

Epiphany 5

Announcements

Call to Worship: **Open the Eyes of My Heart**

The Spirit Within

Invocation

Gathering Hymn: **Rise, Shine, You People**

ELW 665

Apostolic Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Readings: Isaiah 58:1-12; Psalm 112; I Corinthians 2:1-16

Gospel Acclamation: **Shine, Jesus, Shine (refrain only)**

ELW 671

Gospel: Matthew 5:13-20

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: **Christ Be Our Light**

ELW 715

Confession and Absolution

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the People

Offerings

Offertory: **Build Up**

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Offertory Prayer

Communion

Communion Song: **I Was Hungry**

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Communion Blessing

Post-Communion Prayer

Benediction

Sending Hymn: **Let Justice Flow Like Streams**

ELW 717

Dismissal

Postlude: **A New Hallelujah**

The Spirit Within

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.

Pastor Joel Bacon – pastor@flchaywardwi.org

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Julie Jolivette & Amanda Stevenson – Children, Youth and Family

Patty VanLandschoot & Sarah Adair- Music

The Week Ahead

Sunday, February 8

9:30am: Worship

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

Monday, February 9

7:30am: Daily Devotions

10am: Hello Yoga-Chair

4pm: Fellowship Activity

4:30pm: CC Exec

5pm: Council Meeting

Tuesday, February 10

7:30am: Daily Devotions

8am: Koinonia-Women's Bible Study

8am: Men's Bible Study

10am: Peace Circle

10:30am: Very Special Arts

11am: Staff Meeting

11am: Beautification Meeting

1:30pm: Faith, Hope & Love Circle

3:15pm: Terrific Tuesday

Wednesday, February 11

7:30am: Daily Devotions

9am: sMART

9am: Zoom Bible Study

4:15pm: Memorial & Endowment

5pm: Chimes

5pm: Community Supper

6pm: 6th-8th Confirmation

6pm: Choir

7pm: High School Ministry

Thursday, February 12

7:30am: Daily Devotions

9am: Cover Girls

9:30am: Upcycling Grocery Bags

11am: Very Special Arts

4:30pm: Spirit Within

6pm: Hello Yoga-Mat

7:30pm: AA

Friday, February 13

7:30am: Daily Devotions

9:30am-11am: John Moreland's Visitation

11am: John Moreland's Funeral-Lunch to follow

1pm: Pages for Paws

Saturday, February 14

5pm: Worship

Sunday, February 15

9:30am: Worship

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

Worship Volunteers

Saturday: February 7: 5:00pm

Altar Guild:am: Barb Jacobsen

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Assisting Minister: Gwen Mickelson

Projectionist: Pat Olson

Greeter: Barb Jacobsen

Ushers: Bill Olson/Dan Grotte

Sunday: February 8: 9:30am

Altar Guild: Karen Giese

Assisting Minister: Jeff Hubbard

Communion Assistants:

Pam McClelland & Linda Graham

Broadcasting: Eric Neff

Projectionist: Tom Matthiae

Greeters: Ted & Jeanne Urban

Ushers: Dave Jacobsen/Bob McClelland

Coffee Hosts & Cleanup:

Carole & John Rusch

NOTICE: The Communion Cards are discontinued; there is no need to fill them out for communion going forward. In their place you will notice a new pale blue bookmark that welcomes visitors and provides an opportunity for them to express interest in our First Lutheran community.

Thank you to everyone at First Lutheran who helped in so many ways to make our Light the Night fundraiser for the American Cancer Society a huge success! Our parishioners helped decorate dedicated luminaria bags, provided cocoa, sponsored additional flashlights and batteries, volunteered at the event, and gave generously through donations and luminaria orders. I'm so proud of our congregation! So far, we raised over \$10,036.25 in the fight against cancer! Together we do make a difference. Here is a link to a video of the night if you want to remember....or brag:

<https://youtu.be/xiElrTHili4>

Altar Flowers this weekend are from Gwen Mickelson.

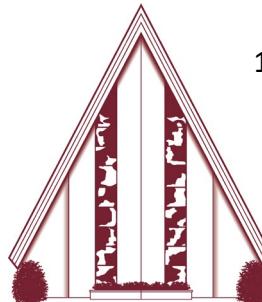
Candles for Epiphany can be brought at any time. Epiphany begins this January 10/11. Candles should be white and unscented. Any size and shape welcome.

Fat Tuesday, February 17th, 11am-12:30pm. Belgian waffles, breakfast sausage, and the fixings.

Lenten Soup and Pie starts February 18th at 11:00am.

Last Week's Attendance and Giving

Saturday: 44 Sunday: 73 Online:206



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

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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR FEB 7 & 8, 2026

Please Pray For: Phil Pierce, Allea Diehl, Dawn Saxum, Barb Klippen, Eric Bernard, Vivian Melby, Becky Iverson, Michael Nelson, Daryl Christenson, Connie Schield, Gib Purtell, Dennis Marquardt, Joshua LeCuyer, Sandy Sheehan, Nancy Hubbard, Dawn Brubaker, Mary Marienfeld, David Stevens, Patty VanLandschoot, and the family of John Moreland.

The Eternal Flame in February is sponsored by:

- ❖ Dave & Linda Napieralski,
 - in memory of our Parents;
- ❖ Pam Swanson,
 - in memory of Dayne & Drew Schlapper;
- ❖ Betty Bergstedt,
 - in memory of my Parents;
- ❖ Betty Bergstedt,
 - in memory of my Brother;
- ❖ Joanne Freiman,
 - in memory of Maris Freiman