

Gloria Dei Lutheran Church

DEI-LY LIGHT



SEPTEMBER 2022 NEWSLETTER

Dear Gloria Dei family,

RALLY - As we recover from the pandemic and begin to thrive... Sunday, September 11 is our Rally Sunday, the beginning of fall programming. Here are a few things starting up and happening:

- Sunday school (during both the 8:30am and 10am services). Sanctuary Choir. Preschool. Children's Choir. Bible studies at various times and for all ages. Los Angelitos Orphanage trips. South County Literacy Council. Confirmation. New artistic offerings by Michelle Lum.

RALLY - As we begin again, how do we renew our own faith journey? Of course that's the Spirit's work. Here's a few ideas to help:

- Pray the Prayer Labyrinth. The 500th Anniversary of the "September Bible" - Luther's Translation - and to celebrate, we offer the 7 Week New Testament Reading Challenge. Bethel Bible Series (2 Year Overview). Join a Bible study which works for you. This fall, Dr. Raymond Pickett from Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary, a New Testament scholar, is with us (October 30). Light a candle in the Sanctuary.

RALLY - For the sake of the world. *"Let your light so shine..."* Here are ideas related to looking outward:

- Invite a friend to worship - they may thank you for life! Or, invite them to a fellowship/friendship event - there will be many this fall. Help at Serra's Pantry. Find your niche and plug in. Make coffee! Be a part of our Eucharistic Ministry. Relationships are so important to regain hope and there are so many good people at Gloria Dei who will pray for you, but it takes time to get to know one another.

Yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David R. Mattson".

Pastor David R. Mattson



MICHELLE LUM, Minister of Arts and Outreach

Happy new year! Well, sort of. It may not be the beginning of the calendar year but it is the beginning of the school year and there are many things starting up this season (just read the rest of this newsletter!).

I love beginnings because there's always energy and momentum. When I make art, it's the initial idea that propels me forward. The challenging part is making decisions about what to put your energy into.

Maybe you've been here a long time and are already involved somewhere, or maybe you're new. Whether you are or not, I encourage you to take a look at everything coming up. Is there something you've wanted to try at Gloria Dei, and haven't had a chance yet? Is there a ministry here that can help you grow in a new way? Where do you want to join in this year?

Speaking of new things, here are two places you can get involved in (coming October):

- Art Ministry
- Preschool Choir



SEMINARY INTERN DANA BECKER

In my first few weeks at Gloria Dei, I have felt warmly welcomed into the community. Thank you! I am looking forward to diving more deeply into the community with Bible studies, preschool, Confirmation, Sunday services, community care, and fellowship at Gloria Dei. As we pray for the beginning of a new season, I am excited to dream about opportunities for ministry.

One area that I am especially praying for is our partnership with Los Angelitos Orphanage and the upcoming trip on September 24. This ministry is a special opportunity to support and connect with other communities and children experiencing difficult situations.

I am so grateful for the hospitality and kindness extended to me in my first few weeks and will continue to connect.

THE BIG THING (The main thing - put it on your calendar.)

MEMBERSHIP AT GLORIA DEI - There are two ways to join the Gloria Dei family: 1) Transfer your membership from another Lutheran congregation, or 2) Attend the Adult Inquiry Class (This class covers the basics of the Christian faith and is taught by a pastor). The next Adult Inquiry Class is Saturday, September 10, 2022, 9am. To all people joining, a New Member Brunch is Sunday, September 11, 11:30am. This is a social time to meet the other people joining, to hear in detail about the ministry of Gloria Dei, and to meet the leadership team. New members are received officially on Sunday morning, September 18, 2022 during worship. For information, call the church office to attend, 949-493-3414.

