

Connecting with God, One Another & Our Mission in the World

MARCH 2026

NEWSLETTER

Easter Breakfast

Please join us for Easter Breakfast on **Sunday, April 5th** in the **Fellowship Hall**. We will be serving a hearty breakfast between **8:00 – 11:15 AM**. BLC youth attending mission trips in 2026 will be serving and it will be a free will offering.

Bring the whole family, no cooking and no washing dishes! We will be serving breakfast sausages, scrambled eggs/egg bake, pancakes and more! DELICIOUS!

Support our young people as they go out to serve others, grow their faith and be the hands and feet of Jesus, all while enjoying a great breakfast!

Hope to see all of you there!

GUEST SPEAKERS DURING LENT

12:05 PM in the Chapel

6:15 PM in the Sanctuary

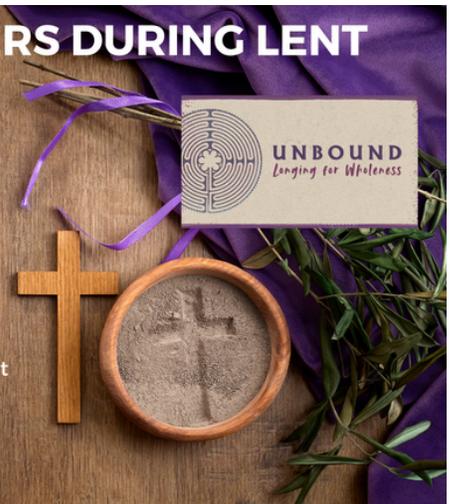
March 4- Crystal Swenson

March 11 - Addison Hoeft

March 18 - Cole Kukowski

March 25 - Nancy Hartung

(Due to Bach's Lunch, in the Sanctuary at 12:00 PM, the speaker will only talk at the 6:15 PM service on 3/25)



Journey to Egypt 2027

Egypt is a place of amazing history and beauty. Egypt is also the setting for many key events for our faith ancestors: Moses, Miriam and the basket, people set free from slavery under Pharaoh, Jesus, Mary & Joseph, and more.

Plans are in the works for Pr. Jeff to host a pilgrimage to Egypt in early 2027. All are welcome to share in an initial informational meeting **Wednesday, March 18th @ 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room 1**. Please contact Pr. Jeff for more information and a Zoom link (if you can't participate in the informational meeting in person). **Note:** The dates and details were being finalized at press time.



FROM THE PASTOR

Beloved People of Bethlehem,

When I was a child, one of the playground games that we played was “stuck in the mud.” It was a modified game of “tag.” When someone got “tagged,” they were “stuck in the mud” until someone who was free would run to them and get on the ground to pass through their legs. What a delight it was to be set free. What a delight to set others free.

This Lent our **Unbound** worship series brings us to stories of people, primarily in the Gospel of John, who are “stuck.” While they are stuck, Jesus connects with them and sets them free.

It isn't only on the playground and the passages of scripture that people are stuck. Perhaps you can think of various ways that you have found yourself bound and longing for freedom.

This Lent, you are cordially invited to be more intentional about your journey in faith. There are at least five ways that Bethlehem is facilitating your faith journey this Lent:

- Weekend worship services will center on stories of Jesus and people who are stuck with sermons by our pastors.
- Wednesday worship services will also include those stories as well as messages from people of Bethlehem.
- Various small groups will explore these scripture passages and reflect on how they connect with our everyday lives.
- Pastor Matt will lead a book study on forgiveness.
- Everyone is encouraged to follow Jesus through the Gospel of John [using the reading guide](#).

We hope and pray that you will experience the joy of being unbound this Lent.

Pastor Jeff

on behalf of Team Bethlehem

Lenten Schedule

Wednesdays

- Midday worship at 12:05 in the Chapel with lunch to follow
- Community Meal served from 5:00 - 6:15
- Evening worship at 6:15 in the Sanctuary

Weekends

- Saturday evenings at 5:15 in the Chapel
- Sunday mornings at 8:30 & 10:10 in the Sanctuary

Rev. James L. Hanson, former pastor at Bethlehem (1966-1982) passed away on Tuesday, Jan. 13, 2026. He was 94 years old. His funeral will be Friday, May 22 at 2:00 PM, Christ Lutheran Church, 555 East Avenue, Zumbrota, MN.

