

# NOVEMBER 11, 2025

# **CHURCH CALENDAR • WEBSITE • GIVE**





# CHECK OUT WHAT WE DID THIS WEEK

Our 4th and 5th graders got a head start on our kindness challenge this week where we are "blanketing the world with kindness"! Check out our kindness challenge at the bottom of this email.



# **CHRISTMAS CRAFT NIGHT**

November 23 • 3:30-5:30 pm

Join us as a family to create Christmas decorations that can be the first ones out for the season. There are 8 crafts to choose from, with options suitable for all ages! You can check out the **craft options here**. If you can't come to the actual event, you can register for a Take-out kit! Registration is OPEN! Click the button below to register by November 17.

\*If you have any leftover, non-chocolate Halloween candy, please consider donating it to craft night to use for gingerbread house decorating. You can drop it in the wooden mission bin in the 4 1/2 Street reception area.



# **Craft Night Registration**



#### **ANGEL TREE**

Angel Trees are up and we've already had lots of angels adopted! We have the privilege of partnering with 4 organizations (2 churches, Winston-Salem Street School and Crossnore) to fill 3 Christmas trees around Centenary up with Angels, kids of all ages whose families need help making Christmas special.

Please return gifts by December 3 - you can do so on a Sunday morning or between 9 am - 4 pm on Monday - Thursday. Please keep in mind the church building will be closed November 27 and 28 for Thanksgiving.

There are many opportunities to jump in and help! One of the easiest is to be a "Tree Assistant" - someone who stands at a tree on a Sunday morning to help other adopt angels, fill out the form and answer any questions! If you want to go ahead and get some dates on your calendar, you can **sign up here** and watch for an email from Anna with more details.





#### KIDS DAY IN

December 13 • 9:30 - 11:30 am

Who: Infants through 2nd graders

What: a morning of holiday themed fun full of age-

appropriate crafts, games and more!

Where: East Building, enter at the 5th Street entrance

Cost: \$5 per child Register below

This is a perfect way to get any last-minute Christmas errands done while your tiny helpers have some fun with friends!





# **Upcoming Opportunities to Serve at Centenary**

- Greeter or Children's Worship Helper: We hope you'll consider sharing your time and talents to help our kids and families know that God loves them and so do we! 2 simple ways to do that are by serving as a children's worship helper during the 11 am worship service or a greeter as people arrive for Sunday School or 11 am worship. Take a look at this Sign Up Genius to learn more and get signed up. Have questions? Contact Kate May.
- Christmas Craft Night (November 23, 3:30-5:30 pm): Would you like to help in one of the craft rooms? Reach out to Kate May!
- Angel Tree: Do you like to organize gifts and keep track of items? We would love your help! Email Anna Thomas for more information.
- Wrapping Party: December 7, 3-5 pm. We hope you'll drop by and wrap some gifts and spend time with friends! Email Anna Thomas for more information.





#### **NOURISH**

Dinner 5:15-6 pm • Programming 6-7 pm

Reservations for dinner tomorrow have closed, but we hope you can join us for programming at 6 pm.
We have something for children, youth and adults!

Current Learning Opportunities:

Chrismons with Kate May in the Dining Room

Please visit the **Nourish Webpage** for many details on these and many more opportunities!



Last Nourish for the Fall: November 19
Mark your calendar now for Spring Nourish 2026 which will begin on Ash Wednesday, February 18 with our typical meal followed by Ash Wednesday worship and then continue through the season of Lent (Wednesday, February 25-March 25) with Lenten learning opportunities.

Dinner costs are \$10 for adults, \$7 for ages 4-12 and free for children 3 and under.

Reminder of Menu for November 12: Lemon chicken, scalloped potatoes, chicken nuggets, french fries, salad bar and brownies.

Menu for November 19: Turkey & dressing, mashed potatoes, chicken nuggets, french fries, salad bar and chocolate cookies

Dinner reservations for 11/19 can be made **HERE**. Deadline to register is **November 17 at 5 pm**.





## **CREATIVE ARTS EXPERIENCE**

Weekly Schedule:

4:30 - 5:15: Kindermusik for Ages 2 & 3\*

5:15 - 6: Church-wide Dinner

6 - 7: Creative Arts for Ages 4 to 5th Grade This includes singing, ringing, Kindermusik, Orff, drumming, creative movement, drama, visual art, worship leadership and more!

Register for CAE here!

Wondering if your child can be a worship leader during Advent? There is still time to join CAE before the end of the year! Come sing, ring, chime, and create as we prepare to share our gifts with the congregation during this most special season!

Last CAE for 2025 and Christmas Party is December 3.

Only one more Children-in-Worship date for 2025!

December 7

Reach out to **Virginia Sheffield** with any questions!



#### **FLAT JESUS**

Download Flat Jesus <u>HERE</u>, color him, and cut him out so you are ready to have some awesome adventures! Take me with you on your vacation, to



the beach, the mall, or even the gas station. Snap a pic and include me too! Remember I am always with you.

This week's Flat Jesus adventure: Bake something yummy and take it to a neighbor or friend! Bring Flat Jesus along and talk to them about Jesus!

Share your picture/video with us on <u>Facebook</u> or Instagram (@centenary\_kids\_ministry) or by email.





## KINDNESS CHALLENGE

Blanket the world with kindness for World Kindness Day November 13! Bring a new or gently used, clean blanket to the church and our police officer friends will share them this winter with those who need a little extra warmth. Give a double dose of kindness by adding a thank you note to our police officers!









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