

First Lutheran Church - ELCA

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As you may know, I love to sing. I love music, both listening to it, and performing it. Over the years I have been in band, marching band, choir, brass choir, orchestra, pit orchestra, accompanied, conducted, been an audience member, and worked at Orchestra Hall in Minneapolis. Music has always been a part of my life. My dad would sing in the car, and whistle. My mom took piano lessons as a child. I was in Greater Twin Cities Youth Symphonies in high school, and was a

member of the above ensembles in college. I have played piano for nursing home services, and conducted ensembles as a substitute music teacher. I've been in church choirs since 3rd grade. If I had to choose whether to lose my sight or my hearing, I may very well choose sight, as not hearing music, and sounds of creation, would likely be more difficult for me than not seeing the faces of loved ones or gorgeous sunsets again.

When listening to the radio, I tend to choose "oldies" stations, which play music from the 60s, 70s, 80s, and 90s. There has been a resurgence of the music of Peter, Paul and Mary, and Pete Seeger lately, music which I grew up with via my dad's record collection, which also contained Whoopie John and other oom-pah music. Music of the 80s brings me back to high school and college. Or, I tune into to the classical music station, which was often on in the living room. I bet each of you could list your favorite type of music to listen to, sing, or play. There are many options to choose from!

Church is full of music, too. We are very blessed to have Paul Henriksen as our organist. I am thankful for his willingness to be here week after week, putting in practice time on the hymns, liturgy, and prelude/postlude music. When Paul is unable to be here, others share their musical talents, either in person (the Worship Team), or via YouTube videos (from a variety of sources). We also enjoy the LIFT kids and their enthusiasm when they sing. I know that some songs or hymns are new, or can be difficult to sing. Others are old favorites, and you light up with anticipation when they are listed in the bulletin. The way music is chosen here is this: we have a book that has all sorts of worship information in it for each week – text summaries, ideas for preaching, prayers, and even music suggestions. Tami Taubert makes a list of suggested songs or hymns for each week, based on this book, or using other hymns she thinks would be appropriate. Then I look at Tami's list to see how it flows into the rest of the service, if the music supports the message of the rest of the service, and change any hymns/songs as needed. Tami usually selects the songs sung by the Worship Team, as she knows what music they know.

This system has been working well. However, sometimes people want to sing a favorite hymn or song, but it never comes up. We don't know what songs or hymns you know or love, and want to sing! So, elsewhere in the Voice there is a form to fill out, letting Tami and me know what songs or hymns YOU would like to sing. They will be compiled into a list, and we will sing as many as we can in the next year or so. You may know songs that I don't, and some of the songs I know might be unfamiliar to you, yet I think they are old standards. I look forward to seeing what you come up with, and singing <u>your</u> favorites in the future.

See you in church, making a joyful noise! *Pastor Ann*



A time to pay attention

During Epiphany, let's notice the ways God appears to us

By Chris Michaelis

January 6, 2025

Editor's note: This piece originally ran on Jan. 6, 2022.

I have a bad habit of looking at my feet when I walk. I don't often stub my toe or trip on uneven ground, but occasionally I run into something or someone I'm not expecting.

Our 2-year-old has the opposite issue. While we walk around our neighborhood, his head is always up and looking around. This means he often trips over his feet, but his view of the world is much broader than mine. As is the case with most toddlers, he might ask, "What's that?" or "What's their name?" or "What's that called?" His curiosity reminds me that a simple shift in perspective can engender wonder.

Whether I'm looking at my feet while I walk, hunching over my cellphone or resting my elbows on a desk at work, this posture of folding inward prevents me from truly seeing the expansiveness of God's good creation. This makes me wonder about the opportunities we miss simply because our posture doesn't allow us to see the world around us. Epiphany marks the day and the church season when Jesus comes to be named and understood as God's own son, the living and breathing manifestation of God in our midst.

The Epiphany story begins with three magi noticing a new star and setting off on a journey. Arriving at their destination, these three people from distant places encounter a child born to a teenage mother in a little-known town, a birth heralded by livestock and ranchers. Jesus' birth story isn't what most imagine when they think of a newborn king. Yet the magi come to see and understand Jesus as God on Earth.

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The name Epiphany comes from the Greek *epiphaneia*, meaning "manifestation." Most of us think of an epiphany as a flash of insight, but what if Epiphany is an invitation to notice the beauty and brilliance of what's already there?

