

### Daily Bible Readings

**Sunday;** Genesis 4:1-26, Mark 2:18-28  
**Monday;** Genesis 18:1-15, (Gen.18:1—20:18) Mark 6:14-44  
**Tuesday;** Genesis 21:1-21, Mark 6:45-56  
**Wednesday;** Genesis 22:1-19, Mark 7:1-23  
**Thursday;** Genesis 24:1-31, Mark 7:24-37  
**Friday;** Genesis 24:32-67, (Gen.25:1—26:35) Mark 8:1-21  
**Saturday;** Genesis 27:1-29, Mark 8:22-38  
**Sunday;** Genesis 27:30—28:22, Mark 9:1-13

When he (Jesus) went ashore he saw a great crowd, and had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd. Mark 6:34 ESV.

### New Business Manager

Welcome to our new Business Manager, Jaylene Miller. Currently she is transitioning from selling her home in NE to finding a home here in Glencoe.

Jaylene will be in the office this week. Please call the office to see if she is in.

She hopes to soon have regular weekly office hours Monday – Wednesday.

Please feel free to leave Jaylene a message by calling the church office or emailing her at [business@1stglencoe.org](mailto:business@1stglencoe.org) or emailing her personal account at [gsus1st@live.com](mailto:gsus1st@live.com).

CHURCH ATTENDANCE	02/22/2026	02/25 (Wed.)
Worship Total	251	140
Communed	121	
Visitors	4	
Adult Bible Study	26	
Sunday School	20	

### Sunday School Offerings

We are donating our offerings to Heifer, International. So far, we have enough for one goat and one flock of chicks. We are about \$30 away for having enough for a pig. The animals go to families in need who use them to help support their needs. For example, the goat can be utilized for cheese production to help support a family or to sell as a source of income.

First Lutheran Sunday School thanks everyone who has assisted us in collecting offerings to help support a family in need!



### E-Giving for 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.

It allows you to give anytime and anywhere, donate to your favorite funds, Ways to e-Give: and make your gifts recurring.

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.
4. Use the QR Code. It is provided to the left.

### FIRST EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH – Missouri Synod

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

**SENIOR PASTOR:** Reverend Daniel Welch | 320-864-2753 or 612-214-8912 | [dwelch@1stglencoe.org](mailto:dwelch@1stglencoe.org)

**ASSISTANT PASTOR:** Reverend Michael Ewert | 414-795-8257 | [pastor@1stglencoe.org](mailto:pastor@1stglencoe.org)

**DCE:** Deaconess Megan Polzin | 320-854-1204 or 952-232-9844 | [mpolzin@1stglencoe.org](mailto:mpolzin@1stglencoe.org)

**CHURCH SECRETARY:** Amy Welch | 320-864-5522 | [office@1stglencoe.org](mailto:office@1stglencoe.org)

**BUSINESS MANAGER:** Jaylene Miller | [business@1stglencoe.org](mailto:business@1stglencoe.org)

### FIRST LUTHERAN SCHOOL

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

**PRINCIPAL:** Perry Miller | 402-750-4377 | [principal@1stglencoe.org](mailto:principal@1stglencoe.org)

**SCHOOL SECRETARY:** Michelle Alsleben | [malsleben@1stglencoe.org](mailto:malsleben@1stglencoe.org)



## Second Sunday in Lent

Sunday, March 1, 2026  
8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

### First Evangelical Lutheran Church ~ Missouri Synod

925 13th Street E.  
Glencoe, MN 55336  
320.864.5522

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## Second Sunday in Lent

Sunday, March 1, 2026

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**AS WE GATHER** Faith is Abraham's legacy—nothing more! He believed God's credibility in fulfilling the incredible. How could an aged, childless father boast of countless heirs? How could a rich Pharisee be born again through water, Word, and Spirit? How could a condemned world be redeemed by the death of a Son? All these things are grasped, believed, and confessed by God's gift of faith—nothing more!

