

FLC WEEKLY

January 25, 2026

God is with us as we care for one another.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING, SUNDAY, 1/25/26

9:30 AM—BETWEEN THE SERVICES

Please join us for our Annual Congregational Meeting. We look forward to seeing you.

FLCW QUARTLEY MEETING 1/25/2026

All women of the church are invited to attend the first FLCW quarterly meeting of the year on Sunday, January 25th. We will meet at 1:00 in the annex. Hope to see you there. "For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them" Matthew 18:20

LENT

Please join us for the Lenten journey in the Gospel of Matthew chapters 26 and 27 on Wednesdays starting with a light meal at 5:30pm. Then join in for some reflection and guided kid-friendly activities in the Annex at 6pm. Finish the prayer service at 6:30 in the Church.

Like previous Lenten meals, groups and/or individuals are welcome to prepare/ share a meal. We're doing simple soup, sandwiches and fruit this year. Four of the five evenings are already covered for food, leaving only one. If you would like to help with food for that evening, please contact the church office.

"LIVING & LOVING" LIKE JESUS! ISN'T THAT WHAT WE ALL WANT TO DO?

Our 5/6 graders are doing just that in the weeks leading up to the season of Lent and they want you to live and love like Jesus too! So, be on the lookout! Jesus is everywhere!

If you happen to find a little Jesus figurine sitting in some most unexpected places around our church, please feel free to take him and give him to someone, while you share the love of Jesus with them!

Everyone needs a little more Jesus in their life!

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING 1/4 – 2/8,2026

We will have a super kick off for Souper Bowl of Caring on Sunday. There will be tubs in the annex for collection of non-perishable food items that you can bring in every Sunday till the Sunday of the big game. Angels are (A-L) and Saints are (M-Z) We will collect non-perishable food items through Super Bowl Sunday. On the Sunday of the big game, the youth will count who has collected the most items and declare a winner. There will be a pizza party following. The winner will be the Floresville Food Pantry. So, please remember to bring in your non-perishable food items every Sunday till the big game!

Go Angels! Go Saints!

GOT EGGS? WE NEED YOUR EGG CARTONS!

If you have any...any size... we will take them! Please bring them to church and leave them in the grocery shopping cart in the annex! Thank you

VBS "RAINFOREST FALLS, EXPLORING THE NATURE OF GOD"

Plans for a 3-day Vacation Bible School are underway. VBS will be held Monday June 29 through Wednesday July 1, 2026. The theme for this year is "Rainforest Falls, Exploring the Nature of God"

Dates and upcoming things to be aware of about VBS:

- If you plan to volunteer with this year's VBS, or any other activity at First Lutheran Church involving children, **AND YOU HAVEN'T** taken part in the video training titled "Sexual Abuse and Awareness Training" and taken a short test afterwards, please contact Nina Koenig at 361.816.6721 to get signed up to go through this process. The month of February will be utilized in getting any new volunteers trained, so please contact Nina as soon as possible.
- **March 3 @ 6:30 in the annex at church there will be a meeting of VBS volunteers.** We will look at this year's theme as well as asking people to volunteer in different capacities to help.

We look forward to having another wonderful adventure this year for our kids. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Nina Koenig, Teresa Sisti, or Carol Rutledge.

SERVING AT WORSHIP SERVICE SUNDAY (1/25)

Ushers (Team 3)

Early Ushers- Darren Lange, Laura Lange, Vernon Blocker

Late Ushers- Doug Bielefeld, Hardy Klepac, Keith Klepac, James Rhew, Randy Schuette

Live Stream- Britt Benson

Early Sound Tech- Carol Rutledge

Early Acolytes- Caitlyn Korzekwa & Paisley Pfeil

Early Reader- Curtis Holcombe

Late Sound Tech- Dan Martick

Late Acolytes- Cline Mangum

Late Reader- Polly Archer

Tellers- Melissa Mangum & Liz Scheitle

Flowers- In Memory of Paul & Nancy Traeger's Wedding Anniversary.