The magi found a new star in the sky. They bore witness to the presence of God within little Jesus. And during the time after Epiphany, we'll hear Gospel stories of Jesus growing in his understanding of who he is as God's child and of the kind of messiah he is called to be. Perhaps, then, Epiphany is less a sudden realization and more a growth in understanding.

When I realign my focus, when I notice how much I cast my eyes to the ground or hunch over, I can lift my head, straighten my posture and enjoy a new perspective. With my eyes up, I'm free to perceive and appreciate the beautiful diversity of the people and plants and creatures I encounter. I can truly see my neighbors, noticing when someone is having a rough day. I can even serve my neighbor who's reaching out for help.

Amid what's been a very challenging season for many, something as simple as letting someone know you've noticed them can produce a profound impact. We long to be seen by each other and God.

Epiphany calls us to see our neighbors—our neighbor in need, our neighbor who's struggling, our neighbor who puts on a brave face at worship while suffering inside, as well as our neighbor who's rejoicing. It calls us to notice neighbors who don't look, worship, speak, vote or pray as we do. It calls us to recognize them, too, as God's children.

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How differently might we treat one another if the first thing we noticed about someone was their identity as a beloved child of God?

When we notice and focus on what draws us together rather than what drives us apart, we can approach our differences from a place of genuine care and concern for one another's well-being. By seeking to understand our neighbors, we can build the world God intends—a world ruled by peace, built upon equity and justice, and infused with the sweet fragrance of love.

During this time after Epiphany, let's commit to noticing and celebrating all the ways God appears in our time and place. You might create a list and write down every time you notice God in your world—from people, plants and animals to the movements of stars and other heavenly bodies.

Take a cue from my 2-year-old: Keep your head up and look around. Maybe you'll fill up your notebook with signs of God's presence so quickly that you'll need to buy another one. Notice your opportunities to bless and be blessed by others. Surely the Messiah is with us.



Noisy Offering for January was collected for: World Hunger

The total amount collected was: \$223.79

Money collected for February & March will go for

Pipestone County Food Shelf.

Double your giving in March as those funds are matched!! THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THESE IMPORTANT OUTREACH NEEDS.

January 2024 Offerings

| Monthly Offering needed: \$21,150.00 | |
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| Weekly Offering – week 1 | 1.24.16.25 |
| Weekly Offering – week 2 | 10.000 22 |
| Weekly Offering – week 3 (includes Wed. night serv.) | 93(412.22) |
| Weekly Offering – week 4 | NA MAGIN |
| MONTH-END TOTAL: | 1. 2012 |
| Difference from monthly offering needed: | (KOLLOF |

Needed / week: 4-week month = \$5,287.50/week 5-week month = \$4,230/week

There are now THREE METHODS to use Simply Giving:

- 1) Your church offerings can be made weekly, every other week (bi-weekly) or monthly automatically through electronic funds transferred from your checking or savings accounts or by using your credit card.
- 2) To the right (>) is a Quick Response (QR) code. When you scan the QR code image with a smartphone's QR decoder, it will instantly connect you to the mobile version of the church's Vanco/Simply Giving offering site. Just follow the directions on your screen.



- 3) Be watching for other options as they become available.
 - 4) Good ol' offering envelopes they are tried and true still today!!



Council Highlights from January 15th, 2025

- MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Craig Thies, Pastor Ann Zastrow, Kristy Henriksen, Ingrid Wielenberg, Cristy Appel, Karen Boehm, Robert Baerenwald, Nicole Weber, Thad Reinert, Mike Straw, Marit Sterud, Lori Ilse
- TREASURER'S REPORT: Motion was made to pay the remaining balance to the Synod of \$3000. Motion was seconded, motion carried
- PRESIDENT'S REPORT: The control panel and thermostat for the coffee maker is on order. Waiting for them to be installed.
- VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Still working on committee nominations. Have not found anyone for the Vice-President's position. Kristy referenced the church constitution for the vice-president's job description which included creating the budget. Copies of the budget she made were handed out to be reviewed later in the meeting.
- Motion made to skip the Committee reports for this meeting since other items needed attention prior to the Annual meeting.
 - The Financial secretary position will be filled by Kaitlyn Ilse.
- Ryan Wielenberg, Steve Werner and Rob Woodbury have agreed to help with the annual audit.
 - The 2025 Budget proposal from Craig was reviewed.
 - 64 people attended the Wednesday night Contemporary Service.

