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April 2018



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Obeying Christ and Opening Doors to Faith

The deadline for the May Newsletter is April 19.

Worship at First Lutheran

April 1

Easter Day

First Lesson: Acts 10:34-43

Second Lesson: 1 Cor. 15:1-11

Psalm: 118:1-2, 14-24

Gospel: Mark 16:1-8

April 8

Second Sunday of Easter

First Lesson: Acts 4:32-35

Second Lesson: 1 John 1:1—2:2

Psalm: 133

Gospel: John 20:19-31

April 15

Third Sunday of Easter

First Lesson: Acts 3:12-19

Second Lesson: 1 John 3:1-7

Psalm: 4

Gospel: Luke 24:36b-48

April 22

Fourth Sunday of Easter

First Lesson: Acts 4:5-12

Second Lesson: 1 John 3:16-24

Psalm: 23

Gospel: John 10:11-18

April 29

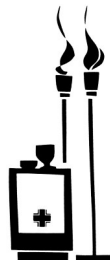
Fifth Sunday of Easter

First Lesson: Acts 8:26-40

Second Lesson: 1 John 4:7-21

Psalm: 22:25-31

Gospel: John 15:1-8



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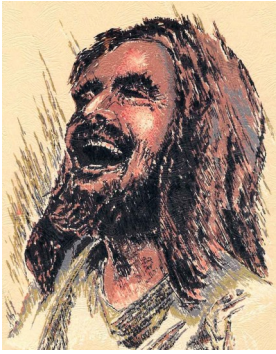
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Spring is Here Pastor Doug

Spring is here, and new growth can already be seen coming in. It was a cold and snowy winter this year, but it helps us to even more appreciate spring and summer. New growth will come out of the death of winter. You may recall the gospel reading from the 5th Sunday in Lent, when Pastor Sandra was leading worship. From John 12:24, Jesus said, "Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit." (NRSV)

For things to change, things sometimes must die. We can keep on trying to nurture something back to health, but let's face it, it will never be the same. The hard part is to know when it is time to let something go. The question to ask is, why am I doing what I am doing and does it further the kingdom of God? If who we are and what we do are not centered in being a disciple of Jesus, then whatever we may do has flaws right from the start. This is not to say that God cannot work with it.

Jesus calls Christians to be His disciples. This does require a death to the old-self, to be reborn as a disciple of Christ. Discipleship is more than just being a believer. It is much deeper rooted. The church council is in the process of reading a book called, "Power Surge: Six Marks of Discipleship for a Changing Church", by Michael W. Foss. There

have been positive changes here at First Lutheran and there will continue to be positive changes. More than that, the church of Christian believers is having to change in response to a changing world and a God who continues to create and challenge the believers.

The book is very insightful in learning how to respond to God's love for us in Jesus Christ. It is when we take into our being the immensity of God's love that we feel self-compelled to live in such a way that keeps Christ at the center of who we are as disciples. This applies not only when we are with other Christians, but even when we are not. It is not just when we attend worship, but it is even when we are at work. We don't get to turn discipleship on and off. We can be living examples of the gospel of Jesus Christ. It is St. Francis of Assisi that is given credit for saying, "Preach the Gospel at all times, and if necessary use words."

Discipleship is not promised to be easy, in one sense. Jesus said to his disciples, "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me will find it." (Mt. 16:14-25 NIV). However, when we fully embrace discipleship our lives will be change. The burdens that matter will be released. Our focus will change, and life will change. Jesus says, "Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light." (Mt. 11:29-30 ESV)

May the Holy Spirit empower us to become disciples of Christ.

