



ESSENTIALS



March 1, 2026

ENVIRONMENTS

Pingo Land | Every Sunday

- Precious Puffins (ages 3-5) meets during the service in Pingo Land.
- Caribou Kids (1st-5th grade) meets 10:45-11:30 am in Pingo Land.

Xtreme | TODAY

10:45-11:30 am. Middle and High School students meet in the Fellowship Hall.

Converge | Fellowship Hall

"These Truths Alone", a study of the Five Solas of the Reformation led by Bill and Burma Chase. Join 8:30-9:20 am Sundays through Apr 19 (except Easter) to discover how 500 years ago these truths transformed the church and brought Christians back to the gospel of Jesus Christ. Visit the Information Center to sign up and request a study guide.

Catechism Course | Sanctuary

What is the Lutheran faith? How is it the same or different from other denominations? Cole Niebuhr leads sessions March 1, 8, 15, 22 after service.

Coffee+Convo | Fellowship Hall

Connect after the service with good conversation, tasty treats and drinks.

WORSHIP

Sundays | 9:30 am

Stream on Facebook, YouTube or messiahwilmington.org

Message Today:

Why in the World - Like Father Like Son (John 9)
Timothy Steele

Hymns for our service:

- #549 vs. 1-2, 4, 6
- #699 vs. 1-3
- #784 vs. 1, 5-6

Message Next Week:

Why in the World - Part 3
Timothy Steele

Offering | Collected at the door.

Child Care Amenities

Available in Pingo Land.

Hearing Assistance

Ask the Information Center for a headset to amplify what you hear.

New Here? First-Time Guest Gift

Stop by the Information Center and introduce yourself!

Find Help and Care in Life

In times of transition, we can all use a guide to navigate life. Meet after service with a Care Leader in the front of the church.

OTHER INFO

Lenten and Holy Week Services

- Lenten Services (Wednesdays through Mar 25, 7-7:30 pm)
- Palm Sunday (Mar 29) 9:30 am with communion
- Maundy Thursday (April 2) 7 pm with communion
- Good Friday (April 3) 7 pm

Easter | April 5, 9:30 am with communion.

Special Lenten Service | Mar 4

Students from Walther Christian Academy in Melrose Park, Illinois will be performing during our Lenten service and afterward in a music concert (7:00 - 8:15 pm). Everyone is welcome to join the potluck at 5:30 pm. Plan to join, invite a friend, and enjoy the performance!

Potluck Dinner-Walther Students

Almost there... we could still use a chicken entrée, fruit, veggies and desserts. Please sign up TODAY with the QR code or at the Information Center. Drop off food in the Fellowship Hall by 5:15 pm Wed. Please contact Debbie Irgens (919-723-8812) if you can serve and/or clean up after the meal.

Communion Kits | Watch Online

If you will attend service online Mar 8, please email us no later than Mar 4 to schedule your pickup.

Spring Yard Sale | Sat, Mar 14

Start your spring cleaning and bring donated items for the sale starting Mar 8. A flyer with drop off and volunteer details is at the Information Center.

Easter Lilies | Mar 22 deadline

We need 30 lilies to decorate for Easter. Be the first to reserve and dedicate one (or more)! Two Steps:
1. Submit your request at the Information Center or use QR code,
2. Put payment of \$10 each in the offering plate by Mar 22.

Serve Dinner for Homeless Vets

Help us serve a meal at the Ashley Center on Tues, March 24, 5-8 pm. Sign up with the QR code or at the Information Center.

Prayer Requests

(Parentheses is person related):
Gene Hurd (*Dalida Wichman*); Sharon Baker (*Carolyn Verdejo*); Pat Vukelich; Karen Aune; Marlene Harty; Ed Mitchell (*Mark Mitchell*); Margaret Ernst (*Carol and Dave Ernst*); Jack and Linda Foster (*Leslie Aschemeier*); Mel and Dawn Foels; Mark Spelzhausen; Hoyt and Gale Hedgecock; Karen and Dave Devan (*Barb Millis*); Grant Haynes (*Lee Musolf*).

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