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By Becky LaDue

It's been some time now since there's been activity in the once Arrowhead Restaurant on West Main St. after the Arrowhead, Midtown Café opened at the location in 2020, but closed quietly after a few years while the community waited patiently to see what might pop up next.

Well, this month something "popped".

'Your Favorite Concessions' has moved in mid-month. Owned by Hanna and Jim Griese, the couple has al-

## Your Favorite Concessions takes occupancy of old Arrowhead Restaurant

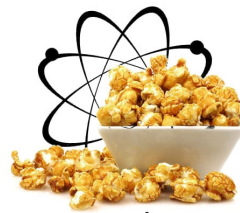


A view of just some of the varied products offered at Your Favorite Concessions.

ready begun producing their product at the once diner, with plans to open its doors to customers in the near future.

The Griese's key products include flavored and specialty popcorns—think kettle, caramel, cheddar and cowboy tri-mix—along with roasted and flavored nut offerings. They sell during the summer and fall high seasons at farmers markets, fairs and festivals, but also have a booming online presence.

The couple has owned the business



Your Favorite  
CONCESSIONS

for nine years, and had previously resided in the village, so knew of the lo-

cation and were excited to obtain it.

Their full product line can be viewed at [yourfavoriteconcessions.com](http://yourfavoriteconcessions.com), featuring gift boxes and tins ready to be ordered for the holiday season. Better still – orders can be picked up locally!

"Signage on the building will be going up soon," said Hanna, "but if the lights are on and the door is open, come on in! We have product available at the store."

Your Favorite Concessions will also be open for Winneconne's upcoming Celebration of Lights.

## Christmas Crusade underway in the village



The Winneconne Police Department's Christmas Crusade is underway in the village, and Chief Ben Sauriol tells the News the program will be serving dozens of families this year in the geography of the Winneconne Community School District.

The department is actively collecting gifts and monetary donations as well as pairing local families with busi-

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## Come warm up this winter with the Winneconne Chamber Cocoa Walk Businesses invited to participate in inaugural event

The Winneconne Chamber of Commerce will be hosting a new event to kick off its Celebration of Lights weekend set for December 13-14. They are inviting businesses and organizations to participate in the first annual Cocoa Walk on Friday December 13!

The Winneconne Chamber Cocoa Walk aims to create a delightful stroll through town while participants can sip on delicious hot cocoa provided by various local businesses.

This in-person event is the perfect way to enjoy the season, mingle with your community, and treat yourself to some sweet and soothing drinks.

The evening wraps up with a "Best Cocoa" judging contest and a chance for strollers and sippers to win a prize when they turn in a voting ballot. A final tally revealing the "Best Cocoa" will be broadcast live on the Winneconne Chamber Facebook page at 7:30 pm. that evening.



Business participation is free, but the Chamber does require registration on its website, to help advertise and promote the event and the businesses participating.

Tickets for strollers are on sale now

for \$10, which includes a commemorative cocoa mug, map, and ballot to vote on the best cocoa.

Grab your friends and family, and let's make some cozy memories together.



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## District Administrator's Notes

By Dr. Margaret "Peggy" Larson, WCSD District Administrator  
State report card

Last month I shared the results of our state assessments, which showed our students performed very well. Now we are pleased to share our State Report Card results, which provide an even broader picture of our district's performance.

The State Report Card is a key component of Wisconsin's accountability system. Produced by the Department of Public Instruction (DPI), these report cards evaluate every publicly funded school and district in the state. They include data across multiple years and four main priority areas:

- **Achievement** – Measures students' proficiency in core academic subjects.
- **Growth** – Tracks student progress over time.
- **Target Group Outcomes** – Focuses on the performance of specific student groups to close achievement gaps.
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Each school or district receives an overall accountability score, placing them into one of five ratings: Significantly Exceeds Expectations, Exceeds Expectations, Meets Expectations, Meets Few Expectations or Fails to Meet Expectations. I am proud to share that our District Report Card Exceeds

Expectations! Not only did Winneconne Community School District Exceed Expectations, WCSD has the highest report card rating in the greater Fox Valley area.

