

SALEM NEWS & EVENTS

You may email bulletin announcements to Office@SalemLutheranGlendale.org by Wed. PM for publication.



2004 Offering Envelopes are Available

Please pick up your envelopes in the narthex

Pledges for 2004 may still be mailed to the church office or emailed to TJ Denton at SalemLutheranPledge@hotmail.com. If you have not done so, please prayerfully consider pledging so that we may have a better base in which to plan our ministries the coming year.

ADVENT for EVERYONE Begins TODAY * 10:00 am

An Intergenerational Event for all Adults and Children

Join us in the Fellowship Hall during the Sunday School hour for an exciting study and fellowship experience designed to teach us about the powerful season of Advent, all the while getting to know each other and having fun doing it. This first week we will hear from Pastor Banke on the meaning of Advent, make Advent wreaths for our homes and receive a resource to help us experience this great season in our own homes. Advent for Everyone will continue each Sunday in Advent.



Sunday, December 7 (2nd Sunday in Advent): We will be making greeting cards for Solheim Lutheran Home. **Please donate old or used cards to be recycled for this project.** You may leave them in the church office, then join us at the Sunday School hour to complete the project for our seniors.



TODAY: Please sign-up to purchase gifts for the Adopt-a-Family program and Hillside School. Please see Pam Shea at the table on Sundays, or call her or Diane Haig for more information. Adopt-a-Family is a program through the Salvation Army that helps to provide children of the "working poor" a better Christmas. Hillside is a school for troubled children and adolescents.

Please help give these children a blessed Christmas by sponsoring a child with a gift.

There will be NO Wednesday evening Bible Introduction class through December. There will be Bible Topic Study Thursdays, Decembers 4, 11 & 18.

YOUTH NEWS: The Youth will not be selling wreaths this year. We are trying a new fundraiser called "Rent a Youth." December 6th is the day the youth will help you decorate, baby sit, address Christmas cards, etc. **YOU MAY SIGN-UP TODAY!**



Cuisine of the Month – Sunday, December 14 * 1:00 pm

For our next event, we will be dining at the **Tam O'Shanter** (2980 Los Feliz Blvd., Los Angeles), for a very special holiday lunch. Prices run from \$14-30 per person. This fellowship is open to all ages, individuals as well as families. Please let us know you will be joining us by signing up by December 7. A \$2 gratuity fee is also requested at sign up.

You May Support Salem's Exciting 2004 Concert Series

At this year's Christmas Concert, we will again observe the wonderful Salem tradition of giving away the offering to a worthy charitable organization (Food for Body & Soul). However, there are expenses for things like instrumentalists and publicity. If you would like to help us with a contribution, please place it in an envelope with your **Name, Amount and the designation "Salem Concert Series."** All donations of record above \$25 will be gratefully acknowledged in the program