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Description automatically generated with low confidence**Please join us for Wednesday and Sunday Worship in the Season of Lent!**

*Our theme for Wednesdays in Lent is “From Death to Life”*

*Our theme for Sundays in Lent is “Unfinished”*

**Wednesday, March 1:** 5:30-7:00 p.m. The Men’s Club will serve Supper

7:00 p.m. Worship

Worship Theme: Creation

Reflection: Pastor Julie

**Sunday, March 5:** 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship

Pastor Dione Stepanek will be with us! Pastor Dione is our Director of Evangelical Mission and Assistant to the Bishop of the La Crosse Area Synod!

**Wednesday, March 8:** 5:30-700 p.m. CVLC Council will serve supper

7:00 p.m. Worship

Worship Theme: Flood

Reflection: Danielle Hansen

**Sunday, March 12:** 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship

**Wednesday, March 15:** 5:30-7:00 p.m. Naomi Circle will serve supper

7:00 p.m. Worship

Worship Theme: Deliverance and the Red Sea

Reflection: Steve Pauloski

**Sunday, March 19:**  8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship

**Wednesday, March 22:** 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. Men’s Club Fish Fry!

7:00 p.m. Worship

Worship Theme: Salvation offered freely to all

Reflection: Mary Schultz

**Sunday, March 26:** 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Worship

**March 29:** 5:30-7:00 p.m. The Rebecca Circle will serve supper

Worship Theme: Deliverance from the fiery furnace

Reflection: Daniel Wollman

All Wednesday Services will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will be 30 to 45 minutes in length. Come as you are! Our services will provide a mid-week opportunity to learn, reflect, pray, and be restored in our life with Christ.

**Mark your Calendars for a Special Holy Week and Easter Season!**

**Sunday, April 2:** 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Palm Sunday Worship with The Passion of our Lord According to the Gospel of Matthew, read by members of the Congregation.

**Thursday, April 6:** 7:00 p.m. Combined Maundy Thursday and Good Friday Worship Service. We learn of Jesus’ Last Supper, Jesus’ New Commandment, and of Jesus’ death upon the Cross. Fifth Graders receive their First Holy Communion!

**Sunday, April 9:** 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. EASTER! We celebrate the resurrection of our Lord and the promise that is ours in Jesus Christ!

**Sunday, April 16:** 9:00 a.m. Worship at Coon Valley/10:00 a.m. Worship at Middle Coon Valley

**Sunday, April 23**: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 Worship

**Sunday, April 30:** 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Worship with 8th Graders’ Affirmation of Faith at 10:30 a.m.

**Sunday, May 7:** 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Bishop Felix Malpica, Bishop of the La Crosse Area Synod will be with us for worship!

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The CVLC Council met on January 12th at 6:00 p.m.

\*Treasurer’s Report: was presented by Becky Lusk. Report accepted.

\*Finance Report: Glen provided an update and reviewed the 2022 Income Financial Summary with Council.

\*Ministry Minutes: Pastor Julie provided updates on the status and interest for the upcoming youth and intergenerational trips. Lucy Hardie’s Ordination will be on Jan. 14th.

\*High School Youth: Scheduling and participation continues to be a challenge for High School Youth programming.

\*Men’s Club: Men’s Club will be hosting a fish fry on Wednesday, March 22nd beginning at 4pm. Pre-sale tickets only.

\*Nominating Committee: Positions looking to be filled include two more head ushers, two new council members, and Sugar Creek delegate.

\*Property and Grounds: Assistance is needed for winter snow and ice removal prior to services, including shoveling and salting as well as keeping salt stocked during winter months.

\*Social Ministry: The Giving Tree was a success. Birthday cards are being sent out. The committee will set up for the Annual Meeting potluck. Recent blood drive collected 54 units of blood. The next Blood Drive is May 15th.

