



Announcements 02/22/2026



This week's calendar 02/22/2026 thru 03/01/2026

- Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service with Communion – Betty Maly
Altar Guild Meeting after Worship
Sunday School After Worship
Pastor Jaime on Vacation thru February 28th
- Monday 6:30 PM Book Study
- Wednesday 7:00 PM Evening Lent Worship – Leader Julie Johnson
- Thursday 9:00 AM Bits N' Stitches Quilting
- Friday Pastor Jaime's Sabbath
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- Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service with Communion – Pam Maloney
Sunday School After Worship
Pastor Jaime Non-Contracted thru March 14th

Worship Assistants	February 22nd	March 1st	March 8th	March 15th
Reader:	Kirstin Kempel	Michelle Ciesynski	Sharon Beckstrom	Becky Salberg

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:	February Ushers	March Ushers
	Captain: Sean & Dawn Anderson Calli & Lucas Jacobson Heather Swanson Darrel & Becky Salberg Dan & Stacy McKeever	Captain: David & Donna Hansen Torey & Kirstin Kempel Miles & Lannae Johnson

This week we lift in prayer to God:

- + Those in our congregation celebrating their birthday: Dennis Peterson, James D. Johnson, Lucas Lutt, Dennis Dahl Sierra Christensen, Vanessa Beaver, Logan Peterson, Chad Vincent, Kristy Hohnadel, Terry Beckstrom, Aidan Anderson Dawson Peterson.
- + Those in our congregation celebrating their anniversary:
- + Those in our community: Clarmont Ulven, Betty Johnson, Louise Strahm, Connie Kracht, John Crandall, Joyce Even, Joan Peterson, Rachel Nelson, Diane Odegard, Curt Tufty, Betty Melroe, Marissa Lyter-Hanson, Stephanie McFarland, Kay Swanson, Kandyce Sandstrom, Ty and Katelyn Michels, Delores Bohnenkamp, Weston Gregor, Dennis Peterson.
- + Those who mourn the loss of a loved one: The Family & Friends of Steve Bopp.

→ **Weekly bulletin Announcement Deadline: Mondays by Noon.** **April Newsletter Deadline: Monday, March 23rd**

***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

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- **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!
- **Snow Removal:** It's that time of year again! Just a reminder, snow removal at GA is done on a voluntary basis. If you have the equipment and the time your help with keeping the church safe this winter season is greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance for your help!
- **Conference Meeting:** Our Wahpeton Conference will be meeting on Thursday, March 26th at 6:30pm at Milnor Lutheran Church to discuss the bishop election that will be held during Synod Assembly in June. All members of GA Church are invited and encouraged to attend this meeting. Please let Carrili Larson, our church secretary, or Pastor Jaime know if you will be attending so we can inform Milnor Lutheran Church.
- **Buffalo Dinner:** Sunday, March 1st from 12-3pm at Trinity Lutheran in Lisbon. Dine-in or To-Go! See flier in the Narthex(entry) for more information.
- **Mid-Week Lent:** Lent services will be held Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm starting February 25th and going thru March 25th. The theme is "*Beneath The Cross*" services will be led by Julie Johnson. There will be no potluck meal.
- **Thank You:** GA Church, Rudy & I thank you so much for thinking of us at the time of the fire. We appreciate it so much, but especially the kindness you showed us. We plan to "Pay It Forward." God Bless All Of You, Rudy & Karen Rathert.
- **German Dinner:** St Vincent's Gwinner will be holding their German Dinner, Sunday March 8, from 11am-1pm. German dishes made from scratch for you to enjoy. Menu of Borscht or knoephla soup, Cabbage roll casserole, sauerkraut, knoephla and sausage,, cheese buttons and kuchen bars. Adults \$18, 7-12 \$10, 6 and under free. Please join us for our German Feast!
- **Sunday School:** Sunday School has resumed at GA for the Spring session. This is open to all children in grades Pre-K thru 6th Grade. No registration needed, just come and join us after worship. Spread the word and see you there.
- **Annual Meeting Minutes:** GA is trying something new; Council has requested that the Annual Meeting Minutes be printed so that congregation can review them over the next few weeks. There are copies available on the little table in the Narthex(entry). If you notice any corrections and/or additions are needed, please contact Carrili so she can make those adjustments. Thank you.
- **Book Study:** We will be reading and discussing is "*A Pilgrimage into Letting Go,*" by Andrew Root and Kara K. Root. Our next meeting will be Monday, Feb 23rd at 6:30pm. We will discuss chapters 5&6. Please join me on this pilgrimage as we lean into what it looks like and what happens when we allow ourselves to let go of control. How does God show up in our letting go, and how does letting go change our encounters from aggression to resonance?
- **New Council Members:** At the annual meeting Keith Beaver and Trudy Peterson were elected to the GA Church Council. We thank you for offering your time and talents to the council. Installation of Council Members will be held during worship service on March 15th.
- **Holy Communion Class:** Monday, March 23rd: Join us for Holy Communion class at 6:30pm! This class is for YOU - Young or old, who has never eaten this meal, who has come to this meal numerous times, and who is curious or just wants a reminder of the meaning of this special meal. Please let Pastor Jaime know if you would like to attend this event.
- **Hey YOGA:** Join us Sunday, March 1st after church (around 11:00 AM) as we come together to make tie blankets for The Dwelling Church, where we'll be visiting on our summer trip. This is a great way for our youth to serve, have fun, and bless others! Lunch will be provided for all youth who attend. We are also planning lots of fundraisers to help cover the remaining trip cost! We're excited to serve together—hope to see everyone there! ~Masyn~

