Second Sunday in Lent

March 5, 2023



"No one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit."

John 3:5, NRSV

It's still winter ... but spring is near. It's Lent ... but we're pointed toward Easter. Keep us hopeful, Lord.

Please remember the following in prayer John McAlister and family, Gisele Richardson, Cindy Pham and Betty Clark

The chancel flowers for today are sponsored by Jack & Marilyn Gross in Honor of their 69th wedding anniversary.

Birthdays and Anniversaries this week:

March 6 – Jack & Marilyn Gross (1954) Bob & Charlene Lundstrom (1976)

- 8 Judy Ingerson
- 9 Betty Clark



KIDS AGAINST HUNGER SUNDAY, MARCH 12

Need to raise at least \$500.00 for the meals we are bagging on March 12. Please mark your donation

envelope for Kids. We are at \$380.00 so far. If we raise more, we can ag more meals! If you want to come for lunch and help out, please sign the sheet in the narthex so we can get a count for lunch.

DAYLIGHT SAVING - TIME BEGINS

On Saturday, March 11, Be sure and Change Your Clocks AHEAD one (1) hour before going to bed.



Easter Lilly Order Deadline Tuesday, March 21st

This year the price has increased to \$12.00. If you would like to place an order for Easter Lilies, please fill out an order form or call the church office.



MINI CHOIR - REHEARSAL - TODAY

Our first rehearsal is today after worship in the Sanctuary. We will be practicing a 2-part anthem for Easter. This is open to anyone who would like to join us. . --- Teri Griebel and Renee Ketelsen



KNIT A BIT - March 7 & March 21

We will meet on March 7 and on March 21 at 1:00 p.m. It was decided to meet on the first and third Tuesday each month.

WELCA – MARCH 7TH



WELCA will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the Upper Room. Please bring a snack to share. All ladies are welcome to attend.

The WELCA Spring Retreat at LOMC is April 29 from 9-3. Bible Study will be on John 4 1-42

West Conference Spring Assembly will be April 22 at St James.

CALVARY CARETAKER CREW – MARCH 15

Calvary Caretaker Crew will meet March 15 at 9:00. We will work in the Sunday School area and be done in time for the Lenten midweek lunch and service. Everyone is invited. We have a good time and always enjoy the fellowship.



LENTEN SERVICES & LUNCHES

Services for Lent are as follows:

Midweek Services: Noon @ Calvary,

7:00 p.m. @ St. James

Maundy Thursday (April 6): 7:00 p.m. @ Calvary

Good Friday (April 7): Noon @ Calvary 7:00 p.m. @ St. James

LENTEN LUNCHES....

Thank you to those who have signed up to serve Lenten Lunches during March. They are:

March 8: Sue Knipe, Margo Miller & Sandy Ohrn

March 15: Judy Ingerson, Jan Jackson &

Connie Langston

March 22: Judy Noftsker, Renee Ketelsen &

Val Daniel

March 29: Charlene Lundstom & Annette Menke

Sunday Servants

If you will be out of town, please find a replacement and let the office know. Thank you.

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Altar for March: Val and Bruce Daniel

Backdoor Greeter:

Mar. 5 – Vicki McAlister

Mar. 12 – Pam Gross

Mar. 19 – Linda Chase

Mar. 26 – Debbie Faith

Volunteer Lector (L) & Communion Assistant (CA):

Mar. 5 – Renee Ketelsen (L & CA); Sandy Ohrn (CA)

Mar. 12 – Paul Levesque (L & CA); Connie Langston (CA)

Mar. 19 – Gary Gross (L & CA); Terry Langston (CA)

Counters:

Mar. 5 – Paul Levesque & Barb Geerts

Mar. 12 – Gary Gross & Terry Langston

Mar. 19 – Debbie Faith & Teri Griebel

Mar. 26 – Greg Johnson & Connie Langston

Usher/Greeter:

Mar. 5 – Bruce & Val Daniel

Mar. 12 – Greg Johnson & Linda Chase

Mar. 19 – Kirk Ketelsen

Mar. 26 – Joe Geerts & Gary Gross

All are welcome to come to the Upper Room before and after the worship service for Coffee, Donuts and Fellowship.