ALL WOMEN - Aspire on October 1, 6pm. "Just for Women" Event - An evening full of laughter, learning, stories & music in the Sanctuary. There will be a nationally acclaimed speaker, comedian, and musician. Invite a friend! Tickets available at the Welcome Table. Cost: \$25

THANKS to the many people who volunteer at Gloria Dei in countless ways - gardening, cleaning, fixing, repairing. With a large campus, it takes many people who work behind the scenes! Thank you. If you would like to volunteer, speak with Carol Weinhardt, Administrative Assistant (gloriadei@mygloriadei.org)



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY (Young Children's Ministry)

SUSIE BOLAND begins her ministry with the children & will continue her efforts with fellowship events! To reach her, please contact: fellowship@mygloriadei.org.

SUNDAY SCHOOL (Age 4 - 5th grade) We will begin Sunday School after the Children's Message at the 8:30 and 10:00 services! Our start date is set for September 11th, Rally Sunday! Please sign-up at the Welcome Table. There is also a sign-up to help teach, if you feel drawn to help teach our Gloria Dei little ones! It takes a village and we appreciate any help with teaching at either service. There will be a brief teacher training between morning services on September 18 in the Sanctuary.

NURSERY - A nursery is available for babies to preschool age during both morning worship services. The nursery is located in the preschool classroom directly across from the elevator. Please pick up a pager when signing your child in.

GOD SQUAD (3rd - 5th Graders) - I am looking forward to getting to know my "God Squad" kiddos!! Watch the Welcome Table for signing up to play Laser Tag at the Kaleidoscope on Sunday, September 18th at 3:00pm! Questions, contact, Susie Boland at fellowship@mygloriadei.org.

FELLOWSHIP/FRIENDSHIP

(Congregation-wide Social and Friendship Events)

WOMEN'S BOARD - This group meets on the second Saturday of the month at 9:15am. They meet again on September 10. Questions, contact Dana Becker at danabecker@mygloriadei.org.

- **Women's Event Bunco Night** event is Friday, September 9 at 6pm in Bankson Hall. All ladies - 10 years & older. No experience needed. Bring an appetizer or dessert to share. Cost \$5. Sign up at the Welcome Table.
- **ASPIRE Women's Event** (October 1st) - A night of laughter, learning, stories & music in the Sanctuary. Invite a friend! Tickets available at the Welcome Table. Cost: \$25

WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP - RIOT (Reading Is Our Thing) meets the *third Monday of each month at 2pm*. The group meets in Knudson Hall and their next meeting is September 19. They are reading *Surviving Savannah* by Patti Callahan. If you are interested in joining the book club, please contact Diane Kelly or contact the office at 949-493-3414.

MEN'S BOOK GROUP - Meets the *last Tuesday of the month, 7pm*. They are meeting in person at members' homes. They are on summer break June - August. For information contact the church office.

UPCOMING: Oktoberfest (Saturday, October 8, 5pm); Trick or Trunk 4pm (October 30th)
Thanksgiving Feast (Sunday, November 20, 5pm)
Christmas Caroling (Wednesday, December 7, 5:30pm)



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DEI-LY WORSHIP

(All things related to worship, music, altar guild, choirs, singing, praise, etc.)

- **Sanctuary Choir** meets on Thursday nights at 7:30. **All voices are needed for this ensemble. Join us!** Our first rehearsal begins on September 8th. We will sing at both services on Rally Sunday. Soloist, Jim Bankson will lead the choir and congregation

with the anthem "May the Peoples Praise You." Get ready to tap your toes and sing along!



- **Bell & Chime Choir** meets Thursdays at 6:30 pm beginning on September 8th. We will accompany the Opening Hymn for both services on Rally Sunday. We will also begin work on special music for October and December.
- A big **thank you** to all of our ringers who gave their time to clean and polish the bells for the new season. Pizza, good conversation, a little elbow grease, and ta da! Our 3 octave set of Malmark bells is looking beautiful!
- **Arvid Pettersen**, from Norway, will return to Gloria Dei and be in concert on Wednesday, September 21st at 7pm, Sanctuary. Come join us for this evening of wonderful music! Free-will offering.