### HYMNS

8:00 AM~ 571, 708, 729, [722, 718, 798], 861  
10:30 AM~ 571, 708, 729, 861

### BIBLE READINGS

**Old Testament Lesson**~ Genesis 12: 1 - 9  
**Epistle Reading**~ Romans 4: 1 - 8, 13 - 17  
**Gospel**~ John 3: 1 - 17  
**Introit**~ Psalm 121; antiphon: v. 8

### SERMON

"This Is the Way"  
John 3: 1 - 17 Rev. Dan Welch

### DEACONS

8:00 AM~ Mark Schmidt, David Hoefs  
10:30 AM~ Will Freberg, Dean Dahlke

### ACOLYTES

8 AM~ Blake Mathews, Bryce Mathews  
10:30 AM~ Macie Stradtman, Nora Cohrs

### CABLE TV, CHANNEL 10

Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m. and Fridays, 5:30 p.m.

### ORGANIST

Mr. Rick Grieger

### GREETERS

8:00 AM~ Savannah Mathews, Priya Wisch  
10:30 AM~ Cindy Hoese, Cambel Lang

### PA / SOUND

8:00 AM~ Glenn Cohrs  
10:30 AM~ Steven Schauer

### CAMERA

8:00 AM~ Andrew Mackenthun

### SCREENS

8:00 AM~ Chloe Donnay  
10:30 AM~ Tyler Schauer

### FACEBOOK LIVE

~ Nickolaisen Family

### FELLOWSHIP HOUR

~ Day School Board

### SPECIAL MUSIC

8:00 AM ~ Senior Choir  
10:30 AM ~ First Lutheran All School Choir  
"Joyful Noise" Director: Mrs. Cindy Eng

### S.S. Assistant

9:15 AM ~ Amy & Griffin Bargmann

### INCLUDED IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

-- Matt Solmanson (Son-in-law of DeLue & Mary Grams) who has Stage 4 Melanoma  
-- Marilyn Vorbeck who just had heart surgery and is at Abbot Hospital  
-- Lee & Randall Carrigan, Marcia Dummer, Arlyce Grack, Willis Herrmann, Bob Hollowell (Father of Megan Polzin) who has cancer, Howard Hoecke, Brenda Ide (Wife of Lars Ide), Shirley Krienke, Kali Marshall (11-year-old daughter of Angela Templin-Marshall and Tony Marshall) who is undergoing chemo for leukemia and lives in Panama City, FL; Pastor Ronald Mathison, Laurie Meyer (Twin Sister of Linda Donnay), Randee Petterson (Mother of Justin Petterson), Judy Rickheim, Joanne Samuelson, Braelynn Schrunck (Great-Granddaughter of Gayle Schwarze) who has leukemia, Ashley Smith (Cousin of Danielle Petterson) who has cancer, Earl VonBerge  
If you are blessed with the birth of child, please let the church office know.  
We would love to celebrate with you by including him or her in our church prayers!

## This Week at First Lutheran!

Please Note: At 1:50 p.m. each day, we have "Congregation in Prayer."

### Sunday, March 1

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent  
8:00 AM – Divine Service with Communion,  
Senior Choir sings  
9:00 AM – Fellowship Time  
9:15 AM – Education Hour  
10:30 AM – Divine Service  
First Lutheran School Choir sings  
11 AM to 1 PM – Silent Auction Meal

### Monday, March 2

9:00 AM - Crochet for a Cause  
1:00 PM – Quilt Tying  
1:30 PM – LW in Mission  
7:00 PM – Trustees

### Tuesday, March 3

9:00 AM – Women's Bible Study  
1:15 PM – Staff Meeting  
4:45 PM – Stewardship  
5:30 PM – Day School  
6:00 PM - Evangelism  
7:00 PM – Women's Bible Study  
7:00 PM – Men's Bible Study

### Wednesday, March 4

2:00 PM – Lenten Service, King's Kids sing  
3:00 PM – Desserts  
3:30 PM – Catechism  
5:30 PM – Lenten Meal: Chili & Cinnamon Rolls  
6:00 PM – Senior Choir  
6:00 PM – Flames Boosters  
7:00 PM – Lenten Service, Senior Choir sings

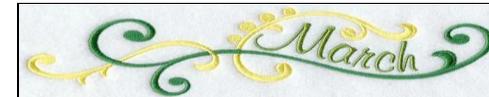
### Thursday, March 5

8:15 AM – Chapel  
6:00 PM – Deacons

### Friday, March 6

### Sunday, March 8

DAY LIGHT SAVINGS TIME  
HERITAGE SUNDAY  
8:00 AM – Divine Service  
9:00 AM – Fellowship Time  
9:15 AM – Education Hour  
10:30 AM – Divine Service with Communion  
NOON to 3:00 PM – Silent Auction pickup  
1:30 PM – GlenFields  
1:50 PM – Congregation in Prayer  
6:30 PM – Blaze



## General Church Announcements

### SPECIAL WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

Thank you for being with us here today! For our Visitors, please stop by one of the Welcome Centers on your way out. Evangelism Board has gift bags for all ages!

