

SPECIAL THANKS

To Ric Probst, Jeanne Mantsch, Phil Stepanski, Carolyn Heatwole, and Gary Tackes for serving as Worship Leaders in December.

To Claude Zimmerman and Joe and Bev Mueller for serving as Ushers in December.

To the Riemer and Gilhooly families for serving in the Nursery in December.

To the Chancel Choir and Mike and Sherrie Dimmer for hosting Fellowship Hours.

To our Christmas Tree Sale Team: David Franks and Louise Mollinger, Joe Rychtik, Scott Symes, Don and Connie Cross, along with the help of our office staff, for executing yet another successful Christmas Tree Sale. Their time and commitment to our church's largest fundraiser is greatly appreciated!

To all those who signed up for a shift to help sell Christmas Trees.

To everyone who decorated Christmas ornaments for our customers at the Tree Sale.

To Phil Stepanski and Tracy Bretl for providing special music on December 3.

To Beckie Perez for leading a Christmas Swag Workshop on December 3 and to all those who participated in our Christmas Cookie exchange.

To Don Niederfrank for conducting the Advent Vesper Service on December 6.

To Jodi Cowen, Jennifer Dimmer, and Tyfani Ulicki for coordinating our first Breakfast with Santa event, and to everyone who supported the event with donations and time!

To Joe Rychtik for serving as the parent helper at the December 18 Confirmation Class.

Ongoing thanks to Bill Bond, Joe Mueller, Claude Zimmerman, and Gary Tackes for conducting weekly walk-throughs and coordinating maintenance projects.

To Jodi Cowen and Rhonda Thompson for setting up and decorating the church Christmas tree in Fellowship Hall.

To Jane Spalding and Tracy Greymont for decorating Fellowship Hall for Christmas and to Jane for decorating Fellowship Hall and the Sanctuary with Christmas Eve poinsettias.

To everyone who supported our Lighthouse Youth Ministry fundraiser in December.

Ongoing thanks to Dawn Guschl and Bill Bond for preparing communion each month.

To Bev Mueller for sending birthday and anniversary cards in December.

To the anonymous donor for placing two ads in the Ozaukee Press promoting our Tree Sale.



Thank you to our Chancel Choir and



Christmas Eve Vocal Quartet.

SPECIAL THANKS continued...

To our Christmas Eve Worship Leaders: members of the Confirmation Class at 10:00, Ric Probst and Phil Stepanski at 7:00, and Kitchie Allen and Jane Spalding at 9:00.

To our Christmas Brass for accompanying hymns at the 7:00 Christmas Eve service: Lydia Linendoll, Brett and Jennifer Dimmer, and Jamie Karrels.

To our Choral Quartet for singing at the 9:00 Christmas Eve service: Brett and Jennifer Dimmer, Tracy Greymont, and Mike Spalding.

To those who donated to our Christmas Giving, supporting six local service organizations that we support on a regular basis. And to those who purchased a poinsettia to help decorate the our church for Christmas!

To Ken Matthews for leading the service (his 34th consecutive year!) on December 31 and to Don Niederfrank for assisting Ken. Thanks to Pru Palecek and Glenyss Gilliam for their special music.

To Gary Tackes and Brett Dimmer for connecting Fellowship Hall and the Sanctuary with an ethernet cable. This allows audio/video signal for watching services in sanctuary while the elevator is under repair and for allowing overflow seating to watch and hear services in Fellowship Hall in the future.

To Roberta Blumenberg, Jeanne Mansch, Alice Ruffin, Jane Schwacher, and Meg Tackes for accompanying Pastor Scott to bring Advent Communion and Christmas Cookies to some of our senior members.

To our Confirmation Class for a wonderful Christmas Pageant on Sunday morning, December 24 - Sawyer Crain, Simon Gilhooly, Ruby Hoffmann, Kylee Olson, Chloe Rychtik, Addison Wellenstein, and Sydney White.

To Jane Spalding for creating the Christmas Pageant bulletin board showing our pageants through the years.

To the Roehrig Family for facilitating the Gift-A-Child and Eric Olson for delivering the gifts.

To those who helped to take down and put away the Tree Sale Lot on December 30: Don Cross, Scott McLeod, Mark Pasten, Ralph Perez, Tom and Noah Roehrig, Joe Rychtik, Matt Schlehlein, Scott Symes, Chris Wach, and Claude Zimmerman.

IN MEMORIAM

Constance "Connie" Cottrell passed away on Saturday, December 9, at Lasata Care Center Hospice in Cedarburg. She was 94 years old. A Celebration of her Life/95th birthday will be held on April 20 here at church.

Carl Anderson, 60 years old (father of Savannah) passed away on Saturday, December 16, at Ascension Columbia St. Mary's Hospital in Mequon. A memorial service is being planned at church this month.