Meeting Adjourned

Next meeting: Wednesday, February 12th, 2025 @7:30pm



Highlights from January 25th, 2025

- \Rightarrow Meeting called to order @10:28am
- \Rightarrow Devotions and hymn led by Pastor Ann
 - \Rightarrow Quorum: 43 members present
- \Rightarrow Pastor Ann gave a quick summary of ministry activities in 2024 and thanked Craig and the council members for their service.
- ⇒ A summation of the current finances was given by Craig. There was good feedback on the offering statements that were sent out to members. Finance Committee helped Craig build the budget for 2025 which was voted on by the Council.
 - $\Rightarrow~$ 2025 Budget was presented, no discussion/questions. Motion made to approve. Seconded & carried.
- ⇒ Call for Council or Committee nominations from the floor Sarah Meyer volunteered for a 1-year term as vice-president and added to the ballot. No other nominations presented. Motion to accept the ballot as printed, motion seconded & carried. All listed on the ballot were elected for a term as listed on the ballot.
 - Council President: Kristy Henriksen (1-yr) Council Vice-President: Sarah Meyer (1-yr) Council Secretary: Karen Boehm (1-yr) Outreach & Mission Council rep: NONE Sunday School/LIFT rep: Danielle Ossefoort (2-yr) Congregational Life rep: Nicole Weber (1-yr) Property Management rep: Al Hollingsworth (2-yr) Worship Committee rep: Cristy Appel (1-yr) Adult Ed rep: Robert Baerenwald (1-yr) Youth rep: Marit Sterud (2-yr)

Shetek Bible camp liaison: Kristen Brockberg Synod Assembly/Shetek Conf. reps: _______ Adult Ed Committee: Diane Leslie Sunday School Committee: Kiley Houselog, Tanya Schroyer Youth Committee: Kristen Brockberg Outreach & Mission: Sheila Horton, Gen Velde, Lisa Sneller Worship Committee: Nancy Finzen, Tami Taubert, Mark Zinnel Property Management: Scott Sterud, Scott Rudie Endowment Committee: Paul Henriksen, Dennis Peterson, Bob Taubert

Motion made to adjourn, motion seconded, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 11:00am.

Extra copies of the 2024 Annual meeting booklet are in the office.



VISITATIONS

If someone is ill or in need of a Pastoral visit, please call Pastor Ann or contact the Church office @ 825-5837. Please remember the following First Lutheran Church members in your prayers, send them a card, or stop to visit them.



| Joyce Kunz | Good Samaritan Communities, Pipestone | |
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| Darrell Foss | Good Samaritan, Sioux Falls | |
| Kay Dubbelde | The Lodge Assisted Living - Mankato, MN <u>Send any letters or cards to</u> : Kay Dubbelde Mankato Lodge Senior Living 1360 Adams St Rm 410 - Mankato, MN 56001 | |



Dear First Lutheran Church,

Thank you for your gift of \$1,000.00 to Lutheran Disaster Response.

In Christ,

Daniel Kift

The Rev. Daniel Rift Director, Giving, Service and Justice ELCA World Hunger and Lutheran Disaster Response



What is your favorite hymn?

We (Pastor Ann and Tami Taubert, the ones who choose Sunday hymns and songs) would like to know what your favorite hymns and songs are! I know what songs and hymns I know, and what my favorites are, but I don't know what songs and hymns YOU like (that I may not know and therefore don't choose)! I will compile a list, and we will choose from the list over the next year or so. We can't guarantee that all songs will be sung, but we will do our best! We are limiting the suggestions to a maximum of 3 "traditional" hymns and 3 "contemporary" songs, otherwise our list would be way too long. You can submit your suggestions through the end of February.

Details:

Each person can submit ONE form, **maximum of 3** "traditional" hymns, and **maximum of 3** "contemporary" songs.

People of any age can participate!

It is easiest if "traditional" hymns are from the ELW (cranberry/red hymnal) or WOV (blue softcover hymnal), because we know we have the music for them.

You can turn in requests by email (prannfirstlutheranpipestone@gmail.com), fill out a form at church (in pews or in office) and drop in the offering plate.

Name: _____

Traditional hymn suggestions (include hymnal page numbers if possible):

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Contemporary song suggestions (include who sings it if possible)

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- 2)_____
- 3) _____

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH



2025 Time & Talents Survey

"Having gifts that differ according to the grace given us, let us use them." Romans 12:6

Name: _____ (please complete separate ones for each family member old enough to serve)

Please consider offering your gifts of time and talent by selecting below the way(s) you would like to be involved at First Lutheran Church!