### CHILDREN IN THE DIVINE SERVICE

Located at the sanctuary entrances, there are English and Spanish Children's Bibles, Noah's Ark busy bags (actually, backpacks), and a sensory bag (puzzle backpack). You are invited to use these during the Divine Service, as well as the Children's Bulletins, Children's Devotional Books, and Children's Pew Cards.

### NOTE FOR TODAY ONLY SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Please join us at 9:15 a.m. in the SANCTUARY. Pastor Michael will be leading us.

### STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE

March 1 – Second Sunday in Lent

John 3:16 – "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life." This is perhaps the most well-known and beloved verse in the New Testament, for good reason. This simple Gospel message is the foundation for our whole life, including our new life in Christ. This new life is characterized by thankfulness and devotion to our Father who has provided for us so lavishly in Christ.

### LUTHERAN WOMEN IN MISSION

God does **NOT** speak to His children in prayer! Rather, we speak to Him in prayer, fully assured that He will speak clearly and directly to us in His Word and Sacraments. Lutheran Women in Mission will pray the **annual prayer service "P.R.A.Y.E.R."** on **Mon., March 2 at 1:30 p.m.** A short business meeting will follow. Guests are always welcomed.

### FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

Last Week Giving **	\$19,823	
Weekly Budget Need	\$27,692	65.38%
YTD Giving	\$797,959	55.41%
YTD Budget Need	\$941,538	



\*\* Includes School Tuition Payments

~ Miscellaneous Announcements ~



**YOUTUBE PAGE**

Here is the link to the YouTube page  
<https://www.youtube.com/@1stGlencoe/videos>.



**CHURCH DIRECTORY ROSTER** Currently the office is compiling contact information for the new Church Directory. Information has been obtained at the church photography sessions, and the office has reached out through email. If you have NOT submitted your name and contact information, please call, email, or stop by the church office. We are updating church records and would like your permission before publishing it in the new church directory.



**LOST AND FOUND: BLACK WINTER COATS** There are a couple of black winter coats which have been left hanging on the coat racks next to the church office. They have been there for some time. Please check if they are yours. What is left by next Thursday, March 5, we would like to donate to Orphan Grain Train.



**CHILDREN'S SNACK THANK-YOU!** Thank you very much for your generous donations of Children's Sermon Snacks! We are blessed to have you help provide a treat for our youngest members during the Children's Sermons! Your kindness is greatly appreciated!

Let's do an **Easter Egg Hunt!**

**Who:** Recommended for age 2 - 3<sup>rd</sup> grade

**What:** An indoor Easter Egg Hunt Experience for the Glencoe Community

**When:** Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup> from 9am-11pm

**Where:** Inside First Ev. Lutheran Church @ 925 13<sup>th</sup> Street East, Glencoe

*Dress in your Easter best & get a family Easter Photo in our photobooth or with the Easter Bunny!*

*Inside hunt ensures fun in any weather!*

*Candy & Non-Food Prizes*

*Note: Caution with latex allergies as we will have a ton of balloons used in the*

~ Additional First Lutheran Events ~

**CROCHET FOR A CAUSE**

**March 2ND | 9-10 AM**

Please consider joining us on the first Monday of the month (with a few exceptions for holidays) as we work together toward the goal of crocheting (or knitting) 150 hats for newborn babies! If possible, please bring your own hook and yarn, but Megan will bring extras just in case. We are happy to teach you or to welcome in long time crocheters. Please see Deaconess Megan Polzin with any questions.

**REMINDER NO SUNDAY SCHOOL MARCH 22ND**

**Lenten Meals**

March 4<sup>th</sup>: Chili & Cinnamon Rolls  
 March 11<sup>th</sup>: Sloppy Joes  
 March 18<sup>th</sup>: Pulled Pork  
 March 25<sup>th</sup>: Selection of Soups

Meals served from 5:30-6:45 PM | Service begins at 7 PM

**150<sup>th</sup> tshirts**

Please get your shirts soon, especially if you will be helping with the pancake and sausage meal!