Pr. Doug

Anniversaries

Bob and Betty Barto—April 15
Bill and Betty Bass—April 24
Shane and Jaimee Benson—April 21
Ken and Lynnelle Conley—April 21
Bart and Sara Gunderson—April 7
Lance and Jean Hedquist—April 29
Todd and Sheila Heitman—April 30
Gordon and Jane Krogh—April 29
Merle and Kim Long—April 14
Roger and Susan Monk—April 6
Kelly and Joey Robinson—April 17
Ray and Colleen Schleusener—April 17
Lonnie and Carolyn Slaughter—April 14

Happy Birthday

Nyamal Diew—April 12
Kris Dill—April 15
Rose Dudley—April 14
Tom Durant—April 26
Flo Frey—April 19
Lucy Gagnon—April 26
Richelle Guy—April 22
Jan Johansen—April 12
Scott Koeppe—April 4
Jackie Lacy—April 8
Del Lieber—April 15
Kimon Litras—April 30
Bill McLarty—April 23
Bruce Menuey—April 22
Alyssa Nelson—April 28
Carrie Novak—April 12
Paige Oliva—April 18
Ellen Prescott—April 30
Les Rahn—April 16

Angel Ruvalcaba—April 22
Cindy Stastny—April 10
George Weiland—April 27
William Weiland—April 14

Youth Birthdays

Julie Geveshausen—April 13
Tyrese Gill—April 5
Jayden Grove—April 11
Bailey Johnson—April 26
Aiden Kleinberg—April 29
Lucas Leiting—April 23
Branden Lieber—April 4
Michael Sigsbee—April 16
Nicole Strong—April 15
Aubree Van Berkum—April 2
Shelbee Van Berkum—April 29

No Salad Luncheon

By now we all know there will be no Salad Luncheon and Bake Sale at First Lutheran Church this year. It breaks my heart to say that. We will give in to the Sioux City Women's Power Luncheon. But you know what? Our First Lutheran Church women are faithful women—faithful to our Lord, faithful to our church, faithful workers and helpers. The suggestion has been made that we have a salad-less salad luncheon and no-bake bake sale. If each of you would think back to last year and remember what you furnished for the event, then add up the cost of the ingredients and make that amount as a donation to our church. Sunday, April 22 would be a good target date to do that. It won't be as much fun as the last 26 years have been, but just think what your donation can do to enhance our church's treasury. And, we will

all feel better just knowing that we have helped. That is what faithful women do!

-Mary Wolf

The One and Only Thing

Like it or not, the Church in the United States is in crisis—attendance is dropping, membership declining, and congregations closing. In typical fashion, we often turn to blaming. We try to find someone or something to blame. Blaming is always a waste of time; it is not productive.

One of the things the reformation taught us that would be good for us focus on: when in crisis, go back to the basics. So what are the basics of the Christian faith—**THE ONE AND ONLY THING?**

And what's that you ask. It is that the foundation of the universe, the foundation of creation, the foundation of the Church is **LOVE**.

The primary energy of the church is **LOVE**, because God is **LOVE**. **LOVE** is primary to being the Church of Jesus Christ. Without love, we are only noisy gongs or clanging symbols (1 Corinthians 13:1). **LOVE** helps us forgive rather than blame. **LOVE** reaches out to one another even when we disagree with each other. Without **LOVE**, we are in crisis.

Richard Rohr in his devotionals shares this reflection: "Christianity is a lifestyle—a way of being in the world that is simple, non-violent, shared, and loving. However, we made it into an established 'religion' (and all that goes with that) and avoided the lifestyle change itself. One could be warlike, greedy, racist, selfish, and vain in most of Christian history, and still believe that Jesus is one's 'personal Lord and Savior'...The world has no

time for such silliness anymore. The suffering on Earth is too great."

Sincerely,

A caring member of this congregation

Family Spring Fling

Spring is in the air and we want to help celebrate it! Come and join us April 15 at 2:30 pm for an afternoon of punch and snacks while you and your family dance to all your favorite tunes. Don't like dancing? That's okay! Come and join us as we listen to songs from each generation. All are welcome! Come join the fun!

Women of the ELCA

The Women of the ELCA Spring Gathering, Northeast Conference, will be held April 28 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Coleridge, beginning at 8:30 am. Workshops have been planned, and an inspirational speaker, Betty Heier, will share her experiences as a caretaker. She will inspire you with her humor and laughter as she takes you through the harsh reality of caring for a cancer patient. For more information, contact Bonnie Prosser (494-3384).

Altar Care

Volunteers are needed to help with altar care. For more information or to volunteer, please contact Kathy Anders (274-4383) or Sandy Larson (494-2135).

Live Video Feed

We now have a live video feed on our website. Visit flcsc.org to watch online if you are unable to join us on Sunday!