Additional Flowers- In Honor of Roger & Brenda Hubert's 47th Wedding Anniversary

Music- Manahara Virasinha

Altar Guild-(T-4) Judy Rhew, Margie Boening, Linda Jauer, Glenda Taylor, Brenda Yosko

Eucharistic Ministers- David & Annette Pfeil

Lawn Crew-(1/24) T-1 John Moring, Doug Bielefeld, Ray McHorse, Bill Stolle

THIS WEEK AT FIRST LUTHERAN

Tues., 1/27

10am Bible Study

Wed., 1/28

6pm Monthly Youth Gathering at Lord's Acres

Thur., 1/29

9am Quilting Hands

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR OUR MEMBERS AND REGULAR WORSHIPERS

Susan Thompson- Cancer testing

Robyn Sanders- Prayers for comfort and complete healing from cancer.

Bonnie Caisse- Prayers for comfort & complete healing.

Vernon Blocker- Prayers for comfort & complete healing.

Natalie Adams- Prayers for continued healing and wholeness.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE LIVING IN NURSING HOMES OR LIVING ALONE

Florence Baumann

Sylvia Gadd

Evie Schmidtberger

PRAYER REQUESTS FROM MEMBERS & VISITORS

Prayers for Rain.... Cooler Weather and Joy

Prayers for Livestock Show exhibitors and animals.

Prayers and Blessings for marriage of Peyton & Elise (Frances Ehrlich)

Kristen Schuette- Surgery recovery (Niece/Randy & Eileen Schuette)

Ruth Reynoso- Prayers for comfort & healing, going through cancer treatments (Nina Koenig).

Melvin Moczygemba- Prayers for comfort & healing, bypass surgery (Klepac's & Bielefeld's).

Gene, brother of Sylvia Hermesen- Prayers for comfort & healing (Friend of Mata Orth).

Michael Prater- Prayers, comfort & healing, concussion. (Pantuso Family)

Jacob Waclawczyk- Prayers for comfort with his diabetes (Grandson of Ruby Kolenda).

Kaye Lake- Prayers for comfort & complete healing after surgery (Sister of Laveda Thompson).

Wayne Hartman- Prayers peace and hope. Treatment for colon cancer. (Brother/Linda Jauer).

Carolyn Heil- Prayers for comfort & healing, in the hospital.

Diane Moy- Prayers for comfort & healing, cancer treatments.

Kris Jenschke- Prayers for comfort & healing.

Jack & Betty House- Prayers for comfort & healing.

Carl Ortmann- Prayers for comfort & healing.

Bill Mueth- Prayers for comfort & healing.

Cheryl Brownlow- Prayers for comfort & healing.

Christina Pantuso-Speranza- Prayers, comfort & healing, cervical cancer (Niece of Pantuso's).

Steve Plata- Prayers for complete healing from cancer (Co-worker of Keith Klepac).

Keli Oliveira- Prayers for complete healing from cancer (Friend of the Klepac's).

Jennings Johnson- Prayers for comfort & complete healing (Friend of Denise Klepac).

Cindy Pilgrim-Banhart- Prayers for complete healing from cancer (Friend of Denise Klepac).

Karen Lucherk- Prayers for comfort & healing.

Courtney Ortiz- Prayers for comfort & healing, needing lots of prayers. (Pantuso Family)

Jenny Klepac- Prayers for comfort & healing (Aunt of Keith Klepac).

Mary Calvillo- Cancer (friend of Mata Orth)

Walter Bauer- Prayers for comfort & healing. (Ruby Kolenda's cousin)

Terry Gorzell- Complete healing from surgery. (Friends of John Moring)

MEMBER'S HAVING BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Thur. 1/27

Ruby Kolenda

Mary Tieken

Frankie Dippel

Fri., 1/30

Sharon Roemer

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Tues., 1/27

Roger & Brenda Hubert

Wed., 1/28

Scott & Diane Boening

DAILY READINGS FOR DISCIPLES

1/26/26	Monday	Matt 5:1-12
1/27/26	Tuesday	Micah 6:1-8
1/28/26	Wednesday	Ps. 15
1/29/26	Thursday	1 Cor. 1:18-31
1/30/26	Friday	1 Cor. 6:12-20
1/31/26	Saturday	1 Cor. 7:1-16

THANK YOU FOR CONTINUING TO REMEMBER FLC IN YOUR GIVING, AS YOU ARE ABLE. We now have options available for online giving and text-to-give. They are easy to use and secure! You can give a gift of support online at <https://dojoy.org/give> or give via text message by texting the amount you would like to give to **830-420-0747**.