**\$15**

ADULT XS-XXXL  
 EXACT CASH OR CHECKS  
 WRITTEN TO FLC

**AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE IN THE CHURCH OFFICE**

~ Opportunities to Share Your  
Time, Talents, and Treasures ~



**Radio Broadcast Sponsorships** Are you looking for a way to remember or honor a loved one? Sponsoring a radio broadcast is one way to do so. **Sponsorships are available for \$200.** They are recorded on the third Sunday of the month and broadcasted on the fourth Sunday. If interested, please contact the church office.



**Heritage Sunday Floral Basket** On Heritage Sundays (the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month in 2026), we will utilize this floral basket to display arrangements/ plants on the side of the altar. If you are interested in sponsoring one (or two) baskets in memory of, or in honor of, someone or an occasion, please contact Dennis Wolter.

**Openings for First Lutheran School Teaching Staff**

First Lutheran School is seeking two dedicated professionals to join our teaching staff as a first grade and third grade teacher starting the 2026-2027 school year.

Applicants must have a current teaching license; LCMS synodical training and/or experience in Lutheran education is preferred. Interested candidates should send a resume and credentials to Perry Miller, Principal, at [principal@1stglencoe.org](mailto:principal@1stglencoe.org) by March 18th. If you have questions or would like additional information, please call our school office at 320-864-3317.



**Easter Lily Sign-Up Has Begun**

You are invited to purchase an Easter lily/ies to help beautify the sanctuary for Easter morning. Lilies may be purchased in honor or in memory of loved ones. Sign-up tables are available in-between church services, or you may purchase a lily in the church office during the week. **The cost is \$12,** which is the same as last year.



~ First Lutheran Church & School Events ~

**75TH ANNUAL  
POTATO PANCAKE &  
SAUSAGE DINNER**

Dine In  
or  
Take Out



**SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2026**  
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Advanced Tickets  
Adults: \$14  
Kids (10 & under): \$6  
Tickets @ Door: \$15



First Ev. Lutheran Church  
925 13<sup>TH</sup> Street E, Glencoe, MN 55336  
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**Menu Includes:**  
Your Choice of  
Authentic German  
Pancakes or Regular  
Pancakes, Sausages,  
Applesauce, Cheese,  
& Beverage

**IMPACT  
is moving!**

**STARTING MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup> GRADES 9-12 WILL BE  
MEETING FOR YOUTH GROUP DURING THE  
EDUCATION HOUR!**

Please join us in the Music Room  
downstairs from 9:15-10:15AM!

*To clarify- we will no longer be meeting at  
the lighthouse on the first Sunday of the  
month- rather we will meet every Sunday  
during the school year!*

**IGNITE**  
**BLESSED TO BE A  
BLESSING**

TUESDAY, MARCH 17<sup>TH</sup>  
3-4:45PM  
AGE 5 - 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

DON'T FORGET TO REGISTER!

TIMELINE OF EVENTS FOR THE UPCOMING

# FIRST EV. LUTHERAN SCHOOL

## 19TH ANNUAL SILENT AUCTION & MEAL

### Thank You



YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THIS EVENT WILL DIRECTLY BENEFIT FIRST EV. LUTHERAN SCHOOL FOR OUR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS, TO HELP KEEP TUITION RATES AFFORDABLE, AND TO HELP WITH GENERAL SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AND NEEDS.

### CONTACT FOR QUESTIONS

 [flsboosters@gmail.com](mailto:flsboosters@gmail.com)

### Online Auction



Feb 28th 1pm - Mar 7th 1pm  
[WWW.32AUCTIONS.COM/FLS2026](http://WWW.32AUCTIONS.COM/FLS2026)



### In-Person Meal



Sunday March 1st | 11am-1pm  
**FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Bump's Family Restaurant Mac & Cheese Bar: Meal will include white cheddar macaroni and cheese, cheddar macaroni and cheese, shredded pork, breadsticks or bun, bread crumbs, jalapenos, bacon bits, BBQ sauce, potato salad, chips, pickles and various homemade desserts.