Do you play an instrument? There is an opportunity for you! Questions? Email Kathy Person: music@mygloriadei.org.

PAIGE GULCK, YOUTH DIRECTOR



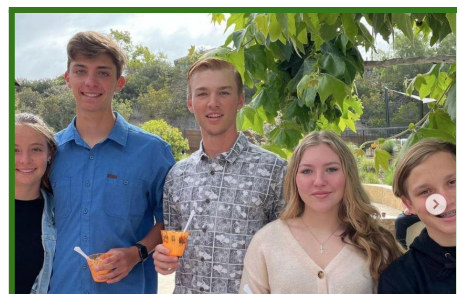
YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT NEWS

CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION: Confirmation is what parents agree to after baptizing their child(ren) and promising, *"to provide for their instruction in the Christian faith..."* At Gloria Dei, Confirmation is for youth, 6th-8th grade. It begins with a Parent Orientation on Sunday, September 25 between morning services (9:30am) in the Sanctuary. The first Confirmation class will be Sunday, October 2, 11:15. Lunch will be provided. This year we will be venturing on some educational trips along with learning about Lutheran Life. A schedule of classes will be given out

at the Parent Orientation and later posted to the website. For more information please reach out to Pastor Dave, Pastor Dana, or Paige.

SR. HIGH START UP - Friday, September 23, 6:00 pm - We kick off this year with *"Ministry in Motion."* Meeting for pizza at Pizza Port and then maybe off to a high school football game? Or a play? Or a cross-country meet? Whatever your kids are doing, that's what we will be doing! If your kid has an event they would like a cheering section for, email Paige at youth@mygloriadei.org.

YOUNG ADULTS - FAITH ON TAP - Tuesday, September 27, 5:30 pm - The last Tuesday of the month we gather for some good conversation and good beer. Let the festivities begin at OC Local Taproom, 30100 Town Center Dr., Laguna Niguel.





PRESCHOOL

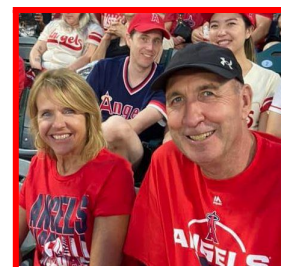
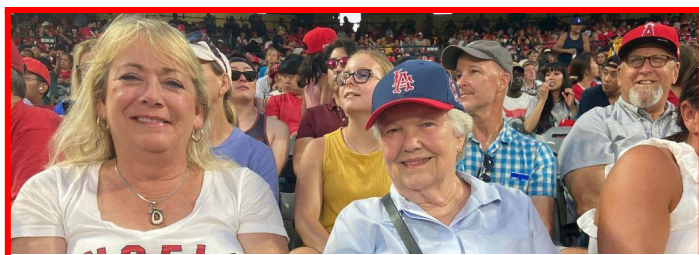
Gloria Dei is a place where children play and pray!