Leadership Transition

After many years of faithful service and dedicated leadership, **Doug Eisenbeisz has shared plans to retire at the end of August.** While transition details are still being finalized, we wanted to let our church family know in advance so we can begin preparing thoughtfully and gratefully for this upcoming change.

Doug has been a steady presence in our ministry: inviting, welcoming, engaging and connecting people into the community of Bethlehem and beyond. We are deeply thankful for the countless ways his work has blessed our congregation and community.

Over the coming months, we will share more information about the timeline, opportunities and plans for the transition. For now, please join us in expressing appreciation and support as we continue this season of ministry together.

We are grateful for all that has been accomplished and look forward with confidence to what God has in store for the future.



Registration is open for the 2026-2027 School Year!

We offer **Pre-K only** Mondays – Thursday from 8 – 11 a.m. or 12:30 – 3:30 p.m.
or

Pre-K with Out of School Time (Daycare) Monday – Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Register online today at: www.bethlehemaberdeen.org/teach/pre-k or contact Cyndi Holtz at choltz@bethlehemaberdeen.org for more information or to setup a tour!

There will be **no Wednesday School** on **March 11th or 18th** due to spring break.

There will be **no Sunday School** on **March 15th or 22nd** due to spring break.

First Communion Class

First Communion class will be held on **Wednesday, June 10 from 5:15 – 6:30 p.m. in the Chapel**. Students will receive their First Communion during worship on Sunday, June 21 at 8:30 or 10:10 a.m. or Wednesday, June 24 at 6:15 p.m.

At Bethlehem, families are welcome to decide when their children will receive First Communion. Most children take the class in mid to upper elementary, though any age is welcome. An adult is required to be at the class with the student.

Registration with the church office by June 4 is required. Contact Cyndi Holtz, Director of Children's Ministries, at 225-9740 or choltz@bethlehemaberdeen.org with any questions.

Thank you for your donations!

Thank you to members and friends of Bethlehem for your support of this year's Winter Carnival! A great time was had by all! We appreciate your generosity!



Vacation Bible School is coming June 1-5!

Mark your calendars for another amazing week at VBS! Our theme this year is Rainforest: Exploring the Nature of God. VBS is open to children ages 3 (by 9/1/25) through 5th grade. Registration will open March 1 at vbspro.events/p/2026blc

We are also looking for volunteers (completing 6th grade through adults). Volunteers can register today at: vbspro.events/p/2026blc



Contact Cyndi at choltz@bethlehemaberdeen.org with any questions.

Help support the Bethlehem Pre-K!

Bring your Kessler's and Ken's receipts to church and place them in the containers near the Pre-K Classroom or on top of the coat rack near the Hub. Thank you for your support!

Milestone Ministry

Kindergarteners will celebrate a *God Made Me* Milestone during a Parent/Child learning event on **Sunday, March 1 at 9:40 in the East Fellowship Hall** or **Wednesday, March 4 during Wednesday School (5:15 – 5:45)**.

4th Graders will celebrate a *Serving Like Jesus* Milestone during a Parent/Child learning event on **Sunday, April 12 at 9:40 in the East Fellowship Hall** or **Wednesday, April 15 at 5:15**. Watch for more information coming soon!

Football Food Drive



Thank you so much for your Football Food Drive donations! Looks like Bethlehem members and friends accurately picked the Super Bowl winner! All donations went to the Good Shepherd Food Pantry to help local families in need. Thank you again for your support!

TOT GYM

All are welcome to join us in the Re-Creation Center from 10:30 – 11:30 on Thursdays with your tots. Parents can visit. Kids can run off energy and play with others. It's a win for all! Please only bring children younger than kindergarten for the safety of all little ones.

Disney
ZOOTOPIA 2



MOVIE NIGHT

FRIDAY, APRIL 10

5:00 - SUPPER SERVING STARTS

5:30 - MOVIE

ALL ARE WELCOME TO COME TO THE FELLOWSHIP HALL FOR PIZZA, POPCORN AND THE MOVIE "ZOOTOPIA 2"

Middle School Mission Trip Duluth, MN June 21-26, 2026

We have a few spots available yet! You don't have to be a member of BLC to attend; so ask a friend and spend a week in Duluth doing service projects, having fun and meeting new friends! Open to all current 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th grade students.

