



# SOUTHRIDGE CHURCH

## ANNOUNCEMENTS | NOVEMBER 26, 2023

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### THIS SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE – November 26, 2023

- 9 AM – Family Bible Study
- 10 AM – Thanksgiving Sunday Worship
- 10:45 AM – Food & Fellowship
- 11:00 AM – Christmas Decorating
- 11:30 AM – Youth Catechism Class

### NEXT SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE – December 3, 2023

- 9:30 AM – Celebration of the Lord's Supper
- 10 AM – Sunday Worship
- 10:45 AM – Food & Fellowship
- 11:30 AM – Youth Catechism Class

**CHRISTMAS DECORATING – HELPERS WANTED** Following the time of after-worship and fellowship on Sunday, (around 11:00a), we will be decorating our facilities for the Advent/Christmas Season. We would love to have some assistance as there is much to do. If you or your family are willing to help, simply plan to stay a little bit longer after worship this Sunday. There are people who will be able to direct you to where help is needed. Feel free to leave whenever necessary.

**CHRISTMAS STORE** The Christmas store is an annual opportunity for our preschoolers to purchase gifts for their families at a small price. If you'd like to help make this a fun event, here's what we need: Donations of new or very gently used items to be sold in the store. Alternatively, you can donate cash to Brigetta for purchases. Items should cater to all age groups, both male and female. You can drop off your contributions in the wrapped box located in the office next to Michelle's desk, no later than 12/12. The proceeds from this event will be used to support women & children through Grace Kitchen. We were able to bless many families last year through this ministry and are excited to do it again. The store will be open 12/14 & 12/15 for the preschool, and open to our congregation & foster families on Sunday, 12/17, following the Christmas program. Your support is greatly appreciated!

**CHRISTMAS CONCERT** Jenny & Tyler, a married folk/pop duo hailing from Nashville, will share their music at Southridge Church on Tuesday, December 19, at 7p. Featuring songs from their Christmas records Love Came Down: A Christmas EP and Christmas Stories, Jenny & Tyler also look forward to taking requests, sharing behind-the-song stories and engaging in dialogue in this concert experience. Free-will donations will be directed to Grace Kitchen for this event. Grace Kitchen is a nonprofit that offers hope and opportunity for lasting change to women survivors of trafficking, addiction, homelessness, and poverty by fostering a community of grace where women learn job and life skills that enable them to gain sustainable employment and a secure future for themselves and their children. As a part of this event, some women will share their story on how Grace Kitchen has impacted their life. Tickets are free but required to attend. [Get them HERE](#). Act now – the event is expected to “sell” out.

**THE GIVING TREE** The Giving Tree is a way our congregation seeks to offer support around the Christmas season to those in our community who could use a little extra. This Giving Tree is now in our entryway and filled with tags. Simply take a tag with needed items printed on it, purchase the item(s), and return them wrapped with tag attached by December 10. Feel free to take as many tags as you like. Thank you!

**GET INVOLVED** [Southridge Church Serving Opportunities](#). Click that previous link or check the table in the entryway of church to see what's needed and to consider how you might get more involved.

**MORE WAYS TO GIVE** We have added some easier ways to make use of digital giving which will also give supporters ways of making recurring donations. You can make use of these by visiting the donate page on our website: [www.southridge-church.com/donate/](http://www.southridge-church.com/donate/) or by texting "give" to 509-519-3030. Thank you!

**HAVE AN ANNOUNCEMENT TO SHARE?** Call 509-783-7265 or email [office@southridge-church.com](mailto:office@southridge-church.com).



**Average Weekly Need - \$7,250 | Average Monthly Need - \$31,500 | Average Quarterly Need - \$94,500**  
**Meeting these needs for the rest of the year, allows us to meet our original 2023 annual need - \$324K.**

SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS		
Position	Next week – November 26	Next week – December 3
Greeter(s)	Anja, Ronan, Kara Luttmann	Still needed
Usher(s)	Juergens Family	John P & Larry E.
Food Host(s)	Luttmann Family	Still needed
Altar/Communion Prep	n/a	Nancy Johnson
Audio/Video	Zack Penland	Zack Penland
Children's Ministry	Chuck & Char Ledford	Boston B. & Reagan J.