

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Activity	Location
Sunday 3/12/2023	
9:30 a.m. Faith Formation	
9:30 a.m. Confirmation Kids Church Visit	Greek Orthodox Church
10:30 a.m. Worship	Sanctuary & Online
12:00 p.m. Endowment Meeting	Gallery
7:00 p.m. AA Meeting	First Floor Education Room
Monday 3/13/2023	
10:00 a.m. Paula's Book Group	Zoom
12:00 p.m. Quilt Group	Quilt Room
6:00 p.m. Overeaters Anonymous	Gallery
7:00 p.m. Cardio Drum Class	Family Life Center
7:00 p.m. AA Meeting	First Floor Education Room
Tuesday 3/14/2023 Bulletin Deadline	
9:00 a.m. SHOP Group	Gallery
9:00 a.m. Pickleball	Family Life Center
9:30 a.m. 1st on 2nd Quilt Group	Gallery
3:00 p.m. Burnished Brass Practice	Sanctuary
6:30 p.m. Choir	Music Room
7:30 p.m. Band	Music Room
7:30 p.m. Ministry Council Meeting	Gallery
Wednesday 3/15/2023	
9:00 a.m. Pickleball	Family Life Center
5:30 p.m. Wed. Night Dinner	Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m. Kids' Music	Music Room
7:00 p.m. Lenten Worship	Sanctuary
7:00 p.m. Confirmation	
Thursday 3/16/2023	
9:00 a.m. Lion's Club Officer's Meeting	Gallery
12:00 p.m. Bible Study	Gallery and Zoom
6:00 p.m. Worship	Sanctuary
7:00 p.m. Cardio Drumming	Family Life Center
Friday 3/17/2023	
6:00 p.m. Pre-K through 5th Game Night	
6:00 p.m. Crafty Night	Gallery
6:00 p.m. Baton Class	Family Life Center
7:00 p.m. AA Meeting	First Floor Education Room
Saturday 3/18//2023	
7:00 a.m. A.A. Group Breakfast	Fellowship Hall
8:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast	
8:30 a.m. Women's Breakfast	
2:00 p.m. Rental—Nisja	Fellowship Hall



3 Lent
Thursday, March 9, 2023
6:00 p.m.
Sunday, March 12, 2023
10:30 a.m.

WELCOME

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH – Muskegon, Michigan

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Welcome to this time of worship. We are especially grateful for those of you who are visitors. You make us more whole. First Lutheran is a part of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, a church body committed to the welcome of the stranger and to the questions and doubts of all seekers.

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The flowers on the altar are given by Dave and Carol Anderson in honor of their 55th wedding anniversary.

THOSE WHO SERVE 3/12

Assisting Minister

Lector Sun 10:30 a.m.

Servers Sun.10:30 a.m.

Acolytes Sun.10:30 a.m.

Ushers Sun.10:30 a.m.

Bert Goodman

Diane Madej

Lori Archer

Matthew Badley

Ben Werling

Stan Daszko

Lisa Ziemelis

Mark Thogerson, Mike Sweet

Karl Ziemelis

Jean Boxer, Ruth Basch

Diane Kroll, Jenny Lindell

Jean Boxer

Jean Boxer

Clean-Up Sun.10:30 a.m. Jean Boxer

Coffee Hour Hosts

Laura Lucht and family

THOSE WHO SERVE 3/19

Assisting Minister

Lector Sun 10:30 a.m.

Servers Sun.10:30 a.m.

Acolytes Sun.10:30 a.m.

Ushers Sun.10:30 a.m.

Diane Madej

Bonnie Gouine

Ed and Deb Wosinski

Greyson Jones

Bill and Jan Naymick

Bonnie Nolan

Ben Werling

Mary Schoonover, Emily Traub

Karl Ziemelis

Lisa Le, Stan Daszko

Diana Duell, Sandra Fluharty

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Clean-Up Sun.10:30 a.m.

