



Volunteers Needed: We are looking for people to help with cleaning the church from April 1-8. There is a sign-up sheet on the window of the office.



Maundy Thursday, April 2

Grace Service—5:30 pm

First Service—7:00 pm

Good Friday, April 3

Service @ Grace Only—6:00 pm

Easter Vigil, April 4

First Service—7:00 pm

Why we sing *All Glory, Laud, and Honor* as we recreate the triumphal entry is because this hymn echoes the ancient songs of praise that greeted Jesus as he entered Jerusalem. The text was written around 820 by Theodulf of Orléans while he was imprisoned in Angers, France, after falling out of favor with Louis the Pious. Originally composed in Latin as *Gloria, laus et honor*, the hymn became closely associated with Palm Sunday processions in the medieval church, when clergy and worshipers would reenact the story by processing with palms while children’s choirs sang the refrain. Translated into English in the nineteenth century by John Mason Neale, the hymn continues to carry the joyful proclamation of that first Palm Sunday. As we sing it today, we join the crowd that welcomed Christ with hosannas, praising the humble king who comes not with earthly power but with a peace that will soon be revealed through the cross.

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March 29, 2026 – The Crucified Messiah (Passion Sunday) (* = please stand)

GATHERING

ACCLAMATION

CHILDREN’S PROCESSION

*PROCESSION HYMN

ELW 344, “All Glory, Laud and Honor” (vs. 1 & 2)

*PROCESSIONAL GOSPEL: John 12:12-27 (Red Bible p. 875)

*BLESSING OF THE PALMS

* PROCESSION HYMN

ELW 344, “All Glory, Laud and Honor” (vs. 3, 4 & 5)

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST READING: Isaiah 50:4-9a (Red Bible p. 594)

PSALM 24 (Red Bible p. 436)

SECOND READING: Hebrews 13:1-16 (Red Bible p. 979)

NOISY OFFERING

CHILDREN’S SERMON

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (p. 142)

“Return to the Lord”

*GOSPEL: John 19:16b-22 (Red Bible p. 881-882)

SERMON (Artwork by Patrick Boe)

Pastor Jeanette

*HYMN OF THE DAY

ELW 416, “At the Name of Jesus”

*NICENE CREED

*PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

*PEACE

OFFERING & CGC MOMENT

OFFERING SONG

ELW 186, “Create in Me a Clean Heart”

OFFERING PRAYER

*LORD’S PRAYER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*BLESSING (p. 146)

*SENDING SONG

ELW 347, “Go to Dark Gethsemane” (vs. 1 & 2)

*DISMISSAL (p. 146)

SUNDAY SERVANTS

ASSISTING MINISTER/LECTOR: Matt Russell
ACOLYTE: Parker Kleve
SOUND: Ethan Nixon
POWERPOINT: Ryan McGaughey
PIANIST: Cindy Anderson
VAN DRIVERS: 3-29 Larry Woodbury (360-2689)
4-5 Matt Russell (360-5835)
GREETER: John & Nora Leinen
LIVESTREAM: Erin Makela
COFFEE: Brenda Hurlbut, Diana White & Kathy Craun

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance

Attendance Last Sunday: 53 Attendance a year ago: 53
Attendance Last Wednesday: 40 Livestream: 445



Members: Laura Christensen, Bob Benson, Linda Towne, Mike Vosburgh, Logan Waldner, Shirley Frisch, Erin Schutte-Wadzinski, Wadzinski Family, Leroy Merkel, Alvin Kuehl, Jean Black, Dennis Zierke, Kathy Summers, Glenda Lais, Val Veen, Zach Kempema, Gayle Huehn, JoAnn Kruse, Charlene Wachter, Marilyn Frisch, Julie & Denny Christensen

Members in Nursing Homes: Joan Tofteland

Members in Care Facilities: Karen Lewis, Jean Bender

Family Members & Friends: David King (friend of Kevin & Pam Fleming), Verna Hill, (mother of Mary Ingenthron), Avrey Smith (brother of Austin Peters-Smith), Diane (DeWitt) Duitsman, Tiah Colacci (friend of Pastor Jeanette), Aaron & Amy Koob (nephew of Dale & Debbie Koob), Rita Knutson, Wendy Frodermann (family of Eric & Lisa Milbrath), Rachael Felske (granddaughter of Karen Buchman), Darlene Voxland (Aunt of Lisa Waldner), Suzy Wilson (cousin of Gayle Huehn), Ken Nunes (brother of Pat Elsing and Nancy Hellstrom), Vickie Bierman (sister of Lisa Waldner), Darlene Vaala (grandmother of Tiffany Neugebauer), Debbie Schannaw (daughter of Gayle Huehn), Rick Nunes (brother of Pat Elsing & Nancy Hellstrom), Kelly Reeves & family (Friend of Lisa Waldner), Maghan Fleming (Daughter-in-law of Kevin & Pam Fleming, Mark Richards, Joe Christensen (son of Nora Leinen & Gene Christensen), Butch Zeiner (Valerie Veen's brother), Josh Hansen (Mary Ingenthron's son)

Our service men and women and Love INC

FELC SCHEDULE FOR March 30-April 5, 2026

Monday - 30	9:00AM 2:00-3:30PM	BULLETIN DEADLINE GriefShare
Tuesday - 31	7:00AM 1:30PM	Early Risers Bible Study Meadow's Holy Week Service
Wednesday - 1	6:30PM 6:30PM	Property Team Sanctuary Choir
Thursday - 2	7:00PM	Maundy Thursday Service
Friday - 3		<u>OFFICE CLOSED</u> Pastor's Sabbath Day 6:00PM Good Friday Service @ Grace Lutheran
Saturday - 4	7:00PM	Easter Vigil
Sunday - 5	8:00AM 9:30AM	Grace Lutheran Worship Worship/Communion - Jesus' Resurrection (Easter Sunday)

Radio Broadcast Sponsor:

(Service time is 8:00 am on the radio 104.3 FM.)



Easter Sunday Services

8:00 am—Worship @ Grace Lutheran
9:30 am – Worship @ First Lutheran



GriefShare is meeting on Monday afternoons from 2:00 – 3:30 pm in the lounge from now – May 18. Everyone is welcome to join this group at any time. All conversations during this group stay within the group.



The office will be closed on Friday, April 3 and Monday, April 6 for the Easter Holiday.

SAVE THE DATES – 150th Anniversary Celebration of First Lutheran Church will be on Saturday, June 27 & Sunday, June 28. More information to come soon.