

**THANK YOU:** A sincere thank you to Jon Mackenthun of Jonny Rock's Body Shop for donating his time and talents by refinishing the partitions in the basement bathroom (between the Flames of Faith area and the music room). Our sincere appreciation for your generosity!

**PASTOR CALL COMMITTEE:** We are now ready to accept nominations for the next Assistant/ Associate Pastor to serve at First Lutheran. Members who wish to suggest names of LC-MS pastors to be considered for our call list are asked to complete a form found at the Welcome Center. Once completed, please place your nomination in an envelope which is provided and write "Pastor Call Committee" on the envelope before giving it to the office. Your nomination forms must be completed by Monday, May 22nd in order to be considered. The "Lutheran Annual" Directory which contains the names of all the pastors and congregations in the Synod is available on the Welcome Center stand for you to use to research the information or you may go to the website "locator.lcms.org" to search online. As always, please keep our call committee in your prayers as we wait for God to give us the next faithful Assistant/Associate Pastor to serve at First Lutheran.

### Measure of Our Stewardship

Budgetary Needs = Total budget divided by 52. The General Fund Receipts include Friday through Thursday receipts. These amounts are not reconciled to any bank statement at the time of this publication.

**GENERAL FUND INCOME 04/28/23 – 05/04/23**

Tuition Income: \$ 3,819  
G/F Envelope Income \$ 10,212  
Weekly Budgetary Needs \$ 25,537  
**\$-11,506**

**Attendance 04/30/23**

Sunday Worship Total: 418  
Communed: 289  
Visitors: 16  
Sunday School: 15  
Adult Bible Study: N/A

*Give, and it will be given to you. Luke 6:38*

### CONTACT US

**FIRST EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH**

925 13th St. E. Glencoe, MN | 320-864-5522  
[www.firstglencoe.org](http://www.firstglencoe.org)

Senior Pastor: Daniel Welch | 320-864-2753 or 612-214-8912 [dwelch@1stglencoe.org](mailto:dwelch@1stglencoe.org)

Business Manager: Becky Edwards  
[bedwards@1stglencoe.org](mailto:bedwards@1stglencoe.org) | 320-854-1201

Church Secretary: Robyn Field  
[office@1stglencoe.org](mailto:office@1stglencoe.org) | 320-854-1200

**FIRST EV. LUTHERAN SCHOOL**

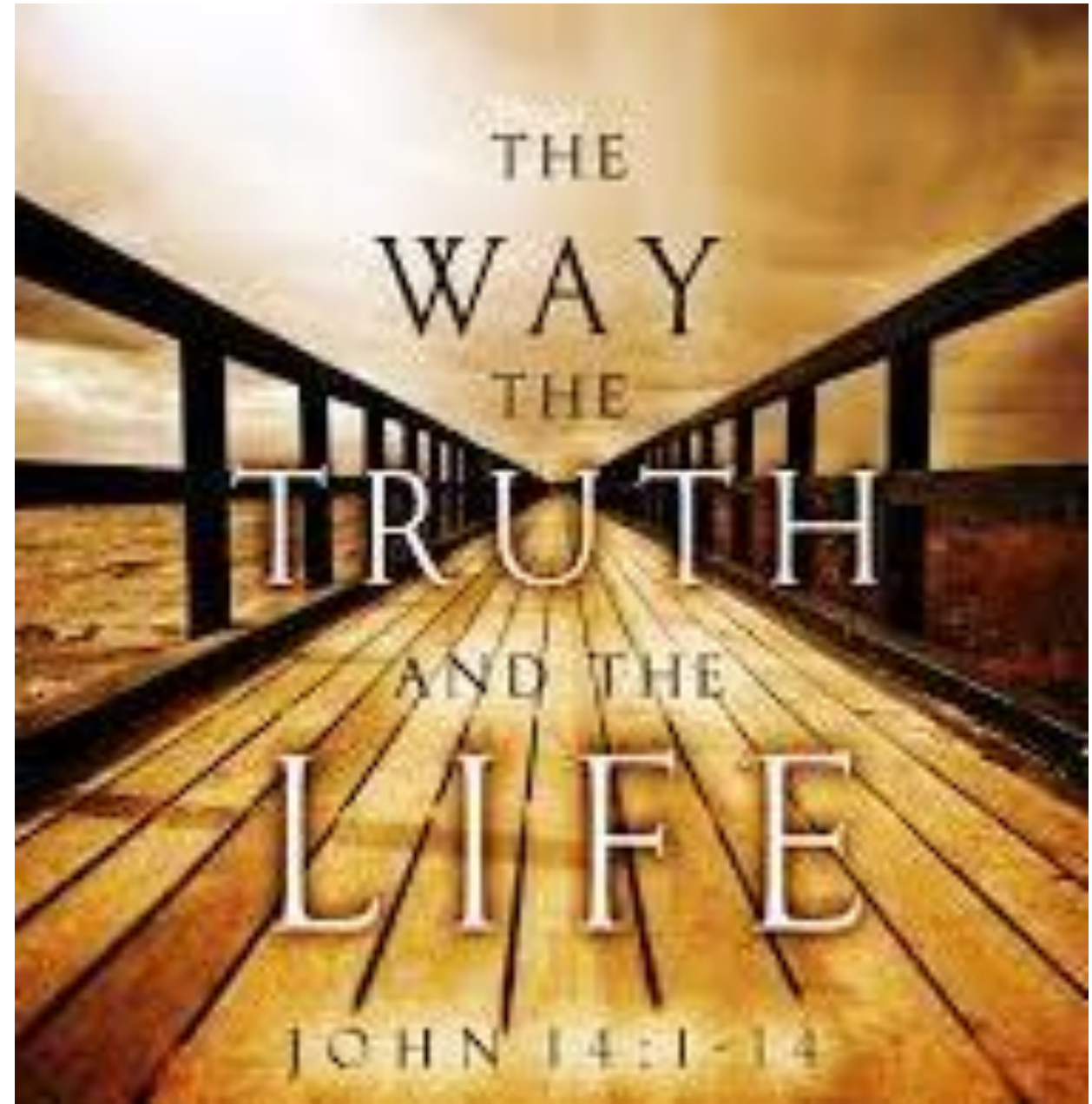
1015 E. 14th Street Glencoe, MN  
320-864-3317 | [www.firstglencoe.org](http://www.firstglencoe.org)

