

## PRAYERS

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Laurie Adkins-Heydon, Judy Siegford, Myles Hupp, Ron Monson and Paulette Walker.

**On-going prayers:** Bud Rank, Sharon Rank, Jody Wilke, Dale Kreutz, Morgan Myers, Ally Tedder, Marcia Potts, Larry Schemmel, Joy Conway, our homebound members and those serving in the military. *(Please notify the office of changes)*

## NEWS AND NOTES

- **Check out the Serving Grace Signup Board** located on the bulletin board in the entry of the church. Volunteers are needed as greeters, coffee hosts, lesson readers and more. Check to see if it is your month to volunteer.
- **Volunteers are needed** to help stuff eggs and make deliveries for the Egg Drop. Dates for stuffing the eggs are March 10th and 17th after church. Then deliveries will be made on Friday March 29 starting at 4pm until finished. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact the church office 605-347-2713. Bite-size candy donations are also needed and can be dropped off in the church office.
- **Sunday, March 24th, Sturgis Golden K Kiwanis invites you to an** all-you-can-eat soup supper from 5:00-6:30 at the Sturgis Community Center. Tickets are \$10.00 and can be purchased from any member or at the door. Proceeds to benefit the children of the community.
- **On Monday, March 25th, Sturgis Alliance of Churches** hosts a loaded potatoes fundraiser from 4:30-6:30 at Sturgis Community Center. Come and enjoy baked potatoes' and salad for a donation. All proceeds benefit those needing help in our community.
- **Endowment Applications** are available in the church entryway. Please have them returned by March 31.

## CALENDAR

**Tuesday March 5**  
6 pm Altar Guild Meeting

**Wednesday March 6**  
8:30 am Quilting  
5 pm Kids Alive/Confirmation  
5 pm Adult Bible Study  
5:30 pm Lenten Supper  
6:30 pm Lenten Service  
6:30 pm HS Youth Group

**Thursday March 7**  
9:30 am Bible Study  
5:30 pm Council Meeting

**Saturday March 9**  
8 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

**Sunday March 10**  
9 am Worship (HC) & Radio Broadcast  
10 am Coffee Hour  
10:30 am Choir Practice  
1:30 pm Easter Cantata Practice

## ATTENDANCE

Wed- 02/21/24 - 75  
Sun - 02/25/24 -125



Income 02/14 - 02/18....\$10,311.00  
Weekly Budget.....(\$4919.23)  
Over/Short.....\$5391.77  
Red Bucket.....\$368.00



## GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

March 3, 2024 - Third Sunday of Lent  
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## Third Sunday of Lent



## WELCOME

PRE-SERVICE HYMN....."Let The Words of My Mouth" OSB #125  
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## GATHERING

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS.....ELW pages 211-212  
THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM  
KYRIE.....ELW page 213  
CANTICLE OF PRAISE (Glory to God).....ELW page 213  
PRAYER OF THE DAY  
BOLD WOMEN'S DAY LITANY  
HYMN....."For All the Faithful Women" ELW #419 vv1, 3, 5, 6 and 2

## WORD

INTRODUCTION TO THE LESSONS  
FIRST READING **Exodus 20:1-17**  
PSALM **19** (read responsively)  
SECOND READING **1 Corinthians 1:18-25**  
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION.....ELW page 216  
GOSPEL **John 2:13-22**  
SERMON.....Pastor Kevin Jensen  
SERMON HYMN....."Built on a Rock" ELW # 652 verses 1-3  
APOSTLES' CREED  
PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION  
SHARING THE PEACE

## THANKSGIVING

NOISY OR NOT OFFERING  
OFFERING HYMN....."My Lord of Light" ELW #832  
OFFERING PRAYER  
GREAT THANKSGIVING  
SANCTUS (Spoken)  
WORDS OF INSTITUTION  
LORD'S PRAYER (Traditional)  
INVITATION TO COMMUNION  
COMMUNION  
DISTRIBUTION HYMNS....."How Great Thou Art" ELW #856  
....."When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" ELW #803 vv 1-3  
....."I Come with Joy" ELW #482  
COMMUNION BLESSING/PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## SENDING

BENEDICTION  
SENDING HYMN....."This Is My Commandment" OSB #233 verses 1-3  
DISMISSAL