#### PRE-PURCHASE TICKETS

Adults \$12 | Kids (under 12) \$10

#### LIMITED TICKETS AVAILABLE AT DOOR

Adults \$15 | Kids (under 12) \$12

### Item Pick-Up



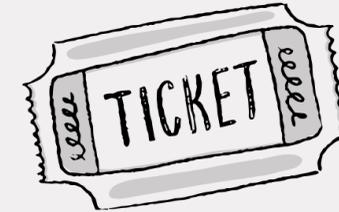
Sunday, March 8th | 12pm-3pm  
Monday, March 9th | 3pm -5pm  
**FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Accepting cash, check or credit card

## 2026 FIRST LUTHERAN SCHOOL

### 19TH ANNUAL SILENT AUCTION MEAL FUNDRAISER

# Meal Tickets



## FOR SALE

### SUNDAY MARCH 1st | 11:00AM-1:00PM

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Bump's Family Restaurant Mac & Cheese Bar, shredded pork, various toppings, breadstick/bun, potato salad, chips and various homemade desserts

## Pre-Purchased Tickets for Sale NOW Through Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>

### Adults \$12 | Kids (under 12) \$10

To-Go option is available!

Pre-purchase your tickets and stop by the take-out line to pick up your meal

Where to get your tickets:

Call the church office at 320-864-5522

Call the school office at 320-864-3317



Booster table before or after Wednesday and Sunday Church Services

Limited tickets will be sold at the door on 3/1/2026: Adults \$15 | Kids (12 and under) \$12

75TH ANNUAL  
**POTATO PANCAKE  
& SAUSAGE DINNER**

SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2026 | 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM



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**DINE IN  
OR  
TAKE OUT**

Event proceeds benefit Church  
General Fund & NYG Youth

MENU INCLUDES: YOUR  
CHOICE OF AUTHENTIC  
GERMAN POTATO  
PANCAKES OR REGULAR  
PANCAKES, SAUSAGES,  
APPLESAUCE,  
CHEESE & MILK

ADVANCED TICKETS  
ADULTS: \$14  
KIDS (10 & UNDER): \$6  
TICKETS @ DOOR: \$15  
PURCHASE @ FLC OFFICE &  
SELECT YOUR DESIRED TIME



# I M P A C T is moving!

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Vacation Bible School  
 First Lutheran Church Glencoe, MN

# MIRACULOUS MISSION

**Jesus Saves the World!**

June 14-17  
 Age 3<sup>rd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> grade  
 5:30-7:45 PM

Potty Trained

WE WANT YOU!

## potato pancake & sausage dinner

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

PLEASE CONTACT CINDY EGGERSGLUESS AT 612-840-6308 OR DEACONESS MEGAN POLZIN AT 320-854-1204 TO SIGN UP FOR A VOLUNTEER SLOT.

IT TAKES 100+ VOLUNTEERS TO MAKE THIS MARVELOUS EVENT HAPPEN--THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATION OF TIME AND TALENT!



Youth, sign up here!



## 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

### News and Updates!

**FEBRUARY 2026**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

**February Historic 150<sup>th</sup> Calendar**

The 1<sup>st</sup> Lutheran February edition of the Historic 150<sup>th</sup> Calendar is available. Please be sure to pick up your copy. The calendars are available in the church south entry. If you have any questions regarding the many opportunities and events planned, please reach out to the church office at 864-5522.



**Church Steeple Windows**

As we joyfully mark our 150th Anniversary, the steeple windows at First Ev. Lutheran Church are shining bright! Each evening, the lights will glow from dusk until midnight. Yet the brightest light we share isn't in the windows—it's the good news,



**Newspaper Articles**

If you have newspaper articles from the past 20 years that pertain to First Lutheran, please bring them to the office. We'll make copies and return to you.



**Crochet for a Cause**

This Monday, February 2, from 9 to 10 a.m., we will be crocheting / knitting hats for newborn babies. (We meet for this project on the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month at 9:00 a.m. throughout 2026.) Please bring your own yarn and hooks or needles. We will provide patterns and friendship! You may meet with us in the south church entrance on the blue couches.



**Little, Hand-made Crosses**

We are excited to hear about the many little crosses that are being hand-crafted....many styles and varieties! Completed crosses may be dropped off in the Church office on **the last Friday of each month**. This will allow us to track progress up until our special Anniversary Service on July 12. So far we have 300, but are need of about 2,000 for each member.