\*New Business: Lenten Worship & Meals: Meals will be served 5:30-7pm worship will begin at 7:00pm. 2023 Budget: The proposed budget is $222,518.72. A motion was approved to present this budget to the congregation at the Annual Meeting. Constitution Updates: Brian Rude and Julie Nelson presented the updates to the Congregation on Jan. 8th, 14 people attended. Pastor Julie Vacation: Pastor Julie was scheduled to be on vacation the last week of December but due to needs of the Parish she was not able to take vacation. Glen presented a motion that was passed to allow Pastor and additional 5 days of vacation time in 2023 to replace the 2022 time that she was unable to take. Head Ushers: a motion was passed to have the head ushers place the offering in the safe and lock the building after the 2nd service.

\*Next Council Meeting will be February 9th at 6:00pm.

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The meeting adjourned at 7:33pm followed by the Lord’s Prayer.

Amanda Buros,

Council Secretary

MEDICAL LEAVE

Jamie will be on medical leave beginning Thursday February 23rd. She will be on leave until Monday, March 20th. During this time, please contact Pastor Julie if you may need anything. Cindy Manske and/or Ellie Brye will be assisting in the office as needed during Jamie’s absence. After March 20th Jamie will return to the office as she is able but will be primarily working from home. Thank you for allowing her to recover in this time!

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BLOOD DRIVE

Our next scheduled Blood Drive is on Monday, May 15th from 1:00-6:00pm. You may schedule an appointment by visiting <redcrossblood.org> or by contacting Mike Lusk. If you are able to volunteer at the blood drive let Mike know.



DON’T FORGET TO TURN YOUR CLOCKS AHEAD ONE HOUR ON SATURDAY NIGHT, MARCH 11th

 NOTE: CEMETERY COMMITTEE REQUESTS WINTER DECORATIONS

REMOVED BY MARCH 31st

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At the February meeting of our Congregational Council, the Council voted to no longer require servers to wear gloves and/or masks when serving Holy Communion. Gloves and masks may be worn at the server’s discretion. This will take effect March 1. As always, if for any reason worshippers would prefer to be served in their pew, Pastor Julie and servers will be very glad to come to them. The Choir area and Library continue to be welcoming areas for those who may require additional precautions or social distancing. Thank you so much for your flexibility throughout this pandemic time.

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WELCOME, COUNCIL MEMBERS!

At the Annual meeting of our congregation, Paul Bahr and Mark Hutson were elected to serve as members of our Council. We give thanks to God for the ministry Paul and Mark will share with our congregation and council members who are continuing their terms: Janice Bender, Amanda Buros, Glen Hoff, Deb Holen, Mike Lusk, Ron Moilien, and Steve Pauloski.

Following the January 29 Annual meeting, the following people were elected as Officers: Glen Hoff, President; Steve Pauloski, Vice President, and Amanda Buros; Secretary.

Thank you, Council members, for your faithful service!

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are seeking volunteers who are able to help livestream our worship service on Sunday mornings. You do not need any special skills to volunteer. We just need someone to point the camera in the right direction 😊 You will be trained how to use the new camera system (it is very easy.) If you are able, please contact Pastor Julie or Jamie.

MEN’S CLUB FISH FRY FUNDRAISER

On Wednesday March 22nd from 4:00-6:00pm the Men’s Club will be holding a fish fry! The menu includes: 2 pieces of cod, baked potato and cole slaw. Tickets will be presale only, they will not accept walk ins. To purchase a ticket, contact the office. The cost of a ticket is $12.00. All proceeds will support Coon Valley Lutheran Church!

[](http://store.augsburgfortress.org/store/product/14756/Take-Up-Your-Cross-Lenten-Offering-Envelope-Quantity-per-package-100)A LENTEN GIFT ENVELOPE was provided in the February Newsletter. We invite you to give a special Lenten Offering which will go to our own local food pantry and store, the **Bethel Butikk.** You may place your envelope in the offering plate or mail to the church. If you receive your newsletter via email, there are envelopes available in the narthex or you may simply bring or mail a check to the church. Please make out your check to CVLC with Bethel Butikk in the memo line.



WELCOME TO THE LORD’S TABLE!