*\*Hearing aides are available. Ask an usher if you would like one.*

## SERVING AT GRACE Sunday, March 3

GREETERS.....Tim and Debbie Patmore  
USHERS.....  
ACOLYTES.....Madeline Vliem and Braylee Blakeman  
ASSISTING MINISTER.....Kim Webber  
COMMUNION HELPER.....Tim Patmore  
LESSON READER.....Tim Patmore  
MUSIC.....Marlene Kotab, Dan Chapman, and Danilee Pudwill  
SOUND.....Christian Kotab  
PROJECTOR.....Debbie Patmore  
COFFEE HOSTS.....Cindy Gehring and Brandy Nikkila  
ALTAR GUILD.....Melissa and Madison Pankratz  
MONEY COUNTERS.....Pam Weidenbach and Debbie Patmore

## SERVING AT GRACE Wednesday, March 6

MEAL HOSTS.....GLC Quilters  
ACOLYTES.....Mason and Blain McGillivray  
PROJECTOR.....Michelle Williams/Youth  
SOUND.....JD Williams  
MUSIC.....Marcia Potts, Marlene Kotab, and Christian Kotab

## SERVING AT GRACE Sunday, March 10

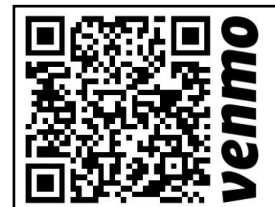
GREETERS.....Randy Carlson and Denise Petrowske  
USHERS.....Al Weidenbach and Brandon Caneva  
ACOLYTES.....Danny Tedder and Levi McPherson  
ASSISTING MINISTER.....Tim Potts  
COMMUNION HELPER.....Randy Carlson  
LESSON READER.....Gary Meyer  
MUSIC.....Marlene Kotab, Dan Chapman, and Danilee Pudwill  
SOUND.....Christian Kotab  
PROJECTOR.....Debbie Patmore  
COFFEE HOSTS.....Deb & Bob Haivala and Diana Bauer  
ALTAR GUILD.....Melissa and Madison Pankratz  
MONEY COUNTERS.....Robin Baldwin and Madison Pankratz

The radio broadcast is sponsored in **memory of**  
**Chris (Bob) Mechling's birthday from his loving children.**  
*Please consider sponsoring an upcoming broadcast.*

## Offering Information

Send your offering to PO Box 577, Sturgis, SD 57785,  
or drop off at the church office.

- To Use Venmo:**
1. Scan the QR code with your smartphone.
  2. Login or setup your account (first time only).
  3. Make your gift.



## Endowment Fund



## Grace Lutheran Endowment Fund Seeks Applications

There are 5 specific purposes that the Endowment fund grants money for:

1. Capital Improvement or building program of Grace Lutheran Church
2. College scholarships to a Lutheran college or Seminary
3. Scholarships for camping, leadership conferences or special programs
4. Gifts to local or state missions
5. Gifts to the ELCA for mission work

**Applications are available in the church entrance and the office. Submissions are due March 31 and funds will be distributed in April.**

The Endowment Fund was established in 1993 with the goal of providing a perpetual fund that would benefit Grace Lutheran and its members for decades to come. The principal of the fund cannot be spent, so it is only the earnings that are paid out each year. All gifts are welcome – whether it is by a check you can write today, or with funds you'd consider leaving through your estate. Please consider the Grace Lutheran Church Endowment Fund in your gift planning!



**EGG DROP COMING TO A YARD NEAR YOU!!**

**Friday March 29**

GLC Church Council plans to egg your yard or a yard of your choice with Resurrection Eggs and candy too. A minimum donation of \$20 to benefit an AED is requested.

Call the church office at 605-347-2713. Reservation deadline is Friday March 22.

The background of the flyer is decorated with a border of colorful, patterned Easter eggs in shades of blue, green, yellow, pink, and purple.

# The Power of the Cross

Christ's Passion, Our Redemption



## 15th Community Easter Cantata

**Palm Sunday, March 24  
and Tuesday, March 26  
7:00 p.m.**

**Grace Lutheran Church  
1061 Sherman Street, Sturgis**

**Sponsored by the Sturgis Area Arts Council**

