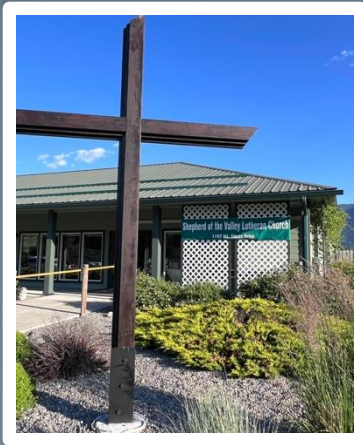




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DID YOU KNOW?

- Cayman Thanksgiving is held every first Sunday in Dec, giving thanks to God for His protection through the hurricane season.
- Shepherd of the Valley is located in the scenic Rockies of Western Montana.
- Our Savior lies on the plains of eastern Wyoming.
- Current favorite Spanish word/phrase: "comida de traje", – meaning "potluck".



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Kids in MT and WY for Missions



Ida, Daniel and Lydia of Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church, Thompson Falls, Montana. VBS at Our Savior Lutheran Church, Torrington, Wyoming, featured Safe Harbour in their VBS.



Sharing God's love with us

The first Sunday in Advent, Shepherd of the Valley's Sun School theme was world mission. Members there, Randy and Kathee Hojem, who had visited here in March to build for us the nativity set and light-up Advent candles, seen below, showed photos of Safe Harbour and told the kids of their experience here. The children, above, drew pictures to share God's love with us and to encourage us as we continue in our ministry in the Cayman Islands. Daniel wrote the following uplifting note: "Thank you for being missionaries. God loves you!" Thank you, dear people, for your love!

VBS in WY for Safe Harbour

This past summer the VBS theme at Our Savior, Torrington, WY, seen above, was world missions and focused on Safe Harbour, Grand Cayman, showing videos and pictures of our mission here. They dedicated their offering to Safe Harbour to buy communion wine as well as the fabric and supplies needed to make new green banners and paraments. Heidi was able to get them done (see above) just before the green Pentecost season was over! All at Safe Harbour are very thankful to the VBS children and their families for their love and generosity!





Advent & Cayman Thanksgiving



The Safe Harbour group after the Advent service and at the Cayman Thanksgiving potluck meal.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- The ongoing planning for a possible preschool
- The upcoming Christmas Eve Service on the beach – that the Gospel may reach many hearts.
- That more may be drawn to Safe Harbour to hear the saving Gospel

GIVE THANKS FOR:

- God's protection through the challenging hurricane season
- Safe Harbour's Radio Ministry
- The parsonage – that we've been able to keep it as it serves as home and church.
- The faithful few that regularly attend Safe Harbour's Divine Services.

PRAISE GOD FOR:

- The many congregations and individuals who support us with prayer, encouragement and their generosity.



Giving thanks together!

What a joy-filled day! We gave thanks to God in our Advent service prayers for His protection through a pretty challenging hurricane season this year and afterwards enjoyed a true Cayman potluck with Breadfruit Salad, Congri, Turkey Casserole, Cayman-style Beef,

Rum Cake and Upside-down Pineapple Cake! There was so much food that many were able to take some home! There were also many cookies to take home: Gingerbread Men, Krumkake, Butter Cookies and Gingerbread Stars and Hearts. Thanks to all!

Soli Deo Gloria



"Remember your mercy, O Lord, and your steadfast love, for they have been from of old."
Psalm 25:6

- Thanking you for your continuous financial support and prayers,

*Your partners in mission,
Gerald and Heidi Paul*



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