Our Fifth-Grade students and parents met with Pastor Julie on Sunday, February 12 for “Fed and Forgiven”—a First Communion class! The students will be welcome to receive their First Communion at our April 6 Maundy Thursday/Good Friday service or anytime thereafter. Please congratulate these students and remember them in your prayers as they continue to grow in faith, service and love: *Adrianna Briggson, Kayla Coaty, Emma Herman, Jaxson Johnson, Raya Klum, Tyler Marsh, Jaxson Nelson, Riley Strangstalien, Alexis White, and Dylan Wiedemann.*

8th GRADE AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

**On Sunday, April 30**, our 8th Grade Students will affirm their Baptisms in the Rite of Confirmation. This service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Please join us in presence and prayer as we support and celebrate our Confirmands as they make affirmation of their Baptism. Our 8th Grade Confirmands are:

*Maddux Fencl*

*Malana Kinstler*

*Landon Lee*

*Betsy Lieurance*

*Griffin Nelson*

*Addison Proksch*

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Please note that our Summer Worship Schedule begins Sunday, **May 21**! We will worship at **9:00 a.m.** We will also be blessing our **High School Seniors** in worship May 21!

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE BLESSING

On **Sunday, May 21**, we will have an opportunity to recognize and bless our High School Seniors in worship! We will have one worship service this day at 9:00am. The office will be contacting the families and seniors about this service soon!

[](http://www.souperbowl.org/multimedia/logo/soupPot.jpg)SOUPER BOWL OF CARING

On Sunday February 12 we participated in the Souper Bowl of Caring. Our church raised $674 that was sent to ELCA World Hunger! Thank you to all those who donated!



EASTER FLOWERS

Easter is often a time of remembrance. If you would like to purchase Easter flowers in someone’s memory to be on display during our Easter Service, you may place an order with Chance’s Are here in Coon Valley. Call them at 452-3112. Please place your order by **Monday April 3rd**. You may order lilies, mums or a variety of other flowers for around $16-$18. On Easter Sunday each name will be printed in the bulletin. Deadline for bulletin submission is April 5.

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Below is a list of the many funds you may wish to give to.

**GENERAL FUND**- Church operating expenses.

**BUILDING FUND** -Building and grounds projects, currently includes the Parking Lot Fund.

**MEMORIAL FUND**-Used for the life and ministry of the church as determined by Council.

**SHEPHERD FUND**-Funds for church & community members in need.

**CEMETERY**-Maintenance of the grounds.

**WELCA**-Woman of the ELCA includes Quilting and Kitchen funds.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**-Teaching materials

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY**-Supplies for the making of prayer shawls and prayer squares.

**YOUTH FUND**-Funds to pay for Mission Trips

**ENDOWMENT**-Only interest income may be used for community outreach, missions of ELCA, Capital Improvements.

**RUDIE BIBLE FUND**-Supply Bibles to youth.

BULLETIN SPONSORS

Sponsoring a Sunday bulletin is a great way to honor a loved one’s birthday, anniversary or to remember someone who has passed. In 2023 the cost of sponsoring the bulletin will be $40. Please sign up on the sheet in the narthex or call the office.

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Description automatically generatedSUBSCRIBE TO OUR NEWSLETTER

Would you like to receive our newsletter via email? This saves the church the cost of office supplies and postage. If you would like to subscribe visit our website at [www.coonvalleylutheranchurch.org](http://www.coonvalleylutheranchurch.org) scroll to the bottom of the page and enter your full name and email. That’s it! Thank you!

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**Here’s how:**

**Facebook:** Services are live streamed, recorded and available Sunday mornings on the CVLC Facebook page.

**Our Website:** [www.coonvalleylutheranchurch](http://www.coonvalleylutheranchurch).org

**Vernon Communications Channel 15:** With many thanks to our partners at Vernon Communications, this is currently when our Sunday Worship services air on Channel 15.

Mondays: 3:30 a.m.

Tuesdays: 12:30 a.m. and 10:30 p.m.

Wednesdays: 8:30 p.m.

Thursdays: 6:30 p.m.

Fridays: 4:30 p.m.

Saturdays: 2:30 p.m.

Sundays: 5:30 a.m.