**District Overall Score**

Appleton	65.6
Berlin	55.4
Hortonville	73.7
Kimberly	76.9
Neenah	72.2
New London	62.8
Omro	71.5
Oshkosh	69.7
Weyauwega-Fremont	68.2
<b>Winneconne</b>	<b>77.9</b>

- Highlights:**
- Highest overall score in the greater Fox Valley area
  - Achievement score is equal or higher than 93.7% of districts in the state
  - Improved outcomes rate for the lowest quartile of students is equal or higher than 85.9% of districts in the state
  - Graduation rate of 98.5%

You can see additional districts' report cards at <https://dpi.wi.gov/accountability/report-cards>.

We always strive to provide the best education possible for all our students. Although our Report Card is very good, we will continue to strive for continuous improvement.

As always, if you ever have questions or just want to chat about school, feel free to contact me at (920) 582-5802 ext. 3141. Thank you for your continued support of education in our communities.

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Legion Post 364 auxiliary member Judy Hanneman has a granddaughter who is an Auxiliary Junior, and they recently enjoyed the Jr. Fall Conference held at King Veterans Home—engaging with veterans and learning about their history of service. The day included a fun game of bingo with the Juniors paired with a veteran, crafts, and a delicious lunch followed by an election of officers.

Juniors can also take part in overnight trips to Camp Hometown Heros in Campbellsport, learning about what the camp does to help and heal veterans and

their families. It is a very special place with Juniors enjoying food over the campfire, a scavenger hunt and more.

There are also opportunities to become a Poppy Princess, earn badges, take part in contests, hold fundraisers, and learn the meaning of being an American as a Junior Auxiliary member. For more information, visit legion.aux.org/juniors or contact your local Auxiliary Unit.

**Submitted by Judy Hannemann, American Legion Auxiliary Unit 364**



*Natalie Meyers is a Winneconne Junior Auxiliary member.*

# Police Crusade

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nesses who wish to 'adopt' a child or family for the Crusade.

### How can the community join in?

The department has established a Giving Tree within its offices, filled with ornaments listing a child's need or wish for the Christmas season. If clothing is requested, all sizes are indicated.

Individuals are invited to come select an ornament(s), shop for the listed items and return them to the Winneconne Police Department by Thursday, Dec. 12. Items can be delivered wrapped or unwrapped.

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# WHS Jingle Bark Bash & Soup Cookoff – Dec. 7

The Winneconne High School annual Jingle Bark Bash is gearing up for holiday fun on Saturday, Dec. 7 from 10 to 2 p.m. in the high school commons.

Santa will be “flying in” around 11 a.m., and the event will have an international theme for 2024, offering a variety of activities and snacks. For a \$5 entry fee, kids will receive a passport giving them access to puppy cuddles, a build your own hot cocoa bar, cookie decorating, a coloring contest, and more. All proceeds go to Our Pack Animal Rescue and the puppies at the event are available for adoption.

Also that day, high school students will host a second event with hopes that it will become a holiday staple - a delicious Soup Competition!

Those wishing to enter the competition can reach out to Trisha Buelow at [buelowt@w-csd.org](mailto:buelowt@w-csd.org) and register a home-cooked soup(s). Entry into the competition is free and the winner receives a monetary prize and the coveted, engraved wooden spoon!

To attend and sample the soups, tickets will be available for \$15 at the door, with only 100 tickets sold (early reservations can be made by emailing Buelow). All proceeds go towards scholarship opportunities for student international travel.

The soup competition will be held at the Village Pub and begins at 6 p.m. on Dec. 7. Winners will be announced before 8:30 p.m. A cash bar and 50/50 raffles will also be available for extra entertainment.

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**WHAT ELSE DO YOU NEED TO KNOW?**

Soups dropped off at the Village Pub, Winneconne by 5:30 p.m. Tasting begins at 6 p.m., winners announced by 8:30 p.m. (need not be present to win) Cash bar and 50/50 raffle available throughout the event. All proceeds benefit WCSD Student Travelers.

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# White Cedars 4-H raises challenge flag

White Cedars 4-H Club of Butte des Morts recently donated \$1,000 to the Winneconne Police Department's Christmas Crusade Campaign.

