

# THE VISITOR

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## Worship Schedule

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday 2:00 p.m.

Holy Communion 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>  
weeks and every Wednesday

Sunday School 10:15-11:15

YouTube Live Streamed on Sunday or  
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## OUR SAVIOR'S WOUNDED BODY.... FOR US! – LENT 2026

*This year during our Lent and Holy Week services we will be looking at how Jesus' wounded body brings us forgiveness, life, and salvation. In Isaiah 53:5 we are reminded, "But He was pierced for our transgressions; He was crushed for our iniquities; upon Him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with His wounds we are healed." Prophesied seven centuries before Jesus' birth, Isaiah gives God's people a snapshot of what our Savior looks like and what He will come to do for us. During Lent this year we will break down our Lord's punishment, wounds, and scars each week to see how each of those injuries sustained by Him were for us and our transgressions. We will see how Jesus lay down His HEAD for the thoughts that flow through ours. We will see how His HANDS paid for what our hands do and fail to do. We will examine how His BACK and FEET bore our burdens and carried them to the cross. We will meditate on how blood flowing from His SIDE, and His unbroken BONES brings us life. We will focus on Jesus' LIGHT and how He overcame all His WOUNDS to heal all of ours. In His body our Lord truly has "borne our griefs and carried our sorrows" (Isaiah 53:4). Join us on Wednesday evenings this Lent, as well as during Holy Week and Easter to see "Our Savior's Wounded Body.... For Us!" A blessed Lenten season to you all!*

In Christ, Pastor Davis

## Helping during Worship Service

Sound Radio Broadcast		Acolytes
Feb. 1	Dave Schamber	Alyssa Henderson, Alyssa Rethke
Feb. 8	Larry Underwood	Bennett Schwandt, Andrew Karges
Feb. 15	Tracy Pinkert	Landon Athey
Feb. 18	Charles Schamber	Braden Mueller
Feb. 22	Harlan Monson	Karlie Nies
Feb. 25	Dave Schamber	Sydney Weyh, Whitney Weyh

## February Special Mission Offering: Lutheran Heritage Fund



Imagine trying to understand Scripture in all its richness without the benefit of Luther's *Small Catechism*, or trying to teach young children about basic Bible stories without books like *A Child's Garden of Bible Stories*. For Lutheran churches around the world, these situations are reality. They don't have the basic books, so vital to understanding the Lutheran faith, because no one has translated them into their languages.

***Through the mission gifts of people like you, LHF translates, publishes, distributes and introduces books that are Bible-based, Christ-centered and Reformation-driven.*** In more than 100 countries and 180 languages, thousands of people have come to faith in Christ because they've been able to read books like *The Good News About Jesus* or Luther's *Small Catechism* in their own languages.

LHF has published the catechism in more than 150 languages with dozens more requested. In the past decade, LHF has published and distributed over 2,000 titles and 6 million Lutheran books to pastors, seminary students, missionaries and churches – all at no cost to them. Help guide unbelievers to Jesus Christ.

The Lutheran Heritage Foundation is a Registered Service Organization of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod (LCMS).

Emanuel:

Please use the "Special Mission Offering" envelope or make mention on your form of payment that you wish to contribute to this mission. During our voters meeting in November 2025 we determined a giving goal for this month of \$1,000.

Thank you for your support.



The Ladies of Emanuel (LWML) invite you to join our monthly gatherings held on the **second Tuesday of every month at 1:00 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall.

Our meetings begin with a Bible study, typically featuring lessons from the *LWML Quarterly Magazine*. If you are short on time, you are more than welcome to join us for just the study portion of the afternoon. A brief, 30-minute meeting follows, where we share updates on zone, district, and national news, as well as local group activities.

### **Resources & Outreach:**

- **Library:** Located in the hall, our library offers books, devotions, and Bible studies for you to borrow at any time.
- **Cards & Orders:** Christian greeting cards are available for purchase in the library, and we are happy to assist you with ordering Bibles for yourself or as gifts.
- **Mission Projects:** We collect pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House and used eyeglasses for MOST Ministries in the area across from the library.
- **Altar Care:** Our group handles the monthly filling of candles and the changing of the sanctuary paraments.

### **Upcoming Events:**

- **Sunday Coffee:** Join us for fellowship and coffee on **February 1st**, served by Joyce Kasuske, Sharon Wieber, and Karin Mueller.
- **Next Meeting:** Join us **February 10th at 1:00 p.m.** Hostesses for this meeting are Joyce Kasuske and JoEllen Heffron.