There is a link on the BLC website (BLC website, TEACH tab, YOUTH 6TH -10TH dropdown, scroll down to ROUTE 67 and select the 2026 MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION TRIP – DULUTH button) to register. Please connect with Stan for more information.

Stan's contact info:

Phone (605) 225-9740 ext. 113

Email sjung@bethlehemaberdeen.org

11th Grade Milestone

All 11th grade students will receive a devotional filled with helpful tools that will help them connect with God in intentional ways. The milestone will be celebrated on **Sunday, March 1st at the 10:10 AM service** and on **Wednesday, March 4th at the 6:15 PM service**. All 11th Grade students and parents are encouraged to participate.

Lutherans Outdoors Summer Camp Registration is Now Open



There is nothing better than having your child(ren) experience a Lutherans Outdoors Summer camp!

And even better is the fact that Bethlehem offers scholarships to kids attending camp!

We offer **\$150 scholarship for full week camps and \$75 for the half week camps** – all you need to do is sign your child up and email us the receipt! **To sign up for camp visit: losd.org**.
Questions, talk to Cyndi Holtz or Stan Jung.

Annual Pie Auction!

Is this fun or what! I am excited to announce the date for the **Annual Pie Auction will be Sunday, March 8th.**



The youth attending the High School Mission Trip to Niagara Falls and the Middle School Mission Trip to Duluth will be hosting this year's Annual Pie Auction. We will

also have a soup/chili and sandwich dinner preceding the pie auction, all in the Fellowship Hall. A silent auction of gift baskets will be ongoing throughout the morning in addition to the live auction for pies.

Youth will be selling tickets for the dinner between worship services preceding the auction. This is an awesome event with lots of food, fun, laughter and most of all, delicious pies!

Please join us Sunday, March 8th , immediately following the 10:10 AM worship service.

All proceeds benefit the BLC youth attending mission trips in 2026 and beyond. Please plan on joining us!!

High School Youth Group is Adjusting our Meeting Time

Youth Group is open for all 9th – 12th graders, and we do a variety of activities including Bible studies, service projects, community trips, and fun free nights. If you are a high schooler looking for a community of peers who value faith, this would be a great group for you! We are adjusting our meeting time on **Wednesdays to be 7:30pm–9:30pm** so that we start as confirmation class ends. If you would like more information about youth group, talk to Pastor Matt at mspoden@bethlehemaberdeen.org or Stan and sjung@bethlehemaberdeen.org



Route 67 – Updates and Calendar

We have officially entered the season of Lent, the time of year that we try to slow our lives down and reflect on the 40 days (excluding Sundays) that Jesus wandered in the wilderness, leading up to Jesus’ death on the cross and resurrection on Easter Sunday. It is a time when we can focus on prayer, serving others and working on our self-discipline. We will be busy learning about “Longing”, which means an intense desire to do or have something. We continue to strengthen our relationships, have fun, and enjoy some snacks too!

Remember, all are welcome! Feel free to bring a friend or two...see you soon! **Here is a look at the upcoming schedule:**

- Wednesday February 25th:** Free Day – Matthew 5:13-20 (Salt & Light)
- March 1st and 4th:** Experiment Day – John 3:1-17 (Longing for Mystery)
- Sunday March 8th:** Treat Day! – John 4:5-42 (Longing for Relationship)
- Wednesday March 11th:** NO ROUTE 67
- March 15th and 18th:** NO ROUTE 67
- Sunday March 22nd:** NO ROUTE 67
- Wednesday March 25th:** Treat Day! – John 4:5-42 (Longing for Relationship)
- March 29th and April 1st:** Free Day – Palm Sunday/Wednesday – Matthew 21:1-11
- April 5th and 8th:** NO ROUTE 67

8th Grade Confirmation Schedule

We are rounding the bend and almost complete with the first full year of confirmation. We will be finishing the year off discussing how we can be disciples and serve others. These are such important traits for all people, especially Christians.

