

# 5 WAYS TO GIVE



TO FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH



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## THANK YOU!

Thank you to all assisting with our worship service today. We are glad you are serving to make a difference!

Thank you to all who have chosen First Lutheran Church to receive funds through Thrivent Choice Dollars. Donations make a difference!

**Information Kiosk:** You may help yourself to the many resources on our Information Kiosk, near the entry.

**Connect Cards:** Please complete information on the blue Connect Cards located in the pews or Information Kiosk.

**Holy Communion:** All believers are welcome to the table.

**Nursery:** The nursery is always open when not supervised; parents, guardians, or older siblings (5<sup>th</sup> grade and up) must stay in the nursery with younger children.

Please note that the **8:30am service** is livestreamed. Attendees may be seen & recorded during our livestream at various times throughout the service.



## PLEASE PRAY FOR...

- The family of Wils Carr (Josh Carr's dad) who passed away on Monday.
- Our many members and friends who are fighting cancer.
- Our companion congregations of San Pablo Lutheran Church in Chile, the Southern Diocese in Tanzania, Pueblo de Dios in Argentina, St. Dymas in Sioux Falls, and Grace Lutheran in Primghar, IA.

# First Lutheran Church Welcome to Worship

## March 16th, 2025

### ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome and Greeting

### LIVING HOPE

Confession and Forgiveness

### NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD

Prayer

Scripture Reading: Genesis 15:1-12,17-18

### WORDS OF EVERLASTING LIFE

Gospel: Luke 13:31-35

### MY GOD IS SO GREAT

Children's Time

Sermon: Pastor Brian Jack  
**TURN YOUR EYES UPON JESUS**

Apostles' Creed

Holy Communion

### OH COME TO THE ALTAR

Prayer

Offering

Benediction/Dismissal

**GOD SO LOVED**



## Notes

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8:30am-4:00pm



# WELCOME to First Lutheran Church!



## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

*"Gathering to know Jesus, serving to make a difference."*

### FIRST CONNECTIONS

#### MARCH NOISY OFFERING

The noisy offering for March will be going to Samaritan's Purse. An organization that offers relief for those in need.

#### LENTEN MEAL SIGNUPS

Please watch your email or look for the sign up sheet for an opportunity to bring soup or other items needed for the Wednesday evening meals. Proceeds from these meals assist our youth ministry programming and events.

#### Anniversary Flowers

The flowers displayed today are in honor of Shirley and Darrel Ramhorst's 66th wedding anniversary. An open house will be held at a later date.

#### GRADUATION WILL BE HERE SOON

Would you like to make a fleece tie blanket for our FLC tradition of wrapping graduating seniors with love? Please contact Ann Aalgaard if you'd like to make one.

#### COMMUNITY GARDEN

If you are interested in being a part of the community garden and can't attend the meeting, please contact Tammy Carr, children@3cross.org.

**HOLY WEEK Services**

**Palm Sunday**  
April 13th at 8:30AM or 11:00AM  
Pancakes at 9:30AM  
Easter Egg Hunt at 9:45AM

**Maundy Thursday**  
April 17th at 6:30PM

**Good Friday**  
April 18th at 6:30PM

**Easter Sunday**  
April 20th at 6:30AM & 8:30AM & 10:30AM

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First Lutheran  
**COMMUNITY GARDEN**  
*Sign up and information meeting*  
**March 24th @ 6:30 p.m.**  
COST PER PLOT: \$20

**First Lutheran Church**  
Lenten Drama Series  
**Fulfilled in Him**  
5 Part Series  
March 12 - April 9 @ 6:30pm

Week 1:  
From Abraham to the Centurion

Week 2:  
From Moses to Paul

Week 3:  
From Ruth to Samara

Week 4:  
From Jeremiah to John


Week 5:  
From Job to Martha

**Lenten Soup Suppers**  
Begin on March 12th @ 5:15pm  
and continue weekly through April 9th

**First Lutheran Church**  
Creative Art Ministry  
**Saturday, March 29th**  
9:00am - 12:00pm

**THE ART OF JOURNALING**  
TIPS AND TECHNIQUES FOR EFFECTIVE AND FUN JOURNALING

- Learn about different types of journaling
- Experience a few types
- Decorate your own journal

\$15/person  Scan to register

### WEEKLY EVENTS

#### SUNDAY - March 16th

8:30am	Worship/Communion
9:30am	Fellowship
9:45am	Education Time, all ages
11:00am	Worship/Communion

#### MONDAY - March 17th

6:30am	Men's Group at IOLBC
6:00pm	Yoga in Ed Wing

#### Tuesday - March 18th

9:00am	Quilting Group
9:30am	Women's Bible Study
6:00pm	BeFriends Meeting

#### WEDNESDAY - March 19th

9:30am	Staff Meeting
5:15pm	Lent Soup Supper
5:30pm	Kids at First
6:30pm	Lent Worship Service
7:00pm	Youth Group
7:15pm	Choir Practice

#### THURSDAY - March 20th

8:00am	MOFIA (men's group)
11:30am	First Friends at Tweeters

#### FRIDAY - March 21st

Office Closed

#### SATURDAY - March 22nd

#### SUNDAY - March 23rd

8:30am	Worship
9:30am	Fellowship
9:45am	Education Time, all ages
11:00am	Worship/Baptism