Worship

- Communion Assistant
- □ Reader/Lector
- Usher
- □ Sound/Video/PowerPoint Operator
- □ Choir (could re-form if enough interest)
- Play a Musical Instrument (______
- □ Sing with Worship Team to lead songs
- Altar Guild/Communion Set-up
- □ Visit Shut-ins
- Decorating the Church for each Season
- Lay Leader during Pastoral Absence

<u>Prayer</u>

Join FLC's Prayer Partner Program

Education

- □ Teach/Substitute LIFT (grades PreK-5)
- Lead/Assist Adult Ed Classes
- $\hfill\square$ Assist with Confirmation Classes

Serve

- □ Volunteer at the Banquet (usually in the fall)
- Volunteer at the Pipestone County Food Shelf
- □ Sew with the FLCW Quilters
- □ Join FLC Women's or Men's Groups
- □ Assist with Building Maintenance Projects
- Join a committee (Youth, SS, Prop. Manag., Outreach & Mission, Cong. Life, Adult Ed, Worship)

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<u>All of the radio sponsorship</u> <u>slots for 2025 have been</u> <u>FILLED!!!!!!</u>

Thank you to all who give to this GREAT ministry here at First Lutheran!!!!!

Lutheran World Relief Wildfire Disaster Project

Lutheran World Relief is requesting kits, quilts and funds to address the California Wildfire Disaster as well as the Carolina Hurricanes of last fall. The supply of the quilts and kits is constantly being shipped in the U.S. as well as around the world.

To help with this project, First Lutheran will be gathering items for the Personal Care Kits starting in February. This is usually a project that is done during Lent, but the decision was made to start now.

ITEMS NEEDED ARE:

~Bath Towels (20x40 to 27x52, dark colors preferred, NEW) ~Soap (each kit needs 8-9oz bars of soap - or 2-3 bars each) ~Toothbrush (adult size, in original packaging) ~Sturdy Comb - there are many different types of hair, so no picks or fine-toothed combs, please! ~Metal nail clipper (attached nail file optional)



Nail clippers, bath towels and combs are the items least donated.

Please bring your items to the church and put them in the purple bucket in the Narthex. Kits will be assembled as items arrive. We strive for 40 for the 40 Days of Lent. Last year we sent 44 kits. It would be GREAT to double that amount!

This is a CHURCH project, not just an FLCW project.

THANK YOU for all of your help!!



February 2025



Dear FLCW,

2025 is in full swing! The weather has been pretty mild, but we know what can happen in March!!! Our first FLCW meeting of the New Year was held on January 21st with a snack buffet. Just the thing to get new ideas for the upcoming Super Bowl. The lesson was on Ruth. I am always surprised that I learn something new each time I study a familiar story. There's a lesson there.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, February 13th at noon for a soup potluck. The lesson will be the February Study in Gather. The Bible Study is on Faithfulness: Faith in the Depths with Psalm 22. Hope you are able to join us.

We are starting our Lenten Personal Care Kits project earlier this year. Lent and Easter are late this year, so we are starting in February well before Lent even begins. With the hurricanes and wildfires, the supply at Lutheran World Relief moves quickly. We are now collecting items for the kits. Items needed are listed on the previous page (pg 9).

The purple tote will be in the Narthex to collect the donated items until we assemble the kits. We try for 40 kits for the 40 days of Lent, but it would be great to double that amount this year. Last year we did 44 kits.

Quilting will be held on Thursday, February 13th & Thursday, February 27th beginning at 9:30am. We are busy working with the quilts for our graduates!

We also received a letter from Shetek Lutheran Ministries reminding us of the Quilt Auction this summer which will be held on June 28th. We will discuss our donations at the February meeting.

Enjoy the mild winter (so far anyway)!!

See You in Church!!

Kristy

Shetek Happenings



February 2025

14 Keeley Island Drive Slayton, MN 56172 507-763-3567 camp@shetek.org www.shetek.org

Shetek Lutheran Ministries Where Christ Renews and Empowers



Please apply to join our fun staff this summer. In https://shetek.org/work-at-shetek/

<u>Wish List</u>

- Volunteers
- New Vacuums
- Keurig
- Spark Bibles
- Board Games
- Office Supplies Staplers, dry erase markers, paper





Please join us for our upcoming events

Mark your Calendar

February 8 Family Winter Fun Day February 10 Hiking Club March 10 Hiking Club March 14-15 Confirmation Retreat March 29 Sugarbush Saturday 9am-1pm

Help send kids to Camp...Become a Pelican Club or Timber Society member today. Pelican Club members support the ministry with a gift of \$100 - \$499 a year and Timber Society members give \$500 or more a year. Thanks for your support!



