

Prayer Page

Thanksgiving

- Noreen (infant daughter of Caleb & Mandy Pfeil) - born 2/24
- Ray McGraw - recovering after surgery

Entrusting into God's Care

- Persecuted Christians and refugees
- Peace in Europe and throughout the world
- Project 24 students, Yvonne and Lorine

Healing

- Ken Cook - hospitalization
- Marvie Foreman - recovering after surgery
- Patrick McCarley - recovering after surgery
- Harold Schoen - recovering after surgery
- Luci Stoelting - recovering after hospitalization
- Aaron Moffett - recovering after eye surgery
- Ron Prescott - health issues
- Betty Happel - recovering after surgery
- Kris Dunn - recovering after surgery
- Kevin Hansen - recovering at home after hospitalization
- Kim Neuhaus - recovering after surgery
- Lora Raymon - recovering after surgery
- Carolyn Johnson - recovering after surgery
- Cindy Broadwater - recovering after hospitalization
- Kelly Johnson - healing
- Philip Hackbardt - recovering after surgery
- Ethel Doebrmann - immunotherapy treatment
- Deb Heitland - health issues

Homebound

- Nadine Wax - Hallmar

Mourning, friends and family of

- Ruth (aunt of Karl Hoech) - died 2/25
- Rodney Smith (relative of Betty Happel) - died 2/23
- Jim (relative of Brit Stepanek) - died 2/20
- Luke (nephew of Sheryl Knutson) - died 2/15

Serving Our Country

- Ben (son of Kroemers) - IA National Guard
- Devin (friend of Kroemers) - IA Army National Guard
- Mitchell & Benjamin (relatives of Schoens & Smiths) - US Navy
- Harrison (son of Siecks) - US Army, stationed in TX
- Jordan (grandson of Kim Neuhaus) - IA National Guard

Chancel flowers today are provided by Shari Mehlhoff

Servants of Worship

Sunday, March 3

Elder	Mark Elias
Usher (8:30)	Mike & Dawn Thomas, Mike Goerdt
Usher (11)	Dave Johnson, Darrell Chiavetta
Greeter (8:30)	Rick & Marvelene Foreman
Greeter (11)	Dick & Karen Hass
Lector (8:30)	Pete Larson
Lector (11)	Karen Swanson
Video (8:30)	Mitch Myers
Video (11)	Charles Clark
Sound (8:30)	Nicholas Williams
Sound (11)	Aaron Moffett
Acolyte (8:30)	Sasha Knutson
Acolyte (11)	Carolina Rinderknect
Nursery (11)	Amy Smith & Susan Schoen
Coffee	Mission Trip Youth

Sunday, March 10

Mark Holt
Wade Ramsey
Dick & Karen Hass
Darrell & Naomi Chiavetta
Joseph & Anne Railsback
Nicholas Williams
Lori Dohrmann
Jeff Gebert
Doug Knutson
Phil Hedtke
Wynne Kroemer
Ella Potter
Erin & Natalie Heller
Knutsons

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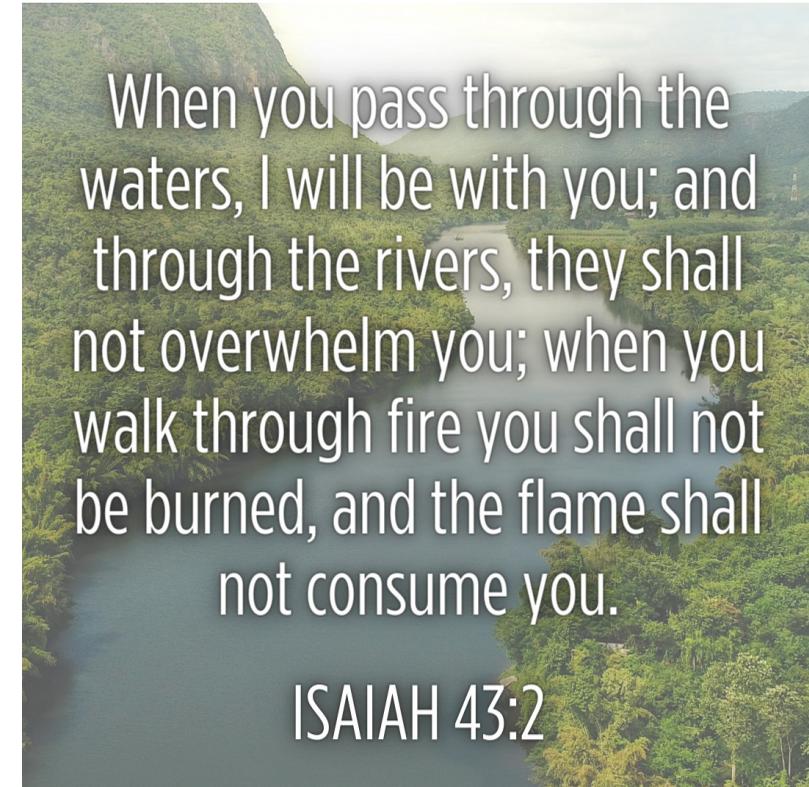
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When you pass through the
waters, I will be with you; and
through the rivers, they shall
not overwhelm you; when you
walk through fire you shall not
be burned, and the flame shall
not consume you.

