READINGS FOR THIS WEEK:

Sunday; Exodus 1:1-22, Mark 14:12-31 **Monday**; Exodus 2:1-22, Mark 14:32-52 **Tuesday**; Exodus 2:23-3:22, Mark 14:53-72 **Wednesday**; Exodus 4:1-18, Mark 15:1-15 **Thursday**; Exodus 4:19-31, Mark 15:16-32 **Friday**; Exodus 5:1-6:1, Mark 15:33-47 **Saturday**; Exodus 7:1-25, Mark 16:1-20 **Sunday**; Exodus 8:1-32, [Psalm 118], Hebrews 1:1-14

This is the message we have heard from Him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in Him is no darkness at all. 1 John 1:5 ESV

New Member Class Starting Soon

If you or anybody you know of anyone would be interested in joining First Ev. Lutheran Church, please have them contact the church office to sign up (864-5522 or office@1stglencoe.org). We will be starting our next new member class on Monday, April 8 th at 6:30 pm. The class will run for six Monday evenings and each session will be an hour and fifteen minutes in length.

Measure of Our Stewardship

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

GENERAL FUND INCOME		3/3/24 -3/9/24	
Tuition Income:	\$	4,177	
G/F Envelope Income	\$	25,828	
Weekly Budgetary Need	\$	25,052	
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Attendance 3/10/24	
Sunday Worship Total:	229
Communed:	60
Visitors:	1
Sunday School:	21
Adult Bible Study:	33
Wednesday 3/13/24	
Attendance Total:	137

'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' Acts 20:35

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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
- 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, MARCH 17, 2024

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SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2024 FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

AS WE GATHER

It is the Lord's commitment to forgive iniquity, remembering sin no more. This is possible only through the all-availing sacrifice of Jesus. As our priest, Jesus offers up Himself on our behalf, praying, pleading, dying. He sacrifices divine life to abolish eternal death. His Church takes hold of this blessed promise in the waters of Holy Baptism and the bread and wine of Holy Communion. From the beginning, God in Christ serves all and ransoms those who believe.

ORDER OF SERVICE

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⊅ HYMNS

8:00 AM- #738, 770, 560 (435, 709, 857) 861

10:30 AM- #601, 770, 560, 861

BIBLE READINGS

Old Testament Lesson: Jeremiah 31:31-34

Epistle Lesson: Hebrews 5:1-10 Gospel Lesson: Mark 10:35-45

DEACONS:

8:00 AM- Joel Goche/Mark Schmidt 10:30 AM- Dan Nikolaisen/Justin Petterson **ORGANIST:** Luke Dahl

SPECIAL MUSIC: Senior Choir

"Above All"

SERMON:

"What a Priest We Have in Jesus"

Hebrews 5:1-10 ~ Pastor Dan Welch

ACOLYTES:

8:00 AM- Ivanna Schultz/Khloe Petron 10:30 AM- Kyler Pokornowski/Jordon O'Dell

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

INCLUDED IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

- -- Kim Oelfke, Lloyd Duenow, JoAnn Iliff, Clara Witthus, Ormund Ostlie, Duane Schuette, Ralph Duenow, Bill Husberg, Anita Thiesfeld, Marlys Becker, Ruth Karg, and Lisa Dumke (Good Friend to Keenan & Stacy Dummer)
- -- Lukas Duane Sweeney, the son of Megan and Austin Sweeney, whom we welcome into God's family here at First Lutheran through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism at the 10:30 AM worship service this morning. May God bless you and keep you in the palm of His hand.
- -- We pray for Rev. John Koopman whom we called to be our Associate Pastor at the Special Voters Assembly meeting on Monday, March 11th. Pastor Koopman currently serves as a Sole Pastor at St. Paul and Peace Lutheran Churches of Emmetsburg and West Bend, Iowa. May the Lord bless him, his family, and the congregations he serves during his time of prayerful deliberation on the Divine Call.

WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY 3.17

Divine Service w/ Communion | 8:00 AM Fellowship: Stewardship | 9:00 AM Bible Study & Sunday School | 9:15 AM Divine Service | 10:30 AM I.M.P.A.C.T | 6:30PM-8:00 PM

MONDAY 3.18

Quilt Tying | 1:00 PM

TUESDAY 3.19

Men's Network at Plato 7:00 PM

WEDNESDAY 3.20

Staff Meeting | 10:00 AM
Lent Worship Service | 2:00 PM
Public School Confirmation | 3:30PM-4:45 PM
Lenten Supper | 5:30 PM-6:45 PM
Senior Choir | 6:00 PM
Lent Worship Service | 7:00 PM

THURSDAY 3.21

FLS Chapel (Jon Neibuhr) | 8:10 AM Church Council | 7:00 PM

SUNDAY 3.24 PALM SUNDAY

Divine Service | 8:00 AM
Fellowship: Evangelism | 9:00 AM
Bible Study & Sunday School | 9:15 AM
Divine Service w/ Communion | 10:30 AM
BLAZE | 6:30-8:30 PM

THRIVENT MEMBERS - we encourage you to designate your Thrivent Choice Dollars to FLC or FLS before March 31st. Visit www.Thrivent.com/choice or phone 1-800-847-4836. If you have any questions or would like assistance, contact Cindy Eggersgluess at (612) 840-6308

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU! The Flames Booster Club would like to thank everyone who supported the Silent Auction and Meal. Together we raised \$29,279! We appreciate each of you and couldn't have made the event a success without your support! God's blessings

LAST WEEK FOR EASTER LILY SIGN UP! March 24 is the last day to sign up for an Easter lily. If you would like to purchase a lily in memory or in honor of a loved one, person, or group, the members of the Mary Martha Altar Guild will be able to assist you at the sign up tables before and after Church services. The cost is \$11 per lily. Contact Cheryl Scheidt at (320) 864-3356 with any questions.

The 73rd Annual Potato Pancake & Sausage Meal will be held on Sunday, April 7th. Advanced tickets may be purchased at the church office or on Palm Sunday and Easter between services. If you're willing to volunteer, contact Cindy at 612-840-6308.

Sunday School Aids Wanted: Are you able and willing to help with crafts and tying shoes? Are you wanting to be active in the congregation but don't have the time commitment to put into any planning or prep? If so, we have a great volunteer opportunity for you! See Deaconess Polzin to find out how you can serve as frequently, or infrequently, as you wish!

Everyone is invited to join us for our last Lenten meal on Wednesday, March 20th for a delicious choice of gumbo or homemade chicken noodle soup. We will be serving these two options from 5:30 until 6:45 p.m. The gumbo is a return of the much asked for Pratley's chicken, ham, smoked sausage, and shrimp gumbo served with rice and warmed French bread. There will also be a shrimp free option gumbo. Diners will also be able to enjoy homemade chicken noodle soup if the gumbo is not to your liking as well as ham sandwiches. There will be homemade desserts including a praline cake and lemonade, milk, water, and coffee. All of this for only a free will donation that will benefit the First Lutheran School Garden Club. This is a Thrivent Action Team event. We encourage you to take a night off of cooking and join us for this meal. The final Lenten service will follow at 7:00p.m.