

Emanuel Lutheran Church - 701 South 1st Street Milbank, SD 57252

Office Phone: (605) 432-9555 Office Hours: M-F 9am-4pm

March 8 – March 21, 2026

Day	Time	Opportunities to Join Us
Sunday, March 8	9:00 AM	Service of the Word
	10:15-11:15 AM	Sunday School - PreK-HS
	10:30 AM	Fellowship followed by Bible Study
	10:30 AM	Board of Education Meeting
	11:15 AM	Board of Education and Sunday School Teacher Meeting
	6:00 PM	Bible Study - Couples
Tuesday, March 10	1:00 PM	LOE (LWML) Meeting
	5:30 PM	Board of Youth Meeting
	6:00 PM	Board of Evangelism Meeting
	6:00 PM	Board of Stewardship Meeting
Wednesday, March 11	7:00 AM	Bible Study - High School Youth Breakfast Preschool Chapel
	2:00 PM	Midweek Worship with Holy Communion
	5:00 PM	Lenten Supper Served by Trustees
	5:30 PM	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	6:10 PM	Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 PM	Lenten Service
	8:00 PM	AA Meeting
Thursday, March 12	11:00 AM	Worship Service at Park Place
	1:00 PM	Bible Study
Saturday, March 14	9:00 AM	Bible Study - Men's Group
Sunday, March 15	9:00 AM	Service of the Word with Holy Communion
	10:15-11:15 AM	Sunday School - PreK-HS
	10:30 AM	Fellowship followed by Bible Study
	3:30 PM	Leadership Meeting
	6:00 PM	Bible Study - Couples
Monday, March 16	6:00 PM	Cub Scouts
Wednesday, March 18		Preschool Chapel
	2:00 PM	Midweek Worship with Holy Communion
	5:00 PM	Lenten Supper Served by LOE
	5:30 PM	Bell Choir Rehearsal
	6:10 PM	Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 PM	Lenten Service
	8:00 PM	AA Meeting
Thursday, March 19	1:00 PM	Bible Study
	4:00 PM	Christian Service Council Meeting
Saturday, March 21	AM	Bible Bowl Team in Pierre

We lift up in prayer today and throughout the week...

Barb Davis, Jeff Davis, Rev. Ziemann, Rev. Birtell, Rev. Bauer, Rev. Johnson, Mark Angerhofer, Tom Lavin, George Smith, Steve Bogenrief, Irma Hofhenke, John Schamber, Edna Angerhofer, Shirley Bowen, Steve Underwood, Audrey Harms, Heather Peiker, Buddy Karges, Kathy Underwood, Judy Frerichs, Doug Dexter, Sharon Bogenreif, Mae Saeger, Steph Trevett, Jeff Schroeder, Lavonne Schneck, Gloria Selchert, Mary Whiting, Mark Hannah, Baby Anna Gores, Becky Bicknase.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS and HELPERS Please plan on meeting with the Board of Education today at 11:15! We are excited to meet with you all!

Leadership Meeting You may have noticed on the calendar a leadership meeting scheduled here on March 15th from 3:30-5:00 p.m. Pastor Rynearson is facilitating this meeting and has requested the Elders, Chairmen, and Pastors of various congregations in the Milbank Circuit and neighboring Minnesota churches and parishes attend. **As we are the host church, there is a sign-up sheet in the kitchen for bringing goodies. Thank you!**

Thrivent Members Thank you to those who directed your Choice Dollars in February! (February totals were \$1,150 this money helps groups and projects within our congregation) If you haven't designated your dollars to our church yet, you have until March 31st. Go to [Thrivent.com/thriventchoice](https://thrivent.com/thriventchoice) or call 1-800-847-4836 and say "Thrivent Choice."

Camp Minneboji – June 21-27, 2026 – Sign up now! **Kids who are completing 4th – 8th grade** this spring. <https://sddlcms.org/> Already registered? Contact the church office now so we can pay your remaining fee before the price increases!

Stairway Improvement Project New carpet is officially down in the library and upstairs classrooms! A huge thank you to the furniture-moving crew and our generous donors for making this happen. No tripping us up, we are climbing toward the goal: as of March 6, 2026, we've raised **\$6,350 of the \$16,000** needed for the stairway project. We truly appreciate your ongoing support of our church home and family. Trustees, Dick Schwandt, Curt Berkner, Cheryl Pauli, Mike Bogenrief

Stewardship Section – Exodus 17:3 – “But the people thirsted there for water, and the people grumbled against Moses and said, ‘Why did you bring us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our livestock with thirst?’” Even the Israelites, who saw miracles with their own eyes, fell into unbelief and fear. From this distance we can see how foolish their worry is. How foolish will our worries appear from the distance of eternity? The Lord cared for them, and He will care for us.

February Update: \$400 was collected toward our giving goal for the Lutheran Heritage Fund.

Special Mission for March is the Orphan Grain Train – <https://www.ogt.org> "Special Mission Offering" donations go directly to the monthly cause chosen during our voters' meeting. If you give electronically, you may now give to the special mission automatically through our provider. The church office would be happy to assist with questions.

Our Church Services:

- Sunday 9:00 a.m. YouTube live or replay by searching “Emanuel Lutheran Church, Milbank, SD”
 - KMSD 1510AM or KMSD 95.1FM Sunday 10:00 a.m.
 - ITC Customers – Search for our service in the Video on Demand area
 - Midcontinent Customers – Channel 3 Tuesday 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., Sunday 8:30 p.m.
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South Dakota District LCMS: 888-385-7330 www.sddlcms.org find monthly district news & events.

LCMS Ministry Resources: (There are wonderful resources available to us each week)

- Main Street Living – Available locally on NBC (KDLT) or online at www.mainstreetliving.com
- The Lutheran Hour – Available locally Sunday at 7:00 a.m. – KDIO 1350AM & KMSD 1510AM
- Listen Live or replay radio programs and podcasts – KFuo Radio – www.kfuo.org
- LCMS – Weekly Memory Verse, Lutheran Witness, Listen to the Bible, Oratio – www.lcms.org
- Podcasts: *Friends for Life* – LCMS Synod, *The Drive to School* – Higher Things, *Issues, Etc.* – Lutheran Public Radio