

November 30, 2025

WEEKLY SUNDAY WORSHIP:



10 am at our St. Peter's campus. If you are unable to join us in person, please join us for our livestream service on Facebook: United Lutheran Church of Long Island or use QR code

Please visit our combined website @ https://www.mnys.org/unitedlutheranli/ for information on events and service times.



MIDWEEK SERVICES 12/3, 12/10, 12/17

6:30 pm
"Soup and Service"
@ King of Kings Campus

St. Peter's Brass will be playing at the lighting of the Christmas tree in Huntington Village on 12/6 beginning at 2:30 pm.

LI ReSound Bell Ensemble Christmas Concert 12/7 - 2 pm in St. Peter's sanctuary

LIGMC Concert 12/7 7pm at St. John's Episcopal

CAROLING – Saturday, 12/13, 1 pm beginning at St. Peter's



It is time to decorate the ULC sanctuaries for Christmas!

Everyone is invited to help with this spirit-lifting tradition! Join friends at Gloria Dei on Saturday, December 13th at

10:00am to help decorate and share a light lunch. Then on **December 14**th, **following worship**, **stay and help decorate St. Peter's**, while indulging in some pre-Christmas pizza! Everyone is welcome to help anywhere they can; it's an "**all hands-on deck**" event for the ULC! Questions? Laurie Haddock 631-804-7589 or Kevin Smuss 631-484-5534

Gingerbread/Game Day, Sunday, 12/14, 2-4 pm @ St. Peter's

"Soup for the Soul" 12/20, 10 – noon @ St. Peter's

Respite – Children's Activities, 12/20, 2-5 pm @ St. Peter's

Cookie Swap @ Coffee Hour- Sunday, 12/21

Blue Christmas Service 7pm 12/21 @ Cross of Christ, Babylon



PROJECT TOY! The ULC will once again participate in TRI-CYA's holiday toy drive! This organization serves families in need in our community. **Project Toy** gives parents the opportunity to "shop" for

two new, unwrapped gifts, for each of their children. Collection boxes are in the narthex at St. Peter's. A small box is also there for gift card donations. We will be collecting now, through December 14th. A list of gift ideas is also in the narthex. There is a challenge to provide ageappropriate gifts for children aged 12-16; consider donating gift cards so the children can shop for items that interest them. Thank you for your generosity! Questions? Ask Sandy Dietrich, Kathy Readinger or Janet Frohlich.

LAST DAY TO ORDER CHRISTMAS WREATHS:



ULC's 2026 Guatemala Mission Team will be selling beautifully decorated, fragrant balsam wreaths to decorate your home for the season. All proceeds will go to help fund the team's efforts. **Wreaths**

are \$25 each. Orders will be taken after worship. You may also order your wreath during the week by calling St. Peter's church office at 631 423-1013. Questions? Call Jane Maresco at 631 357 1072. Pick-up Dec. 7th after worship.



CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Christmas Eve 4 pm
@ Gloria Dei
Christmas Eve 9 pm
@ St. Peter's
Christmas Day 10 am
@ Gloria Dei
Lessons & Carols 12/28 10 am
@ St. Peter's

ELCA GOOD GIFTS: Looking for a gift for that person who has everything? Or a stocking stuffer for that special loved one?

ELCA Good Gifts offers many ways to honor friends and loved ones with gifts that will make a difference in the world. With more than 60 giving options – from 10 little chicks to help a family escape poverty to a scholarship to help a young leader attend an ELCA seminary – there's something for everyone on your list. Check out ELCA.org/goodgifts or call 800-638-3522. Gifts are tax-deductible.

SUPPORT GROUP - during the holiday season, a support group will be held to gather, listen, pray and provide support for those going through the grieving process, whether it be a recent or former loss of many years. Held at Calvary Church of God in St. James at 210 Woodlawn Avenue, St. James, NY on Mondays at two separate times, 4pm-5:30 and 7:15pm-8:15pm. If you or a friend would like to attend, please contact Ashley Marciszyn at (631) 877-4345 or just show up at the times and location listed above. Also, feel free to bring someone with you for support from your support system if needed.

