



Announcements 04/05/2026



This week's calendar 04/05/2026 thru 04/12/2026

Sunday 7:00 AM Easter Sunrise Service – Pastor Jaime Decker
 YOGA Easter Breakfast between services: Open to All to attend
 9:30 AM Easter Traditional Worship Service – Pastor Jaime Decker
 No Sunday School After Worship

Monday Pastor Jaime Off – Non-Contracted thru April 13th

Thursday 9:00 AM Bits N' Stitches Quilting

Friday & Saturday Pastor Jaime's Sabbath

Sunday 9:30 AM Holy Humor Worship Service – Kirstin Kempel
 Make-A-Change Sunday Sunday School After Worship

Worship Assistants	9:30 Service- April 5 th	April 12 th	April 19 th	April 26 th
Reader:	Barb Melroe	Nancy Wrage	Kirstin Kempel	Michelle Ciesynski

Holy Communion: If you feel called to help offer God's gift of Holy Communion to God's people, please let Pastor Jaime or the ushers know before worship service or come forward when Pastor Jaime asks for communion assistants. All ages are welcome to assist with Holy Communion.

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

Ushers:	April Ushers	May Ushers
	Captain: Shawn & Kris Beck Pete & Janae Sherlock Dennis & Denise Dahl Timothy & Jessica Peterson	Captain: Brian & Val Bjork Richard & Peggy Olson David & Linda McFarland Paul White Heidi Gleason

This week we lift in prayer to God:

- + Those in our congregation celebrating their birthday: Jaylene Herman, Kristin Witkowski, Kris Nerison, Dawn Anderson, Jerry Fuss, Lynn Anderson, Marah Wittenburg, Shalon Benneweis, Benett Brintnell.
- + Those in our congregation celebrating their anniversary: Karla Ulven & Craig Beedy, Shalon & Darren Benneweis
- + Those in our community: Clarmont Ulven, Betty Johnson, Louise Strahm, Connie Kracht, John Crandall, Joyce Even, Rachel Nelson, Diane Odegard, Curt Tufty, Betty Melroe, Marissa Lyter-Hanson, Stephanie McFarland, Kandyce Sandstrom, Ty & Katelyn Michels, Delores Bohnenkamp, Weston Gregor, Dennis Peterson, Rod Glass, Jeff Tyler.
- + Those who mourn the loss of a loved one:

→ **Weekly bulletin Announcement Deadline: Mondays by Noon.** **May Newsletter Deadline: Monday, April 20th**

***If you have announcements** for G.A. please call 678-2552 or send them to galutheranchurch@outlook.com or leave a note on the secretary's door. Announcements and Newsletters are on the website www.galutheranchurch.org

****Contact Info:** To reach Pastor Jaime, feel free to call/text her **701-680-2637** or email her at jaimedecker4@gmail.com

➤ **Venmo:** 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!



➤ **Bulletin Donations:** The Bulletin Donation/Sponsor sheet for the 2026 church year is available on the table by the secretary's office. Each Sunday is \$15.00, please get payments to Carrili or Michelle Goettle. Thank you!

➤ **Book Study:** We will be reading and discussing "*The Borrowed Life of Frederick Fife*" by Anna Johnston. Our next meeting will be on Monday, April 13 at 6:30pm and discussion will cover through chapter 31 (page 163).

- **Make-A-Change:** On April 12th, we would like to have the Sunday School kids help us share with the congregation the gifts that were chosen for the “Make-A-Change”. Thanks to all who donated loose change throughout the year. GA's "Make a Change" donations truly make a positive impact on people in so many other countries around the world.
- **Easter Breakfast:** TODAY, YOGA (Youth of GA) will be serving their Annual Easter Breakfast between the Sunrise Worship service and the Traditional Worship service. The meal is Free-Will. We invite you to join us for a delicious breakfast and to help support the Youth of GA. All are welcome.
- **Burger & Hotdog Feed:** The GA Men’s Group will be hosting their Annual Burger & Hotdog feed Sunday, April 26th from 11:00am - 12:30pm. Open to the public to attend, please spread the word.
- **Easter Lily Donations:** A White Lily was donated by Shirley Waloch in Honor of all Great & Grandchildren, A White Lily was donated by Lynn Anderson in Memory of the Anderson’s, A Lily was donated by Donna & David Hansen in Honor of Their Parents, Two White Lilies were donated by Nancy Wrage “Happy Easter”, A White Lily was donated by Kirstin Kempel in Honor of Their Grandchildren, A White Lily was donated by Kirstin Kempel in Memory of Their Grandparents, Two White Lilies were donated by Martin Potts & Julie Waswick in Memory of Their Parents, Two White Lilies were donated by Lori Wiederholt “Happy Easter”. Thank you to all who donated.
- **Mowing List:** Hopefully Spring will soon be upon us!! If you would like to be added to the mowing list, and or removed, please let Carrili know by April 10th. Thank you in advance to all who donate their time and equipment to help keep the church lawn looking great!
- **Office Desk:** Carrili is looking for a new/gently used desk for the office. If you have any at your home or work that you would be willing to donate please contact her and send her a picture to see if it would be a good fit, it does need to have 2 file hanging drawers. Or, if anyone would like to offer their skills to refinish the top of her current desk that would be a great option also (it has water damage from the roof leaking). Contact Carrili with any questions. Thanks!
- **Thank You:** WELCA would like to thank all who helped with the Palm Sunday Dinner. We served 69 people and took in \$848.00. We provide support to those in need, we strengthen communities, it increases our personal happiness, and it is good for our health. Thank you!
- **Holy Humor Sunday:** Sunday April 12th, bring your funny "church appropriate" jokes to share with the assembly during this service filled with laughter and hope as we celebrate the promise of the resurrection and life everlasting.
- **WELCA Booklets:** The 2026 WELCA booklets are printed and available on the table by the secretary’s office. Feel free to grab one. Thanks!
- **Senior Meals:** Gwinner will now host a Senior Meal at Noon at the Community Center on Main Street, Tuesdays, Wednesday and Thursdays. Call 701-678-3815 to sign up. See flier in entry for more information.
- **Do You Know:** of any members that do not get our monthly newsletter, but would like to? If so, please contact Carrili at 701-678-2552 or e-mail galutheranchurch@outlook.com and let her know. Thank You.
- **Food Pantry:** The Gwinner location of the Sargent County Food Pantry: Suggested items needed: Canned items (vegetables, fruit, meat -tuna or chicken, beans, soup), ready-meals (hamburger helper, mac-n-cheese, stuffing mix), pasta & pasta sauce, pancake mix & syrup, shelf-stable juice, cereal, peanut butter, toilet paper, paper towels, Kleenex, laundry soap, dish soap, shampoo, body wash, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste. Monetary donations are also appreciated, they can be sent to PO Box 101, Forman ND 58032. Monetary donations are used for vouchers for the grocery store for perishable items (milk, eggs, bread, potatoes, fresh vegetables and fruit). Donations can be dropped off at GA church or when the Food Pantry is open in the Gwinner Community Center:104 Main St., every Tuesday, 1:00-4:00pm. Thank you for your continued support and generosity! If you or anyone you know are in need, please stop by the Gwinner location on Tuesdays from 1-4pm and pick up some supplies. Food Pantry Phone #: 701-680-7049.

