giving**  
 Electronic fund transfers make giving easier for you and budgeting easier for Rejoice.

Forms are on the Stewardship Table.



## SCRIP AND KROGER GIFT CARDS

Did you know that the sales of **SCRIP** and **Kroger** gift cards benefit our youth? **SCRIP** and **Kroger** gift cards may be purchased each Sunday between services in the Lobby **AMC THEATRES**.



**SCRIP Gift Cards may great Christmas gifts!!**

For a list of all SCRIP retailers:  
[www.shopwithscrip.com/shop](http://www.shopwithscrip.com/shop)



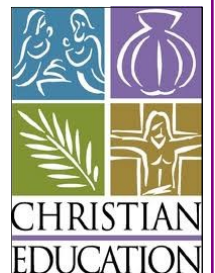
### Christian Education for

Pre K-8th grade is on break. Classes will resume **January 8th**. The next SPARK unit "The Disciples" begins Jan. 8th. Workshop packets and sign-up sheets are available in the Hallway.

**Please see Charlene Minard with questions.**

## Adult Education Class

Meets at 9:45 am (between services) every Sunday in the Sanctuary. Learn about and gain a greater understanding of scripture in this informal setting.



**Adult Education classes will not meet on Dec. 25th or Jan. 1st.**

## Announcements



Today's altar flowers are provided by Langford Family in honor of Christ's birth.