Financial Reports

WOMEN OF THE ELCA GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, April 3, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.

Program: Brenda Zahnly

Devotions: Jane Krogh

Hostesses: Kathy Anders and Kris Bergstrom



⊗⊗⊗ CIRCLE MEETINGS ⊗⊗⊗

LYDIA GROUP: April 12, 2018 7:00PM

LEADER: Jennifer Durant

HOSTESS: Marlene Heithold

CIRCLE I: April 16, 2018 2:00PM

LEADER: Joann Kleinberg

HOSTESS: Jo Ann Addison

Jo Ann Garvey

CIRCLE II: April 10, 2018 9:15AM

LEADER: Group

HOSTESS: Cathie Galvin



Bible Study

“Multiple Meanings”

Lydia: “Resting in Him: I Need to Slow Down But I Can’t!”

Treasurer’s Report - February 2018

Beginning General Fund Balance: \$ - 35,884.13

Receipts:

Contributions \$16,014.52

Misc. Income 220.38

TOTAL: \$16,234.90

Expenses:

Pastor’s salary \$ 3,458.34

Pastor’s allowances / exp. 3,540.53

Auxiliary staff salaries 6,116.64

Payroll Taxes 467.93

Parsonage Payment/Utilities 1,046.91

Utilities 2,133.85

Grounds Maint. 19.88

Building Maint. 1,503.04

Janitorial Supplies 207.12

Office Expenses 59.46

Worship & Music 266.00

Organ & Piano Exp. 270.00

Youth 70.00

Altar Care 13.14

Parish 1,710.90

Insurance 2,373.00

Benevolence 601.25

TOTAL: \$23,857.99

Transfer to Capital Improvement: \$ 100.00

Transfer from other funds: \$ 50.00

Ending General Fund Balance: \$ -43,557.22

February Attendance & General Fund Receipts

February 4	110	\$ 3,490.69
February 11	111	\$ 3,323.80
February 14	95	\$ 553.00
February 18	133	\$ 2,915.00
February 21	96	\$ 380.00
February 25	114	\$ 5,072.03
February 28	25	\$ 280.00

With Deepest Sympathy

We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the following families. Please keep them in your prayers.

Gladys Hedquist and family, on the death of Gladys' sister, Margie Shaffer, who passed away Thursday, March 22.

What is Performance and What is Worship?

A few members have commented about the contemporary service being a "Performance" or "Production" rather than "real" worship. If you visit an auditorium style church, you'll see a true performance, with great production values. They have concert hall seating, refreshments, huge projection screens, slick production values by video crews, pyrotechnics, dancers, and professional musicians with sophisticated rock concert sound equipment. Many even have synchronized 'click' tones in earpieces for perfect timing for playing and singing of songs. And they may have a service leader who's part game show host, part evangelist and perhaps even part faith healer.

If you go to their YouTube channel, you'll see slickly made videos every bit as good as those made by rock stars. To those churches, it is in-

deed a performance and production—they believe it's the best way to reach those that attend their services. There are young church goers who are eager to be entertained in that manner. It's what they are used to seeing on their phones and tablets—and at the concerts they attend.

The performance style is the extreme opposite of a traditional service. So where does that place our contemporary worship service? Almost in between, but much closer to traditional than performance. Our contemporary worship keeps the best of Lutheran worship and theology while providing current and relevant worship music for those seeking an alternative to the traditional worship styles. Martin Luther took tunes from "Ye Old Tavern" (Bar tunes) and replaced the words with Lutheran theological worship lyrics. Thus, he created new contemporary style of songs, for the times.

While our contemporary service has more songs and they are not from the green hymnal, it's not performance art. Our singers and musicians have a passion for Lutheran worship—and contemporary Christian music. Our service still has readings, it still has communion, the same prayers, sermon, etc. We keep a confession, prayer of the day, offering prayer, Apostles' Creed but in song format and we even sing the Lord's Prayer. It's just presented in a different way—an upbeat way that some seek—than a traditional service. It's done that way to help attract younger people and families to church. Did you know that when Beethoven was playing music in the churches, he attracted people to the church to hear his music? His music was contemporary then but today it is not, and not even traditional. It could be more considered at this time, classical. The age of the music and those who listen to it helps determine contemporary, traditional or classical.