Important Dates to mark:

- ⇒ Every Wednesday Confirmation for grades 6-8 & LIFT for 5th grade and under.
- \Rightarrow Sunday, February 2nd LIFT Little sing
- ⇒ Sunday, February 9th LIFT Middles & Bigs sing. Third graders receive their new Bibles.
- ⇒ Friday, February 14th Valentine's Day
- $\Rightarrow\,$ Monday, February 17th NO SCHOOL -

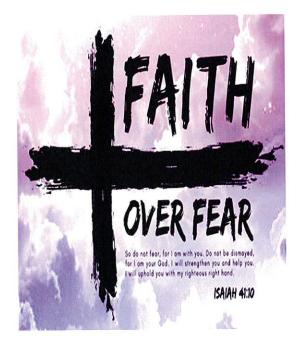
President's Day

Senior High Youth Gathering (grades 9-12)

All 9th-12th grade students are invited to the Synod's annual Senior High Youth Gathering. It will be held Friday, April 4th
Saturday, April 5th at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Redwood Falls, MN. Lodging will be at the Redwood Lodge.
This event is coordinated and planned by the SW MN Synod Lutheran Youth Organization (LYO).

The theme this year is "Faith Over Fear" based on Isaiah 41:10.

Registration opens soon and closes on February 19th at 6pm. Contact the church office or Pastor Ann if you are interested.



The REMIND app is used here at First Lutheran for our Youth activities!



To join, send a text to 81010 with the message: @8728964

OR

Visit: https://www.remind.com/join/8728964

It's a GREAT way to see opportunities for First Lutheran Youth in grades 6-12! Both students & parents are welcome to join!



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| 2 ~9:30am LIFT Littles sing | 3 | 4 | 5 ~6:15-7:15pm LIFT/ Confirmation **School Early Out@2pm | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 9 ~9:30am LIFT Middles & Bigs sing ~Third grade receive Bibles | 10 | 11 | 12 ~6:15-6:40pm - Contemp Ser- vice ~6:45-7:15pm LIFT/ Confirmation **School Early Out@2pm | 13 ~Elem. Student led conferences | 14 •HAPPY Valentine's •DAY | 15 |
| 16 | 17 ~NO SCHOOL Presidents 's * DAY * | 18 | 19 ~6:15-7:15pm LIFT/ Confirmation **School Early Out@2pm | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 ~6:15-7:15pm LIFT/ Confirmation **School Early Out@2pm | 27 | 28 | |





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BINGO

Your challenge is to complete each activity. Mark each square with an "X" when it is complete.

| Share a special treat with someone | Memorize a scripture and share it with someone | Write a thank you note to someone who helped you | Bake a dessert and share it with your next door neighbor | Hold the door open for someone |
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| Share a smile with someone you don't know | Play an activity that a friend wants to play | Look out for someone who needs help and give them a hand | Give away clothes you don't need anymore | Pray together with a friend |
| Help carry in groceries | Introduce yourself to someone new. | Play with someone new | Give a hug | Share affirming words like "great job!" |
| Give a compliment | Say "I Love you!" | Volunteer for something | Let someone go ahead of you in line | Donate food to a food bank |
| Share a special toy with a friend | Teach someone something you know | Clean up your room without being asked | Write a poem for a friend | Make a homemade gift for someone |

February 2025 Worship Assistants

| Date | Worship Time | Reader | Acolytes | Communion Assistant(s) | Ushers *(captain) | Sound |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|----------|---------------------------|---|--------------------|
| 2-2-2025 *Holy Communion | 9:30 a.m. | Dave Dulas | | | *Dave Dulas (cpt) ~Jason Weber ~Mike Thode ~Brian Danks family | Mark Zinnel |
| 2-9-2025 *Holy Communion | 9:30 a.m. | Lori Ilse | | Rob Woodbury | *Dave Dulas (cpt) ~Jason Weber ~Mike Thode ~Brian Danks family | Neil Johnson |
| 2-16-2025 | 9:30 a.m. | Dave Dulas | | | *Dave Dulas (cpt) ~Jason Weber ~Mike Thode ~Brian Danks family | Mark Zinnel |
| 2-23-2025 | 9:30 a.m. | Ingrid & Lane Wielenberg | | | *Dave Dulas (cpt) ~Jason Weber ~Mike Thode ~Brian Danks family | Ryan Wielenberg |