We would love to see you, everyone is welcome!

## **Stewardship Section:**

### **Table of Duties: The Forgotten Stewardship Tool**

Luther's Small Catechism is a magnificent tool. Joined with a well-used copy of the Holy Scriptures and an orthodox hymnal, and the Christian is well equipped to live a life of faithfulness to the Lord and service to the neighbor. First in German and now in English and just about any language known to man, this handy masterpiece has introduced generations of people to the central doctrine of justification by grace, through faith, on account of Jesus Christ. The Six Chief Parts have proven to be a faithful framework for a clear confession of the truth of the Gospel for nearly five hundred years! But more than a textbook, the Small Catechism also serves well as a handbook for Christian living. As a part of its treasure, there is an element that teaches an extraordinarily strong message of stewardship. That hidden treasure that needs to be rediscovered is called the Table of Duties.

The Table of Duties is really nothing more than a categorized gathering of Bible verses. These verses are set apart for "various holy orders and positions, admonishing them about their duties and responsibilities." Addressing pastors and people, government and citizens, husbands, wives, children, youth, workers and so many more, it very clearly lays out what faithful stewardship looks like. Even better, these assembled passages teach one important truth: we are stewards of one another!

The Table is much more than a "how-to" tool; it also lays out the interconnectedness that exists within the body of Christ. Pastors are described by what they are to be as stewards of the Word. 1 Timothy 3 highlights the characteristics of a faithful pastor. Even more, Titus 1 highlights the need for the pastor to be faithful for the sake of those under his care. Those who hear the faithful preaching of the pastor are stewards of the pastor as well. 1 Corinthians 9 talks about the need for the people to support the livelihood of the pastor. Galatians 6 talks about how the hearers share in the good things that the pastor teaches. 1 Timothy 6 talks about the honor that is owed to the pastor, not because of WHO he is, but rather WHAT he is teaching! Hebrews 13 shows the impact of this stewardship on the pastor, that they perform their duties with joy.

Joyful pastors and people are always going to be better stewards of the Gospel!

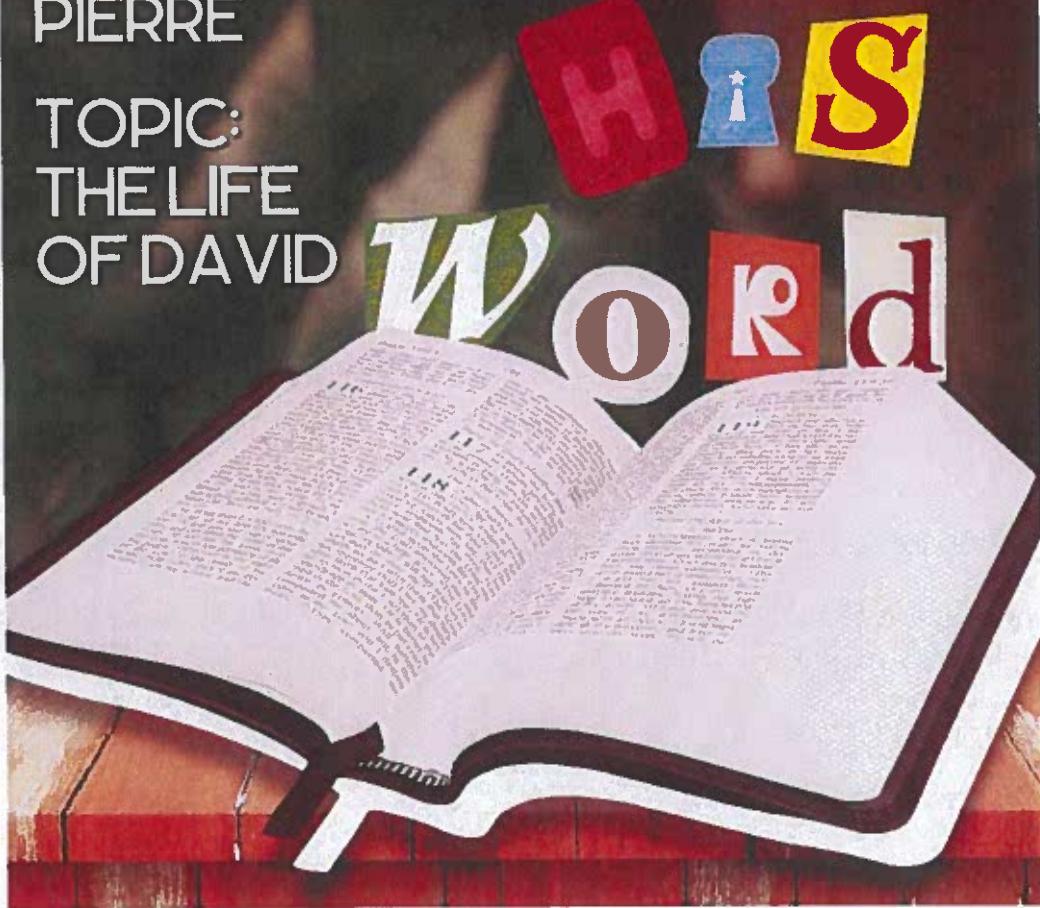
Outside the church this interdependent stewardship is on display as well. Romans 13 highlights the respect necessary for the governing authorities. As citizens, the faithful steward is called to pay taxes (Matthew 22), pray for their leaders (1 Timothy 2) and that they should be ready to serve in the civil realm (Titus 3), because they are in these positions by God's direction (1 Peter 2). These steward duties are in the home too! 1 Peter 3 and Colossians 3 shape the husband steward. Ephesians 5 and 1 Peter 3 shape the wife steward. Ephesians 6 form parental stewards and child stewards.