If \$2000 is raised by the end of November, Chief Sauriol will shave his face! White Cedars' Club members are encouraging other local organizations and individuals to donate so we can all

see Chief Sauriol's new look on December 1.

Monetary donations can be dropped off at the police department, Premiere Community Bank (Attn: Winneconne Police Department Christmas Crusade) or the Winneconne Public Library.



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The White Cedars 4-H group encourages donations to the police department's Christmas Crusade.



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# Obituaries

## Peter J. Carlson

Peter J. Carlson age 74 of Oshkosh, passed away peacefully at his home with family by his side on Tuesday, Nov. 19, 2024.

A gathering of family and friends will be held on Saturday November 30 from 4 to 8 p.m. at Brennand Airport 3282 Breezewood Ln. Neenah. Memorials may be directed to Northwoods Veterans Homestead P.O. Box 1221 Rhinelander, WI 54501. For the full obituary please visit: [www.kesslerfh.com](http://www.kesslerfh.com).

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## Maureen "Reenie" (Kopiske) Reinert

Maureen "Reenie" (Kopiske) Reinert unexpectedly passed away on Saturday, October 26, 2024, at the age of 64.



Maureen was born on July 30, 1960, the only daughter of Ken Sr. and Isabelle (Evers) Kopiske. She was a 1978 graduate of Appleton West High School, and she began her work career in the paper industry at Gilbert Paper in the same year. From there Maureen worked at Fox River Paper and retired in 2023 from Neenah Paper. On May 25, 1985, she married Don Reinert.

Preceding Maureen in death were her father, Ken Kopiske Sr.; and her husband, Donnie on August 8, 2024.

Maureen is survived by her mother, Isabelle Kopiske; her brothers, Tim (Shirley) Kopiske, Tom (Linda) Kopiske, Mike (Tina) Kopiske, Ken Kopiske (Lynn O'Shasky). She is further survived by Don's children, Kelly (Mark) Billman, James (Jill) Reinert, as well as many cherished nieces and nephews.

Maureen enjoyed spending time with friends and family and particularly enjoyed the annual Kopiske Flag Day celebration. No gathering was complete without Maureen's desserts. She was the crockpot and casserole queen, always happy to share a dish or recipe. She was also a devoted caregiver, often putting other's needs before her own.

Over the years, Maureen and Donnie made many treasured memories with friends Glenn and Karen; the family is grateful for their caring and assistance. Also, a special thanks to Shari Tarala for her love and support.

Per Reenie's request, no funeral will be held. A joint celebration of life for Maureen and Don will be scheduled after the new year.

Mueller Funeral Home-Winneconne is assisting the family. If you wish, please submit online condolences/memories to [muellerfh.net](http://muellerfh.net).



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# Shallow Lakes Chronicles

## Zig When Everyone Else Zags

By Matt Harp, Outdoor Reporter

Oh, I suppose I'm as sociable as the next guy. I like a crowd of like-minded folks having a good time: tailgating, a



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Packers or Super Bowl watch party, a small-town chicken BBQ, or a dive bar meat raffle. Fun times to be sure. Your box of chocolates type event where you never know what might

happen. There's fun in a good-old Wisconsin crowd. But when it comes to hunting and fishing, I think we are all anti-social people. "What is that guy doing?" I mumble to myself. "What is he doing on 'my' lake?" Mind you, he's about two miles away and not even close to my tip-ups, planer boards, duck decoys, or spear shack. "Relax buddy," I talk myself down. "This might be his only day off in a month. You can share your lake with him for today."

When I start to feel a tad crowded, one of my favorite and most successful tactics is to do something else. When I know a particular weather front, holiday, or weekend is going to bring an influx of visitors to "my" lake, I reach for the less obvious. Maybe it's a different place, or perhaps a different species altogether.

Sure, that push of northern air is going to bring a new set of diving ducks

down, but let's hit a pheasant field, Lu. Or if I know they'll be stacked up shoulder-to-shoulder on the Hindenburg Line, let's wing it in Boom Bay or check out Page's or another slough.

Right now a guy can do really well fishing for walleye in the river using the same jig and minnow approach you used in the spring. Really, the air temperature is about the same too.