KEY POLICY

If your circle or committee would like to meet at the church outside of the church office hours, please contact the office to obtain a key. Thank you!

MAKE SUGAR CREEK BIBLE CAMP your DESTINATION for SUMMER FUN and FRIENDSHIP!

Sugar Creek Bible Camp, located near Ferryville, WI, offers 16 unique summer adventures for students, Grades K-12, Families of all shapes and sizes and summer employment opportunities! Visit: [www.sugarcreekbiblecamp.org](http://www.sugarcreekbiblecamp.org) or see Pastor Julie or Jamie for a Sugar Creek Bible Camp catalog! Let Pastor Julie know if you are attending Bible Camp this Summer! Confidential Scholarships are available.

If you would like to work in the beautiful Sugar Creek valley, contact the camp for more information.



WELCA NEWS

Our meeting on Thurs., Feb. 16, began by singing the Table Prayer and Happy Birthday to each other followed by enjoying coffee and coffeecake prepared and served by Suzy Dickman and Sandy Onshus. (Paying hostesses for the day: Heidi Larson, Kristine Amundson, Melissa Cottrell, Casey Vale, Rachel Cornell.)

February is traditionally Birthday Month but, this year, we decided to focus on heart health since it is Heart Month. Ellie opened the program with devotions centered around a healthy heart. Jessica Boland from Gundersen Health System talked to us about how to keep our hearts healthy and gave us handouts on exercises we can do and tips on how to maintain a healthy heart.

Our business meeting followed: Since we didn’t meet in January to go over the year book, it was decided to have it printed in advance of our February meeting since Jamie would have short notice before going on medical leave. As of this writing, the only correction is on page 8 – the October meeting is on the 19th – not the 21st. Many thanks to Jamie for getting this ready for our meeting. Please remember to pick one up in the entry to the church or in the dining room. And, since Jamie won’t be in the office, this letter is March/April combined. This means that the April portion will just consist of basic information.

Be sure to support our Pancake Breakfast on Sun., Mar. 5 and plan to attend the Lenten Suppers. All dates are filled so you can plan to “eat out” each Wed. in March.

Sandy Onshus, who gets a server for each month, reported that it is getting increasingly harder to find members to serve. Please know that she appreciates everyone who said “yes” when called and understands that because of age, health, work commitments and other issues it isn’t always feasible to serve. If, however, you have never been asked or it’s been a long time since you last served and you would like to participate, please give Sandy a call – coffee and one item are all that is needed.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sun., Mar. 5 – 8am-noon – Pancake Breakfast

Thurs., Mar. 16 – 10am – WELCA – Ruth Circle presents program. Paula Pratt and Seth Voeltner

from Door of Hope in Viroqua will be here to tell us about their mission. Server: Judy Koula. Paying Hostesses: Corrine Appleman, Maria Hellwig, Jill Hengel, Stephanie Lee, Mary Jo Griffin.

LOOKING AHEAD

Sun., April 9 – Easter

Thurs., Apr. 20 – 10am – WELCA. Program TBA.

Server: Carolyn Anderson. Paying Hostesses: Kelly Role, Cheryl Morey, Viki Burgemeister, Sara Lieurance, Ann Gibbons.

LENTEN SUPPERS

Wed., Mar. 1 – 5:30pm – Mens Club

Wed., Mar. 8 – 5:30 pm – Church Council

Wed., Mar. 15 – 5:30pm – Naomi Circle

Wed., Mar. 22 – 4:00 pm – Mens Club

Wed., Mar. 29 – 5:30 pm – Rebecca Circle

SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE

Mar. 5 – Pancake Breakfast

Mar. 12 – Mary Bena, Amy Bena, Sue Dwyer

Mar. 19 – Nancy King, Deb Holen

Mar. 26 – High School Youth

Apr. 2 – Jane Simmons, Laurie Holte

Apr. 9 – Easter Sunday - No Coffee

Apr. 16 – Rachel Strangstalien,

Betty Jorgenson

Apr. 23 – Judy Koula, Sandra Onshus

Apr. 30 – Confirmation – No Coffee

God Bless, Ellie Brye, President

**Thank You**

to Jean Gronvold and Pam Olson for making the fleece quilts for the seniors and to Mary Schultz for getting the fleece and to Jamie for typing the year book.

