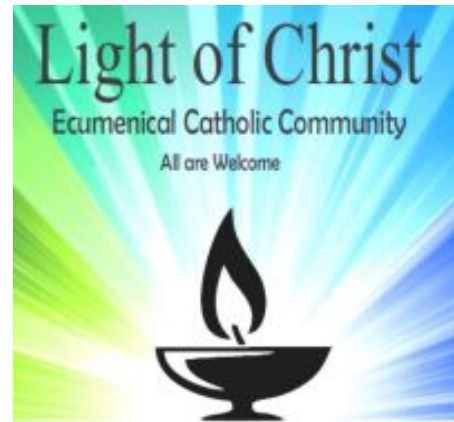


WEEK OF JANUARY 23, 2021

Light of Christ Mission Statement: Light of Christ Ecumenical Catholic Community is a vibrant, inclusive and welcoming community for all who, following the teachings and example of Jesus Christ, seek compassion, justice and peace in the world. We seek to live our faith through liturgy and prayer, community building and collaboration, study and service.
All Are Welcome!



Rocky Mountain Region, ECC, Regional Prayer:

*Holy One, Enlivening Spirit,
in the wilderness of new,
root the Body of Christ
fully into our "Yes,"
blooming in Your Holy Season.
Together.
Amen.*

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Announcements:

• **Reminder: The Church Office is Closed** ~ Please remember that for health and safety reasons, the church office remains closed. If you have something to drop off, please do not show up at the office unannounced. If you do, we will not know who is at the door, and because of the risk that Covid poses to all of us, we will not answer the office door if you knock and come by unannounced. If you need to drop something off, please call the office ahead of time, and we can schedule a time for you to come. We will place a box outside the office door to collect whatever you have to drop off. Thank you for your understanding and consideration of our continued need to respect the health and safety of all of us.

• **How to Access Saturday Liturgies if not Joining Live** ~ This is a reminder about the different ways you can view the recording of our Saturday night liturgies if you do not watch them live. First, if you have a Facebook account, open it and go to the Light of Christ Facebook page. Click "videos," and it will be there immediately after liturgy ends. If you don't have Facebook, click [HERE](#), then scroll down and you will see the video of the liturgy as soon as it's over. Additionally, we will send an all-parish email this Saturday night after liturgy is over with the direct link to the video. Look for that to arrive in your inbox by about 6:15pm on Saturday evening.

• **Gratitudes!** ~ Throughout the month of January, we are sharing gratitudes on our Light of Christ Facebook page, accessed [HERE](#). We will be naming some of the individuals and groups that help make Light of Christ be the vibrant and strong community of faith that is living in the streets this year. We encourage everyone each day to thank someone in their life as well with a phone call, text, email, or card in the mail. Let us especially thank God in our prayers each day for our blessings to count and blessings to share. Every week in the bulletin, we will highlight the previous week's gratitudes on a special page at the end of this bulletin. Scroll down to see the last week of gratitudes.

• **Offertory Donations** ~ Even though we can't gather in person right now, we are grateful for your continued financial support of LOC. Many of you have mailed checks to the church office, and we thank you for your generosity.

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STEWARDSHIP

December	End of Month	Year To Date
Donations	\$15,780.28	\$132,550.73
Grocery Cards	\$0	\$2,123.36
Advertising Revenue	\$0	\$350.00
Interest	\$310.62	\$4,758.15
Miscellaneous Income (Includes designated)	\$1,050.00	\$9,570.94
Total Income	\$17,141.10	\$149,353.18
Expenses	\$11,411.68	\$120,755.88
Balance	\$5,729.42	\$28,597.30

The Finance Committee wants to thank the LOC community for maintaining their level of commitment to the church, as well as the staff and Parish Council for holding expenses down in this uncertain period. We noted that while revenue was up, and certain expenses associated with Mass in the sanctuary did not occur for a number of months, the next year will continue to be uncertain as well, particularly when we move back into the sanctuary.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Alice Hill
Rita Duncan
Carol Conti
Lori Beale
Kay Beuber
Gerry Geiger

Rita Rose Bergren
Kathy Kahus
Bev Martinez-Kuster
Bob Olsen
Sharon Farnsworth
Tom Trujillo and family

Sally Allen
Jona Johnson
Zach Hill
Kathryn Olsen
Aiden Hutto

We update our prayer corner monthly. If you or your loved one would like to be included on the corner, please contact the office and we'd be happy to add you.

Daily Readings ~ If you'd like to access the daily readings this week, [this link](#) will take you to the US Conference of Roman Catholic Bishops website where you can view each day's reading.

Serve Colorado ~ The state is seeking folks to help with their contract tracing efforts to contain the spread of Covid. Click [this link](#) for more info.

JANUARY 2021 - A MONTH OF GRATITUDE

Here are the gratitudes for January 13-19.

Check this page of the bulletin every week for a new list!

- 13. Thanks to Heather for staying connected and creating opportunities for our Growth Youp.**
- 14. Thanks to our Finance Team who does the behind the scenes work of making sure our finances are managed well. This team over the past year has included Judy, Jack, Steve, Janell, Chuck, Gerry, Joe and Mark. We also give a shout out of thanks to our book-keeper Traci.**
- 15. Thanks to Winnie and Judy for coming twice a month and counting and depositing the donations.**
- 16. Thanks to the Round Pantry Team who has worked hard to feed people during this time of food insecurity including Steve, Kelly, Barb, Bill, Irene, John, Dibbie, Heather, and Terra.**
- 17. Thanks to Outreach who has kept us connected to the OUR Center, especially Carol and Karen.**
- 18. Thanks to everyone who has sent financial contributions and who has prayed for our community.**
- 19. Thanks to the many folks who leave surprises at the office or send letters of encouragement to Annie and Teri.**