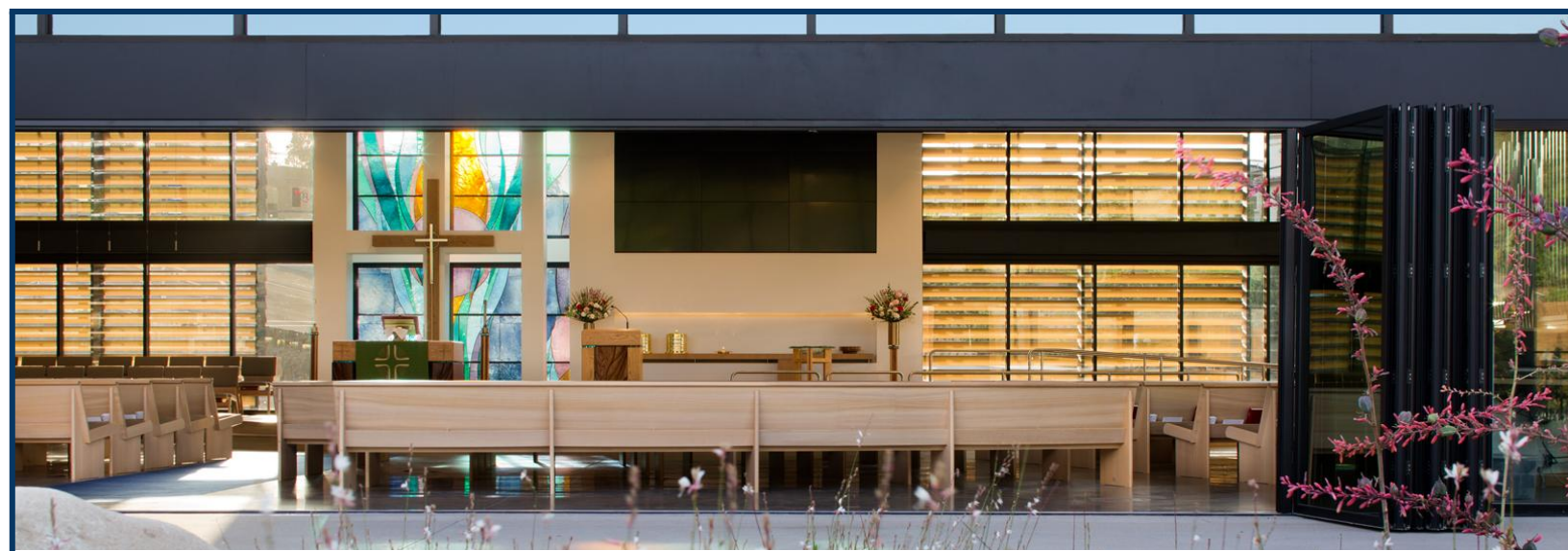
School is off and running, and we've had an energetic start to a new year. The preschool is completely full again and we are in need of a high energy teacher who meets licensing requirements to teach or sub. Contact me if you are interested. 😊

I want to thank Steve Weiss for all he's done to renovate the preschool kitchen. We are over the moon with the new look! I also want to thank Pastor David, Jim Bankson, Bill Jonas, and Chuck Weinhardt for hauling in 110 bags of sand on the most humid day of the summer! I am beyond grateful for everyone's help this summer.

What's ahead for preschool? We will honor the grandparents of our preschoolers with a special Grandparents Day chapel, and we will have an "All Family Chapel" at the end of the month to welcome new and returning students and families. This is going to be a great year at Gloria Dei!

GLORIA DEI SUMMER FUN...





GROWING TOGETHER!

(All things related to learning, Bible study, small groups, G.I.F.T. groups, education, Table Talk, etc.)

G.I.F.T. (GROWING IN FAITH TOGETHER) BIBLE STUDY - Led by David & Susan Warneke is held in Knudson Hall, in the Sunday School room, on the first Monday of the month, at 6:30pm. On September 12 (delayed a week due to Labor Day), we are meeting to discuss the Book of Acts, lesson 3. To join, contact the church office 949-493-3414 or gloriadei@mygloriadei.org, so we can add you to the group.

MEN'S BREAKFAST BIBLE STUDY meets the *second Saturday of every month at 8:00am in Bankson Hall*. This group meets on September 10. Please let Pastor David know that you plan to attend and there will be a place set for you. All men are welcome.

HEART LIFTERS WOMEN'S EVENING STUDY - Bible Study, for all interested ladies, on the 2nd & 4th Tuesday each month. It is a social and informative gathering to study "Meeting The Spirit", by Douglas Connelly. The next meeting is Tuesday, September 13th, 6:30pm, at the home of Donna Combe. Carpool from Church. Study Books available for purchase on Rally Sunday, \$10. Sign-up at the Welcome Table. Contact: Ann St.Martin or Gloria Dei Lutheran Church (949-493-3414) for more details.

WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY - This group meets every Wednesday at 10am - Gloria Dei women (and friends) meet in Knudson Hall. They meet next on September 14. This study is led by a Pastor David or our Seminary Intern, Dana Becker. All women are invited to join in! Watch for an email/bulletin announcement regarding gathering.

500th ANNIVERSARY OF LUTHER'S TRANSLATION OF THE BIBLE - This Fall, there will be new Bible studies to celebrate, plus a church-wide 7 Week Bible reading challenge. Watch for details. We will celebrate the power of Scripture. Several Seminary and College professors are lined up to do presentations for us. Watch the bulletin and future bulletins for more details.

DEI-LY SERVICE

(All things related to service, ministry, helping others, compassion, caring, loving, serving "the least of these", etc.)

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY - This ministry invites people of all ages to join their group. They meet the *first Saturday of the month at 9am in Knudson Hall*. They will meet on September 3. If you know of someone in need of a shawl or would like more information, call Peggy Johnson.

SERRA'S PANTRY - A volunteer opportunity in San Juan Capistrano provides food to those in need. Interested Gloria Dei members serve at Serra's Pantry *every third Saturday of the month at 8:30am, year round*. September 17 is the next volunteer opportunity. Please join us to help with this important outreach.

THE QUILTING GROUP continues preparing all the quilts from home. The quilts made by this group are provided to our newly Baptized infants & children. If interested in helping, please call the office or Donna Combe.

SOUTH COAST LITERACY COUNCIL - This is an all-volunteer, nonprofit organization, whose mission is to assist adults in south Orange County to acquire English language skills. They meet on Monday & Thursday mornings 10am - 12pm in Knudson Hall . Interested in volunteering, contact gloriadei@mygloriadei or 949-493-3414.

LOS ANGELITOS ORPHANAGE MINISTRY Los Angelitos orphanage, Tijuana Mexico

Summer Update 2022

Several of the Los Angelitos teenagers have participated in swimming classes, gym exercises, dance programs and more at the local YMCA over the summer. Soon, all the kids will have a field trip to Cineplex for a movie with popcorn and cold drinks.

Recently, new mattresses and bunk beds were purchased for the primary residence in Tijuana; the interior was painted, and numerous other repairs were made. An administrator was also hired to work alongside the existing house manager.

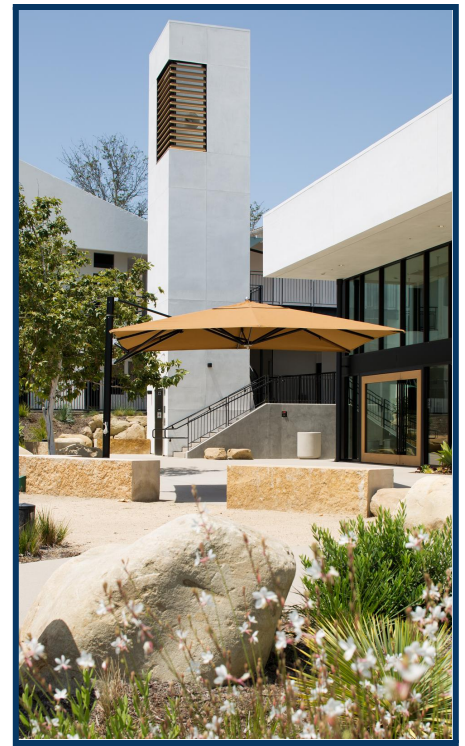
High school started Monday August 14th, while the lower grades began on August 22nd. A University student tutored many of the children in mathematics, while staff purchased uniforms, school shoes, school supplies, and registered students.

Mark your Calendars

- September 16th – Ed Perry Memorial Celebration of Life at Gloria Dei at 2pm
- September 24th – Trip to Los Angelitos, 7am - 7pm. Sign-up at the Welcome Table

Questions about Los Angelitos? Please contact David & Susan Warneke or the office for more information.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTRY - Thanks to those who are involved in meeting with shut-ins, homebound, hospitalized and bringing the Lord's Supper. Thanks to Intern Dana and Daneen Pysz for leading this ministry. If you are interested in helping in this area, please call the office. The next meeting for all Eucharistic Ministers (and those who want to find out more) is Saturday October 22 at 9:30am.