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY -

Theme "Sunday School Stories: The Adult Version" Every week 1 pm on Thu, until Jun 25, 2026 **Join Zoom Meeting**

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READ THROUGH THE BIBLE -

All are invited to come- you don't have to make every reading session. Join us Tuesdays 7:30 pm at St. Peter's as we continue reading. Questions: Kathy and Paul Abdis (631-423-2321)

OFFICE HOURS

St. Peter's office is open Tuesdays 9-2, Wednesdays 9-2, Thursdays 9-12 and Fridays 9-2. **Gloria Dei's office** is open Thursdays noon – 2 pm. The Announcement page is printed on Friday morning. The printed edition may have additions or correction from the emailed page.

PRAYER REQUEST CARDS are available on the table in the narthex. Those with current health issues will be named during spoken prayers. The names of those with long term or /homebound will be listed in the announcements. Prayer Request Cards may be place in the offering plate.

IN OUR PRAYERS:

Please fill out a prayer request card and place it in the offering plate or reach out to the office by phone or email to request an addition to this list.

We encourage you to keep those in our community who are struggling in mind, body & spirit in your prayers. Reach out to those on our list and others in your community who might be feeling isolated.

We pray for those facing short term health crises: Ruth Accordino, Eugene Armieri, Wally Becker, Richard Brandorff, Louise Breitfeller, Christine Collins, Chrissy Frintzilas, Jennifer Gramse, Erin Haddock, Gail Lane, Christopher Lind, Joyce Moore, Mark Muller, Edith Pape, Karen Philipson, Ronnie Piracci, and Andrew Schreiber.

We pray for those facing longer term health crises, and those in assisted living facilities:
Valerie Allaco, Gus Ambrosio, Jonny Andrade,
Judy Ashley, Chris Blacharski, Lucille Blum,
Bobby Bass, Karen Boeckmann, Hannelore Born,
Baby Dawson Brown, Annette Brownell, Cindy
Chomicki, John & Krystal Collins and baby boy
Collins, Rose Curto, Judy Fahrenkrug, Holger
Fischer, Louis Frangella, David Fraser, Denise
Guido, Linda Guido, Peter Guido, Marion Harris,
Bonnie and Stephen Karejwa, Judith Knorr, Janet
McHugh, Ron Nielsen, Olivia, Nancy Orsini,
Evelyn Petrasek, Adrienne Plotch, Elaine Preston,
Colleen Richmond, Peggy & Mike Sanesky, Ed
Scarpetti, Lore Schimmel, Charlotte Schombs, Paul

Spotts, Linda Taglich Ttudden, Shirley Tull, Elsie Karl Vincent, Kim Vauss, and Judy Werber.

We pray for the congregations of Gloria Dei, King of Kings, and St Peter's as they move forward as one. May God continue to inspire and lead these efforts. Lord, guide the leaders who work on the various teams that are part of the consolidation process.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

| Sunday | 11/30 | Chancel Choir 8:45 am Sunday School 9:30 am Worship 10 am |
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| Monday | 12/1 | Yoga on zoom 6:30 pm Handbells 7:30 pm |
| Tuesday | 12/2 | Read through the Bible 7:30pm |
| Wednesday | 12/3 | Chancel Choir 2:30 pm "Soup & Service 6:30 pm @ King of Kings Campus |
| Thursday | 12/4 | Joseph's Storehouse Bible Study 1 pm Family Choir 7 pm |
| Saturday | 12/6 | Joseph's Storehouse St. Peter's Brass playing at Lighting of Christmas Tree in Huntington 2:30 pm |
| Sunday | 12/7 | Chancel Choir 8:45 am Sunday School 9:30 am Worship 10 am Confirmation Class 11:15 Bell Concert 2 pm LIGMC Concert 7 pm @. St. John's Episcopal Church |