The Table of Duties is a wonderful place for the individual steward to learn how much our stewardship is more than just a "me and Jesus thing!" In fact, it ends with these words: "Let each his lesson learn with care, and all the household well share fare." This is interdependent stewardship on clear display. As each learns stewardship in this way, the more faithful we will be as a family, congregations, communities and the church at large.

# SDLCMS *Grades 6-12* BIBLE BOWL

MARCH 21 - 10 AM  
PIERRE

TOPIC:  
THE LIFE  
OF DAVID



## BIBLE BOWL

The South Dakota District hosts a Bible Bowl for students in grades 6-12. The Bible Bowl's questions come from sections of the Bible and from Luther's Small Catechism and the subjects vary from year to year.

**Date:** March 21, 2026

**Place:** Pierre – Faith Lutheran Church

**Subjects:** Life of David (1 Samuel 16, 1 Kings 2, Psalm 51, Confession in the Luther's Small Catechism)

If you are interested, please talk to Pastor Davis, Brandy Blauert, or Dewey & Max Athey.

Emanuel Families will pay the \$150 deposit when you register. The Board of Youth will pay the balance due once we have been notified of your child's registration and deposit has been paid.



## Camp Minneboji

June 21 – June 27, 2026



KIDS WHO HAVE COMPLETED GRADE 4 through 8 during the 2025-26 school year.

Register before April 1 to receive early bird discount!

### CAMP MINNEBOJI – June 21-27, 2026

Registration is open for Camp Minneboji! Kids who have completed Grades 4-8 in 2025-26.

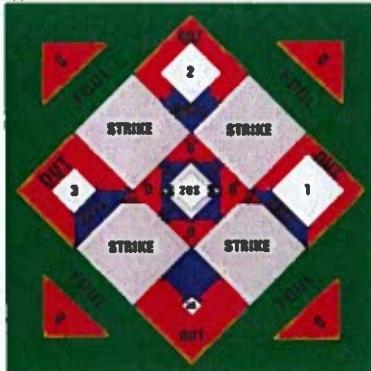
Information packets are available on the communication shelf. If you have questions, please contact Brandy in the office. <https://sddlcms.org/>

### Youth Group – February 22, 2026

We will meet for a devotion, lunch, and dartball!

Meet in the basement after Sunday school.

Let's get ready to play ball!!!!