When there is a big slug of boats fishing perch at the obvious channel mouths, they'll be in a dozen other areas like it. Go there instead.

If you think for a second that perch and bluegill are attracted to the same ice shanties every day, guess again. Go blaze your own trail in another part of the lake.

Probably one of the best sleights of hand is hitting lakes for ducks in the middle of deer season. "What, put down the deer rifle when I only have nine days?" I get it, it sounds crazy, but often rewarding and it gives the dog a nice outing in an otherwise nine-day drought.

My experience is that you'll do every bit as well, and get to bask in the satisfaction that you found your game in a new place that might become a nice fall back for decades - that is until you tell your loudmouth buddy.

Follow the crowds if you want, but don't be afraid to create your own great fishing or hunting report. Don't be afraid to zig while they're all zagging.

Reach Matt at [Lakeandpond2@gmail.com](mailto:Lakeandpond2@gmail.com)

# Tales From The Land of Retirement

## Thanksgiving is here

By Jeanne Lehr

Thanksgiving. One of my favorite holidays. When you think back to the first Thanksgiving - pilgrims and Native Americans sitting down to a meal together, counting their hard-fought blessings. Where there once were enemies, now there are friends - or at least they tolerated each other.

What a Thanksgiving it would be if we counted our blessings instead of our woes. There are so many things to be thankful for; things not determined by your vote, your religion, your gender or your skin color. Things right under your nose.

Give thanks for living in a safe community. Give thanks for jobs available to those who want one. Give thanks for your Constitutional rights. Give thanks for those sitting around the table with you. Whatever it is, GIVE THANKS.

We tend to take things for granted. Our lives have been pretty easy and fruitful. We are not living while loved ones are overseas fighting a war. We have not lived through a depression. We have the benefits of a great education and top notch medical care. We have services that are here to help us

when we are in need. We have family, friends and neighbors that look after each other. GIVE THANKS.

No matter what is going on in your life, I am a firm believer in the notion that "this too shall pass".

Change what you can, accept what you can't. It will be what it will be, without you worrying over the outcome.

As for me, I'm ready to put my woes aside and give thanks for time with family, a lot of good food, a lot of great conversation, a lot of laughs, and a lot of love.

No matter what is going on around me, this is where my thoughts and efforts will be.

I wish you all a wonderful, love filled Thanksgiving. Give thanks.

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# Sports

## Soccer Awards



Winneconne News

The Winneconne boys soccer team held its annual banquet recently where the program honored its six seniors (from left) Hudson Mueller, Ryan Selwitschka, Emerson Naughton, Aiden Tate, Malik Jents, and Brecken Meyer. Also honored at the banquet were: MVP, Aiden Tate; Team captains, Aiden Tate, Emerson Naughton, Malik Jents; Four-year letterwinners, Hudson Mueller, Aiden Tate, Malik Jents.

## Volleyball team doles out awards

The Winneconne volleyball team recently held its awards banquet with the following honors handed out:

MVP: Megan Anderson, 153 kills, .358 hitting percentage, 55 blocks.

Captain Award: Joselyn Stueck.

Embodiment Award: Jozie Kampe.

Four players also were honored with all-conference accolades:

First Team All-Conference: Bailey Church, soph., 893 assists, 164 digs, 33 aces.

Second Team All-Conference: Malia Bodoh, jr., 223 kills, 53 aces, 66 blocks; Alyssa Koval, jr., 270 kills, 69 aces, 304 digs.

Honorable Mention: Hallah Josephson, fr., 370 digs, 35 assists, 28 aces.



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The three seniors for the Winneconne volleyball team this season were (from left) Megan Anderson, Joselyn Stueck and Sophia Diersen.

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## Sports – Boys Basketball Preview

# Wolves set to hit court under first-year coach

By Steve Clark

Even before first-year head coach John Flanigan has seen his Winneconne boys basketball team take the court for a game, he is confident this year's group is going to make some noise in the East Central Conference.

After finishing with just two league wins last year and near the bottom of the conference, the Wolves seemed poised for a turnaround.