If students haven’t completed their worship notes yet, they should be working on completing them and their volunteer hours requirements. For 8th grade the requirements are 5 worship notes and 5 service hours.

Here is a preview of our upcoming schedule:

- February 22nd and 25th:** Small Group – Idols
- March 1st and 4th:** Small Group – Anxiety
- Sunday March 8th:** Large Group – Discipleship (meet in the Youth Center)
- Wednesday March 11th:** NO CONFIRMATION CLASS
- March 15th and 18th:** NO CONFIRMATION CLASS
- Sunday March 22nd:** NO CONFIRMATION CLASS
- Wednesday March 25th:** Large Group – Discipleship (meet in the Youth Center)
- March 29th and April 1st:** Small Group – Unity/Reconciliation
- April 5th and 8th:** NO CONFIRMATION CLASS

9th Grade Confirmation Schedule

- 3/1 and 3/4 –** Small Group: Communion
- 3/8 and 3/25 –** Large Group: Martin Luther
- 3/11, 3/15, 3/18, 3/22 –** No Confirmation
- 3/29 and 4/1 –** Small Group: Lutheran Worship
- 4/5 and 4/8 –** Easter! No Confirmation
- 4/12 and 4/15 –** Small Group: Law and Gospel
- 4/19 and 4/22 –** End of the Year Celebration

Puffins Pastry Fundraiser

The youth attending Mission Trips this summer will be **pre-selling Puffins Pastries beginning Sunday, March 8th**. Puffin Pastries are an excellent treat you prepare from freezer to oven, one at a time if you choose. They are delicious and quick! **Please look for youth in the Narthex between Sunday, March 8th and Wednesday, April 8th to place your order.**

Board Game Night



We'll gather on **March 26th** starting at **5:30pm** and ending at 8:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Our theme this month will be March Madness, which means we'll focus on those classic games that can get us riled up, like Uno and Sorry! Pizza will be provided. Water will also be provided, but you are welcome to bring your own beverage. If you arrive late or leave early, that's okay! If you would like more information about board game night, talk to Pastor Matt at mspoden@bethlehemaberdeen.org

Greetings from your Pastoral Care Ministers

Walking Gently into Lent

As we move just beyond Ash Wednesday, we step into the season of Lent—a time to slow down and open our hearts. These forty days are not about doing more, but about noticing God's presence and the many blessings already around us.

During Lent, we pray for softened hearts—toward God and toward one another. Hearts open to love when it's not easy, to reconciliation when it's hard, and to peace in a world that often feels unsettled. God continues to shape us for relationships and community, teaching us how to listen, forgive, and live with grace.

In prayer and quiet moments, Jesus meets us and offers healing for our bodies, our relationships, and the places in our hearts that need God's care.

You are invited to journey this Lenten season together with many opportunities, including worship, Bible study groups, Aging Gracefully events, Ladies' Lenten lunches, and more! You'll find details throughout this newsletter.

*Gracious and loving God,
As we walk these Lenten days, soften our hearts and quiet our spirits.
Shape us into people of love, reconciliation, and peace.
Heal what is wounded within us and between us.
In prayer and stillness, help us recognize Jesus leading us forward,
step by step, into lives of purpose and grace.
We place our trust in You, O God, now and always. Amen.*

In Christ's peace,

Ann Rasmussen
Janis Heier
Pastoral Care Ministers

Open Gym in the Re-Creation Center

Open gym continues through March! Come out with your family to get some exercise and do some family bonding! Basketball, volleyball, walking, cornhole, and many other games and activities are available.

We are always looking for additional interested individuals and/or families to supervise the open gym dates. You must be 18+ to volunteer. Please connect with Stan if interested.

Below is the upcoming schedule. See you soon!

Sundays 4:00 – 5:30 PM
March 1st , 8th , 15th , 22nd , 29th



Being Bethlehem

Are you interested in becoming a member of Bethlehem?

If so, join us for **CURIOUS about Bethlehem.**

CURIOUS about Bethlehem is a time to meet with a member of the Welcome Team who will assist with answering questions about BLC & give a tour of the church.