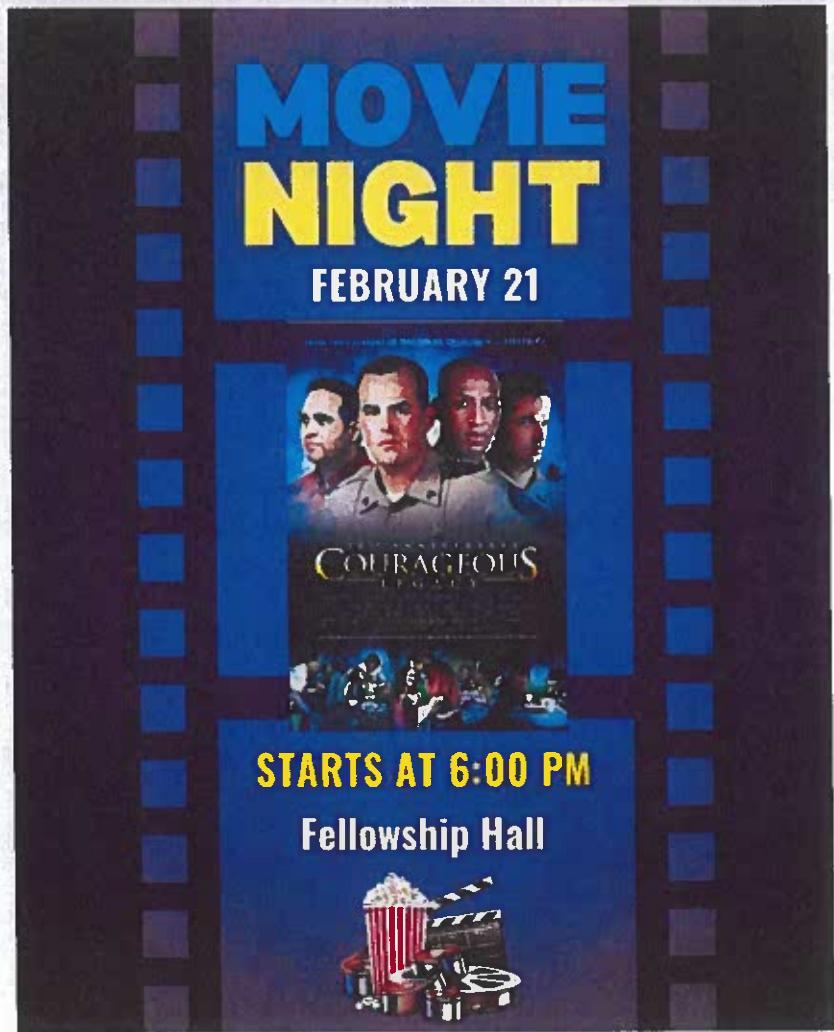


As I write this update for Emanuel members from the volunteers at Milbank Orphan Grain Train (OGT) Collection Center, the words from 1 John 4:11 are appropriate, "Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another."

At our building we see so many "gifts." Church bodies, church groups (many LWML groups 😊), families and individuals sharing material gifts as well as monetary. We thank ALL, and to be honest, need MANY to continue to aide those in need.

Hey Emanuel members!!! Let's get some Mercy Meal packing parties going – come volunteer to help on the sorting and picking side. This is where kits are put together. We are adaptable to times. This is the 21<sup>st</sup> year of OGT in Milbank. We need Emanuel's loving members support to keep it going for another 20 years. The volunteers want to thank you for your assistant, guidance and prayers. "The Lord has done great things for us, and we are filled with joy." (Psalm 126:3) - Linnea Schwandt

Join us for Movie  
Night February 21,  
2026 at 6:00 p.m.  
The movie this  
month will be  
"Courageous Legacy"  
See you there!