I've also heard, "we're Lutherans and we just don't do worship that way." The reality is, Lutheran churches are offering contemporary services, in ever growing numbers. And some newer ELCA churches do not have any fully traditional service at all. They offer a 'classic' service (blended service leaning towards contemporary) and a full contemporary service.

It's not only our church wrestling with change—just about every denomination that has long been traditionally based is facing the same issue. Many are meeting the challenge of change and being VERY successful. We can endure our sufferings as we change. "For we, through this severe suffering and endurance, shall have the prize of virtue and shall be with God, on whose account we suffer" (4 Mac 9:8 NRSV) But it takes time, perseverance and faith. "... we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us." (Rom 5:3–5 NIV) It is not easy to change but we can do it!

Like many churches, First Lutheran depends on its older members for so much. We (hey, I'm 65, after all, so I count myself in the 'We' group) volunteer for more things and attend church regularly. We tend to give more of our time, donations and more.

But we ARE getting older. And for our church to survive after we leave, perhaps in retirement or eventually to meet our friends in heaven, we need to reach out to

surrounding communities, our friends and neighbors and be the best disciples and ministers we can be and embrace change. Right now! We cannot keep doing what we have always done but we must do something different. We must do something that encourages others to be part of God's kingdom. We need to provide something that meets people where they are at, so they can hear the gospel now, rather than later, thereby making disciples of all nations. Discipleship leads to membership, not the other way around.

To bring a new generation of people into our church, we need to offer them the best worship experience we can—and in more ways than just the traditional. We won't give them "Performance" art in a huge, impersonal auditorium. But we WILL give them two choices of meaningful worship services, richly steeped in Lutheran theology and practices...and let them decide which is right for THEM.

J.R. Reider, Contemporary Music Leader

Social Ministry

The Social Ministry committee collects "Pantry" items each month to donate to the needs of our community. The Pantry items collected for April are women's and children's clothing, along with toiletries, pillows, and twin mattress pads for Haven House and the Council on Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence. Food items for families in need will also be collected. Please leave your donations in the cart in the entryway.

College Care Packages

The Youth Committee will be packing college care packages on Sunday, April 8. Please contact the church office (494-5461 or office@flcsc.org) or Rita Todd (494-2968 or toddsix@aol.com) with

your son or daughter's mailing address by Friday, April 6, even if it hasn't changed from the last time.

Thank You

First Lutheran Church Food Pantry-

Thanks to Circle I for their donation of food. Forty-seven food boxes were distributed in February.

Jackie Gierman-Thank you to Wilbur and Sandy Larson, Mary Wolf, JoAnn Addison and Randy Rahn for delivering Easter plants.

Office Closed

The church office will be closed on Monday, April 2, in observance of Easter.

Electronic Giving

Electronic giving has been here at First for a few years now. The current system is not very flexible or customizable. It does work, but there could be some improvements. Right now, if you want to make a change in how often, the amount or even stopping your giving, you must fill out a form to be given to the office to have the changes made.

At the last council meeting, we continued a discussion from the 2017 council regarding updating to a feature rich and flexible system to help more people sign up and become regular givers, as well as allowing seekers and visitors to help support the missions of First Lutheran.

This new system, called easyTithe™, will allow for us to capture giving from our website and Facebook site. We have had an increase in those watching our services via the web, and this will give them an opportunity to help support that. The traditional service on March 18 had 11 views on the video and the Sprit Connection service had 5 views. Some of the services have as high as 28 views.

With easyTithe™, we will be able to set up fund accounts for those that want to give to a specific mission and the general fund. Some examples might be: Organ Fund, Bell Fund, Youth, Camp, Leadership Lab, VBS, Live Streaming and Sunday School. The possibilities are endless. We will have the opportunity to take credit card, direct deposit and Electronic Transfer of funds for almost anything we want here.

Not everyone will take advantage of all the features, but some will. Here is a list of the possible features available to us: Online Giving, Recurring Giving, Mobile Giving, Event Forms for giving, Online Store, Text Giving, and ACH/eCheck. We are being given 60 days free trial and that will start in April. Set-ups will begin on the systems and there will be opportunities to sign up in late April and all of May. That is not to say that you cannot sign up at any time. But we will have people stationed on Sundays at the Welcome Center to help anyone wanting to get signed up during May.

