

Resurrection Evangelical Lutheran Church

Sunday, December 14, 2025 – **Third Sunday of Advent**

** PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE*

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN HYMNAL - SETTINGS 3 & 6

GATHERING

PRELUDE *O Come, All Ye Faithful*

MISSION MOMENT- Messiah Concert

NEW AND GOOD

ADVENT WREATH LIGHTING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

*OPENING HYMN **ELW 242** *Awake! Awake, and Greet the New Morn*

*GREETING

*KYRIE

*HYMN OF PRAISE *Glory to God*

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

(Children will be dismissed for Children's Church, they will return during the peace.)

WORD

*PSALM- (Congregation reads responsively) **Psalm 63:1-8**

*WORD **Isaiah 55:1-13**

ANTHEM *Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring*

SERMON Pastor Dave Kamphuis

*HYMN OF THE DAY- (see print out) *God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen*

INSTALLATION OF CHURCH COUNCIL

*APOSTLE'S CREED

*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*SHARE THE PEACE

OFFERING *Meditation on "Veni Emmanuel"* Marty Bretz, Euphonium

*OFFERING PRAYER

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*HYMN *Holy, Holy, Holy*

*LORD'S PRAYER

*INVITATION TO COMMUNION

*COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION *Lamb of God & Away in a Manger*

*POST COMMUNION BLESSING

*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING

*SENDING HYMN ELW 256 *Comfort, Comfort Now My People*

*BLESSING

*DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE Meditation on “Veni Emmanuel” Marty Bretz, Euphonium

Serving During Worship Today

Presider and Pastor – Pastor Dave Kamphuis

Pastoral Intern - Vicar Keith Monroe

Assisting Minister- John VanVleet

Lector – Shirley Rush

Children’s Church Leader – Kathy Rotolo

Advent Wreath reader and candle lighter- Bob and Sue Owen

Greeter- Janet Poulson

Ushers- Del Boring

Music – Dr. Jae Hyeong Park, Xiao Liu, RELC Choir, and Praise Team

Media Team Directing –Drew Nelsen;

Media Team Slides ~Mike Tumeo; In-House Sound ~ Kate Venable; Hosting

~Drew Dittmar; Streaming Audio/Video ~Billy Eymold; Back-up- Todd Daniels

***Please continue to notify the office of any rehearsal changes,
ministry meetings or events.**

Especially as the holidays approach. Thank You!

office@relc.org or call 614-876-7926

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Messiah Concert** tonight, December 14th at 4:00pm for a special musical celebration featuring the Collegium Musicum of Ohio Orchestra along with vocal soloists. This is a free program in the worship life center, but donations are accepted. Reception after in narthex.
- Pastor Dave will be taking over Adult Education again on Sunday Mornings at 9am. Vicar Keith is going to work with the RELC youth. Please come and join us for Sunday morning education.
- ELCA Advent Calendars are in the narthex, please take one home.
- **2026 Offering Envelopes are available and in the narthex.** If you don't want it or need one and did not get one, please talk to Andy Ohler or reach out to Katherine in the church office.
- **We are sponsoring a couple families for Christmas as well as collecting coffee for FELC.** Please see the board in the narthex, take a tag to purchase gift and bring back to office by 12/21.
- **Final Mid-Week Advent Service** 12/17 with a meal at 6:45pm and a service led by Vicar Keith in the WLC at 7:15pm. See Vicar Keith for a book of your very own to keep.
- **LSS is doing the 12 days of Christmas** and we are collecting items like (coats, pants, deodorant, body wash, baby wipes.. etc) see list and place in donation station in narthex. **We need to have all these items brought into the church by 12/18** so Barb can take them.
- **Evangelism Team Outing 1/3/26 to see the Columbus Blue Jackets against the Buffalo Sabers at 3pm.** Tickets are be \$29. If you already signed up, please turn in money to the church office to officially RSVP on or before December 14th. Katherine has a list and these checks can be made out to RELC. Questions see Michael Boring or Kathy Rotolo.
- **Red Cross Blood Drive 12/18 from 11-5pm** at RELC in the WLC. Please call 1-800-RED CROSS or visit [RedCrossBlood.org](https://www.RedCrossBlood.org) and enter: RELC to schedule an appointment.
- **And we always need people to sign up to lead Children's Church too.** Lessons will be provided as needed. Please see Katherine in the office or email her at office@RELC.org
- **Men's Bible Study 12/20 at 8:30 am in Room 7.** All fellas are welcome.
- **Prayer Shawl Ministry Team is in need of more shawls.** Please help us out making a few extra if you can this season and see Barb if you need supplies.
- **Blue Christmas Service, Saturday 12/20 at 7pm in the RELC Chapel.** Not streamed.
- **Christmas Eve Service 12/24 at 7pm in the WLC.** This service will be live streamed and recorded. RELC Choir, Fishermen and a band will all be a part of the special music being shared. Join us in person or online at www.RELC.org. Log in and say hi if you are virtual.
- **Church Office will be closed 12/25-12/26 and again on 1/1-1/2.**

