Second Sunday in Advent
December 6, 2009
Organist: Arlys Willis

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PRAYER Loving Father,
Help us deal with the set-backs of this life with an eye toward the fulfillment of Your promises. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen

GUIDES FOR WORSHIP

The order of worship begins on page 151 in the front of the hymnal. We will sing the "Hymn of Praise" on page 154. There is no Holy Communion today, so please turn to page 166 after the offertory hymn to continue.

The Hymns are: 332 (vv. 1-4), 347, 818
Sermon Text: Philippians 1:2-11
Sermon Theme: "Waiting for Fulfillment"

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Church Attendance:

Saturday, November 28th	26
Sunday, November 22nd	139
Sunday School	55

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Know to be hospitalized this week from Peace: Eileen Bode, Lois Kube.

The Bible verse to memorize this week is: Ephesians 2:8-9 – For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith – and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God – not by works, so that no one can boast.

We will be having Choir practice immediately following worship today!

The "Special Projects Offering" will be received, December 5, 6, 12 and 13th for the children's Christmas bags.

The Ladies Guild will be selling Christmas Cards and napkins on November 22nd and 29th and on December 6th and 13th.

Kids Stamp Program will be available to pick up stamps on Sunday, December 6th. If any other stamps are needed until after the holidays, please contact Lisa Klaustermeier at: 612-499-0276. We will resume our regular schedule on Sunday, January 10th, 2010.

You are invited to a Bilingual Worship Service at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, December 6th at First Lutheran Church, Glencoe. The service will be conducted by Rev. Martin Teigen. A Mexican meal sponsored by Alfredo Aguilar family will follow. Please RSVP for the meal to either the Church office (English) at: 320-864-5522 or Ana Aguilar (Spanish) 952-457-5985 by December 2nd.

The women of Zion Lutheran Invite You to: Come help us celebrate the "Birthday of Our King" Wednesday December 9th, 7:00 p.m. at 814 West Brooks St. Arlington. A free will offering will go to the Arlington Community assistance Fund.

Need knows no season. The money raised in Sibley County through **The Salvation Army Christmas Kettle** campaign is used year round to provide temporary, emergency assistance to those in need. If you, your family or organization would be willing to help this season by being a bell ringer, please call Kim at: 507-326-5017.

We need more help when we have funerals. If you have certain days off when you cam help, please let us know at the office.

Special Thanks to: Mary Kistner, Rose Kauffmann, Alice Bobo and Karen Neubarth for arranging the beautiful cornucopia display. Many thanks also to anyone who donated items for the display.

On Saturday, December 12th and Sunday December 13th the Community Strings, featuring members of the "**Golden Strings"** are having a concert at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Glencoe. Please see the bulletin board for further details. Tickets are available at the office.

We will be collecting items for the St. Peter Treatment Center again this year, from November 22nd thru December 9th. Please see the bulletin board for a list of items needed.

Sibley County Human Services is coordinating "Santa's Helpers." Donation will be accepted until Monday, December 7th at the Sibley County Human Services building, 111 8th St. in Gaylord. For more information, please refer to the bulletin board.

Give the gift that keeps for generations to come by attending the December 12-13 Marriage encounter. Weekends are held at the Dakota Ridge Hotel on 35E and Yankee Doodle Rd in Eagan. Visit www.marriages.org for a listing of retreats or call: 651-454-3238.

Please join us in the fellowship hall after worship for the Christmas Brunch.

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THIS WEEK AT PEACE

Today	8:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:30 a.m.	Christmas Brunch
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	Bible Class – Highland Commons
Wednesday	3:45 p.m.	Catechism Class
	5:00 p.m.	Jr. Bell Choir practice
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Worship Service with Holy Communion
Sunday	8:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service with Holy Communion
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship

A nursery is available for parents with small children while attending our worship service. If you need to use it, please ask one of the ushers and they will direct you to it. Today's Helper is: Kelsey Klaustermeier.