Providing this type of giving can help increase our giving. According to easyTithe™, "The average easyTithe™ church increases its

giving budget by 32%". Look for more information soon! As part of this new campaign of giving, we will develop a reusable electronic giving card that can be placed in the pews. It will give information about electronic giving but also allow those that give electronically something to put in the offering plate when it is passed.

Supporting the mission of God through First Lutheran.

Peace and blessings

Pr. Doug

Music and Theatre

Music and theatre has always been a way for me to reach out to people; these two art forms allow me/us to help others and it opens our eyes to a different way of seeing things. I truly hope that all of you who were able to experience the Lenten portrayals enjoyed them. Each portrayal brought a new level of insight to each biblical character. When I approached Pastor Doug with this idea and he said yes, I was so excited that this was going to happen, and that you would all get to experience it. I personally want to thank my friends and husband for doing such amazing jobs and sacrificing your time. So, thank you Dale Hartshorn, Tim Niemeyer, John Krager and Benji Cotter, you amaze me.

To those involved in the "Living Last Supper": Thank you for your time and talent! For transporting the congregation into the moment and setting a great tone for the service. Each

one of you did a wonderful job and I appreciate you. Brandon Trautwein, Mike Hunter, Scott Koepp, Benji Cotter, John Krager, Chris Kleinberg, Lucas Fader, Jim Roscovius, Kyle Walz, Tim Niemeyer, Kimon Litras, Chad Cain and Ronda Litras.

I look forward to more theatrical adventures with FLC, VBS, the Christmas program for the kids and new music for the Choirs.

Start each day with music in your heart.

Joey Hartshorn

Vacation Bible School

We are looking for volunteers for Vacation Bible School. If you are interested in helping, please contact Joey Hartshorn (712-389-4492).

If You Want to Walk on Water, You Have to Get Out of the Boat!

For those who were interested in this study, we will meet at church on the following days:

Sunday 4/22 at 12:00 pm (After second service)

Tuesday 04/24 at 6:00 pm

There is still room to join any of the two groups.

Cost of the participation guide is \$6.50. If you are truly interested in attending, but cannot afford the book, that's okay too! Don't let the cost keep you from learning how to "Walk on Water".

This is a 6 week session meeting for about an hour and half.

Youth Lock-In

There will be a lock-in for middle school and high school youth on Friday, April 6 at 9:00 pm. Cost is \$10. Each youth may bring one friend. There is a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center. Please pick up your child on Saturday by 7:00 a.m. Contact Rita Todd (494-2968) for more information.

Cleaning Supplies Needed

If you would like to help support First Lutheran by buying cleaning supplies, the following items are used: Kleenex, glass cleaner, cleaning cloths, furniture polish, spray cleaner and sanitary wipes for the nursery. Please place any donations in the box by the narthex.

Costumes Needed

Do you like to sew? We are looking for a volunteer to sew costumes for the Children's Christmas Program. For more information, please contact Joey Hartshorn (712-389-4492).



April Flower Chart

April 1 (Altar) Given by the Johansen family in memory of Eric, Kristin and Adrienne.

April 8 (Altar) Given in memory of Margie Shaffer, Gladys Hedquist's sister.

April 15 (Altar) Given by Don and Lucy Gagnon in honor of all of their April birthdays and their many blessings.

April 22 (Altar) Given by Marv and Kathy Muirhead in honor of Bailey Johnson's 7th birthday.

April 29 (Altar) Given by Gordon and Jane Krogh in honor of their wedding anniversary today.