You are invited to attend one of the upcoming sessions:

Sunday, March 8th @ 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

in the Narthex

Wednesday, March 11th @ 7:00 p.m.

in the Narthex

All are welcome! Please contact Doug Eisenbeisz at the church or email him at

deisenbeisz@bethlehemaberdeen.org if you have any questions.

Lenten Sacrificial Offering

Many are familiar with the practice of "giving something up for Lent." A faith practice at Bethlehem for many years has been a "Lenten Sacrificial Offering." People are invited to sacrifice something in their lives to free up resources to be a blessing to others. Perhaps it's designer coffees, or entertainment outings, or...

This year the Sacrificial Offering proceeds will go to Aspire. Aspire is a non-profit agency providing support to adults with intellectual disabilities to lead fulfilling lives.

Thank you for your Lenten Sacrificial Offering.

Aberdeen University Civic Symphony Presents the "Cathedral of Sound"

Saturday, April 25, 2026 at 7:30 PM

Bethlehem Lutheran Church

Spark Joy: The Joy of Reading – A Novel Idea

Friday, April 17, 2026 – 12:10–12:50 p.m.

East Fellowship Hall – Bethlehem Lutheran Church

After a meaningful pause during March in observance of our Lenten ministries, Spark Joy returns this spring with a presentation sure to inspire and delight.

On **Friday, April 17, from 12:10–12:50 p.m.**, we welcome Mike and Kristi Bockorny, owners of Novel Ideas bookstore, for **"The Joy of Reading – A Novel Idea."**

With a deep love for stories and community, Mike and Kristi will share not only the power of reading and their favorite recommendations, but also the story behind their own business—how and why they created Novel Ideas. What inspired them to open a bookstore? What vision did they have for building a space centered on books, connection, and conversation?

They will reflect on how stories shape our lives, strengthen communities, and even nurture our faith journeys. Whether you are an avid reader or simply looking for your next good book, this Spark Joy gathering promises encouragement, insight, and joy.

Invite a friend, and join us for this uplifting midday event. We look forward to gathering again as a community to spark joy together.

Thrivent Choice Dollars®

Eligible Thrivent members have the opportunity to help direct Thrivent's charitable grant funds through the Choice Dollars® program. By recommending where these dollars go, you can support nonprofit organizations like Bethlehem Lutheran and the ministries we share together.

If you have Choice Dollars available from last year, please remember to designate them by March 31.

Thank you to everyone who has faithfully directed your Choice Dollars to Bethlehem in the past—your generosity truly makes a difference and helps strengthen our mission and ministry!

Mental Health Matters— More Than You Know

Presenter: *Cathy Frisco-Holsing*

Mental and emotional well-being are essential to living fully and faithfully. Join this meaningful conversation about mental health, awareness, and care—for ourselves and for one another.

Cathy's presentation will review the importance of mental health wellness and better understand how it impacts daily living. Cathy will discuss coping, care of self and resources that nurture better overall health.

Invite a friend, neighbor, or loved one. This event is free and open to the community.

Tuesday, March 10, 2026
2-3 p.m. – East Fellowship Hall

For more information, contact Bethlehem Lutheran Church. We look forward to seeing you as we learn, connect, and age gracefully—together.

Proper Nutrition to Support Aging Gracefully

Presenter: *Annie Jacobson, Registered Dietitian*

Annie will review key aspects of healthy eating, best cooking methods, and what to avoid in the American diet. She will help participants find the most useful information on a food label and review the new 2025-2030 Dietary Guidelines for Americans released by the USDA.

Tuesday, April 14, 2026
2-3 p.m. – East Fellowship Hall

GRIEFSHARE

There will be a new session of GriefShare that will begin in April. Look for exact date and time in coming publications and announcements.

GriefShare is a program that addresses many aspects of grief through discussions and videos guided by a facilitator.

The GriefShare setting is a safe confidential place where you are invited to share your sorrows and move forward on your grief journey.

Please call the church office for more information and to connect with the facilitator at 605-225-9740.

Tuesday Ladies

Tuesday Ladies will continue their Lenten journey in March by studying *Twelve Ordinary Men*. This book study was started on February 17, however you are welcome to gather with the group for a week, a book, or a season.

