

## PRAYERS

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Pastor Will Olsen, Debra Rasch, Sharon Rank, Judy Rupe, Donzetta Strandjord, Jon Christopherson, Kathy Christians, Marjorie Jutting, Cindy Milek and the family of Helen Erk.

**On-going prayers:** Ed Pickar, Donna Larson, Jody Wilke, Dale Kreutz, Morgan Myers, Ramona Hultman, Tori Tetrault, Bill Molitor, Ally Tedder, Marcia Potts, Larry Schemmel, Robert Johnson, Joy Conway, Dawn McCarthy, Eleanora Miller, 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 is TODAY after church, then deliveries will be made on Friday April 7 starting at 4pm until finished. If you are interested in volunteering please contact the church office 605-347-2713.
- **TODAY, March 26th, Sturgis Golden K Kiwanis** all you can eat soup supper 5:00-6:30 at 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.
- **Monday, March 27th, Sturgis Alliance of Churches** loaded potatoes fundraiser 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.
- **The children will lead the Palm Procession** and sing on Palm Sunday.

## CALENDAR

### Sunday March 26

9 am Worship (HC) & Radio Broadcast  
10 am Coffee Hour / Journey with Jesus  
10:30 am Choir  
1:30 pm Cantata Practice  
5 pm Kiwanis All You Can Eat Soup

### Monday March 27

4:30 pm Alliance Potato Fundraiser

### Tuesday March 28

GLCW Circles  
1:30 pm Rachel/Martha  
5 pm Mary Circle

### Wednesday March 29

8:30 am Quilting  
5 pm Kids Alive/Confirmation  
5:30 pm Lenten Supper  
6:30 pm Lenten Service  
6:30 pm HS Youth Group

### Thursday March 30

9:30 am Bible Study  
7 pm Cantata Practice

### Friday March 31

6:30 pm Confirmation Students Movie Night

### Saturday April 1

8 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

### Sunday April 2-Palm Sunday

9 am Worship (HC) & Radio Broadcast  
10 am Coffee Hour / Journey with Jesus  
10:30 am Choir  
7 pm Easter Cantata



## GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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## Fifth Sunday of Lent



## CHOSEN PEOPLE

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC.....“Hear, O Lord, I Raise My Voice” OSB #229 vv. 1-3  
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### GATHERING!

INVOCATION .....“*We are gathered here*”  
CONFESSION OF SIN  
SONG OF MERCY.....“*Kyrie Eleison*”  
WORDS OF FORGIVENESS  
SONG OF PRAISE.....“*The Journey of Praise*”  
PRAYER OF THE DAY  
BAPTISM HYMN.....“Make This Child Yours” OSB #140  
BAPTISM- Holland Rohde  
SPECIAL MUSIC—ADULT CHOIR.....“When You Call”

### PROCLAMATION!

INTRODUCTION TO THE LESSONS  
FIRST READING **Ezekiel 37:1-14**  
PSALM **130** (read responsively)  
SECOND READING **Romans 8:6-11**  
SONG OF THE WORD.....“**Listen**”  
GOSPEL **John 11:1-45**  
SERMON.....Pastor Carla Nelson  
SERMON HYMN.....“Jesus Is a Rock in a Weary Land” ELW #333  
PRAYERS

### PRAISE!

NOISY OR NOT OFFERING  
OFFERING/RESPONSE.....“Everybody’s Got Something to Offer”  
GREAT THANKSGIVING  
LORD’S PRAYER (traditional)  
INVITATION TO COMMUNION  
COMMUNION  
DISTRIBUTION HYMNS.....“Dry Bones”  
.....“I Am the Bread of Life” ELW #485  
.....“As the Grains of Wheat” ELW #465  
COMMUNION BLESSING  
PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

### SENDING!

BENEDICTION  
CLOSING SONG.....“Children of the Heavenly Father” ELW# 781  
DISMISSAL

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

## SERVING AT GRACE Sunday, March 26

GREETERS.....Rod and Shannon Heikes  
USHERS.....Dale and Mary Ellen Kreutz  
ACOLYTES.....Pate Gunderson and Brinley Heikes  
ASSISTING MINISTER.....Kim Webber  
COMMUNION HELPERS.....Tessa Gunderson  
LESSON READER .....Blake Williams  
MUSIC.....Marlene Kotab, Dan Chapman, and Danilee Pudwill  
SOUND.....Christian Kotab  
PROJECTOR.....Michelle Williams  
COFFEE HOSTS.....Sue Whitford, Karen Hansen and Sharon Collins  
ALTAR GUILD.....Chris and Melissa Pankratz  
MONEY COUNTERS.....David Lyons and Clay Lange

## SERVING AT GRACE Wednesday, March 29

MEAL HOSTS.....GLC Quilters  
ACOLYTES.....Alex Weingartner and Quintin Kelly  
PROJECTOR.....Michelle Williams/Youth  
SOUND.....JD Williams  
MUSIC.....Marcia Potts, and Marlene and Christian Kotab

## SERVING AT GRACE Sunday, April 2 - Palm Sunday

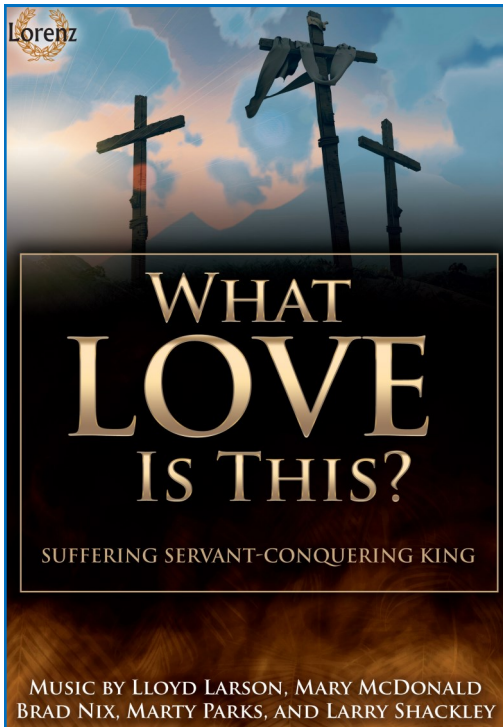
GREETERS.....Al and Tessa Gunderson  
USHERS.....  
ACOLYTES.....Kwynnlee and Kerrigan Meland  
ASSISTING MINISTER.....Tim Patmore  
COMMUNION HELPERS.....Tessa Gunderson  
LESSON READER .....Paulette Meland  
MUSIC.....Marlene Kotab, Dan Chapman, and Danilee Pudwill  
SOUND.....Christian Kotab  
PROJECTOR.....  
COFFEE HOSTS.....Diana Bauer and Darlene Mullins  
ALTAR GUILD.....Sue Whitford and Karen Hansen  
MONEY COUNTERS.....

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The Sturgis Area Arts  
Council

Presents

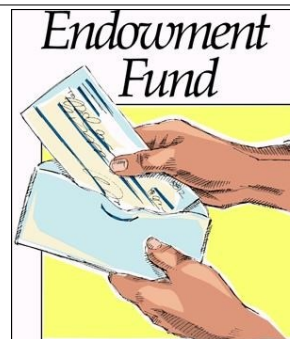
The 14th Sturgis-Area  
Easter Cantata

Palm Sunday, April 2  
and Tuesday, April 4

7:00 p.m.

Grace Lutheran Church

Receptions follow each performance



## 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 by April 24.**

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!



## GLC YOUTH BAKE SALE

The youth will be  
selling baked  
goods on Palm  
Sunday during  
coffee hour. All  
donations will go  
to the youth for  
future activities.

