

# Lamb's Tale

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## FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Friends,

*Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.*

I hope you enjoyed a most blessed Christmas and a joyful New Year.

I want to begin this article with my deep gratitude for your greetings and gifts for Christmas especially the congregational gift. You are most generous and kind. Thank you.

As we move into this New Year the challenges we face must once again take on top priority in our conversations and planning. We began a conversation about our future and our congregation's legacy almost a year ago now. Since then we have gathered a lot of information in conversations with potential legacy partners including most recently *California Lutheran Homes*. We have made no firm decisions about the future as yet. But this year should be the year when, with some intentional discernment work, we can come to a decision about our direction and start working toward that end. We will devote our Wednesdays in Lent this year to that discernment. Our Synod's Director of Evangelical Mission, the Rev. Tom Goelrich, will be with us to help us by guiding us through a discernment process he will prepare. It will include scripture, prayer, and conversation. The worship structure will be Holden Evening Prayer as usual. A more detailed Lenten schedule will be available as Lent gets closer – it begins late this year,

March 6. This is a great opportunity for us and a generous gesture from Tom.

Much closer is our **Congregational Annual Meeting**. It is **Sunday, January 27 at 10:30**

am in Luther Hall. The business agenda for that meeting will be of the usual sort: The receiving of reports, Presentation of 2019 budget for approval, elections of council persons for 2019 and opportunity for conversation about our ministry and congregational life.

This year our involvement with the homeless community will be much less than in previous years. But we can still do some things to help even if we're not serving meals on a regular basis.

I'll try to keep you informed of such opportunities as they come up. Here's one you can do now. In a couple of weeks is the Orange County 'Point -In -Time Count' where volunteers will fan out all across the county to get as accurate a count as possible of those who are homeless. It's a very important way to gather needed information. Each person who is counted and interviewed receives a hygiene kit and a bus pass for their participation. The bus passes help folks get to important appointments. The United Way of OC is asking for donations of bus passes for \$5 each. Or you can donate \$10 for a hygiene kit. They need 5000 passes and 1000 kits. If you'd like to help them meet that goal here is the link to follow to make a credit card donation: <https://bit.ocuw.org/pit19>. Please consider helping with this. If you want to help but you don't want to do it electronically, then let me know and I'll figure out how else you can do it. Our Council has decided to support this. We will be giving 10 bus passes and 10 hygiene kits as a gift from Lamb of God.

I think that's all for now. See you in church.

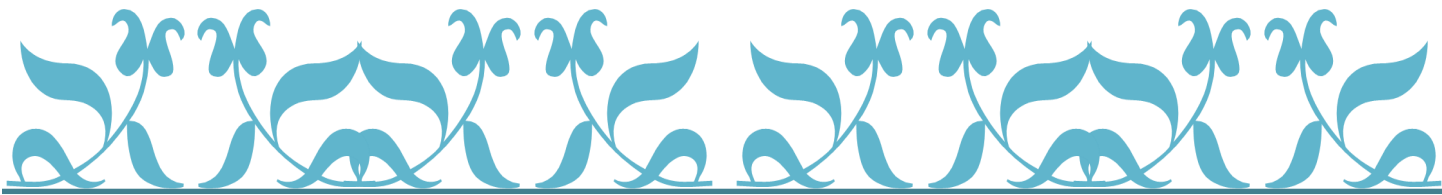
Blessings, - Pr. Steve

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**Congratulations!**  
Jacob and Luke Haske received First Communion in December



**Epiphany Celebration 2019**  
Thank you to everyone for a beautiful evening, celebrating the birth of  
*Jesus Christ*



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Sunday Worship Services

9:00 AM - English

11:00 AM - Korean



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| Bruce Nelson       | 1/2  |
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