"We got picked to finish second-to-last (in the conference) and I am confident we won't be second-to-last," Flanigan said last week. "I want to compete and see what this conference is all about but I just have confidence in this group that second to last is not where we are at."

Flanigan, who was a standout player at Oshkosh North and UW-Oshkosh and has been on the coaching staff at Oshkosh North the past few years, inherits a roster that returns its top two scorers from a year ago and has more than a handful of players who saw varsity action last year.

Juniors Parker Ingles and Brody Schaffer were the offensive leaders for Winneconne last year, both gaining all-ECC recognition following their junior seasons.

Ingles averaged 13.8 points per game last season, while knocking down a team-best 47 3-pointers on the season. He also led the team in steals and ranked second in rebounds, while earning second-team all-ECC honors.

Schaffer was an honorable mention selection on last year's all-conference list after posting a 13.7 points per game average for the Wolves.

"They lead by example and lead with their voices," Flanigan said of Ingles and Schaffer, both of whom were named team co-captains. "Those two pieces are back and we can build around them. We are looking for pieces to surround them with."

Senior Emerson Naughton is the only other returning player who appeared in the majority of the games last season, although fellow seniors Oliver Aberle, Brecken Meyer, Cody McLeod and Charlie Roubidoux did see limited varsity minutes.

Flanigan is also hoping juniors Gage Bartel and Ryan Quigley will have key roles with the team and said freshman Aaron Zimmer could be competing for playing time.

"Emerson is a kid we are going to have to rely on out of the gates to bring some senior leadership," Flanigan said. "We have a strong junior class that brings a good dynamic. There are some competitors and they all have their strengths and weaknesses."

One of the hurdles Flanigan has had to overcome in his inaugural season is the extended football season and how it has impacted the squad.

He knows that a number of the players entered the first week of practice still affected by the physical toll of the team's march to the state semifinals and that it

will take some time to acclimate back to basketball.

But he also believes the success the players had on the gridiron can carry over to the basketball court.

"Absolutely. Winning is a mindset. You step on a field, court, diamond –



John Flanigan

whatever you are competing on – and if you don't think you are going to win that thing, that's not the mindset you want," Flanigan said. "The football guys, you could feel their energy when they stepped back in the gym."

With half of the roster making the transition from football to basketball as well as having to adjust to the systems of a new coach, Flanigan said that there may be some struggles in the early stages of the season. However, he is more focused on how the team comes together once it finds its stride.

"You are always building for March and that's what I'm taking into consideration with some of these kids who are banged up from football and I think they

are going to get more accustomed to the new style of play and some of the things I'm implementing," Flanigan said. "I do think we are a team that's going to be built for down the stretch and I'm excited to see how we develop."

## Reetz fuels Wolves in season-opener

Winneconne girls basketball jumped to the early lead over Markesan and never looked back in collecting a season-opening 58-36-win last Tuesday night.

The Wolves knocked down eight 3-pointers, including five by Ari Reetz who led Winneconne with 19 points in her varsity debut. The freshman was 5-of-8 from behind the arc in the win.

Jada Kaiser also reached double figures with 12 points, including a pair of 3-pointers, while Grace Mitchell, Mille Braman and Harper Neace each chipped in six points in the win.

Braman led the Winneconne rebounders with eight boards, including seven on the offensive end, while also picking up five steals on the defensive end.

After three road games to start the season – Winneconne also played at Omro on Nov. 22 and Lomira on Nov. 25 – the Wolves will be at home to open the East Central Conference slate against Plymouth Dec. 3.

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# The Weekly Whisk

## Thanksgiving Pizza

Everyone has their traditional holiday favorites for Thanksgiving. I like to get creative with the leftovers. I have seen these Thanksgiving pizzas all over social media, so I did some digging to find an easy one. It looks interesting and yummy! I can't believe it's the start of the holiday season, although the stores have been celebrating for weeks now. I look forward to spending time with my family near and far. Happy Thanksgiving!

