



Announcements 02/04/2024



This week's calendar 02/04/2024 thru 02/11/2024

- Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service with Communion – Pastor Jaime
No Sunday School
ANNUAL REPORT DEADLINE
- Wednesday 5:15 PM Confirmation Class
No Sunday School
- Thursday 9:00 AM Bits N' Stitches Quilting
2:30 PM Ruth Circle
- Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service with Communion – Pastor Jaime, Make-A-Change Sunday
Sunday School After Worship

Worship Assistants	February 4 th	February 11 th	February 18 th
Reader:	Joleen Hardy	Carrili Larson	Kirstin Kempel
Communion:	Steve Melroe	Joleen Hardy	Michelle Ciesynski
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**
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- Captain: Dan & Stacy McKeever**
 Darrel & Becky Salberg
 Calli & Lucas Jacobson
 Heather Swanson
 Sean & Dawn Anderson

Weekly Giving	January 28 th , 2024
Total:	\$ 1387.00 <u>Weekly Amount Needed To Meet Budget: \$3,755.96</u>
Attendance:	55

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

GA 2024 Budget: \$195,310.00 **Giving to Date:** \$5979.00 **Giving Needed by 12-31-24:** \$189,331.00

This week we lift in prayer to God:

- + Those in our congregation celebrating their birthday this week: Clarmont Ulven, Kris Beck, Tayler Hansen, Sage Turchin, Chase McFarland, Emma Waloch, Jasmine Sherlock.
- + Those in our congregation celebrating their anniversary this week:
- + Those in our community: Steve Jacobson, Karen Otteson, Kendall Putnam, Brian Christensen, Tim Christensen, Ginger Utecht, Lynn Jacobson, Kay Swanson, Nancy Wrage, Clarmont Ulven, Sharon Peterson, Jewel VanTassel
- + Those who mourn the loss of a loved one:

- **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. Just a reminder that all announcements and newsletters are posted to the website www.galutheranchurch.org check it out! Weekly bulletin **Deadline:** Fridays by Noon. **March** newsletter **Deadline: Monday, February 19th**
- **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
- **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!



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- **Leaders Needed:** Leaders are needed for worship on the following Sunday. **March 10th**. If you are interested in leading, please let Carrili know. Thank you in advance for your help.
- **Bulletin Donation Sheet:** 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.
- **The GA Men's Group:** Annual meeting will be held at the church, Sunday, February 18th at 5:00pm starting with supper. The annual meeting will be at 6:00pm. Please plan to attend and enjoy the fellowship and meal.
- **The GA Foundation:** Meeting Sunday morning, February 18th 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:** It is Coming Up FAST!! 😊 The deadline for leader and financial reports from all church groups is **TODAY**, Thank you! See you at the Meeting **March 3rd after worship!**
- **Dog Beds:** 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!
- **Ash Wednesday and Lent Services:** Ash Wednesday is February 14th service time 6:30PM. Wednesday night Lent services will start on February 21st and go thru March 20th. Services will be at 6:30PM with no potluck.
- **YOGA Rose Sales:** YOGA is selling Roses, balloons & candy for Valentine's Day, and they will deliver. See the sign on the Sanctuary or Fellowship door for more information. Contact a YOGA member to place your order.
- **Giving Hearts Day:** February 8th, Giving Hearts Day continues to grow as a vital way to support synod ministry. The Eastern ND Synod is EQUIPPING LIVES and SHARING LOVE through individuals, congregations, parishes, and ministries. We hope that you will participate in this year's Giving Hearts Day. Our goal is to raise \$80,000! We have already raised \$40,000 in match dollars. <https://app.givingheartsday.org/#/charity/379> See posters for more info.
- **Sunday School & Wednesday Education:** Sunday School will resume on February 11th after worship service, and Wednesday education will resume on February 14th, time TBD.
- **Buffalo Dinner:** Sunday, March 3rd, 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.

