

Worship Order Fifth Lent

Announcements

Call to Worship: *Here I Am, Lord (Sat)*

Father, I Adore You (Sun) -The Choir

Invocation

Gathering Song: *Now the Green Blade Rises* - ELW 379

Apostolic Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Spoken Kyries and Glorias

Readings:

Jeremiah 31:31-34

Psalm 51

Hebrews 5:5-10

Gospel Acclamation: *Return to the Lord, Your God* ELW Setting 3

Gospel: John 12:20-33

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: *Jesus, Keep Me Near* -ELW 335

Confession and Absolution

Apostles' Creed

Peace

Offering

Offertory: *Spirit of Gentleness (Sat)*

Behold the Lamb (Sun) -The Choir

Offertory Prayer

Communion: *Break Now the Bread of Life (Sat)*

Post-Communion Blessing

Post-Communion Prayer

Benediction

Sending Hymn: *The Lord Now Sends Us Forth* -ELW 538

Dismissal

Postlude: *Savior, Again to Your Dear Name (Sat)*

Welcome: All are welcome to join us for Holy Communion. We hold that Christ gave of His body and blood so that our sin and death are passed over. We welcome you to experience this gracious gift that has been given for all. Please pick up an empty communion cup as you approach the altar. Should you prefer grape juice, there are cups filled with grape juice in the center of the tray. Bring the cup of grape juice with you to the altar and as the wine server approaches, the grape juice will be blessed. Gluten-free wafers are available. Please tell the bread server if that is your preference. TCoil (telecoil) is available in the Sanctuary—to enhance the effectiveness of your hearing device.

The Week Ahead

Sunday, March 17

9:30am: Worship

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

Monday, March 18

7:30am: Daily Devotions

10am: Hello Yoga-Chair

5pm: Fellowship Activity

6pm: Children, Youth and Family Meeting

Tuesday, March 19

7:30am: Daily Devotions

8am: Koinonia

8am: Men's Bible Study

11am: Staff Meeting

3:15pm: Terrific Tues

6pm: Jubilee Circle

Wednesday, March 20

7:30am: Daily Devotions

9am: sSMART

11am: Soup and Pie

12pm: Worship

5pm: Community Supper

6pm: Worship

6:30pm: 6th-12th Grade Confirmation & Youth Group & Mentors

6:45pm: Choir

Thursday, March 21

7:30am: Daily Devotions

9am: Cover Girls

4pm: Yang Style Tai Chi-Fellowship Hall

4:30pm: Spirit Within

6pm: Hello Yoga-Mat

7:30pm: AA

Friday, March 22

7:30am: Daily Devotions

Saturday, March 23

5pm: Worship

Sunday, March 24

Palm Sunday

9:30am: Worship

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

Worship Volunteers

Saturday: March 16: 5:00pm

Altar Guild:am: Pam Swanson

Altar Guild:pm: Amy McDonald

Assisting Minister: Gwen Mickelson

Projectionist: Linda Gordon

Greeters: Mike, Ginger, and Gauge Hulbert

Ushers: Cary & Amy McDonald

Sunday: March 17: 9:30am

Altar Guild: Patti Nier

Assisting Minister: Connie Schield

Communion Assistant: Betty Beckman

Communion Assistant: Jan Wege

Broadcasting: Eric Neff

Projectionist: Tom Matthiae

Greeter: Pam Swanson

Greeter: Cade Schlapper

Usher: Marlo Schield

Usher: Jim Onarheim

Coffee Hosts & Cleanup:

Carol Schmidt

Holy Week: March 24th: Palm Sunday, 9:30am
March 28th:: Maundy Thursday, 6pm
March 29th:: Good Friday, 6pm
March 30th:: Vigil of the Resurrection, 5pm
March 31st: Easter Worship at 8am and 9:30am.
Fellowship Food after Worships in the Narthex

Easter Lilies! We have forty (40) Easter Lilies coming for Easter Sunday at \$20 a piece. Lilies may be purchased in honor or memory of loved ones. The envelopes are at the Welcome Center and may be filled out, payment placed inside, and can be dropped into the offering plate or the drop box.

We are recognizing a different group, committee, or ministry each weekend at First Lutheran. This week the **Funeral Luncheon Organizer and Helpers** are being recognized. We all appreciate your dedication and service to our church throughout the week, month, and year. Next week we will be recognizing Grief Support. God Bless You.

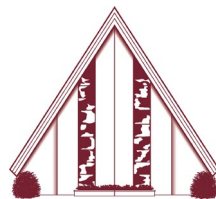
Waters Edge is in need of some pedalers. They have rickshaws for tooling the residents around and are looking for a few more people willing to come out there and do a little pedaling and enlarge their residents' worlds.

The Sanctuary Improvements are almost all done. All that is left is a monitor TV for the back sanctuary wall, a monitor TV for the Northex overflow, and the connectors to make the TVs in the Sanctuary, the Narthex, and the Lounge show what is being broadcast live. The cost to finish the project is \$5000. If you wish to help see this project through talk to Pastor, Eric Neff, or simply drop off some money. Thanks to the previous generosity we have a high quality presentation which we share with shut-ins, Snowbirds, travelers, and church seekers.

If you are a Thrivent Client then chances are you have Direct Choice Dollars to assign. Thrivent is a Fraternal which means what it would pay in taxes it must give away to charities and non-profits. If you do not designate your Direct Choice Dollars then Thrivent will do so for you. You have until March 31st.

Last Week's Attendance and Giving

Saturday: 47 Sunday: 80 Online: 236 devices.



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"Let all that you do be done in love." I Corinthians 16:14

FIFTH LENT

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR MARCH 16 AND 17, 2024

Please Pray For: John Schuenzel, Phil Pierce, Will Wege, Joanne Lamphear, Sam Shaw, Dawn Saxum, Barb Klippel, Doug Chase, Chris Somerville, Justin Rivard, Grete Schuenzel, Bridget Hartnett, Jean Friske, Darrel Christenson, and Brett Nelson.

The Eternal Flame in March is sponsored by:

- ❖ Randy & Kris Neumann,
 - in memory of Oscar & Johnie Treland;
- ❖ Dave & Linda Napieralski,
 - in memory of our Parents;
- ❖ Carol Nelson,
 - in memory of Edna Webber