



**St. Matthew Lutheran Church**

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<b>German Service</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>
<b>English Service</b>	<b>11 AM</b>
Confirmation Class	9.30 AM
Sunday Bible Study	10 AM
Sunday School	11:20 AM

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Lutheran Church - Canada

**January 13, 2019.**

**The Baptism of Our Lord**



**“and a voice came from  
heaven: You are my  
beloved son; with you I am  
well pleased.”**

**Welcome to St. Matthew Lutheran Church!** If you are visiting us for the first time, please fill out a "*Visitors Welcome Card*" located in the pew racks and place it in the plate during the offering. Please honour us by signing our guest book located at the main entrance to the church. If you would like to join St. Matthew, please speak with our pastor.

**HOLY COMMUNION:** *By celebrating Holy Communion, I give witness that I believe that Jesus Christ is my Saviour and Lord. I have examined my life in the light of God's Word, and have confessed my sinfulness to God. I believe that Christ's body and blood are truly present in, with and under the bread and wine. I believe that in this sacrament God gives me the forgiveness of my sins. I believe that God the Holy Spirit strengthens my faith and renews my life and I resolve, in the power of the Holy Spirit, to amend my sinful ways. Before communing here for the first time, please introduce yourself to the pastor or to an usher first. Please announce your participation today by filling out a registration card and handing it to an usher as you come forward. If you have difficulty coming up the steps for communion, remain seated in the front pew and the pastor will come to you. If you are a visitor and don't meet our requirement, you are still invited to come forward and receive a blessing. As you stand at the altar, please cross your arms over your chest to signal that you are not taking the communion but still desire to be blessed. You are welcome to the altar either way!*

*The order of service (Setting 3) is found on page 184 in the hymnal.*

- HYMNS:**
- # 412 The People that in Darkness Sat
  - # 405 To Jordan's River Came Our Lord
  - # 624 The Infant Priest Was Holy Born
  - # 620 Jesus Came Today with Healing
  - # 409 Hail, O Source of every Blessing

*The Psalm of the day is Psalm 29 and can be found in the Lutheran Service Book.*

## **REQUESTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS**

**FLOWER CHART:** The 2019 flower chart is up. The price has gone up to **\$32.00 a bouquet**. There now is room for two families to sponsor flowers on a given Sunday. Monthly Candle sponsor sheet is also up. Price is a donation.

**FACEBOOK ADMINISTRATOR.** We are in need of a volunteer to keep our Facebook page alive and active. If you have the skills and time for it and you want to serve in this capacity, we would love to count on you.! Please call the office or our pastor. Many thanks!

**HOSPITAL VISITOR TRAINING:** Would you like to train to be a Hospital or Care Facility Visitor? Join us on **Saturday, January 26**

**from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.** at St. Matthew Lutheran Church Basement, 66-7th St. NE Calgary for the initial session of training. Bring a bag lunch. There is no cost for the training. Sponsored by Lutheran Hospital Ministries-Southern Alberta, Pastor Mark Lutheran, Facilitator. Phone 403-637-2650 or email [mclobitz@gmail.com](mailto:mclobitz@gmail.com)

**PPC MEETING:** The next PPC Meeting will be held on **Thursday, January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019 @ 7pm** in the parish hall.

**THANK YOU:** to all the helpers during the service;

**YOUTH GROUP:** Youth Group Friday Night events are starting up on **Friday, January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 7 pm.** Please join us! If you need more information, please contact Elizabeth Schieman @ (306) 715-1191. All are welcome!

### **OUR CONGREGATION**

Since 1913 St. Matthew has been sharing God's word throughout the Calgary area. We are a bi-lingual congregation serving people in the English and German languages. St. Matthew has been at its present location since 1945.

### **FAMILY ROOM**

This room is located in our parish hall and is available to families with children who need special attention during the worship service (crying, changing, feeding etc.). Please feel free to use it.

### **PARKING**

Our parking lot on the east side has handicap access. Please note that the following stalls are available during the week, Monday-Friday: # **1-7, 16-18, 20-22.**

### **DAILY READING PLAN FOR THE WEEK JANUARY 14<sup>TH</sup>**

Mon: Ezekiel 48

Fri: Daniel 4

Tues: Daniel 1

Sat: Daniel 5

Wed: Daniel 2

Sun: Daniel 6

Thus: Daniel 3

Hymn of the Day: *To Jordan's River Came Our Lord*

**IF THE BRIDEGROOM TARRIES -THE FOLLOWING WILL TAKE PLACE THIS WEEK AT ST. MATTHEW**

Wednesday:	Circuit Winkle	
Thursday:	PPC Meeting	7 PM
Friday:	Youth Group event	7 PM
Sunday:	<i>The 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany</i>	
	German Service	9:30 AM
	English Service	11 AM
	Catechism Class	9:30 AM
	Sunday Bible Study	10 AM
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**LUTHERAN HOUR**

**January 20, 2019: “My Delight is in Her” (Isaiah 62:1-5);** Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Tony Cook; As a bridegroom rejoices over his bride, God rejoices over you. This week we explore our new name and identity as the bride of Christ. Hear this inspirational message on CHRB 1140 AM, Sunday morning at 8:00 am. Available in RealAudio at [www.lll.ca/TLHstnlist.html](http://www.lll.ca/TLHstnlist.html). Streaming audio and pod-casts at [www.lutheranhour.ca](http://www.lutheranhour.ca)

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**THE STAFF OF ST. MATTHEW**

Organists: Claudia Tiefisher, Johnson Philip

Cantor: Dana Salter

Youth Leader: Elizabeth Schieman

Secretary: Andrea Sovary

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Chairman: Peter Graumann

Head Elder: Ernest Schulz

*Office hours are*

*9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. Monday-Thursday*

*Office deadline for Bulletin Announcements: Wed. at 12 noon.*

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