APRIL 1—EASTER WORSHIP at 6:30 am, 8:15 am and 10:30 am

APRIL 2—WOMEN OF THE ELCA GENERAL MEETING at 7:00 pm

APRIL 15—SPRING FLING at 2:30 pm

MAY 12—MOTHER'S DAY TEA at 1:30 pm

MAY 28—OFFICE CLOSED

JUNE 16—FATHER'S DAY COOKOUT at 3:00 pm

JULY 4—OFFICE CLOSED

SEPTEMBER 3—OFFICE CLOSED

OCTOBER 28—CONFIRMATION

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Thanks to our April Volunteers

<u>April 1</u>	<u>April 8</u>	<u>April 15</u>	<u>April 22</u>	<u>April 29</u>
<u>Resurrection of Our Lord</u>	<u>Second Sunday of Easter</u>	<u>Third Sunday of Easter</u>	<u>Fourth Sunday of Easter</u>	<u>Fifth Sunday of Easter</u>
<u>Lectors:</u> 6:30 am Ronda Litras 8:15 am Haley Koeppe 10:30 am Mike Hunter	<u>Lectors:</u> 8:15 am Bob Barto 10:30 am Linda Kendra	<u>Lectors:</u> 8:15 am Ellen Prescott 10:30 am Daniele Feenstra	<u>Lectors:</u> 8:15 am Jan Johansen 10:30 am Kim Long	<u>Lectors:</u> 8:15 am Terri Gotch 10:30 am Peg Foxhoven
<u>Cantor:</u> 8:15 am Tim Niemeyer 10:30 am Joey Hartshorn	<u>Cantor:</u> 8:15 am	<u>Cantor:</u> 8:15 am	<u>Cantor:</u> 8:15 am	<u>Cantor:</u> 8:15 am
<u>Acolytes:</u> 6:30 am Tyler Fader <i>volunteer needed</i> 8:15 am Jessica Baker Tyler Fader 10:30 am <i>volunteer needed</i> <i>volunteer needed</i>	<u>Acolytes:</u> 8:15 am Nate Feenstra Autumn Phommavong 10:30 am Julie Geveshausen Aubree Van Berkum	<u>Acolytes:</u> 8:15 am Jessica Baker Diew Diew 10:30 am Jake Gill Breck Swanson	<u>Acolytes:</u> 8:15 am Nyaluet Diew Tyler Fader 10:30 am Drew Benson Ashlyn Rich	<u>Acolytes:</u> 8:15 am Branden Lieber Michael Sigsbee 10:30 am Aidan Arneson Peyton Martinez
<u>Ushers:</u> 6:30 am Kathy Anders Kris Bergstrom John & Barb Koskovich 8:15 am Jan & Linda Johansen Randy & Theresa Grove 10:30 am John, Lucas and Tyler Fader	<u>Ushers:</u> 8:15 am Kathy Anders Kris Bergstrom Jan & Linda Johansen 10:30 am Bart & Terri Gotch Mike & Sue Hunter	<u>Ushers:</u> 8:15 am Kathy Anders Kris Bergstrom Jan & Linda Johansen 10:30 am Bart & Terri Gotch Mike & Sue Hunter	<u>Ushers:</u> 8:15 am Kathy Anders Kris Bergstrom Jan & Linda Johansen 10:30 am Bart & Terri Gotch Mike & Sue Hunter	<u>Ushers:</u> 8:15 am Jan & Linda Johansen 10:30 am Bart & Terri Gotch
<u>Altar Care:</u>	<u>Altar Care:</u>	<u>Altar Care:</u>	<u>Altar Care:</u>	<u>Altar Care:</u>
<u>Money to safe:</u> 6:30 am 8:15 am Linda Johansen 10:30 am Sue Hunter	<u>Money to safe:</u> 8:15 am Linda Johansen 10:30 am Sue Hunter	<u>Money to safe:</u> 8:15 am Linda Johansen 10:30 am Sue Hunter	<u>Money to safe:</u> 8:15 am Linda Johansen 10:30 am Sue Hunter	<u>Money to safe:</u> 8:15 am Linda Johansen 10:30 am Sue Hunter
<u>Communion Assistants:</u> 6:30 am Kathy Anders John Fader Lucas Fader 8:15 am Linda Johansen 10:30 am Sue Hunter	<u>Communion Assistants:</u> 8:15 am Judy Blessing Linda Johansen Deb Kenny 10:30 am Chad Cain Sue Hunter	<u>Communion Assistants:</u> 8:15 am Kathy Anders Judy Blessing Sue Hunter 10:30 am Chad Cain Sue Hunter	<u>Communion Assistants:</u> 8:15 am Kathy Anders Judy Blessing Sue Hunter 10:30 am Chad Cain Sue Hunter	