**ATTENDANCE & OFFERING**

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| **2022** | **January** |  | **2023 YTD** |
| **Total Offerings** | $17,613.78 |  | $17,613.78 |
| **Expenses** | $17,561.16 |  | $17,561.16 |
| **Balance/Shortfall** | **$52.62** |  | **$52.62** |
| **Parsonage Int. Fund Transfer** | $0 |  | $0 |
| **Building Fund Transfer** | $0 |  | $0 |
| **Memorial Fund**  **Transfer** | $0 |  | $0 |

**1/29 – 10a:** 69: **Offering:** $5,169.53

**2/5 – 8a:** 53; **10:30a:** 48= 101

**Offering:** $5,060.53

**2/12 – 8a:** 63; **10:30a:** 35= 98

**Offering:** $3,885.00

**\*\***Approximately **$4,280.00 a week** is needed to meet operating expenses.

**General Fund Balance:** 1/31/23: $27,397.28

**Memorial Fund Balance:**1/31/23: $47,953.92

**Building Fund Balance:** 1/31/23: $30,486.35

**CD Interest Balance:** 1/31/23: $19,789.79

**Shepherd Fund Balance:** 1/31/23: $1,321.70

**Sunday School Attendance:**

1/29-12; 2/5-11; 2/12-19

FUNERALS

Ellen Elmer

MEMORIALS

**Sue Frydenlund**

Building Fund: $50.00

ONLINE GIVING

There are several ways you may get your offerings to the church. You may simply mail it to the church office, P.O. Box 280. Or use one of our eGiving options. 1) You may go to our website and click the Donate button at the top. 2) Give through the mobile app Vanco Mobile. Please let Jamie know if you need assistance in any way with these options. Thank you for your support!

**YEAR-TO-DATE BALANCE**

PRAYER GROUP

The Prayer Group continues to pray for the church, the congregation and our extended family and friends.

**† *Our church staff***

**† *Our members*:** Corrine Appleman, Beverly Bagstad, Clifford Bakkum, Brian Berg, Jeanne Ebli, Kira Foster, Lucy Hardie, Bonnie Holey, Becky Ihle, Donna Ihle, Verlin Ihle, Todd King, Jim Knutson, Margaret Lee, Russell Lee, Aaron Leisso, Larry Lichtie, Gerri Leum, Cindy Manske, Aaron Marx, Frank Mathison, Bud Miyamoto, Monte Nelson, Romaine Nelson, Sandy Nelson, Eunice Quast, Jojo Satona, Mary Schultz, Billie Slater, LaVonne Stendahl, Joyce Temp, Jamie Thomas, Teri Tomten.

**† *Our members who are currently in health care facilities & Assisted Living*:** Tip Bagstad, Inez Beck, Rachel Berg, Evelyn Dahlen, Joanne Fletcher, Erma Graupe, Lenore Henley, Sylvester King Jr., Bob Moilien, Irene Nestingen, Cathy Ofte, Tim Ofte, Beatrice Olson (Alden), Beatrice Olson (Leonard), Arlene Townsend, Betty Sanders, Nancy Stuempges.

