

Youth Sunday a Success: by Louise Williams

Youth Sunday, the second Sunday of Advent, was a smashing success. Those participating were Christiana Cleveland, Justine Lorenz, Kristen Yeager, Grant Grothusen, and Catherine Rachfalski. For the sermon, they performed a skit on choosing a mission program, and asked the congregation for a special offering for Lutheran World Hunger. They set a goal of \$300, and so far have collected \$700 for the program.

We thank these young people and appreciate the roles of participation and leadership they are assuming in our church. We look forward to seeing more programs and projects in the coming year. Good luck and God's blessings on you all!



Kristen Yeager and Christiana Cleveland were part of the group who decorated the church for Christmas. Thanks to all who helped!



The Children's Choir sang at the Christmas Eve Family Service. From left, singing are Kelson, Nicholas, Amanda (back), Daniel, Mira, and Taylor, with Ami Meachum (front)