This Week at RELC

Sunday 12/14	7:30am	First English Breakfast (First English Lutheran Church, 1015 E. Main St)
	8:30am	Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
	9:00am	Education Hour - Adult Education (Room 7) and Godly Play
	9:00am	Praise Band Rehearsal (WLC)
	9:15-9:40am	Media Sound Check (WLC)
	10:00am	3rd Sunday of Advent Worship Service w/ Communion (WLC)
	11:15am	Q&A; Pastor and the Recovering Heretic (WLC)
	11:15am	Handbell Choir (Choir Room)
	11:30am	CenterPoint Church rental (Chapel and classrooms (3-6:30pm))
	1:00pm	Messiah Concert Dress Rehearsal (WLC)
	2:30pm	CenterPoint Church rental (Chapel and classrooms (3-6:30pm))
	4:00pm	Messiah Concert (WLC)
Monday 12/15	5:30pm	B.O.L.D Food Pantry (church parking lot)
Tuesday 12/16	11:00am	In Person Co-Ed Bible Study (Room 7)
	7:00pm	Cub Scout Pack 672 Meeting (WLC, Classrooms)
	7:00pm	Church Council Meeting (Church Office)
	8:00pm	Intern Committee Meeting (Zoom)
Wednesday 12/17	6:30pm	Boy Scout Troop 672 Meeting (WLC, Classrooms)
	6:45pm	Mid-Week Advent Meal (Narthex)
	7:15pm	Mid-Week Advent Service (WLC)
Thursday 12/18	11-5pm	Red Cross Blood Drive (WLC)
	4:30pm	Co-Ed Zoom Bible Study (Zoom) see PD for link
	6:30pm	Fishermen Practice (Choir Room)
	7:00pm	RELC Choir Rehearsals (Choir Room)
Friday 12/19		
Saturday 12/20	8:30am	Men's Bible Study (Room 7)
	9:30am	BOLD Prep (Room 6 & 7)
	7:00pm	Blue Christmas Service with communion (Chapel)
Sunday 12/21	8:30am	Choir Practice (Choir Room or WLC)
	9:00am	Education Hour – Godly Play, Big Bang, & Adult Education (Room 7)
	9:00am	Praise Band Rehearsal (WLC)
	9:15-9:40am	Media Sound Check (WLC)
	10:00am	4th Sunday of Advent worship service with Communion (WLC)
	11:15am	Q&A: Pastor and the Recovering Heretic (WLC)
	11:15am	Handbell Choir Practice (Choir Room)
	11:30am	CenterPoint Church rental (Chapel and classrooms (3-6:30pm))
	2:30pm	CenterPoint Church rental (Chapel and classrooms (3-6:30pm))
	6-9pm	Private Basketball Rental (WLC)
Monday 12/22		Newsletter Articles and Pictures Due
	5:30pm	B.O.L.D Food Pantry (church parking lot)
Tuesday 12/23	11:00am	In Person Co-Ed Bible Study (Room 7)
Wednesday 12/24	7:00pm	Christmas Eve Service with communion and special music (WLC)
12/25-12/26		Church Office Closed

We need your help to sponsor a couple families this Christmas!

Join the First English Coffee Club!
This Christmas, we want more coffee.
Give \$25, \$50 or \$100 directly to help
us share over 5000 cups of coffee with
our neighbors in 2026!



Please see the names and gift wishes attached. Please remove one if you plan to purchase it and return the tag with item so the office can sort gifts.

We are also helping First English get more coffee. Scan the QR or take a tag.

See poster in the narthex.

You are invited to join us on Wednesday for a light meal and fellowship, followed by Advent services.

The meal will be at 6:45 p.m.,
and worship will be at 7:15 p.m.



Collegium Musicum of Ohio
Vocale
HANDEL'S
MESSIAH
DECEMBER
SUNDAY 14 4PM
2025
RELC WLC
3500 MAIN ST HILLIARD
OH, 43026







Dr. Jae Park
Conductor

Xiao Liu
Soprano

Yan Yu
Alto

Leo Wang
Tenor

Will Schott
Bass

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12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS!
Choose one day, or all twelve, to support residents in shelter this holiday season!

1 MEN'S COATS (SIZES S-3XL, NEW OR GENTLY USED)	7 BODY WASH (GENDER-NEUTRAL)
2 MEN'S SWEATSHIRTS (SIZES M-3XL)	8 LOTION (GENDER-NEUTRAL)
3 ADULT ATHLETIC PANTS (SIZES S-3XL)	9 BABY BOTTLES & SIPPY CUPS
4 MEN'S UNDERWEAR (SIZES S-3XL)	10 BABY WIPES AND DIAPER CREAM
5 ADULT FLEECE AND INSULATED GLOVES	11 BATH TOWELS AND WASHCLOTHS
6 MEN'S DEODORANT	12 HOUSEHOLD SIZED CLEANING SUPPLIES

Please drop off donations at 217 N. Grant Ave. (at the McKee Alley door) by Friday, Dec. 19. We are open from 11AM - 3 PM on Fridays or by appointment. We will be closed from Dec. 20 through Jan. 8. All items must be new or unused unless otherwise noted. Thank you!



GIVE SOMETHING
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Blood Drive
Resurrection Evangelical Lutheran Church

3500 Main Street
Hilliard, OH 43026

Thursday, December 18, 2025
11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: RELC to schedule an appointment.

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.

Give a gift, get a gift! Give blood 12/18-19 & get a \$15 Amazon Gift Card by email: rcblod.org/gifts



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