**† *Those who grieve:*** Family and friends of Ellen Elmer

**† *Family and friends of members***

**† *Local Military:***Austin Holen

**† *All those affected by the COVID-19 virus***

**DAILY BIBLE READINGS**

**WEEK OF MARCH 5**

**SUNDAY** Genesis 12:1-4a *The blessing of God upon Abram*

Psalm 121 *The LORD who watches over you*

Romans 4:1-5, 13-17 *The promise to those of Abraham’s faith*

John 3:1-17 *The mission of Christ: saving the world*

**MONDAY** Isaiah 65:17-25 *God promises a new creation*

**TUESDAY** Ezekiel 36:22-32 *God will renew the people*

**WEDNESDAY** John 8:1-11 *Jesus does not condemn the sinner*

**THURSDAY** Numbers 21:4-9 *Moses lifts up the serpent*

**FRIDAY** Romans 4:6-13 *Abraham saved through faith*

**SATURDAY** Psalm 128 *God promises life*

**WEEK OF MARCH 12**

**SUNDAY** Exodus 17:1-7 *Water from the rock*

Psalm 95 *The rock of our salvation*

Romans 5:1-11 *Reconciled to God by Christ’s death*

John 4:5-42 *The woman at the well*

**MONDAY** Genesis 24:1-27 *Rebekah at the well*

**TUESDAY** Genesis 29:1-14 *Rachel at the well*

**WEDNESDAY** John 7:14-31, 37-39 *Drink of Jesus, the Messiah*

**THURSDAY** Jeremiah 2:4-13 *God, the living water*

**FRIDAY** 2 John 1-13 *A woman reminded to abide in Christ*

**SATURDAY** Psalm 81 *We drink from the rock*

**WEEK OF MARCH 19**

**SUNDAY** 1 Samuel 16:1-13 *David is chosen and anointed*

Psalm 23 *My head anointed with oil*

Ephesians 5:8-14 *Live as children of light*

John 9:1-41 *The man born blind*

**MONDAY** Isaiah 59:9-19 *We are blind and await God*

**TUESDAY** Isaiah 42:14-21 *God will heal the blind*

**WEDNESDAY** Matthew 9:27-34 *Jesus heals the blind*

**THURSDAY** Isaiah 60:17-22 *God our light*

**FRIDAY** Acts 9:1-20 *Saul’s blindness*

**SATURDAY** Psalm 146:3-9 *Praise to God*

**WEEK OF MARCH 26**

**SUNDAY** Ezekiel 37:1-14 *The dry bones of Israel*

Psalm 130 *Mercy and redemption*

Romans 8:6-11 *Life in the Spirit*

John 11:1-45 *The raising of Lazarus*

**MONDAY** 1 Kings 17:17-24 *Elijah raises the widow’s son*

**TUESDAY** 2 Kings 4:18-37 *Elisha raises the Shumenite child*

**WEDNESDAY** Matthew 22:23-33 *God of the living*

**THURSDAY** Jeremiah 32:1-9, 36-41 *Jeremiah buys a field*

**FRIDAY** Ephesians 2:1-10 *Alive in Christ*

**SATURDAY** Psalm 143 *Save me from death*

**DAILY BIBLE READINGS**

**WEEK OF APRIL 2**

**SUNDAY** Matthew 21:1-11 *Jesus enters Jerusalem*

**PALM SUNDAY** Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29 *Open the gates*

Isaiah 50:4-9a *The servant submits to suffering*

Psalm 31:9-16 *I commend my spirit*

Philippians 2:5-11 *Death on a cross*

Matthew 26:14-27:66 *The passion and death of Jesus*

**MONDAY** John 12:1-11 *Mary of Bethany anoints Jesus*

**TUESDAY** John 12:20-36 *Jesus speaks of his death*

**WEDNESDAY** John 13:21-32 *Jesus foretells his betrayal*

**MAUNDY THURSDAY**

Exodus 12:1-4 [5-10] 11-14 *The Passover of the LORD*

Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19 *The cup of salvation*

1 Corinthians 11:23-26 *Proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes*

John 13:1-17, 31b-35 *The service of Christ: footwashing and meal*

**GOOD FRIDAY**

Isaiah 52:13—53:12 *The suffering servant*

Psalm 22 *Why have you forsaken me?*

Hebrews 10:16-25 *The way to God is opened*

*Or* Hebrews 4:14-16, 5:7-9 *Jesus, the merciful high priest*

John 18:1—19:42 *The passion and death of Jesus*

**HOLY SATURDAY**

Job 14:1-4 *Hope for a tree*

**WEEK OF APRIL 9**

**EASTER SUNDAY**

Acts 10:34-43 *God raised Jesus on the third day*

*Or* Jeremiah 31:1-6 *Joy at the restoration of God’s people*

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24 *On this day the LORD has acted*