Coffee Hour Hosts

Ed and Deb Wosinski

Readings for Next Weekend

First Reading

1 Samuel 16:1-13

Psalm

Psalm 23

Second Reading

Ephesians 5:8-14

Gospel Reading

John 9:1-41

Upcoming

EVENTS

Middle School and High School Youth Events:

March 22—Youth are hosting Wednesday Night Dinner.

Meat Sale Fundraiser through March 12th.

Kid Venture Group: (3rd-5th Grade)

March 26th—Swimming at 297 Clay—1:00-3:00 p.m.

First Kids: (Pre-K through 2nd grade)

March 17—Game night from 6:00—8:00 p.m.
in the Fellowship Hall

Education Opportunities for Lent Wednesdays at 6:05 p.m.

March 15	No class Due to St. Patrick's Dinner. <i>Kids' Music Will Still Meet</i>
March 22	Lisa Tyler from Tanglewood Accessing Senior Services
March 29	Lisa and Karl Ziemelis Using our computers and connecting to Realm.

EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

This week's **Wednesday night dinner** is hosted by the Fellowship ministry. They will be serving **St. Patrick's Day favorites** of corned beef and cabbage, beef stew, salad, rolls, and desserts. The proceeds will go to help support the Youth Mission Trip.

If you would like to get together with others for fun, conversation, and good food, sign up for "**Dinner with Friends**" at either information station.

There is a **service trip to Appalachia from July 15-22** being planned for high school youth and interested adults. For more information, contact Jeff Lucht at 231-329-2799 or Laura Lucht at 616-638-2406.

We are having a **meat sale fundraiser** from the Meat Block to help youth raise funds for camp and mission trips. The sale started February 26, and the meat will be delivered the last week of March.

March is reading month! After worship on **March 19, Grand Mentors and kids** will meet in the gym for cookies and hot chocolate and to read together. This is for kids 3 to 12 years old and any adult who would like to share an hour. See Amber Thomas, if interested.

We are looking for **donations for our Easter Village**. We need Peeps for the Peep launch and candy donations are needed. Contact Amber Thomas if you can help.

Confirmation students and Paula are at the Greek Orthodox Church in Muskegon this morning. This opportunity enlarges the students' vision of community and how they can experience worship from a different perspective.

The **Endowment Committee** will meet after worship on Sunday in the gallery.

The **men's and women's breakfast groups** will meet this Saturday at 8:30 a.m. All are welcome.

Order of Service

"Caught Up in the Current"

Prelude	
Opening Liturgy	(screen)
"Come Let Us Worship God"	(screen)
Order of Confession	(screen)
Kyrie	#151 (red)
Greeting	
Prayer of the Day	
Special Music	"Come Thou Fount" Bells
First Reading	Exodus 17:1-7
Second Reading	Romans 5:1-11
Gospel Verse	"Not By Bread" (screen)
Gospel Reading	John 4:5-42
Children's Message/Noisy Offering/Junior Church <i>This month's collection will benefit Supper House.</i>	
Hymn	"Wade in the Water" #459 (red)
Sermon	
Song	"All You Who Are Thirsty" next page ➡
Nicene Creed	(screen)
Announcements/Prayers/Peace	
Offering/Offertory Prayer	

501 All You Who Are Thirsty

Refrain



All you who are thirst - y, come to the wa - ter;



All you who hun-ger, come, re-ceive grain; All with-out mon-ey,



come with-out pay-ing; All you who heed me, come for rich fare.

Great Thanksgiving (screen)

Holy, Holy, Holy (screen)

Lord's Prayer (screen)

Communion

"All Are Welcome" (screen)

"Come to the Table" #33 (purple)

"Peace is Flowing Like a River" (screen)

"I've Just Come from the Fountain" (screen)

"As the Deer" #9 (purple)

"Song Over the Waters" #127 (purple)

Blessing/Post-Communion Prayer

Hymn **"Canticle of the Sun"** (insert)

Benediction/Dismissal

Postlude

The eternal candle was given by Barb Pellerin in honor of grandson Calder Pellerin's birthday.