We are in need of Readers, Communion Assistants, Usher Subs and help in the Sound Room. These are all simple jobs but we are in need of extra



These are all simple jobs but we are in need of extra hands that are willing to learn a new skill! The more help we have the less work and time is needed from all who volunteer. Please contact the church office if you would be willing to give one of these things a whirl!! It may be more fun and easier than you think! Wishing you a day of special moments for thankful remembering of all that has made your adventure of love a blessing and a

| <i>February 1st</i> | <i>February 5th</i> |
|----------------------|-------------------------|
| Mick & LaDonna Myers | Larry & Barb Rieck |
| <i>February 8th</i> | <i>February 16th</i> |
| Paul & Carol Johnson | Kris & Erin Mastbergen |
| Faul & Carol Johnson | KIIS & LIIII Mastbergen |

February 17th Kelly & Wendi Weber





On your special day, you are wished all the very best, all the joy you can ever have and may you also be blessed abundantly today, tomorrow and the days to come!

| A REAL PROPERTY AND INCOME. | | | | |
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| Feb 1 | Aria DeZeeuw Marli Taubert | Feb 16 | Liam Schroyer | |
| Feb 4 | James Skyberg | Feb 18 | Cole Lytle | |
| Feb 5 | Ed Gustafson Rowan Heidebrink Kaysan Ilse Kai Schroyer | Feb 19 | Robert Woodbury | |
| | Makhia Wilson | Feb 20 | Darrell Foss Noah Maschino | |
| Feb 6 | Kyle Hansen Nathan Schloendorf | Feb 22 | Raelynn Buffington Dusti Sabers (Werner) | |
| Feb 7 | Karli Buffington Kolten Fritz Doreen Hansen | Feb 23 | Mason Griebel Mary Hartke Dawn Heidebrink Tish Kalla | |
| Feb 8 | Megan Newgard Andrew Royer | | Craig Stevens | |
| Feb 9 | Leann Vos | Feb 24 | Lindyn Houselog | |
| Feb 12 | Richie Clark | Feb 25 | Graesyn Schulze | |
| Feb 14 | Erin Brockberg | Feb 26 | Alika Houselog | |
| Feb 15 | Vivian Brockberg Jenny Mathews | Feb 27 | Neil Johnson | |
| | | Feb 28 | Bob Fritz Jolie Prouty | |



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| 2 ~9:30am - Worship w/ Communion ~LIFT Littles sing ~Installation & orientation of Council & Com- mittee members | 3 | 4 | 5 ~8:15am - Pastor's Prayer ~6:15pm - Confirmation/ LIFT ~7pm Committee mtgs | 6 ~5:30pm Exec. Committee mtg | 7 | 8 |
| 9 ~9:30am - Worship w/Communion ~LIFT Middles & Bigs sing ~3rd Gr Bibles | 10 | 11 ~8:30am - Ministerial mtg | 12 ~8:15am - Pastor's Prayer ~6:15pm Con- temp. Service w/ communion ~6:45pm - Confirmation/ LIFT ~7:30pm - Council mtg | 13 ~9:30am - Quilting | 14 | 15 |
| 16 ~9:30am - Worship ~2pm - Synod Conf. assemb. In Wgtn | 17 OFFICE CLOSED | 18 ~12pm - FLCW Group Circle ~3:45pm Worship Comm. | 19 ~8:15am - Pastor's Prayer ~6:15pm - Confirmation/ LIFT | 20 ~9am - Pastor in Conf. mtg Zoom TBD | 21 | 22 |
| 23 ~9:30am - Worship Annual Meeting ~Pastor @ Good Sam (1pm) RidgeView (2pm) | 24 | 25 | 26 ~8:15am - Pastor's Prayer ~6:15pm - Confirmation/ LIFT | 27 ~9:30am - Quilting | 28 | |



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We are all one body, one spirit, compelled by Christ to share His Word and the promise of salvation. ~Matthew 28

Worship schedule:

9:30am Sundays at Church & live-streamed on Facebook

- Radio Worship Broadcast: 10:30am Sundays on KLOH 1050AM
- ◆ TV Public Access: Wednesdays @12pm & 5pm on Channel 3

Our Church Staff

Ministers

Members of First Lutheran

 Pastor
 Rev. Ann Zastrow

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 pastor@firstlutheranpipestone.org

Admin. Asst/Office Mgr

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