# 2025–2026 Church Year Calendar

## Three-Year Series A

Nov. 30, 2025—Nov. 26, 2026

Season	Date	Festival	First Reading	Psalm	Epistle	Gospel
ADVENT 2025	Nov. 30 2025	First S. in Advent	Isaiah 2:1–5	Psalm 122	Rom. 13:8–10 11–14	Matt. 21:1–11 or Matt. 24:36–44
	Dec. 7	Second S. in Advent	Isaiah 11:1–10	Psalm 72:1–7	Rom. 15:4–13	Matt. 3:1–12
	Dec. 14	Third S. in Advent	Isaiah 35:1–10	Psalm 146	James 5:7–11	Matt. 11:2–15
	Dec. 21	Fourth S. in Advent	Isaiah 7:10–17	Psalm 24	Rom. 1:1–7	Matt. 1:18–25
	Dec. 24	The Nativity of Our Lord (Christmas Eve)	Isaiah 7:10–14	Psalm 110:1–4	1 John 4:7–16	Matt. 1:18–25
CHRISTMAS 2025	Dec. 25	The Nativity of Our Lord (Midnight)	Isaiah 9:2–7	Psalm 96	Titus 2:11–14	Luke 2:1–14 (15–20)
		The Nativity of Our Lord (Dawn)	Isaiah 62:10–12	Psalm 98	Titus 3:4–7	Luke 2:1–14 15–20
		The Nativity of Our Lord (Day)	Isaiah 52:7–10	Psalm 2	Heb. 1:1–6 (7–12)	John 1:1–14 (15–18)
	Dec. 28	The Holy Innocents	Jer. 31:15–17	Psalm 54	Rev. 14:1–5	Matt. 2:13–18
	or	First S. after Christmas	Isaiah 63:7–14	Psalm 111	Gal. 4:4–7	Matt. 2:13–23
	Dec. 31	Eve of the Circ. and Name of Jesus (New Year's Eve)	Isaiah 30:8–14 15–17	Psalm 90:1–12	Rom. 8:31b–39	Luke 12:35–40
A.D. 2026	Jan. 1	Circumcision and Name of Jesus (New Year's Day)	Num. 6:22–27	Psalm 8	Gal. 3:23–29	Luke 2:21
	Jan. 4	Second S. after Christmas	1 Kings 3:4–15	Psalm 119:97–104	Eph. 1:3–14	Luke 2:40–52
EPIPHANY	Jan. 6	The Epiphany of Our Lord	Isaiah 60:1–6	Psalm 72:1–11 (12–15)	Eph. 3:1–12	Matt. 2:1–12
	Jan. 11	The Baptism of Our Lord	Isaiah 42:1–9	Psalm 29	Rom. 6:1–11	Matt. 3:13–17
	Jan. 18	Second S. after the Epiphany	Isaiah 49:1–7	Psalm 40:1–11	1 Cor. 1:1–9	John 1:29–42a
	or	The Confession of St. Peter	Acts 4:8–13	Psalm 118:19–29	2 Peter 1:1–15	Mark 8:27–35 (36–9:1)
	Jan. 25	Third S. after the Epiphany	Isaiah 9:1–4	Psalm 27:1–9 (10–14)	1 Cor. 1:10–18	Matt. 4:12–25
	or	The Conversion of St. Paul	Acts 9:1–22	Psalm 67	Gal. 1:11–24	Matt. 19:27–30
	Feb. 1	Fourth S. after the Epiphany	Micah 6:1–8	Psalm 15	1 Cor. 1:18–31	Matt. 5:1–12
	Feb. 8	Fifth S. after the Epiphany	Isaiah 58:3–9a	Psalm 112:1–9	1 Cor. 2:1–12 (13–16)	Matt. 5:13–20
	Feb. 15	The Transfiguration of Our Lord	Ex. 24:8–18	Psalm 2:6–12	2 Peter 1:16–21	Matt. 17:1–9

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ASH WEDNESDAY LENT	Feb. 18	Ash Wednesday	Joel 2:12–19	Psalm 51:1–13 (14–19)	2 Cor. 5:20b– 6:10	Matt. 6:1–6, 16–21
	Feb. 22	First S. in Lent	Gen. 3:1–21	Psalm 32:1–7	Rom. 5:12–19	Matt. 4:1–11
	March 1	Second S. in Lent	Gen. 12:1–9	Psalm 121	Rom. 4:1–8, 13– 17	John 3:1–17
	March 8	Third S. in Lent	Ex. 17:1–7	Psalm 95:1–9	Rom. 5:1–8	John 4:5–26 (27–30, 39–42)
	March 15	Fourth S. in Lent	Isaiah 42:14– 21	Psalm 142	Eph. 5:8–14	John 9:1–41 or John 9:1–7, 13–17, 34–39
HOLY WEEK	March 22	Fifth S. in Lent	Ezek. 37:1–14	Psalm 130	Rom. 8:1–11	John 11:1–45 (46–53) or John 11:17– 27, 38–53
	March 29	Palm Sunday ( <i>Palmarum</i> )	Isaiah 50:4–9a	Psalm 118:19– 29 or Psalm 31:9–16	Phil. 2:5–11	John 12:12–19 procession ——— Matt. 26:1– 27:66 or Matt. 27:11–66 or John 12:20–43
	April 2	Holy (Maundy) Thursday	Ex. 24:3–11	Psalm 116:12– 19	Heb. 9:11–22	Matt. 26:17– 30
	April 3	Good Friday	Isaiah 52:13– 53:12	Psalm 22 or Psalm 31	Heb. 4:14–16; 5:7–9	John 18:1– 19:42 or John 19:17–30
EASTER	April 5	The Resurrection of Our Lord ( <i>Sunrise</i> )	Ex. 14:10–15:1	Psalm 118:15– 29 or The Song of Moses and Israel	1 Cor. 15:1–11	John 20:1–18
		The Resurrection of Our Lord	Acts 10:34–43 or Jer. 31:1–6	Psalm 16	Col. 3:1–4	Matt. 28:1–10
	April 12	Second S. of Easter	Acts 5:29–42	Psalm 148	1 Peter 1:3–9	John 20:19–31
	April 19	Third S. of Easter	Acts 2:14a, 36– 41	Psalm 116:1– 14	1 Peter 1:17–25	Luke 24:13–35
	April 26	Fourth S. of Easter	Acts 2:42–47	Psalm 23	1 Peter 2:19–25	John 10:1–10
	May 3	Fifth S. of Easter	Acts 6:1–9; 7:2a, 51–60	Psalm 146	1 Peter 2:2–10	John 14:1–14
	May 10	Sixth S. of Easter	Acts 17:16–31	Psalm 66:8–20	1 Peter 3:13–22	John 14:15–21
	May 14	The Ascension of Our Lord	Acts 1:1–11	Psalm 47	Eph. 1:15–23	Luke 24:44–53
	May 17	Seventh S. of Easter	Acts 1:12–26	Psalm 68:1–10	1 Peter 4:12– 19; 5:6–11	John 17:1–11
PENTECOST	May 24	The Day of Pentecost	Num. 11:24–30	Psalm 25:1–15	Acts 2:1–21	John 7:37–39
TRINITY	May 31	The Holy Trinity	Gen. 1:1–2:4a	Psalm 8	Acts 2:14a, 22– 36	Matt. 28:16– 20
	June 7 (Prop. 5)	Second S. after Pentecost	Hosea 5:15–6:6	Psalm 119:65– 72	Rom. 4:13–25	Matt. 9:9–13
	June 14 (Prop. 6)	Third S. after Pentecost	Ex. 19:2–8	Psalm 100	Rom. 5:6–15	Matt. 9:35– 10:8 (9–20)
	June 21 (Prop. 7)	Fourth S. after Pentecost	Jer. 20:7–13	Psalm 91:1–10 (11–16)	Rom. 6:12–23	Matt. 10:5a, 21–33
	June 28 (Prop. 8)	Fifth S. after Pentecost	Jer. 28:5–9	Psalm 119:153–160	Rom. 7:1–13	Matt. 10:34– 42
	July 5 (Prop. 9)	Sixth S. after Pentecost	Zech. 9:9–12	Psalm 145:1– 14	Rom. 7:14–25a	Matt. 11:25– 30