Principal: Mackenzie Thiesfeld | 952-913-7039  
[mthiesfeld@1stglencoe.org](mailto:mthiesfeld@1stglencoe.org)

Members and Visitors – We thank all givers for supporting our mission with your gifts. For those who choose to give electronically, in just seconds you can make a donation. e-Giving allows you to give anytime and anywhere, donate to your favorite funds, and make your gifts recurring.

Ways to e-Give:

1. Give on-line via: [www.firstglencoe.org](http://www.firstglencoe.org)
2. Vanco Mobile Faith – Download from the app store and search for First Ev. Lutheran
3. Text \$ (your \$ amount) and "Give" to 855-976-9619



SUNDAY, MAY 7, 2023

FIRST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

925 13<sup>TH</sup> STREET E. GLENCOE, MN 55336 | 320-864-5522

[WWW.FIRSTGLENCOE.ORG](http://WWW.FIRSTGLENCOE.ORG) | [OFFICE@1STGLENCOE.ORG](mailto:OFFICE@1STGLENCOE.ORG)



"Sharing Christ, Changing Lives"

## MAY 7, 2023 – FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

### AS WE GATHER

People can be obstinate, impervious even to the working of the Holy Spirit. Faithful apostles, prophets, and preachers can become martyrs because they earnestly believe in Jesus. But for us, Jesus becomes the martyr -the sacrifice-the cornerstone, so that we may be His people, basking in light, shrouded in mercy. Christ ushers us, His precious, chosen, and holy ones, into His eternal realm that we may reside in the heavenly mansion prepares by God the Father.

### ORDER OF SERVICE

**Divine Service:** Setting 1, Page 151

**ORGANIST:** Rick Grieger

#### 🎵 HYMNS

8:00 AM #912, 526, 703, [633, 739, 687], 644

10:30 AM #912, 526, 703, 644

#### BIBLE READINGS

First Lesson: Acts 6: 1-9, 7:2a, 51-60

Epistle Lesson: 1 Peter 2: 2-10

Gospel Lesson: John 14: 1-14

#### SERMON

"The Way to Find Peace"

John 14: 1-14

~ Pastor Dan Welch

#### DEACONS

8:00 AM – Dean Scheele / Lars Ide

10:30 AM – / Dan Nikolaisen

#### ACOLYTES

8:00 AM – Elizabeth Vinkemeier

10:30 AM – Isaiah Nikolaisen

**CABLE TV, CHANNEL 10:** Wednesdays 6:30 PM | Fridays 5:30 PM

### INCLUDED IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

-- Kim Oelfke, Lloyd Duenow, Roger Neubarth

--For the family of Journey Mathews the infant (pre-born) daughter of Gary and Carly Mathews who was called home to be with the Lord last week. Journey is a granddaughter of Harlan and Norma Mathews. We commend Journey into the gracious and merciful arms of our Savior, Jesus.

