

LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES 2026 ROSE PARADE FLOAT COLORING CONTEST

"Bringing Christ to the Nations"

Petal Pushers is a group of hundreds of volunteers that help the Phoenix Decorating Company decorate Rose Parade floats. The Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena, CA will be held on January 1st. The theme for the 2026 Parade is "The Magic in Teamwork." This year's theme "Celebrates the power of collaboration and the sense of accomplishment that comes from working together to achieve shared goals." The joy, creativity, and color of God's world is an inspiration for all ages living across the globe. Petal Pushers invites all students, from preschool to eighth grade, from across the globe to join in the celebration! It is time for you to take part in the 15th Annual Petal Pushers Coloring Contest, celebrating the 2026 Rose Parade Float, "BRINGING CHRIST TO THE NATIONS". This 2026 float is a milestone for The Lutheran Hour Float, as it marks our 75th year of participation in the parade! Show us YOUR colorful design while you use the colors from GOD'S beautiful creation.

HERE'S HOW TO ENTER:

- *Download the coloring page at https://shop.petalpushers.org/pages/color. Color the float picture page by using colored pencils or crayons. We suggest not using markers, they tend to bleed through the page.
- *Complete all the information at the bottom of the coloring page. Entries with incomplete information cannot be judged.
- *Submit your entry to: The Lutheran Hour Ministries Float Committee P.O. Box 7556, La Quinta, CA 92248.
- **Entries MUST be postmarked by Nov. 1, 2025. Be sure all information lines on the bottom of the page are filled in. Entries become the property of Petal Pushers and cannot be returned.

3 WINNERS WILL BE SELECTED FROM EACH CATAGORY

*Preschool-Kindergarten, * $1^{\text{st-}}2^{\text{nd}}$ grade, * $3^{\text{rd}}-5^{\text{th}}$ grade, * $6^{\text{th}}-8^{\text{th}}$ grade $^{1\text{st}}$ place winners, as well as their teachers, will receive a \$50 gift certificate to use at the Petal Pushers online store, a 2026 Petal Pushers T-shirt & Float magnet. The 2^{nd} & 3^{rd} place winners will receive a 2026 Petal Pushers T-shirt & Float magnet.

Visit <u>petalpushers.org</u> for more details or to download materials. As you visit the website, take a moment

to learn more about the Petal Pushers organization and the volunteer opportunities available.