

FOUNTAIN CONNECTION

December 2025



FOL's Web Site is: www.suncitylutheran.org



Bd of Trustee's Mtg, Dec 4th, 9 am

Bd of Elder's Meeting, Dec 7th, after Bible Study

Men's Breakfast/Royal Café, Dec 16th, 8:30 am

Ladies Luncheon, Dec 4th, 11:30 am

Voter's Assembly Meeting, Dec 14th, right after church svcs

Church Council Mtg, Dec 21st, after Bible Study

A Few Comments from Betty Erickson, Choir Director/Organist

Please consider singing in FOL's Chancel Choir. The Christmas and Advent seasons are good times to begin. Rehearsals are on Sunday mornings starting at 8:30 am before Church. For more information or questions, please call Betty Erickson by calling her at 602-499-2478.

Poinsettias will go on Sale on Nov 30th

Each Poinsettia will cost \$10 dollars, see Gary or Janette Hobbs. Only twenty-four (24) poinsettias will be sold and they can be taken after the 4 pm Christmas Eve Services on Wednesday, Dec 24th. There will be no Church Services on Christmas Day, Dec 25th. Please no checks or big bills Thanks



Attention All FOL Members – Advent Dinner Sign-Up sheets are available for three (3) separate meals for all FOL Members. These sign-up sheets are in both church entrances and in Fellowship Hall. All meals will be served soon after the 4 pm church services. ***Here is the Advent Dinner Schedule for 2025:***

Dec 3rd – Provided by the Trustees – Chili/Cornbread, [sign-up by Nov 30th](#)

Dec 10th – Busy Bee FOL Quilters – Holy (Sloppy) Joes [sign-up by Dec 7th](#)

Dec 17th – Provided by the Fellowship Team – **Homemade** Lasagna [sign-up by Dec 14th](#)

Help is needed at these three dinners. Sign-Up sheets are available.

Come to the next Ladies Luncheon on Dec 4th, starting at 11:30 am, in Fellowship Hall for a

“Holiday Celebration (Appetizers). Iced Tea and water will be provided. **Please feel free** to bring another

non-alcoholic beverage of your choice. This gathering is **Open** to all women of Fountain of Life and guests. Please sign up on the clip board, which is either in the Narthex, or in Fellowship Hall. If all items are filled, come anyway. You can bring something next Month!!! If at the last minute you find yourself able to attend, PLEASE join us. There is always lots of food! Direct questions to Tammy Ohm by calling her at: (815)-791-6991 or email her at: ohmrn98@comcast.com The next Ladies Luncheon will be on Jan 8th (2nd

Thurs), starting at 11:30 in Fellowship Hall. The luncheon theme and menu will be:

“Happy 2026” Pulled Chicken & Pork

Attention all FOL Bakers – On Dec 7th, it will be ***Christmas Cookie Sunday***, and please bring one or two of your favorites to the FOL kitchen in Fellowship Hall by 9 am. So, start digging into your recipes and share some of your Christmas delights with others. Any remaining Christmas

cookies will be distributed to first responders throughout the Sun City area.

October 2025 Food Drive Results – 350 lbs of food was donated to the Sun City Valley View Food Pantry. Thank-You to all donators. The next Food Drive will be in May 2026.



Voter's Assembly Meeting on Dec 14th

All full FOL members are encouraged to come to the Voter's Assembly meeting to review, discuss, and approve FOL's 2026 budget. Plus, we will conduct an election of church leaders for 2026. This meeting will begin right after church services. Handouts for this meeting will be passed out on Nov 30th and Dec 7th. Bring one these handouts to this meeting.



Sharing breakfast with Pastor Rogers Are you interested to come and have breakfast with Pastor Rogers every 3rd Tuesday each month and discussing various topics? The next breakfast will be on Tue, **Dec 16th** starting at 8:30 am, and it will be held in the Royal Café in Sun City. Please advise Don Schukei in advance so a private room can be reserved. Please call him at (602) 370-5562. Thank-You.



Christmas Eve Services will be held on Wednesday, Dec 24th starting at 4 pm.
There will be no church services conducted on Christmas Day, Dec 25th

2026 ENVELOPES Starting on Dec 14th Envelopes will be available at the Dec 14th Voter's Assembly Meeting.



Afterwards, please pick up your contribution envelopes which will be in the main church entrance by the glass windows. If you have not picked up your 2026 contribution envelopes at church by Jan 25th they will be moved to the church office. Please call the office at 623-933-8246 Monday through Thursday between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. to make arrangements to stop by and pick them up. Thank you for your cooperation.

2025 CHURCH CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS The 2025 Church Contribution Statements will be mailed to your home address on file. If you do not receive your yearly statement by January 31st, please contact the Financial Secretary, Judy Schmidt, at 602-576-8312.

FOL Members are Needed for the Altar Guild

Men and Women are encouraged to assist with the Altar Guild. No robing up or lightening church candles required. Just dealing with wafers and wine. You would set up for communion on Saturdays and assist with communion on Sundays. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Don Schukei by calling him at (602) 370-5562



FOL members will be needed to put away our Christmas decorations away on Saturday, Jan 10, 2026, starting at 8:00 am. Coffee & Donuts will be provided. Please Come & Assist! Sign-up sheets will be available before Jan 1st.

Some info about the Fountain Connection



The Fountain Connection is not published by the FOL Office. I have been doing the Fountain Connection in my home since 2018. **Would you like to enroll and receive future "Fountain Connections" in your in-box? Plus, you will receive other important information! Your email address will not be released, and you can always request to remove yourself from this list. To enroll send an email to Gary Hobbs at: heyhobbs@yahoo.com**



The FOL Office hours are from 9 am to 2 pm, Mon-Thurs. The FOL Office is closed on Fridays & weekends. The FOL office phone number is (623) 933-8246 or send an email message to the Executive Secretary at: execsecretary@suncitylutheran.org

The FOL Office will be closed on Christmas and New Year's Days.