On April 7, we will begin looking at *Women of the Bible* by Ann Spangler & Jean E. Syswerda. This book is designed as a one-year devotional study, but for six weeks we will look at a few of the fifty-two "prominent and not-so-prominent women in Scripture to help you approach the story of salvation with fresh eyes."

All women are invited to gather on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 in the Fireside Room. Contact Crystal Swenson at crystal0955@gmail.com if you would like to order either book.

New Parking Lot Display Now on View

Be sure to take a moment to view our new display highlighting the recent parking lot reconstruction at Bethlehem Lutheran Church. Featuring photos and material samples, the display offers a behind-the-scenes look at the care, craftsmanship, and thoughtful planning that went into this important project. It stands as a testament to the detail and passion invested in the continual improvement of our church facilities—ensuring our campus remains welcoming and safe for all who gather here.

We extend our sincere thanks to Lonnie Anderson for his dedication, leadership, and countless hours of work in bringing this project to completion. His commitment played a vital role in making this improvement possible.



Be Still & Know

Thursdays in the Chapel
7:00 AM - 8:00 AM & 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Enter through East Doors

*Join us March 19th for Music
from 11:30 - 12:30*

Music will be played at the quarter hours for
10 minutes & then 5 minutes of quiet reflection

Music will be played by:
Mallory Scott

Bethlehem Scholarships Available

Bethlehem offers two college scholarship opportunities each year: the Prairie Mindset Scholarship and the Floyd & Thelma Walberg Scholarship.

The application deadline for both scholarships is April 15, and recipients will be announced by May 31.

The Prairie Mindset Scholarship was established in memory of Harlan and Joyce Mertz by their son, Jon Mertz. This award provides \$1,000 per year to a graduating high school senior who has been accepted to attend Augustana University. Recipients may renew the scholarship for up to four years while enrolled at Augustana.

The Floyd & Thelma Walberg Scholarship, created through the Walberg's estate, provides \$1,000 per year to students pursuing studies in Nursing or Ministry-related education.

We encourage eligible students to apply and invite those interested in supporting these scholarships to consider contributing.

For additional criteria and application materials, please contact Jeannie Haaland, Director of Administration, at jhaaland@bethlehemaberdeen.org

Bach's Lunch

**Wednesday, March 25th, 2026
at 12:00 PM (Noon)**

Bethlehem Lutheran Church in the Sanctuary

Following the concert, stay for a fellowship lunch.
See you there!



Spring Choir Schedule
March 1st, 8th, 15th & 22nd
11:00 AM in the Choir Room
Contact Mallory for more details!
The Choir will plan to sing on Palm Sunday,
Maundy Thursday & Easter Sunday

CHURCH VAN SERVICE

Van service available for:

- MAUNDY THURSDAY 4/02 FOR 6:15 SERVICE
- GOOD FRIDAY 4/03 FOR 6:15 SERVICE
- EASTER 4/05 FOR 8:30 SERVICE

Contact the Church
Office to sign up



Memorials and Honorariums

General Fund Memorials

Given in memory of Lucille Tollifson by: Shaaron Allen

Given in memory of Chip Swanson by: Reuben & Alice Miller

Given in memory of Casey Hundstad by: Barbara & James Hundstad

Livestream & Online Ministry, Pipe Organ

& Vacation Bible School Memorials

Given in memory of Lucille Tollifson by: Lucille Tollifson Family, Sonnie & Diane Beaman, Louise Kriech, Paul & Jan Bohling, Shirlee Smith, Kari & Barry Lindblom, Mark & Deborah Larson, Carol & David Moe, Gerald & Diane Kohler, Karen Jones

Piecemakers Quilters Memorials

Given in memory of Jerome Pfeiffer by: Dee Sanderson

Given in memory of Corrine Nordling by: Florence Barton

Worship & Music Memorials

Given in memory of Corrine Nordling by: Joell Rachel, Tom & Barbara Paepke

Prayer Shawl Ministry Memorials

Given in memory of Corrine Nordling by: Bill & Linda Roth

Grounds Beautification Memorials

Given in memory of Corrine Nordling by: Paul & Jill Lang

Given in memory of David Roth by: Dee Sanderson

Wednesday Night Supper Memorials

Given in memory of Lucille Tollifson by: Jerry & Susan Brick

Given in memory of Corrine Nordling by: Dennis & Rae Nelson, Mike & Kelly Grieben