DEI-LY DETAILS

ATTENDANCE and LIVESTREAM VIEWS

7/3: 352 7/10: 278 7/17: 292 7/24: 271 7/31 287

8/7: 278 8/14: 273 8/21: 321 8/28: tbd

"SIMPLY GIVING" - Gloria Dei offers electronic giving, which allows you to make donations on a scheduled, automatic basis. You can make "one-time", special donations electronically as well. Choose to donate from your checking account or by using your credit card, so you can accrue miles, etc. Applications are available at the Welcome Table or contact the church office at 949-493-3414 or gloriadei@mygloriadei.org.

ELECTRONIC GIVING THROUGH VENMO - download the app on your phone and make your donation to **@GloriaDei-DanaPoint** (with a picture of our stained glass window overlooking the altar). Add where you want it applied in the Venmo required "memo" section.



TEXT YOUR OFFERING - It is simple and safe ("text to give", through Vanco) - text \$ amount you want to give to 949-356-5326. You will receive instructions on how to complete registration via a return text.

SANDSTONE BENCHES have now been etched with the names (and scripture) of people who gave gifts during the Gen2Gen of over \$10,000. Thanks to these eight families. Several more will be etched this summer. If you would like to be a part of this fund (which reduces our mortgage), please contact Pastor David about details. We will be etching several more shortly.

GLORIA DEI ENDOWMENT FUND - More and more people are requesting information about the Endowment Fund. Call the church office and speak with Pastor David for details, or visit our website: www.mygloriadei.org/donate. There you will find the brochure. *"What legacy will you leave?"* Have you considered putting Gloria Dei in your will? If you would like to leave a lasting gift to your church, please consider doing so.

THE COLUMBARIUM - The Columbarium is located in the upper canyon area in the Memorial Garden. Please stop by to see it at your convenience. Several of our members are now interred in the Columbarium and the ceremonies were beautiful family gatherings. Currently, 50 niches and 4 memorial plaques have been purchased and each niche holds two urns. To reserve a niche for yourself or a loved one, please contact the church office, 949-493-3414. For more information, please see our website: mygloriadei.org/columbarium.

THANKS

(Weddings, memorials, outreach, education, community service, etc.)

Dear Prayer Shawl Group,

Thank you so much for the prayer shawl. It reminds me that I have a lot of people praying for me and that God is watching over me.

Love,
Christina Davenport

Dear Pastor David, Church Staff & Council,

Thank you so much for the generous gift card and delicious "retirement" dinner. It has been an honor and privilege to work on the church staff these past years. I cherish the deep friendships and shared experiences. I am looking forward to seeing where God is going to plug me in next! I know that I will always be a part of the church through fellowship and volunteering!

In Christ's Love,
Barb Collins

Dear Friends,

I want to personally thank Pastor David Mattson, the entire congregation of Gloria Dei Lutheran Church and all our supporters in the United States. Your kind donations and contributions have allowed the following military units to conduct Combat Trauma First Aid (CTFA) training with the best medical equipment and instructors.

- 1st & 2nd Battalions, 75th Tank Regiment, and 25th Air Assault Regiment - Army of Ukraine
- Territorial Army Battalions, Volunteer Battalions, and Police Battalions - City of Kryvyi Rih

You should all be proud of your countryman, Mark Lopez, who is the Chief Instructor for all the above mentioned units and an integral part of our command and operational deployments.

The war continues here in Ukraine and we are humbled by your support and that of all our friends in the United States. Please know that we fight for our freedom and the belief that people all over the world should be free from oppression and war. With the good Lord's help and strength, we shall prevail in our struggle. Slava Ukraini! God Bless America! The men & women are grateful for your continued support. Thank you!

