

West Prairie Free Lutheran Church

Sunday School 9:15 a.m.

Worship 10:30 a.m.

First Sunday in Lent – February 22nd, 2026

Prelude – Welcome – Announcements

Call to Worship

Psalm 149:1-4

Praise the Lord! Sing to the Lord a new song, his praise in the assembly of the godly! Let Israel be glad in his Maker; let the children of Zion rejoice in their King! Let them praise his name with dancing, making melody to him with tambourine and lyre! For the Lord takes pleasure in his people; he adorns the humble with salvation.

Hymn

Come Thou Almighty King

Hymn 135

Praises and Prayer Requests

Confession of Sin

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

Declaration of Grace

Worship Song

Projected

Scripture Readings

Genesis 3:1-21

Pew Bible 2

Matthew 4:1-11

Pew Bible 809

Confession of Faith

Apostles' Creed

Hymnal p. 32

Offering

Hymn

O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing

Hymn 181

Message

Gracious God

1 Samuel 21:1-15

Pew Bible 244

Hymn

He Leadeth Me

Hymn 447

The Lord's Prayer

Benediction & Doxology

Hymn 390

If you are visiting today, please sign the guest book in the narthex.
If you have any questions or needs, call Pastor Ryan at 701-429-7101.

This week at West Prairie (February 22 – March 1)

Wed	5:30 p.m.	Confirmation
	6:15 p.m.	Soup and Sandwich Supper (Sign-up in the Narthex!)
	7:00 p.m.	Lenten Service (Offering for the Perry Center)
	7:45 p.m.	Youth Group
Sat	9:30 a.m.	Feed My Starving Children
Sun	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cookbooks- There will be opportunities to buy cookbooks after the original order, but it would be helpful to have pre-order numbers to get an estimated total cookbooks needed. We are charging \$25 per cookbook with the excess money being put into the building project fund. Check out the sign-up in the Narthex! You can give cash, check (made to JOY), or venmo @BrennaBerge with your cookbook payment.

MOF Luau Date Night: Come on out to church for a date night on March 7th at 6:00 p.m. being held at West Prairie. There will be Hawaiian Food, Ohana marriage game show, and Aloha Party games.

Truth Rising: A new Bible Study open to anyone 13+ will be on Sundays from March 22nd -May 3rd at 7:00 p.m. Truth Rising is a bold call to live with clarity, confidence, and conviction in a culture where truth is often under fire. If you have any questions, reach out to Ron Ness (701-388-7371).

Directory Photos: It has been a couple of years since our directory was updated. Please text a recent family photo to Brenna 701-370-3306 for our West Prairie Photo Directory.

Sonrise Service: If you would like to organize the 8:00 a.m. Sonrise Layman service on Easter Sunday, contact Michael Lynnes. This would be finding volunteers for monologue reading, special musics, children's sermons, etc.

Egg Hunt: Mark your calendars for the annual egg hunt at the Patenaude home for *March 28th at 2:00 p.m.*

Mission Highlight: Check out your insert for more information on this month's AFLC Missionary. Hang it on your fridge to pray all month long!

VBS will be June 1-4 this year from 3-5 p.m. Let the Berges know if you are interested in helping out!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO
TODAY - Zoey Young
23rd - Vayda Ness
26th - Julia Woodbury
28th - Hope Guzik
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO
27th - Andrew and Megan Woodbury

Reader next Sunday: Jared Ness

Ushers next Sunday: Murphy Family

Custodians for February: Ness & Young

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