

Mission Statement
Rooted in God's grace to joyfully witness and serve.

Core Values
Intimacy With God + Inspiring Worship + Intentional Faith Development
Compassionate Outreach + Caring Community

Church Council Agenda for Tuesday, January 8, 2019 -- 7:00 p.m.

2018 Church Council Members: Craig Blois(Stewardship, Oversight), Joan Brundage* (Financial Secretary, Property), Brian Edwards* (President, Oversight), Betty Ertel (CDC Representative), Ivan Fernandez(Learning), Allison Johnson(Caring), Stan Patscheck(Fellowship), Susan Prosser(MET, Personnel), Keith Selbrede* (Treasurer, Budget & Finance, Endowment), Denise Sobolik* (Vice-President, Service & Missions), Cecelia Travick-Jackson* (Secretary, Adult Education), Norman Williamsen, Meredith Smith (Director of Ministries), Jim Bessey* (Pastor).
**Executive Committee*

Light of Christ & Call to order	Brian Edwards
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Devotions	Joan Brundage
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Caring Conversation	How do you like to spend New Year's Eve?
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Listening Post	Cecelia Travick-Jackson
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Church Council Patio Table	Cecelia Travick-Jackson
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<p>Action Items Updates Reporting (on progress) Information Discussion Items</p> <p><i>Note: The order of the items listed in the column to the right is at the discretion of the chair.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action: Determine a quorum is present • Action: Approve minutes of December 18th meeting • Reports: Please read all reports online. Only reports that need action or are of special importance need to be heard. Pastor Jim, President, DOM, Treasurer, committee liaisons • Action: Cook's position • Action: 2019 budget recommendation • Update: Call Committee • Update: Pavilion Project update • Update: Nominating Committee • Information: Annual meeting January 27th at 4:00, potluck following • Information: February Leadership Retreat breakfast/lunch • Other:
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Adjourn with Lord's Prayer	9:00 p.m.
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Looking ahead	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council meeting February 2, 2019 10:00 a.m. • Employee handbook
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* DEVOTIONS			
FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
Pastor Jim			
JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY 2019
** COUNCIL LISTENING POST (1 st Sunday of the Month, on the patio, between services)			
FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
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OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER	JANUARY 2020

Charter For The Next 50 Years - 2016-2066

For fifty years Mount Cross Lutheran Church has been faithfully worshipping and serving as a congregation of the Southwest California Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. Connected to God through our Lord Jesus Christ and striving to continue in God's holy Word, with open hearts and generous spirits, do you pledge:

- to be faithful in worship, giving God an opportunity to breathe new life into you so that you might share that life with others;
- to continue to give your time, talent and treasure to support the work of your church and the church at large;
- to pray, for your congregation's peace and health;
- to pray that you may be instruments of God's peace in the world and courageous in your witnessing and serving;
- to pray for a sense of adventure, that as you travel into an unknown future, you do so not with fear but with faith in the One who has promised to be with you always?

We do, and we ask God to guide and direct us.

Almighty God, who has given you the will to do these things, graciously give you the strength and compassion to perform them.

Amen.