

This week's calendar 02/18/2024 thru 02/25/2024

Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service with Communion – Pastor Jaime

Sunday School After Worship

11:00 AM GA Foundation Meeting

Monday March Newsletter Deadline

Wednesday 6:00 PM Wednesday Education

6:30 PM Lent Evening Service

Thursday 9:00 AM Bits N' Stitches Quilting

Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service with Communion – Pastor Jaime – Sunday School Sings

Sunday School After Worship

5:00 PM Men's Group Meeting & Supper

<b>Worship Assistants</b>	February 18 <sup>th</sup>	February 25 <sup>t</sup>	March 3 <sup>rd</sup>

Reader: Kirstin Kempel Julie Johnson Joleen Hardy

Communion: Michelle Ciesynski Shirley Waloch Shirley Waloch

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

Ushers: February Ushers March Ushers

Captain: Dan & Stacy McKeever Captain: Miles & Lannae Johnson

Darrel & Becky Salberg
Calli & Lucas Jacobson
Heather Swanson

Torey & Kirstin Kempel
David & Donna Hansen
Terry & Karen Euscher

Sean & Dawn Anderson

Weekly Giving February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Total: \$ 5613.00 Weekly Amount Needed To Meet Budget: \$3,755.96
Attendance: 77

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

**GA 2024 Budget:** \$195,310.00 **Giving to Date:** \$11,592.00 **Giving Needed by 12-31-24:** \$183,718.00

## This week we lift in prayer to God:

- + Those in our congregation celebrating their **birthday** this week: Myrna Anderson, Michelle Ciesynski, Randy Holden Kenwood Peterson, Jewel Jones-VanTassel, Trista Weigelt, Shirley Christensen, Preston Odegard, Dennis Peterson, James D. Johnson, Lucas Lautt, Dennis Dahl, Sierra McKeever.
- + Those in our congregation celebrating their **anniversary** this week:
- + <u>Those in our community</u>: Steve Jacobson, Karen Otteson, Kendall Putnam, Brian Christensen, Tim Christensen, Ginger Utecht, Lynn Jacobson, Kay Swanson, Nancy Wrage, Clarmont Ulven, Steve Melroe.
- + Those who mourn the loss of a loved one:
- ➤ <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:** Fridays by Noon. **March** newsletter **Deadline:** Monday, February 19<sup>th</sup>
- ➤ Office Hours: Pastor Jaime's Hours are: Monday- 9:30-11:30am, Tuesday-9:30-11:30am, Wednesday-1:00-3:00pm. If you need to reach Pastor Jaime, feel free to call 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>Leaders Needed:</u> Leaders are needed for worship on the following Sunday. **March 10<sup>th</sup>.** If you are interested in leading, please let Carrili know. Thank you in advance for your help.
- ➤ <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.
- Food Pantry: The Gwinner location of the Sargent County Food Pantry Top Needs: Canned fruits/veggies, Beans, Soups, Cereal, Paper Products, Hygiene Items, Juice, Condiments, Flour, Sugar, Oil, Pasta. Monetary donations are also appreciated. Send them to PO Box 101, Forman ND 58032. Monetary donations are used for: vouchers for the grocery store for perishable items. (milk, eggs, butter, bread, cheese, potatoes, fresh vegetables and fruits). Drop off places in Gwinner for non-perishables are GA Lutheran Church, or Teals Market. You can also drop off items at the Food Pantry, located 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, feel free to stop by the Gwinner location on Tuesdays from 1-4pm and pick up some supplies.
- **Snow Removal:** Just a Reminder that snow removal is done on a voluntary basis here at GA Church. Thank you in advance, to ALL who take their time and volunteer their equipment and muscles to keep GA safe this winter season.
- ➤ <u>The GA Men's Group</u>: Date Change: Annual meeting will be held at the church, Sunday, **February 25**<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm starting with supper. The annual meeting will be at 6:00pm. Please plan to attend and enjoy the fellowship and meal.
- ➤ <u>The GA Foundation</u>: Meeting TODAY at 11:00am in the pastor's office. If you have a project to be considered for funding, please attend the meeting, or contact Dennis Dahl or Kenwood Peterson.
- **Teals Receipts:** YOGA will once again be collecting Teals Grocery receipts to turn in to help fund their educational trips and events. If you would like to help them out all you have to do is save your Teals receipts and turn them into the church office. Thank you in advance for your help.
- Annual Meeting: Will be held March 3<sup>rd</sup> after worship! Please plan on attending as we make plans for the 2024 year here at GA Church. We need enough members present so that we can vote. Thank you and see you there
- ➤ <u>Dog Beds:</u> The Bits N' Stitches Quilters have dog beds for sale, \$5.00 Each. Please contact Julie Johnson, Becky Salberg or Carrili Larson. The proceeds from the sale of the beds will go towards purchasing more supplies for Quilting. Thank you!
- Wednesday Lent Services: Wednesday night Lent services will start on February 21<sup>st</sup> and go thru March 20<sup>th</sup>. Services will be at 6:30PM with no potluck.
- ➤ <u>Buffalo Dinner:</u> Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, at Trinity Lutheran Church in Lisbon. They will serve from Noon-4:00 PM. See flier in the narthex on the bulletin board by the Library for more information.
- ➤ <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!
- **WELCA Booklets:** The 2024 WELCA Booklets are available on the table in the Narthex. Reminder all ladies that are members of GA are also members of WELCA. Thank you ladies for all that you do!
- ➤ <u>Annual Meeting Booklets:</u> The booklets for the Annual Meeting are available on the table in the Narthex, please feel free to take one home and look it over prior to the meeting, just please bring it back with you March 3<sup>rd</sup>, Thanks.