Oleksandr Pashkurov - Lt. Col., Volunteer Battalions - Kryvyi Rih

Dear Gloria Dei Church,

Thank you for your continued support of the Los Angelitos children. Your generous donations allow the children's needs to be met again. With your help, we are thrilled to have support for summer programs which were enjoyed by the children. They were able to have some fun outings and swimming lessons this summer! We appreciate your kindness in supporting the children with these special activities.

Sincerely - Jeff & Socorro Hubbard

Dear Friends at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church,

Thank you for your donation! Your generosity & commitment ensure Pacific Lutheran Seminary can better serve our students & assist them as they transform lives and help equip leaders for the church & world.

With appreciation - Raymond Pickett, Rector

DEI-LY PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

"Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs..."

HEALING - Tom Avery, Blaine Johnson, Alice Anderson, Debby Campominosi, Mary Lou & Denny Walters, Jean Meinholtz, Gwen Layritz, Lars Talstad, and Joan Sorge.

PRAYERS OF COMFORT for the family of Dave Ross as they mourn the loss of his sister; Elvia Gustavson and family as they mourn the death of her father; Liane Schuller and family on the death of her mother Ingrid.

PEACE AND SAFETY for all our service men and women serving around the world. We pray for peace and help in the Ukraine.

PRAYER CHAIN REQUEST - To place a loved one on the Prayer Chain, call the church office at 949-493-3414.

DAILY DEVOTIONAL - "Christ in our Home" (July - September, 2022), is available for pick up at the Welcome Table on Sunday or at the church office. If you would like to pick one up or have one mailed to you, please call or email the church office 949-493-3414 or gloriadei@mygloriadei.org).

DEI-LY DUTIES



SEPTEMBER 2022 VOLUNTEERS

New time & talent assignments (Aug. 2022 - Jan. 2023) were sent out in July, primarily via email (although physical copies were mailed to those without an email address).

If you didn't receive your copy, please check your spam folder & if it is not there, please contact Carol Weinhardt at 949-493-3414 or gloriadei@mygloriadei.org.

To assist, you must practice current Covid-19 guidelines. Thank you for your help in 2022!

GLORIA DEI LUTHERAN CHURCH AND PRESCHOOL CONTACT INFORMATION

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Congregational Life Director Susie Boland
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Music Director Kathy Person music@mygloriadei.org
Organist/Planist Fred Johnson organist@mygloriadei.org
5pm Worship Leader Micaela Lum

SEPTEMBER 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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8:30am - Worship (In Person) 10am - Worship 5pm - Worship 6:30pm - NA Meeting	5:30pm - Alanon Meeting 7pm - ACA Meeting	7am - AA Men Meeting 7pm - AI Anon Meeting	7am - AA Meeting 12:30pm - Pacifica Synod 5pm - Ingrid Schuller 6pm - Mission Hospital 7:30pm - 12 Step Couples	7am - AA Men Meeting 9:30am - AA Women Meeting 7pm - AA Men Meeting 7pm - Alanon Coed		7am - AA Men Meeting 9am - Prayer Shawl 7pm - NA Meeting
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(See Calendar on Website: <http://www.mygloriadei.org/calendar-2/>)



Aspire

Author & Bible Teacher
MELISSA SPOELSTRA



Comedy by
KAY DODD



Music by
JAIME JAMGOCHIAN



*1 night – 3 hours
Just for Women
An evening full of laughter,
learning, stories & music*

**SATURDAY
OCT. 1, 2022**

**GLORIA DEI
LUTHERAN CHURCH**
33501 STONEHILL DR.
DANA POINT, CA 95629

6:00PM SHOW

5:30PM GA DOORS OPEN

5:00PM VIP DOORS OPEN

ADVANCE TICKETS

\$25 Gen. Admission | \$35 VIP

\$20 Groups of 10 or more.

Group sales call 480-812-1100

VIP ticket includes early entry for
preferred seating and Q-n-A session
with all the speakers and artists.

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