

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

### Sun., April 5 ~ Easter Sunday

- 8:30 AM Worship w/Holy Communion
- NO Sunday School
- 10:30 AM Worship w/Holy Communion & Livestream
- 3:00 PM Old Path Pentecostal Church

### Mon., April 6

*Church office closed*

- 6:00 AM Men's Small Group – Bagels & Brew
- 11:00 AM Prairie Community Services
- 5:30 PM Men's Small Group
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- 7:00 PM Alanon
- 8:00 PM Men's Fellowship – Brau Bros.

### Tues., April 7

- 9:30 AM Prairieview Condo Association
- 11:30 AM A.C.E. / 2<sup>nd</sup> Harvest Heartland

### Wed., April 8

- 12:00 PM 12 @ 12
- 2:30 PM Little Apostles
- 5:30 PM Confirmation

### Thurs., April 9

- 9:00 AM Prairie Community Services
- 9:00 AM Senior Coffee
- 10:00 AM Worship on Studio 1

### Fri., April 10

*Church office closed*

- 5:00 PM High School Gathering at Redwood
- 6:30 PM Alcoholics Anon. Meeting
- 7:00 PM Worship on Studio 1
- 7:00 PM Worship & Livestream
- 8:00 PM Alcoholics Anon. Meeting

### Sat., April 11

- 9:30 AM Karen 7<sup>th</sup> Day Adventist
- 11:00 AM Karen 7<sup>th</sup> Day Adventist
- 7:00 PM Old Path Pentecostal Church

### Sun., April 12

- 8:30 AM Worship w/Holy Communion
- 9:30 AM Sunday School & Coffee Fellowship
- 10:30 AM Worship w/Holy Communion & Livestream
- 3:00 PM Old Path Pentecostal Church
- 6:00 PM High School Youth Group



## WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Presiding:	Austin Krohnke
Musician:	Seth Boerboom
Lector:	Abby Boerboom (8:30) Shanda Walker (10:30)
Acolyte:	<i>volunteer needed</i> (8:30) Kasen VanOverbeke (10:30)
Slides:	<i>volunteer needed</i> (8:30) Colby Miller (10:30)
Assistant:	n/a (8:30) n/a (10:30)
Usher:	Mark & Melissa Andree (8:30) Blair Miller (10:30)
Communion:	Marc & Regan Craigmile (8:30) Paula Petersen-Giles (10:30)
Video:	Cody Kesteloot
Video Assistant:	n/a
Sound:	<i>Acolyte</i>
Altar Guild:	Brenda Citrowske
Bread:	Michelle Castor
Coffee Fellowship Host:	n/a

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### Office Hours:

Monday through Thursday 9am-4pm  
Fridays: Closed

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Proclaiming and Serving Jesus Christ

*We remember in prayer:*

- Delores Manke (hospice)
- Kaylee & Evelyn Juutilainen (kidney)
- Jim Kindler (brother of Judy DeCramer, ALS)
- Kären Goergen (health)
- Elly Greenman (health)
- Carol Owen (health)
- Frank & Karen Bielinski (health)
- Ron Kupfer (father of Ronda Bursell, health)
- Pam Kesteloot (aunt of Daren K., health)
- Shannon Blank (sister of Erin, Barb & Connie, heart attach recovery)
- Jeri Popman (friend of Erin K., Alzheimer's)
- Everett Wallin (heart)
- Bev Roberts (mother of Val B., cancer)
- Steve Bennett (cancer)
- Juliet Pauling (niece of Brittany Olson, health)
- Deb Stassen (sister of Dan, stroke recovery)
- Jean Rickard (sister of Donna Kor, health)
- Roland Winter (cancer)
- Leanne Kramer (mother of Laura Miller, health)
- Russ Craigmile (father of Marc, health)
- Seiko Green (sister-in-law of Roger & Ardy Green, liver transplant recovery)
- Jennifer Preuss (niece of Kari Matson, cancer)
- Terry Redding (health)
- Landon Pohlen (wrestling injury recovery)
- Mike Berg (surgery recovery)
- Chad Krog (surgery recovery)
- Kim Moline (mother of Ryan (Krista) Moline, stroke / dementia)
- Debi Berre (niece of Lucille Gabriel, health)
- Ray Krossman (father of Sarah Kirchner, stroke)
- Family of Jerry Rund

*Please contact the office to add or update our prayer list.*

### 2026 Synod Assembly

June 5 - 6, 2026 (Friday – Saturday) at Gustavus Adolphus College.

Theme: Grounded in Hope

If you're interested in attending, please contact Pastor Austin.



### Weekly News

Scan to view this week's news!

Easter

April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026

✠ *Worship with Holy Communion*

### Office Closed Monday

The Church will be closed on Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup> in observance of Easter. We will be open Tuesday through Thursday regular hours from 9am to 4pm.

### Easter flowers

Please bring your Easter flowers home with you after 10:30am worship or pick up next week Tuesday – Thursday.

### St. Stephen Family Photo Book

We have a draft of our St. Stephen family photo book – while we work to put it together, if you haven't already, please send a photo to Wendy in the office by Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup>!

### Save the Dates

-Confirmation Sundays:

*April 26 & May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:30am*

-Class of 2026 High School

Senior Quilt Sunday: *May 17<sup>th</sup>*

-Summer Kickoff on the back lawn: *May 20<sup>th</sup>*

-Summer Worship Schedule begins (1 service):

*May 24<sup>th</sup> 9:30am*

-VBS at St. Stephen:

*June 15-17<sup>th</sup>*

-VBS Program:

*June 17<sup>th</sup> 7pm*

-Brisket Battle:

*June 17<sup>th</sup> 5:30pm*

**WELCOME**

**THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

**GATHERING SONG** ~ #365 “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”

**GREETING & PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** ~ #856 “How Great Thou Art” verse 3

**GOSPEL READING** ~ Matthew 28:1-10 (pg. 811)

**CHILDREN’S SONG** ~ “I’m So Blessed”

*The congregation sings as the children come forward and again as the children return to their seats.*

**CHILDREN’S TIME**

**SERMON**

**SONG OF THE DAY** ~ “Made for More”

**APOSTLES’ CREED**


**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

**SHARING THE PEACE**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**OFFERING & NOISY OFFERING**

*Children of all ages are invited to bring loose change forward and let your coins make a joyful noise in the bucket.*

 Scan this QR code using your cell phone camera to make a one-time donation or to set up recurring giving.

**OFFERING SONG** ~ #785 “When Peace Like a River (It is Well)”

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, they will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**



**COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION**

*St. Stephen Lutheran Church practices open communion and all are welcome to the Lord’s table. If you wish for a gluten-free wafer, please tell those serving communion. Dark cups are wine, light are juice. If you are not able to come forward for communion, please alert one of the ushers and it will be brought to you at your pew.*

**COMMUNION SONG** ~ “Living Hope” & “The Power of the Cross”

**BENEDICTION**

**SENDING SONG** ~ “Death Was Arrested”

**SENDING**