**150<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY T-SHIRT**

Have you purchased your special **Anniversary T-Shirt** yet? All sizes and colors for only \$15.

\* Please note, if you plan to help with the Pancake Breakfast, volunteers are being asked to wear their purchased Anniversary t-shirt.



**LAST DAY – MARCH 1**      **Orphan Grain Train Clothing Drive**

As part of our 150 acts of service for the 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, we are having a clothing drive. Please bring your like-new, gently-used clothing, shoes and blankets to the church fellowship center. There are collection totes to separate your items. Donations are being accepted now through Sunday, March 1. If you have questions, please see Cheryl Scheidt or Amy Welch. Thank you for your donations!





UPDATE: We are now accepting donations of clean, washed, gently-loved **STUFFED ANIMALS!**

# Events at First Lutheran Church & School

**Mat-Makers** will meet Tuesday, February 24 at 1:30p.m.

**Devotions: An Unchanging God, Psalm 119: 89,90.** **Conversation starter: Something that has changed or has not changed** in your world. Are you one of the many wonderful folks who bring your clean, used plastic grocery bags to be crafted into sleeping mats? **Drop in and observe the procedure!** It's like a human factory. Stay as long as you want.



### Upcoming Silent Auction Dates

**Sat., Feb. 28** – on-line auction begins  
**Sun., March 1, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.** – Bump's catered meal  
**Sat., March 7** – on-line auction ends  
**Sun., March 8, 9 a.m. to noon** – item pick-up



## Opportunities to Share Your Time, Talents, & Treasures



### Technology Committee

We are looking for volunteers to revive the Technology Committee. The Deacons are bringing it back and interested individuals are asked to call the church office to volunteer. Once we have our volunteers, a meeting date and time can be determined.



### Attention Thrivent Members

Direct your remaining 2025 CHOICE \$ before March 31st, or they will be lost to you. You may direct to many worthy organizations, but we encourage you to consider First Lutheran CHURCH or SCHOOL. Complete online or contact Thrivent at 800-847-4836 for assistance.



### Children's Sermon Snacks

We are currently in need of more Children's Sermon Snacks. We are looking for prepackaged, individually wrapped snacks for our youngest members. Examples include Cheez-Its, Fruit Snacks, Teddy Grahams, Goldfish Crackers, Fruit Yogurt Bites, Rice Krispie bars, & Cheerios snack packs.



### 2026 Radio Broadcast Sponsorship

Radio Broadcasts are sponsored once a month at First Lutheran Church. You may sponsor a broadcast in memory or in honor of a loved one or friend. **Cost is \$200.** Radio broadcasts are recorded and aired on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month. **Currently we have 1 sponsor.**



### 10:30 AM Screen Service Presenters Urgently Needed!

**We need volunteers to help run the 10:30 AM screens.** Responsible youth and adults are all welcome to volunteer. You would run screens about once a month. Amy Welch would supervise training and when you feel comfortable independently running the screens, then you would be added to the schedule. **Youth may use this opportunity for Honor Society service hours & Catechism requirements.** Contact Amy at 864-5522 or office@1stglencoe.org.



### Handbell Choir Rings Again!

Pr. Michael has offered to direct the handbell choir for First Lutheran. Although exact details are not confirmed, we are seeking interest and information on members who would like to ring. Please contact Pr. Michael at [pastor@1stglencoe.org](mailto:pastor@1stglencoe.org) to tell your interest and availability to practice. Tentatively, he is looking at starting after Easter to play a few times throughout the year. We look forward to praising God with our talents and to ring together.



### Easter Lily Sign-Up Has Begun

You are invited to purchase an Easter lily/ies to help beautify the sanctuary for Easter morning. Lilies may be purchased in honor or in memory of loved ones. Sign-up tables are available in-between church services, or you may purchase a lily in the church office during the week. **The cost is \$12,** which is the same as last year. Questions? Please call the church office. Thank you!



## Sales Opening SOON!

To access the site and place an order:

1. Go to [www.gertensfundraising.com](http://www.gertensfundraising.com)
2. Enter the **Store ID code 1019** to continue .
3. Upon checkout, select the name of your seller (if applicable).

**The site will open Feb 16 and close at 10 PM on April 6.**

We cannot accept any late orders past the deadline.