- 1 pound pizza dough
- 1 cup turkey gravy

- 2 tablespoons chopped onions
- 3/4 cup stuffing
- 1 cup chopped turkey
- 1 cup mozzarella cheese
- 2 tablespoons cranberry sauce

Preheat the oven to 425° and spray a pizza pan with non-stick spray. Roll out the pizza dough and ladle the gravy over the dough. Sprinkle with onions. Add the stuffing and chopped turkey to the pizza and top with mozzarella cheese. Bake for 15 - 17 minutes or until the cheese is golden brown. Remove the pizza from the oven and dollop cranberry sauce all over the top.

For questions or comments email [weeklywhisk01@gmail.com](mailto:weeklywhisk01@gmail.com)



# Calendar

**Thursday, Nov. 28:** Happy Thanksgiving, Winneconne! Village Offices Closed.

**Friday, Nov. 29:** Village Offices Closed.

**Saturday, Nov. 30:** Shop Local & Enjoy Winneconne!

**Sunday, Dec. 1:** Welcome December! Worship at the Church of Your Choice.

**Monday, Dec. 2:** 4 pm - 8th grade boys BB, Home/Berlin; 7th grade @ Berlin.

**Tuesday, Dec. 3:** 2 pm - Rummikub/Senior Ctr. 3 pm - Bean Bags/Senior Ctr. 4:30 pm - Bowling @ Omro. 5:45 & 7:15 pm - JV/V Girls BB, Home/Plymouth. 6 pm - 6th Grade Band Concert/WCAC. 7 pm - 7th & 8th Grade Band Concert/WCAC.

**Wednesday, Dec. 4:** The News is OUT - Subscribe today @ winneconne.com. 9:30 am - Craft/Senior Ctr.

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 Sunday, Dec. 1: 9:30 am- Confirmation Class.  
 10:30 am - Mass/CLOW, Fellowship.  
 Mon.: 7:30 am - LOW w/Communion. 6 pm - Ladies Night Out.  
 Tues.: 6 pm - Parish Council Mtg.  
 Wed.: 7:30 am - LOW w/Communion. 3:10 pm - ES FF. 3:45 pm - Mass w/St. Nick. 4:30 pm - Confession. 6:30 pm - MS FF.

**Immanuel Lutheran Church**  
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 Pastor Tauna Roth  
 Sundays: 9 am - Worship.

**Lord of the Lakes**  
 (ELCA) Church  
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 Pastor Kevin Heffernan  
 Sunday, Dec. 1: 8 & 10 am - Worship.  
 Mon.: 5 pm - Narcotics Anonymous.  
 Tues.: 9 am - Busy Hands.  
 Wed.: 5 pm - Acabellas. 6 pm - Youth Group and Choir.

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church**  
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 Pastor Ben Berger  
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 Thurs.: 9 am - Thanksgiving Worship.  
 Saturday: 4:30 pm - Worship/Lord's Supper.  
 Sunday, Dec. 1: 8 & 10:30 am - Worship/Lord's Supper. 9:10 am - Family Bible Study. 6 pm - Advent by Candelight.  
 Mon.: 6 pm - Contemporary Music Practice.  
 Tues.: 8:30 am - Quilters. 6:30 pm - Men's Group.  
 Wed.: 5 pm - Supper. 6 pm - Advent Worship. 6:30 pm - Catechism Study.

**Grace Lutheran Church**  
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 Pastor Mark Laatsch  
 Sunday, Dec. 1: 9:30 am - Worship (streamed and in person). 10:45 am - Adult Forum. Pantry Challenge-Hamburger Helper.  
 Mon.: 9 am & 4 pm - Ruth's Pantry.

Wed.: 9 am- Women of Grace. 5:30 pm - Service of Word/Gathering Space. 6:15 pm - Confirmation.

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**Wed.: ES:** Soft pretzel/cheese, yogurt, cheese. **MS:** Pasta bowl, garlic bread, California blend.  
**Thurs.: ES:** Spaghetti meat sauce, garlic bread, broccoli. **MS:** Grilled cheese, tomato soup, peas/carrots.  
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**Incumbent**  
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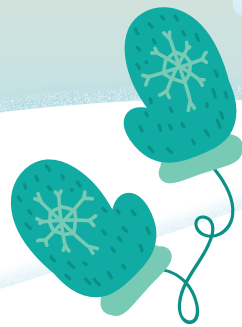
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