

This week's calendar 04/14/2024 thru 04/21/2024

Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service with Communion, Make-A-Change Sunday – Pastor Jaime Decker

Baptism of Amelia Heitmanek

3-4 PM Visitation for Shirley Christensen, 4:00PM Prayer Service

Monday 6:30 PM Book Study

Wednesday Confirmation

Thursday 9:00 AM Bits N' Stitches Quilting

Friday Pastor Jaime's Sabbath

Sunday 9:30 AM Earth Day Worship Service – Pastor Jaime Decker & Deacon Erin Powers

Worship Assistants April 14th April 21st April 28th

Reader: Val Bjork Julie Johnson Nancy Wrage

Communion: Paul White Martin Potts Becky Salberg

Sound System: New Sound System, Kris is running it at this time. **If anyone wants to learn let her know!** Thank You

Ushers: April Ushers

Captain: Tomothy & Jessica Peterson

Dennis & Denise Dahl Pete & Janae Sherlock Kris & Shawn Beck

Weekly Giving April 7th

Total: \$ 1745.00 Weekly Amount Needed To Meet Budget: \$4053.27

*Because you give...we worship, fellowship, learn, serve and grow. Thank you for your generosity!

GA 2024 Budget: \$210,770.00 **Giving to Date:** \$35,309.00 **Giving Needed by 12-31-24:** \$175,461.00

This week we lift in prayer to God:

- + Those in our congregation celebrating their **birthday** this week: Chelsey Anderson, Chad Crandall, Tyler Beckstrom, Lynn Jacobson, Shawn Beck, Treana Berreth, Ben Hanson, Olivia Waswick, Ken Wiederholt, LaVon Stoppleworth, Sawyer Toepke, Joshua Crellin, Brandon Holden, James Johnson, Sheridan McKeever, Randy Christensen, Jason Nelson, Jared Crellin, Emma Osier, Cody Huffar.
- + <u>Those in our congregation celebrating their **anniversary** this week</u>: Jolene & Tim Christensen, Darci & Roger Asche Karen & Terry Euscher
- + <u>Those in our community</u>: Steve Jacobson, Karen Otteson, Kendall Putnam, Brian Christensen, Tim Christensen, Ginger Utecht, Lynn Jacobson, Nancy Wrage, Clarmont Ulven, Betty Johnson, Louise Strahm, Connie Kracht.
- + Those who mourn the loss of a loved one: Family & Friends of Shirley Christensen
- ➤ <u>If you have announcements</u> for G.A. please call 678-2552 or send them to <u>galutheranchurch@outlook.com</u> or leave a note on the secretary's door. Just a reminder that all announcements and newsletters are posted to the website <u>www.galutheranchurch.org</u> check it out!
- Weekly bulletin **Deadline**: Mondays by Noon. **May** newsletter **Deadline**: **Monday**, **April** 22nd
- ➤ Office Hours: Pastor Jaime's Hours are: Monday- 9:30-11:30am, Tuesday-9:30-11:30am, Wednesday-1:00-3:00pm, Friday is Pastor Jaime's Sabbath. If you need to reach Pastor Jaime, feel free to call or txt her cell **701-680-2637** or email her at jaimedecker4@gmail.com

➤ <u>Venmo:</u> GA Church has Venmo! If you would like to use Venmo to place your Weekly, Monthly, and Annual Offerings or any other donations please do so!! Just scan the QR Code. Thank you!



➤ <u>Bridal Shower:</u> TODAY There will be a bridal shower for Grace Mathias, bride-to-be of Carter Anderson **April 14**th at 2:00 p.m. at The Springs Golf Course, Everyone is welcome!

- Easter Lily Donations: An Easter Lily was donated by Kirstin & Torey Kempel in Memory of their Grandparents, An Easter Lily was donated by Rosi Odegard in Memory of ElRoy Odegard, An Easter Lily was donated by Torey & Kirstin Kempel in Honor of their Grandson Jack, An Easter Lily was donated by Dan & Stacy McKeever in Memory of Lorie McKeever, An Easter Lily was donated by Dan & Stacy McKeever in Memory of Manny Hegle, An Easter Lily was donated by Kent & Julie Johnson in Memory of their Grandchildren, An Easter Lily was donated by Julie Waswick-Potts in Memory of Corwin Waswick, An Easter Lily was donated by Julie Waswick-Potts in Memory of Mary Lou, An Easter Lily was donated by Miles & Lannae Johnson in Memory of Ardell & Doreen Hansen and Lloyd & Elaine Johnson. An Orange Lily was donated by Brandi & Sam French in Memory of their Daughter, An Orange Begonia was donated by Sharon Beckstrom & Family in Honor of Benett's Baptism and 1st Birthday, and in Memory of Kim & Jeannette Beckstrom, An Easter Lily was donated by Jason & Rachel Nelson in Memory of Grandparents. Thank you to everyone who donated an Easter Lily or plant to help make our worship space beautiful this Easter Season.
- ➤ Thank You: YOGA would like to thank everyone for their help, donation of food and monetary donations for the EARLY breakfast this morning. We raised \$698! Thank you! Thank you!
- **Bridal Shower:** Saturday, May 4th 2:00 PM at Zion Lutheran Church. There will be a Bridal Shower for Annah Greenmyer, bride to be of Mason Wang. The couple is registered at Amazon & Target. All are welcome to attend.
- **Earth Day Worship Service:** Sunday, April 21st we will have an Earth Day worship service acknowledging and celebrating God's creation. Please join us!
- **Book Study:** Join us for a weekly book study discussing the book "The Deepest Belonging" by Kara K. Root. Our next meeting is on Monday, April 15th at 6:30 pm. Please contact Pastor Jaime for more details
- ➤ GA Choir: choir will meet TODAY after worship service.
- ➤ <u>Cancelled: Burger & Brat Feed</u> The Men's Group Annual "Burger, Brat and Bean Feed" has been Cancelled. The event will take place in the Fall.
- > <u>Sunday, April 21st</u> Deacon Erin Powers from the EaND Synod will be preaching. Join us for worship followed by fellowship and great conversation.
- ➤ <u>Bulletin Donation Sheet:</u> The bulletin donation sheet for the 2024 church season is on the table in the Narthex. If you would like to donate/sponsor a bulletin for a Sunday, please mark it down and get your payments to Carrili. Bulletin donations are \$15.00 per Sunday. Thank you for your support.
- ➤ <u>Sound System:</u> A Motion was made and passed by Church Council to pay the sound/video tech \$67.00 per service. If you are interested in Learning the new sound System please contact Kris Beck. Spread the word and Thank You in Advance for helping out!
- ➤ <u>Mowing List:</u> The mowing list will be coming out soon! With this extra shot of winter the deadline to let Carrili know if you want to be added and or removed on the list is TODAY. Thank you in advance for all of your help in keeping the yard at GA church looking great!
- ➤ <u>Women's Retreat:</u> The TNT Parish is hosting a Women's Retreat, "Rise up & Pray" on May 18th and May 19th at the Coteau des Prairies Lodge. Come join the worship, prayer and fellowship. Registration is required, please see the poster in the Narthex for more information.