



**Early Childhood Center**  
*A Ministry of Emmanuel Lutheran Church*  
**December 2017**

The Advent Season is here! Advent is the special time of year when we prepare for Christmas and the joyful observance of our Lord's birth. The children are welcoming the holidays with art, stories and songs!

**Lutheran Social Services**  
**Operation Turkey**

LSS would like to THANK everyone for your donations to the Thanksgiving food drive.

**Your generosity is very much appreciated.**



**ECC Christmas Sing**

Let's take a little time to celebrate the holiday season together! Please join us on **Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup>** as the children sing Christmas Carols in the Sanctuary at **10:00 a.m.**

We will be participating in the annual **TOY DRIVE** for Lutheran Social Services. We will start collecting toys for LSS families starting Friday Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> through Monday Dec. 11<sup>th</sup>. Please donate if you can. Thank you for your continued support.

## **Reminders**

- **THE LAST DAY OF HOT LUNCH IS DECEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup>.**
- **HOT LUNCH WILL RESUME ON MONDAY, JANUARY 8<sup>TH</sup>.**
- **Please remember to provide a home lunch for your child.**
- *The ECC will CLOSE at 12:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 21<sup>st</sup>.  
The preschool will resume on Tuesday, January 2nd, 2018.*
- **We will schedule Parent/Teacher conferences in January for Rooms 1, 5 and 6. Rooms 2, 3 & 4 will conference in February  
More information to follow.**

**THE ECC STAFF WISHES YOU A  
WARM & JOYOUS HOLIDAY SEASON.**



***GOD BLESS YOU IN THE NEW YEAR***