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	July 12 (Prop. 10)	Seventh S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 55:10–13	Psalm 65:(1–8) 9–13	Rom. 8:12–17	Matt. 13:1–9, 18–23
	July 19 (Prop. 11)	Eighth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 44:6–8	Psalm 119:57–64	Rom. 8:18–27	Matt. 13:24–30, 36–43
	July 26 (Prop. 12)	Ninth S. after Pentecost	Deut. 7:6–9	Psalm 125	Rom. 8:28–39	Matt. 13:44–52
	Aug. 2 (Prop. 13)	Tenth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 55:1–5	Psalm 136:1–9 (23–26)	Rom. 9:1–5 (6–13)	Matt. 14:13–21
	Aug. 9 (Prop. 14)	Eleventh S. after Pentecost	Job 38:4–18	Psalm 18:1–6 (7–16)	Rom. 10:5–17	Matt. 14:22–33
	Aug. 16 (Prop. 15)	Twelfth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 56:1, 6–8	Psalm 67	Rom. 11:1–2a, 13–15, 28–32	Matt. 15:21–28
	Aug. 23 (Prop. 16)	Thirteenth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 51:1–6	Psalm 138	Rom. 11:33–12:8	Matt. 16:13–20
	Aug. 30 (Prop. 17)	Fourteenth S. after Pentecost	Jer. 15:15–21	Psalm 26	Rom. 12:9–21	Matt. 16:21–28
	Sept. 6 (Prop. 18)	Fifteenth S. after Pentecost	Ezek. 33:7–9	Psalm 32:1–7	Rom. 13:1–10	Matt. 18:1–20
	Sept. 13 (Prop. 19)	Sixteenth S. after Pentecost	Gen. 50:15–21	Psalm 103:1–12	Rom. 14:1–12	Matt. 18:21–35
	Sept. 20 (Prop. 20)	Seventeenth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 55:6–9	Psalm 27:1–9	Phil. 1:12–14, 19–30	Matt. 20:1–16
	Sept. 27 (Prop. 21)	Eighteenth S. after Pentecost	Ezek. 18:1–4, 25–32	Psalm 25:1–10	Phil. 2:1–4 (5–13) 14–18	Matt. 21:23–27 (28–32)
	Sept. 29	St. Michael and All Angels	Daniel 10:10–14; 12:1–3	Psalm 91	Rev. 12:7–12	Matt. 18:1–11 or Luke 10:17–20
	Oct. 4 (Prop. 22)	Nineteenth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 5:1–7	Psalm 80:7–19	Phil. 3:4b–14	Matt. 21:33–46
	Oct. 11 (Prop. 23)	Twentieth S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 25:6–9	Psalm 23	Phil. 4:4–13	Matt. 22:1–14
	Oct. 18 (Prop. 24)	Twenty-first S. after Pentecost	Isaiah 45:1–7	Psalm 96:1–9 (10–13)	1 Thess. 1:1–10	Matt. 22:15–22
	or	St. Luke	Isaiah 35:5–8	Psalm 147:1–11	2 Tim. 4:5–18	Luke 10:1–9
	REFORMATION Oct. 25 (Observed)	Reformation Day (Oct. 31)	Rev. 14:6–7	Psalm 46	Rom. 8:19–28	Matt. 11:12–19 or John 8:31–36
	or (Prop. 25)	Twenty-second S. after Pentecost	Lev. 19:1–2, 15–18	Psalm 1	1 Thess. 2:1–13	Matt. 22:34–46
	ALL SAINTS' DAY Nov. 1	All Saints' Day	Rev. 7:(2–8) 9–17	Psalm 149	1 John 3:1–3	Matt. 5:1–12
	Nov. 8 (Prop. 27)	Twenty-fourth S. after Pentecost	Amos 5:18–24	Psalm 70	1 Thess. 4:13–18	Matt. 25:1–13
	Nov. 15 (Prop. 28)	Twenty-fifth S. after Pentecost	Zeph. 1:7–16	Psalm 90:1–12	1 Thess. 5:1–11	Matt. 25:14–30
	Nov. 22 (Prop. 29)	Last S. of the Church Year	Ezek. 34:11–16, 20–24	Psalm 95:1–7a	1 Cor. 15:20–28	Matt. 25:31–46
	THANKSGIVING Nov. 26	Thanksgiving Day	Deut. 8:1–10	Psalm 67	Phil. 4:6–20 or 1 Tim. 2:1–4	Luke 17:11–19
	New Church Year Starts Here (2026–2027) — Series B					
ADVENT 2026	Nov. 29 2026	First S. in Advent	Isaiah 64:1–9	Psalm 80:1–7	1 Cor. 1:3–9	Mark 11:1–10 or Mark 13:24–37
	Dec. 6	Second S. in Advent	Isaiah 40:1–11	Psalm 85	2 Peter 3:8–14	Mark 1:1–8