Colossians 3:1-4 *Raised with Christ*

Matthew 28:1-10 *Proclaim the resurrection*

*Or* John 20:1-18 *Seeing the risen Christ*

**MONDAY** Exodus 14:10-31; 15:20-21 *Israel crosses over the Sea*

**TUESDAY** Joshua 3:1-17 *Israel crosses into the promised land*

**WEDNESDAY** Matthew 28:1-10 *Matthew’s account of the resurrection*

**THURSDAY** Song of Solomon 2:3-15 *The song of lovers in the garden*

**FRIDAY** Colossians 3:1-17 *The new life in Christ*

**SATURDAY** Exodus 15:1-18 *The song of the sea*

**WEEK OF APRIL 16**

**SUNDAY** Acts 2:14a, 22-32 *God fulfills the promise to David*

Psalm 16 *Fullness of joy*

1 Peter 1:3-9 *New birth to a living hope*

John 20:19-31 *Beholding the wounds of the risen Christ*

**MONDAY** Jonah 1:1-17 *Jonah saved from the sea*

**TUESDAY** Jonah 2:1-10 *Jonah’s praise for deliverance*

**WEDNESDAY** Matthew 12:38-42 *Jesus speaks of the sign of Jonah*

**THURSDAY** Judges 6:36-40 *Gideon and the sign of the fleece*

**FRIDAY** 1 Corinthians 15:12-28 *Paul teaches the resurrection*

**SATURDAY** Psalm 114 *God saves through water*

**WEEK OF APRIL 23**

**SUNDAY** Acts 2:14a, 36-41 *Receiving God’s promise through baptism*

Psalm 116:1-4, 12-19 *I will call upon God*

1 Peter 1:17-23 *Born anew*

Luke 24:13-35 *Eating with the risen Christ*

**MONDAY** Genesis 18:1-14 *Abraham and Sarah eat with God*

**TUESDAY** Exodus 24:1-11 *Moses and the elders eat with God*

**WEDNESDAY** John 21:1-14 *Jesus eats with the disciples*

**THURSDAY** Proverbs 8:32—9:6 *Wisdom serves a meal*

**FRIDAY** 1 Peter 1:8-16 *A holy life*

**SATURDAY** Psalm 134 *Praise to God*

**WEEK OF APRIL 30**

**SUNDAY** Acts 2:42-47 *The believers’ common life*

Psalm 23 *The LORD is my shepherd*

1 Peter 2:19-25 *Follow the shepherd, even in suffering*

John 10:1-10 *Christ, the shepherd*

**MONDAY** Ezekiel 34:1-16 *God, the true shepherd*

**TUESDAY** Ezekiel 34:23-31 *God will provide perfect pasture*

**WEDNESDAY** Matthew 20:17-28 *Jesus came to serve*

**THURSDAY** Jeremiah 23:1-8 *God will gather the flock*

**FRIDAY** 1 Peter 2:9-17 *Live as God’s people*

**SATURDAY** Psalm 23 *God, our shepherd*

**Moving? New contact information? Please update the church office.**

**Thank you!**

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P.O. Box 280

Thank you!

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Church Council President: Glen Hoff