Youth Fundraiser Memorials

Given in memory of Corrine Nordling by: Stan & Kari Jung

Given in memory of Lucille Tollifson by: Stan & Kari Jung

These groups will continue to meet:



Small Group (anyone welcome) - Mondays at 4:00 PM in Conference Room 1

Women's Group - Thursdays @ 12:00 PM in the Fireside Room (during Lent)

Tuesday Men - Tuesdays @ 12:00 PM in Conference Room 1

Connect with others for an informal conversation centered on the weekend's scripture and reflecting on how it connects with our everyday lives.

No Bible Study experience necessary.

Lent Schedule

Wednesdays:

March 4 - 12:05 Chapel/6:15 Sanctuary

March 11 - 12:05 Chapel/6:15 Sanctuary

March 18 - 12:05 Chapel/6:15 Sanctuary

March 25 - Bach's Lunch @ noon in
Sanctuary/6:15 Sanctuary

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JANUARY 2026 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

GENERAL FUND

Analysis of Budgeted Revenues & Expenses

	MTD	YTD
Undesignated Offerings	\$107,184.70	\$107,184.70
Other Designated Revenues	\$69,766.91	\$69,766.91
Total Revenue	\$176,951.61	\$176,951.61
Less Budget Expenditures	-\$145,426.38	-\$145,426.38
Net Operating Total from Budget Operations	\$ 31,525.23	\$ 31,525.23

Summary of Assets & Liabilities

Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 1,134,722.24
<i>Parking Lot payoff - to be reimbursed to GF</i>	\$ (268,203.83)
Accounts Payable due within 30 days	\$ (11,013.74)
Pre-paid tuition & fees	\$ -
Due to Restricted Fund Accounts	\$ (5,304.33)
Temporary reserve for D. Hagenson estate gift	\$ (205,137.35)
Reserved for Others/Temporary Restricted accounts	\$ (162,712.67)
Total Unrestricted Cash Assets	\$ 482,350.32

RESTRICTED FUND ACCOUNTS

Restricted Memorials & Accounts	\$ 22,146.33
Prairie Mindset Scholarship	\$ 22,984.74

ENDOWMENT FUND

Endowment Fund Assets	\$ 1,464,246.64
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FUTURE MAINTENANCE FUND

Income Statement

	MTD	YTD
Revenues, Investment Activity & Other Sources	\$ 12,261.92	\$12,261.92
Expenditures	\$0.00	\$0.00
Net Operating	\$ 12,261.92	\$ 12,261.92

Future Maintenance Fund Assets	\$ 39,599.75
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FUTURE MAINTENANCE FUND - Parking Lot

	MTD	YTD
<i>Revenue</i>	\$ -	\$108,000.00
<i>Parking Lot Expenditures</i>	\$ -	\$0.00
Net Operating	\$ -	\$108,000.00
<i>Due to General Fund (FM owes GF for Parking Lot Exp)</i>	\$ -	\$268,203.83

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journeying together in faith,
touching lives by Welcoming,
Worshiping, Teaching
and Serving.*



HOLY WEEK
We Believe

PALM/PASSION SATURDAY (March 28)
5:15 PM Worship w/Palms in Chapel

PALM/PASSION SUNDAY (March 29)
8:30 AM Worship with Palms in Sanctuary & Livestreamed
10:10 AM Worship with Palms in Sanctuary & Livestreamed

PALM/PASSION WEDNESDAY (April 1)
6:15 PM Worship with Palms in Sanctuary

MAUNDY THURSDAY (April 2)
12:05 PM Mid-Day Communion worship in Chapel followed by lunch
6:15 PM Worship with Communion in the Sanctuary & Livestreamed

GOOD FRIDAY (April 3)
12 Noon service ELCA in Sanctuary
6:15 PM Worship in Sanctuary & Livestreamed

SATURDAY EASTER EVE (April 4)
5:15 PM Worship in the Sanctuary w/Communion

EASTER SUNDAY (April 5)
8:30 AM Worship in Sanctuary w/Communion & Livestreamed
10:10 AM Worship in Sanctuary w/Communion & Livestreamed

Holy Week