

Praying

MINISTRY WORKERS

"The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." (Luke 10:2 ESV)

PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

Pray for the Congolese town of Tchabi that are rebuilding after suffering a series of attacks by an Islamists group.

CARING FOR OUR COMMUNITY

Firefighters and Emergency Medical Responders

HEALING

Bryan Fevold, Chris Schaffer, Joyce Hovland, Clay Ceynar, Doyle & Deb Hagen, Wynn Murphy, Richard Helmuth, Jean Elliott, Jessica Wisness Burns, Lori Halverson, Roger Olson, Christine Conant, Dixie Selting, Jesse Veeder Scofield

HOPE AND COMFORT

The Nash and Benoit family

CHURCH FAMILY

Arlen, Chelsea & Evelina Jacobson; Jamie, Meghan, Aksel, Demi, Odin & Henry Jellesed

SISTER CONGREGATIONS

Lutheran Brethren Church- Pastor Jeremy Wilson, Nampa, Idaho

CLB MINISTRIES

Church of the Lutheran Brethren Women's Ministries

Mission Focus

Pray for Our CLB Church Plant in Boston, Massachusetts

Grace Hill Community Church

Kristian and Mary Anderson

(From the WMCLB newsletter)

Kristian share these ways we can pray:

- Pray for those who visited during Holy Week and that they will take next steps towards Jesus.
- Pray for our upcoming community cleanup event. Pray that we can meet the physical needs of our community as well as the spiritual.
- Pray for our marriage class that has just begun. Pray it builds up gospel-centered marriages.
- Pray for a spirit of invitation for our congregants as they continue to build relationships with those around them.



Growing & Serving



SUNDAY, APRIL 19

After the service: Children's Choir practice
6:00 PM Bedrock Youth Group

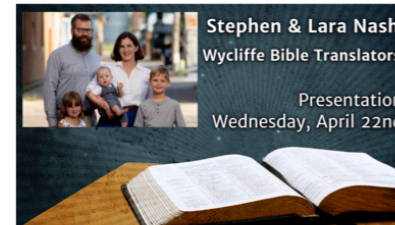
TUESDAY, APRIL 21

9:00 AM Prayer Meeting
10:00 AM Coffee & Conversation
12:30-4:30 PM Food Pantry Volunteering

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

Focus: Jesus is the Christ Supper: Breakfast

4:00 PM Catechism Class
5:15 PM Supper & Fellowship
6:00 PM Classes for all ages

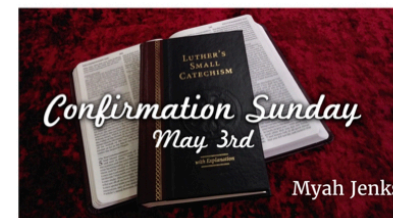


APRIL 23-26

7:00 PM Preacher in the Patch and Friends Crusade @ McKenzie County AG Expo

SUNDAY, APRIL 26

9:30 AM Morning Prayer
10:00 AM Worship Service
6:00 PM Bedrock Youth Group



BIRTHDAYS

Apr 23 Julie Dragseth
Apr 25 Jack Garcia
Apr 26 Megan Muri



Welcome!

Third Sunday of Easter

April 19, 2026

We're glad you're here to worship with us. If you're visiting with us today, we hope you'll stick around for a bit after the service. We'd love to get acquainted with you. If you'd like us to contact you, please scan our QR code on the back of the bulletin, or fill out a visitor card at our Welcome Center.

BIBLE CENTERED Through God's saving Word we have been adopted into God's Family and share in the saving work of Jesus Christ.

FAMILY FOCUSED As brothers and sisters in Jesus Christ, we serve each other and worship, learn and work together.

MISSION DRIVEN We are engaged in Jesus' disciple-making mission - winning souls for Christ by the preaching of the Word and personal witnessing, and strengthening believers through Christian fellowship in the Word and Sacraments.



Order of Worship

Welcome
Call to Worship Psalm 116:1-14
Prayers of the Church
Songs of Praise Come, Christians, Join To Sing
All Things Bright And Beautiful
Ancient Words
First Reading Acts 2:14a, 36-41
Epistle Reading 1 Peter 1:17-25
The Apostles' Creed
Children's Message
Tithes and Offerings
Gospel Reading Luke 24:13-35
Sermon Restoration Revealed
Hymn Amazing Grace
The Lord's Prayer
Benediction
Doxology

* If you are able, please stand for elements of the service noted in bold.

Sermon Notes

Next Sunday's Readings: Psalm 23, Acts 2:42-47, 1 Peter 2:19-25, John 10:1-10



HOME TALK

Making Disciples in the Middle of Everyday Life Mt 28:20a

Talking about The First Article of the Creed

Creation

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

What does this mean?

I believe that God has created me and all that exists. He has given to me and still sustains my body and soul, my senses and all my members, my reason and all the powers of my soul. I believe that He gives me food and clothing, home and family, and all material blessings; that He daily provides abundantly for all the needs of my life, protects me from all danger, and guards and keeps me from all evil. I believe that He does this because of His fatherly and divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this I should thank, praise, serve, and obey Him. This is most certainly true.

152 How does God preserve you and all His other creatures?

God cares for me and all His other creatures as a loving Father.

Psalm 145:15-16 "The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food in due season. You open your

hand; you satisfy the desire of every living thing."

Matthew 5:45b "...For he makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust."

153 How does God control all things?

God directs all things according to His wise and perfect will.

Although God's ways are not always clear to me, I am told in the Bible that they are always the best.

Romans 8:28 "And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose."

Isaiah 55:8-9 "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the Lord. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts."

Jeremiah 29:11 "For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope."

Psalm 91:11 "For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways."

Scriptures are noted in the English Standard Version



The Lord's Supper

Who may participate?

This sacrament is meant for believers in Jesus Christ (1 Corinthians 11:27-29). It is the way that God unites His church, sustains the church and grows faith, hope and love as the church participates in this shared grace together. Communion is God's way of delivering assurance of the forgiveness of sins to the flock.

What is received?

Christ gives to the communicants His body and blood - in, with, and under the bread and wine. He declares the forgiveness of sin to all believers, and strengthens their faith.

I feel I'm unworthy to receive

Being unworthy of Jesus' body and blood is the primary reason to receive the forgiveness of sins promised in communion. But it is possible to receive communion with an unworthy attitude. Therefore, self-examination is called for (1 Corinthians 11:28, 31).

I do well to ask myself:

1. Do I believe Jesus' promises?

"Without faith it is impossible to please God" (Hebrews 11:6).

2. Do I recognize Jesus' presence?

"Whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord. Anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself" (1 Cor. 11:27, 29).

3. Am I reconciled with my fellow believers?

If we do not value reconciliation with others, we put ourselves in a place where we are distancing ourselves from God's will for us. We are living in rebellion.

4. Do I recognize my sinfulness and that it will be the death of me?

(1 John 1:5-10)

5. Is my hope in Jesus alone as the one who can give me eternal life?

We invite those who confess Jesus as their Savior from sin and death to receive the gift of forgiveness of sins offered and gifted in this sacrament.

A Note for Parents

Because communion requires time for self-examination, we do not encourage communion for children until they are old enough to be taught and old enough for self-examination. Through teaching they will appreciate its significance. Catechism Classes provide an opportunity to learn about the Lord's Supper. These classes are taught with the use of Luther's Small Catechism ... If you would like a copy of the Small Catechism for personal instruction or to instruct your children please contact the Pastor or the church office.

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