Vice President: Steve Pauloski; Secretary: Amanda Buros

Paul Bahr, Janice Bender, Debbie Holen, Mark Hutson, Mike Lusk, Ron Moilien

**Worship Schedule**

**8:00am & 10:30am (see the calendar for change in service times)**

**Sunday School**

**9:00am**

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| **March 2023** | | | | | | | |
| **Sunday** | **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** | **Saturday** |
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| **5 8:00 & 10:30a-**Worship with Holy Communion; Pr. Dione Stepanek preaching  **9:00a-**Sunday School, Coffee Fellowship, Bible Study  **8:00-Noon-**Pancake Breakfast | **6**  **Pr. Julie’s Sabbath** | **7 9:00a-**Naomi Circle  **10:00a-**Ruth Circle  **11:00**-Pastor’s Text Study | **8**  **9:00a-**Quilting  **4:00p-**Confirmation  **5:30-7:00-**Lenten Supper-Church Council  **7:00p-**LentenWorship | **9**  **6:00p** – Church Council | **10** | **11 Reminder: Turn clocks ahead 1 hour**  Icon  Description automatically generated |
| **12**  **8:00 & 10:30a -**Worship with Holy Communion  **9:00a-**Sunday School, Coffee Fellowship, Bible Study | **13**  **Pr. Julie’s Sabbath** | **14**  **9:00a-3:00p-**Spring Theological Conf.-Tomah  **5:00p**-Worship Committee | **15**  **4:00p-**Confirmation  **5:30-7:00p-**Lenten Supper-Naomi Circle  **7:00p-**LentenWorship | **16**  **10:00a-**WELCA | **17**  Pr. Julie’s Sabbath | **18** |
| **19**  **8:00 & 10:30a -**Worship  **9:00a-**Sunday School, Coffee Fellowship, Bible Study  **9:00a-**First Communion Class #2 | **20**  **Pr. Julie’s Sabbath** | **21**  **11:00**-Pastor’s Text Study | **22**  **4:00p-**Confirmation  **5:00p-**8th Gr. Confirmation rehearsal  **4:00-6:30p-**Men’s Club Fish Fry  **7:00p-** Lenten Worship | **23** | **24** | **25** |
| **26**  **8:00 & 10:30a-**Worship  **9:00a-**Sunday School, Coffee Fellowship, Bible Study | **27**  **Pr. Julie’s Sabbath** | **28**  **11:00**-Pastor’s Text Study | **29**  **9:00a-**Quilting  **5:30-7:00-**Lenten Supper**-**Rebecca Circle  **7:00p-** Lenten Worship | **30** | **31** | **Office Hours**  **Tuesday-9:00a-1:00p**  **Thursday**  **10:00a-1:00p** |

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| April 2023 | | | | | | |
| **Sunday** | **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** | **Saturday** |
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| **2**  **8:00 & 10:30a -Palm Sunday** Worship with Holy Communion  **9:00a-**Sunday School, Coffee Fellowship, Bible Study How to Teach Kids about Palm Sunday - Kids Enjoying Jesus | **3**  **Last day to order Easter flowers**  Pr. Julie’s Sabbath | **4**  **9:00a-**Naomi Circle  **10:00a-**Ruth Circle  **11:00**-Pastor’s Text Study | **5**  **No Worship** | **6**  **7:00p-**Maundy Thurs/Good Friday Service with Holy Communion | **7**  **Good Friday** | **8**  **9:45a-**Sugar Creek Easter Egg Hunt and Brunch |
| **9**  **EASTER**  Free Spiritual Easter Cliparts, Download Free Clip Art, Free Clip Art on  Clipart Library**8:00 & 10:30a -**Worship with Holy Communion  **No Sunday School**  **No Bible Study** | **10**  Pr. Julie’s Sabbath | **11**  **9:00**-So. Conf. Pastor’s | **12**  **9:00a-**Quilting | **13**  **6:00p-**Church Council  **Carillon Deadline** | **14** | **15** |
| **16**  **9:00a-**Worship  **10:00a-**Pr. Julie @ Middle C.V | **17**  Pr. Julie’s Sabbath | **18**  **11:00**-Pastor’s Text Study | **19** | **20**  **10:00a-**WELCA  **10:00a-**Pr. Julie Worship @ Norseland | **21** | **22** |
| **23**  **8:00a & 10:30a-**Worship  **9:00a-**Sunday School, Coffee Fellowship, Bible Study | **24**  Pr. Julie’s Sabbath | **25**  **11:00**-Pastor’s Text Study | **26**  **9:00a-**Quilting | **27** | **28** | **29** |
| **30**  **8:00a & 10:30a-**Worship; **10:30**-**Confirmation** with Holy Communion  **9:00a-**Sunday School, Coffee Fellowship, Bible Study | Shape  Description automatically generated with medium confidence |  |  | Free Free Tulip Cliparts, Download Free Free Tulip Cliparts png images,  Free ClipArts on Clipart Library |  |  |