-- The family and friends of Evelyn Dittmer who passed away on Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup>. Funeral arrangements are pending. Blessed are those that die in the Lord!

**CHRISTIAN ED:** Please remember to email for the Baccalaureate service June 4 at 10:30 [christianedflc@gmail.com](mailto:christianedflc@gmail.com) if you are graduating HS or College.

-VBS will be **Sunday July 16-Wednesday July 19** (4 days instead of 5 this year). Sign up info for both kids and volunteers will be coming soon.

### WEEKLY EVENTS

#### SUNDAY 5.07

Divine Service w/Communion | 8:00 AM

Fellowship: Choir (Sopranos) | 9:00 AM

Bible Study & Sunday School | 9:15 AM

Divine Service w/Communion | 10:30 AM

I.M.P.A.C.T. | 6:30-8:00 PM

#### MONDAY 5.08

Altar Guild | 7:00 PM

#### TUESDAY 5.09

GlenFields | 9:30 AM

Staff Meeting | 1:00 PM

Fun & The Son | 3:00-4:30 PM

Christian Ed Board | 6:00 PM

#### WEDNESDAY 5.10

5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Bible Study | 3:30-5:00 PM

Senior Choir | 6:15 PM

Day School Board | 6:30 PM

#### THURSDAY 5.11

FLS Chapel | 8:10 AM (Ms. Lilienthal)

Chapel @ Grand Meadows | 2:00 PM

#### FRIDAY 5.12

FLS Grade 3 State Parade | 2:00 PM

#### SUNDAY 5.14 MOTHER'S DAY

Divine Service | 8:00 AM

Fellowship: Christian Ed | 9:00 AM

Bible Study & Sunday School | 9:15 AM

Divine Service w/Communion | 10:30 AM

**PART-TIME SUMMER CUSTODIAN:** First Lutheran is seeking a part-time summer custodian to help with cleaning, painting, minor repairs, and floor care at the church and school from June to late August. This is an hourly position (\$15/hour) working 20-30 hours per week. Applications may be picked up at the Church Office, email [office@1stglencoe.org](mailto:office@1stglencoe.org) or visit our web site [www.firstglencoe.org](http://www.firstglencoe.org). If you or someone you know might be interested, submit a resume or application by Wednesday, May 10<sup>th</sup>.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY:** Please join us Sunday mornings in May at 9:15 for a fascinating four-week Bible Study. In "Testify of Me" we will discover the rich multitude of God's Gospel promises in the Old Testament by seeing Jesus in the people, events, and places recorded in these Scriptures. This four-session exploration of the Old Testament will not only make it come alive, but will also strengthen your faith in Him.

**Session 1:** He Opens the Scriptures (May 7<sup>th</sup>)

**Session 2:** Abraham and Jesus: Great and Greater Still (May 14<sup>th</sup>)

**Session 3:** Abraham: A Father and His Son (May 21<sup>st</sup>)

**Session 4:** Moses and the Greater Moses (May 28<sup>th</sup>)

#### READINGS FOR THIS WEEK:

**Sunday:** Leviticus 20:1-13, 22-27, Luke 11:37-54

**Monday:** Lev. 21:1-24, Luke 12:1-12

**Tuesday:** Lev. 23:1-22, Luke 12:13-34

**Wednesday:** Lev. 23:23-44, Luke 12:35-53

**Thursday:** Lev. 24:1-23, [Lev. 25:1-55] Luke 12:54—13:17

**Friday:** Lev. 26:1-20, Luke 13:18-35

**Saturday:** Lev. 26:21-33, 39-44, [Numbers 1:1—2:34] Luke 14:1-24

**Sunday:** Numbers 3:1-16, 39-48 [Num.4:1—8:4] Luke 14:25—15:10

**ALTAR GUILD:** The Altar Guild will be meeting on Monday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM. Please plan to attend.

**CEMETERY CLEAN-UP:** Spring is in the air and preparations for spring clean-up are already underway at the FLC Cemetery. The Cemetery Board pursues the highest standards in maintenance with goals to constantly improve and preserve the appearance. With YOUR HELP, they can do just that! Loved ones are asked to make an effort to remove all items which have died, wilted, faded, or deteriorated to such a degree that they need to be removed from the grave sites/cemetery lots. Your cooperation and support is greatly appreciated!