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	Dec. 13	Third S. in Advent	Isaiah 61:1–4, 8–11	Psalm 126	1 Thess. 5:16–24	John 1:6–8, 19–28
	Dec. 20	Fourth S. in Advent	2 Sam. 7:1–11, 16	Psalm 89:1–5 (19–29)	Rom. 16:25–27	Luke 1:26–38
	Dec. 24	The Nativity of Our Lord ( <i>Christmas Eve</i> )	Isaiah 7:10–14	Psalm 110:1–4	1 John 4:7–16	Matt. 1:18–25
CHRISTMAS 2026	Dec. 25	The Nativity of Our Lord ( <i>Midnight</i> )	Isaiah 9:2–7	Psalm 96	Titus 2:11–14	Luke 2:1–14 (15–20)
		The Nativity of Our Lord ( <i>Dawn</i> )	Isaiah 62:10–12	Psalm 98	Titus 3:4–7	Luke 2:(1–14) 15–20
		The Nativity of Our Lord ( <i>Day</i> )	Isaiah 52:7–10	Psalm 2	Heb. 1:1–6 (7–12)	John 1:1–14 (15–18)
	Dec. 27	First S. after Christmas	Isaiah 61:10–62:3	Psalm 111	Gal. 4:4–7	Luke 2:22–40
	<i>or</i>	St. John	Rev. 1:1–6	Psalm 11	1 John 1:1–2:2	John 21:20–25
	Dec. 31	Eve of the Circ. and Name of Jesus ( <i>New Year's Eve</i> )	Isaiah 30:(8–14) 15–17	Psalm 90:1–12	Rom. 8:31b–39	Luke 12:35–40

