

FOUNTAIN CONNECTION



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Happy 2026 FOL!

January 2026



Bd of Elder's Meeting, Jan 4th, after Bible Study

Ladies Luncheon, Jan 8th, 11:30 am

Men's Breakfast/Royal Café, Jan 20th, 8:30 am

Bd of Trustee's Mtg, Jan 8th, 9 am

Church Council Mtg, Jan 11th, after Bible Study

Chancel Choir Practice, 8:30 am, Sunday Mornings

"Christmas time is the season of giving without a thought of getting"



On Dec 14th, the FOL "Busy Bee Quilters", displayed 149 Quilts, afghans & hats, 20 fleece blankets and 4 stuffy monsters at the church altar and Pastor Rogers blessed them all.

Items were donated to: "Just Ask Outreach" which provides quilts to those living in need or crisis such as Battered women and children, homeless, hospice, and pregnancy center. "Military Assistance Mission" provide baby quilts and items to military families. "Sleep in Heavenly Peace" – This group makes beds for foster children, and the quilts go with their bed. Do you want to be a part of this awesome and talented group? Then, come and visit the "Busy Bee Quilters" on Wednesday mornings at 9 am. If you can tie a knot they will have an opening for you. Check it out soon!



Come to the next Ladies Luncheon on Jan 8th, starting at 11:30 am, in

Fellowship Hall to "Celebrate the New Year" by enjoying pulled pork and chicken. 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 Feb 5th, starting at 11:30 in Fellowship Hall.

The February luncheon menu will be announced at a later date.

Potluck Dinner



Fountain of Life Fellowship Event Potluck and Bingo.....Everyone is Invited!

On Jan 10th starting at 12 noon in Fellowship Hall \$5.00 per person, chicken will be provided. Please bring a potluck dish to share (9x13 size would be helpful). Bingo prizes will be that item that you found

in your closet after Christmas, the surprise your children gave you that you aren't sure what it is or the extra gift that you purchased but did not need. Anything that needs a new home, but it must be NEW. Please bring the item(s) to Fellowship Hall by Tuesday, January 6th. Direct questions to Tammy Ohm by calling her at: (815)-791-6991 or email her at: ohmrn98@comcast.com



FOL members are needed to put 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 are available.



2026 Noisy Mites Sundays are: Mar 29th, May 31st, Aug 30th, & Nov 29th. Nov 30, 2025, collection was \$259 dollars



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, **Jan 20th** 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.



New Member Sunday – On Sunday, Jan 25th, we will be bringing in a class of New Members to FOL. We will also have a cake in the Fellowship Hall after church services. Please come and join us in welcoming our new members.



2026 ENVELOPES 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 & wine. You would set up for communion on Saturdays & assist with communion on Sundays. Your assistance would be appreciated. Please contact Don Schukei by calling him at (602) 370-5562.



FOL Kitchen Shower

The FOL kitchen has been cleaned and an inventory is underway. There are MANY items that are needed to return our kitchen to its full usefulness. We are hoping that you will want to help by purchasing an item(s) or by giving a small donation. Listed below is a STARTING list of needed items: 3 Large Cooking Pots, 2 Medium Stainless Steel Colanders, 2 Large Steel Colanders, 4 Medium Stainless Steel bowls, 4 Large Stainless Steel Bowls, 4 Medium stainless baking sheets, and 4 Large Stainless baking sheets. Silcon lining sheets for baking sheets. Suggestions with pictures will be posted in the Narthex and in Fellowship. To submit a donations just use a: plain white envelope and write your name and FOL kitchen shower on it. Make out checks payable to the Fountain of Life Lutheran Church and place your white envelope in the offering plate. Thank-You.



To all of you that helped out at the Fountain of Life Lutheran Church in the last few months. We conducted an Oct 2025 Food Drive, celebrated an Oct Fall Festival, completed three Advent Dinners and Services, decorated FOL for the Holidays, had a Cookie Christmas Sunday, and had our annual budget and elections in one meeting. It takes people to do all of this not just 3 or 5.



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