ISAIAH 43:2

March 3, 2024
The Third Sunday in Lent
8:30 a.m. Service

Living and Sharing God's Love

Order of Service

Divine Service III

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn of Invocation LSB #823

May God Bestow on Us His Grace

Invocation, Confession & Absolution LSB pg. 184

Introit Psalm 69

Kyrie LSB pg. 186

Salutation and Collect of the Day LSB pg. 189

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 43:1-3a

Gradual Bethany Handbells

"The King Of Love My Shepherd Is"

Epistle Reading I Corinthians 1:18-31

Holy Gospel John 2:13-22

Nicene Creed LSB pg. 191

Hymn of the Day LSB #728

How Firm a Foundation

Sermon

Prayer of the Church, Preface, Sanctus LSB pg. 194

Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Pax Domini, Agnus Dei LSB pg. 197

Distribution

"The Old Rugged Cross" Bethany Handbells

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross LSB #425

We Sing the Praise of Him Who Died LSB #429

Nunc Dimittis, Thanksgiving LSB pg. 199

Salutation, Benedicamus & Benediction LSB pg. 201

Closing Hymn LSB #645

Built on the Rock

Notes and Announcements

We are purchasing **new ESV Bibles and additional LSB hymnals** for the Bethany sanctuary. Bethany members may donate Bibles and hymnals in honor or in memory of loved ones. If you would like to purchase Bibles or hymnals, please sign up at the Welcome Center. Bibles are \$12 each and hymnals are \$30 each. Payments may be made online at bethanycr.org/giving or by using a special giving envelope from the Welcome Center.

Beautify the sanctuary with Easter flowers! Tulips and daffodils are available to purchase in honor or memory of loved ones. Please sign up at the Welcome Center to order flowers. Plants cost \$14 each and checks may be made to Bethany LWML.

Men's Bible study group will meet for breakfast fellowship this Wednesday, March 6 at 6:00 a.m. at Lucky's on 16th.

Midweek Lenten services are held on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. Join us before services for fellowship meals at 6:00 p.m. This Wednesday's dinner will be served by the elders.

Bethany youth will serve **breakfast on Easter morning**, March 31 at 9:45-10:45 a.m. A freewill offering will be collected to fund their mission trip to Denver. Youth will be asking the congregation to donate food items for the breakfast.

Fathers and father-figures: bring your children and join us for **Pancakes and Proverbs** this Saturday, March 9 at 8:00 a.m.!

The March donation items of the month for Bethany Lutheran Food Pantry are **tissues, toilet paper, and paper towels**.

In 2024 we are **reading through selected Bible passages** together as a congregation. This Lent we will read "The Life of Jesus" to go through the Gospels chronologically. This 45-day reading plan is used by permission from CPH from *The Lutheran Reader's Bible*. Pick up a "Life of Jesus" reading plan from the Welcome Center!

Holy Week and Easter Services

Maundy Thursday (with communion) - March 28 at 7:00 p.m.

Good Friday - March 29 at 7:00 p.m.

Easter Sunrise - March 31 at 6:30 a.m.

Easter Traditional - March 31 at 8:30 a.m.

Easter Contemporary - March 31 at 11:00 a.m.

Our Calendar This Week

Today
8:30 am Divine Service (Traditional) w/ Comm
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Divine Service (Contemporary) w/ Comm
1:00 pm Food Pantry Open

Monday
6:30 am Coffee & Cocoa Outreach
10:00 am Women's Group
6:00 pm Stewardship Meeting
6:00 pm Trustees Meeting
7:00 pm Bible Study

Tuesday
8:00 am Prayer in the Square
9:00 am Walking for Exercise
5:00 pm LWML Board Meeting
6:00 pm Evangelism Meeting
6:30 pm Handbells Practice

Wednesday
6:00 am Men's Bible Study - at Lucky's on 16th
6:00 pm Lenten Meal
6:00 pm Human Care Meeting
6:15 pm Confirmation Class
6:15 pm High School Youth
7:00 pm Lenten Service

Thursday
9:00 am Adult Bible Study
9:00 am Walking for Exercise

Saturday
8:00 am Pancakes and Proverbs
9:00 am Holy Yoga

Next Sunday
8:30 am Divine Service (Traditional)
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Divine Service (Contemporary)
1:00 pm Food Pantry Open
2:00 pm LWML General Meeting

Church Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Stewardship Note: John 2:16 – "And he told those who sold the pigeons, 'Take these things away; do not make my Father's house a house of trade.'" The Lord's house is not a place to sell, but a place to receive and a place to give. It's not a place for our schemes and plans. Instead, the church is a place for the Lord's gracious giving and our faithful sacrifices in response.