<b>Birthday Wishes - February</b>	<b>Day</b>
Ackerman, Brittany M.	18-Feb
Ackerman, Jason J.	24-Feb
Beyer, Kent H.	10-Feb
Bordt, August	12-Feb
Fischer, Trystan L.	2-Feb
Fraasch, Jaylynn B.	16-Feb
Keller, Madison L.	6-Feb
Krause, Jason L.	7-Feb
Larson, Evan D.	22-Feb
Meister, Ronald J. (Ron)	6-Feb
Mertens, Darlene G.	25-Feb
Mueller, Darcille A. (Dusty)	23-Feb
Mueller, Melissa	26-Feb
Poel, Donna	24-Feb
Purcell, Liam	7-Feb
Reil, Christopher W.	26-Feb
Rudebusch, David	2-Feb
Saeger, DeLoris M. (Mae)	8-Feb
Schell, Blaine E.	19-Feb
Schell, Olivia C.	10-Feb
Schwandt, Louis R.	22-Feb
Seehafer, Suzanne R.	2-Feb
Selchert, Walter L.	25-Feb
Selken, Annie R.	21-Feb
Smith, Sandra	16-Feb
Street, Geoff	9-Feb
Tietjen, Donna	22-Feb
Tietjen, Jasmine R.	25-Feb
Trapp, Deborah D. (Debbie)	23-Feb
Weinkauf, Dominic J.	17-Feb
Weinkauf, Stacey M.	19-Feb
Wojahn, Reece J.	19-Feb
Zubke, Christopher R.	5-Feb
<b>Anniversary Wishes - February</b>	<b>Day</b>
Adelman, Crystal J. and Mark	26-Feb
Harms, Gary and Audrey	10-Feb

## February 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b> <b>9am Service of the Word w/ Holy Communion</b> <b>10:15—11:15 Sunday School (PreK-HS)</b> <b>10:30 Fellowship followed by Bible Study</b> <b>3pm DartBall</b> <b>6pm Bible Study-Couples</b>	<b>2</b> <b>6pm Cub Scouts</b> <b>7pm Elders Mtg</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> <b>9am Mercy Meal Packing at OGT Bldg</b> <b>PreK Chapel Service</b> <b>2pm Worship w/ Holy-Comm.</b> <b>3:30-5:00 Confirmation</b> <b>5:30 Bells 6:30 Choir</b> <b>8pm AA Meeting</b>	<b>5</b> <b>9am Mission Sewing</b> <b>11am Communion at St. Williams</b> <b>1pm Bible Study</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> <b>8:30am Couples Retreat (Abbey of the Hills)</b>
<b>8</b> <b>9am Service of the Word</b> <b>10 Usher Training</b> <b>10:15—11:15 Sunday School</b> <b>10:30 Fellowship followed by Bible Study</b> <b>2pm Cub Scouts</b> <b>3pm DartBall</b> <b>6pm Bible Study-Couples</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> <b>1:00 LOE(LWML)</b> <b>5:30 Youth Board</b> <b>6:00 Evangelism</b> <b>6:00 Stewardship</b> <b>6:30 Board of Ed.</b> <b>7:00 Church Council</b>	<b>11</b> <b>7am High School Breakfast</b> <b>PreK Chapel Service</b> <b>2pm Worship w/ Holy-Comm.</b> <b>3:30-5:00 Confirmation</b> <b>5:30 Bells 6:30 Choir</b> <b>8pm AA Meeting</b>	<b>12</b> <b>1pm Bible Study</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> <b>9am Bible Study—Men's Group</b>
<b>15</b> <b>9am Service of the Word w/ Holy Communion</b> <b>10:15—11:15 Sunday School (PreK-HS)</b> <b>10:30 Fellowship followed by Bible Study</b> <b>3pm DartBall</b> <b>6pm Bible Study-Couples</b>	<b>16</b> <b>6pm Cub Scouts</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18 Ash Wednesday</b> <b>PreK Chapel Service</b> <b>2pm Worship w/ Holy-Comm.</b> <b>5pm Supper</b> <b>7pm Ash Wed. Service</b> <b>5:30 Bells 6:10 Choir</b> <b>8pm AA Meeting</b>	<b>19</b> <b>1pm Bible Study</b>	<b>20</b> <b>Newsletter Articles Due.</b>	<b>21</b> <b>6pm Movie Night Fellowship Hall</b> <b>“Courageous Legacy”</b>
<b>22</b> <b>9am Service of the Word w/ Holy Communion</b> <b>10:15—11:15 Sunday School (PreK-HS)</b> <b>10:30 Fellowship followed by Bible Study</b> <b>Noon—DartBall with Youth Group</b> <b>6pm Bible Study-Couples</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> <b>PreK Chapel Service</b> <b>2pm Worship w/ Holy-Comm.</b> <b>5pm Supper</b> <b>7pm Lenten Service</b> <b>5:30 Bells 6:10 Choir</b> <b>8pm AA Meeting</b>	<b>26</b> <b>1pm Bible Study</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>

