

Silent Auction begins today! We have lots of great items/baskets donated and items are still trickling in. The silent auction runs from today until Sunday, April 6 at 11:00 am. Bid in person or check it out online. The link can be found on the church's website (in the announcements on the homepage) for you to see all of the items. Let Brenda know if you have any questions. All proceeds go towards youth summer trips. Thanks for your support!

Free Ice Skating at JBS Ice Arena – Sunday, March 23 from 2:00-4:00pm, ages 2 to High School, bring a friend and bring a snack to share.

LENTEN SUPPERS @ FIRST

March 12—Youth (Walking Taco's)

March 19—Finance (Pizza)

March 26—Worship & Music Team (Ham & Turkey Sandwiches)

April 2—Evangelism Team (Tater Tot Hotdish)

April 9—Church Council (BBQ's)

The meal will be served from 5:15 to 5:45 pm.

Thursday Lenten Luncheons for 2025

March 13– American Lutheran—Rev. John Mitchem (First Methodist)

March 20 – First United Methodist—Rev. Galen Smith (Westminster)

March 27 - First Lutheran—Rev. Jeremy Hallquist (American Lutheran)

April 3 – Westminster Presbyterian—Rev. Jeanette McCormick (First Lutheran)

Services will begin at 12:00 pm and end at 12:30 pm. A meal will be served following the service. Each service will feature a different pastor. These services are ecumenical in nature. Please join us and invite a friend!

Beverages and Bibles will be held on Tuesday, March 25 at 6:00 pm at the Elks.

Streaming Services – links to live stream the services

YouTube: [First Lutheran Church Worthington, MN - YouTube](#)

Facebook

www.facebook.com/people/First-Lutheran-Church-of-Worthington/61573565060039/



Do you need gas or groceries? We have Hy-Vee and Fareway gift cards you can purchase **HERE** and by doing so you are supporting the church. The more we sell, the more we can deposit into the general fund. These cards make great gifts. Gift Cards will be available in the office during office hours and during coffee hour on Communion Sundays. Thank You!

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March 9, 2025 – Good Samaritan

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME

OPENING SONG

“For Everyone Born”

OPENING PRAYER

PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP

PSALM SONG

“If You Love Me”

LESSON: Romans 13: 8-14 (p. 923)

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Lisa Waldner

GOSPEL: Luke 10:25-42 (p. 844-845)

MESSAGE

Pastor Jeanette

SONG

ELW 725, “When the Poor Ones”

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

OFFERING/SPECIAL MUSIC

“Spirit of Jesus, If I Love My Neighbor”

OFFERING PRAYER

PRAYERS

LORD’S PRAYER

BLESSING

SENDING SONG

“What Is the World Like”

SUNDAY SERVANTS

ASSISTING MINISTER/LECTOR: Cooper Scripture
ACOLYTE: Jordan Blair
SOUND: Pat Demuth
POWERPOINT: Glenda Lais
MUSICIANS: Contemporary Worship Team
CHOIR DIRECTOR: Eric Parrish
VAN DRIVERS: 3-9 Daren Bauman (360-9275)
3-16 Matt Russell (360-5835)
GREETER: Kathy Craun
FACEBOOK LIVE: Becca McGaughey
COFFEE: Todd Hallstrom & Bob & Bonnie Bents

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance

Attendance Last Sunday: 89 Attendance a year ago: 78
Attendance Last Wednesday: 10 Livestream: 41



Members: Matthew Poppema, Erin Schutte-Wadzinski, Wadzinski Family, Ron Hallstrom, Karen Lewis, Sylvia Jacobson, 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: Doris Selberg, Dianne Sanderson

Members in Care Facilities: Pearl Aaker, Joan Doeden, Jean Bender

Family Members & Friends: Wendy Frodermann (family of Eric & Lisa Milbrath), Rachael Felske (granddaughter of Karen Buchman), Darlene Voxland (Aunt of Lisa Waldner), Gale Kurtenbauch (sister of Val Veen), 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), Stan Elsing (Merle Elsing's dad), Mark Richards, Joe Christensen (son of Nora Leinen & Gene Christensen), Butch Zeiner (Valerie Veen's brother), Josh Hansen (Mary Ingenthron's son), Tom Morgan (Sandy Randall's dad), Brad Martens (Valerie Veen's son)

Our service men and women and Love INC

FELC SCHEDULE FOR March 10-16, 2025

Monday 10	9:00AM 6:00PM	Bulletin Deadline Worship & Music Team (Committee)
Tuesday 11	7:00AM 2:00PM 6:30PM	Early Risers Bible Study GriefShare Day Care Association Meeting
Wednesday 12	3:30PM 5:15PM 6:00PM 6:45PM	Kids for Christ (KFC) Lenten Supper – Walking Taco's Lenten Worship Sanctuary Choir EVANGEL DEADLINE
Thursday 13	12:00PM	Lenten Luncheon @ American Lutheran
Friday 14		Pastor's Sabbath Day
Saturday 15		
Sunday 16	8:00AM 8:45AM 9:30AM	Grace Lutheran Worship Sunday School Worship/Communion – Lament of Jerusalem

Radio Broadcast Sponsor:

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

GriefShare is meeting on Tuesday afternoons from 2:00 – 3:30 pm in the lounge from now – May 27. Everyone is welcome to join this group at any time. All conversations during this group stay within the group.

Office Hours

Monday—Thursday: 8:00 am—12:00 pm & 1:00—4:30 pm

Friday: 8:00 am—12:00 pm

The church will be locked during the noon hour (12:00—1:00 pm) for security.