



# Announcements 03/12/2023



This week's calendar 03/12/2023 thru 03/19/2023

Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service No Communion – Gretchen Christensen – Sunday School Kiddos Sing  
 2:00 PM Make-A-Change Sunday, Sunday School After Worship  
 Cinema Sunday – All Are Welcome

Monday Pastor Jaime off Thru March 17<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday 6:00 PM Lent Wednesday Potluck (There will Be No Education Classes)  
 6:45 PM Lent Wednesday Worship

Thursday 9:00 AM Bits N' Stitches Quilters

Sunday 9:30 AM Worship Service With Communion-Pastor Jaime  
 No Sunday School  
 Church Council Meeting After Worship  
 2:00 PM Cinema Sunday – All Are Welcome

<b>Worship Assistants</b>	<b>March 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>March 15<sup>th</sup> (Lent)</b>	<b>March 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>March 22<sup>nd</sup> (Lent)</b>
Acolytes:	Tristen Peterson Emerson Beck	Youth	Kyle Potts Cyprian Johnson	Youth
Reader:	Michelle Goettle	Youth	Kari Gilje	Youth
Communion:	Steve Melroe	Youth	Auston Creech	Youth
Sound System:	New Sound System, Kris is running it at this time. <b><u>If anyone wants to learn let her know!</u></b> Thank You			
Greeters:	Nate Hansen/Easton Johnson	Youth	Brendan & Michelle Ciesynski	Youth
Ushers:	<b>March Ushers</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday</b>		
	<b>Captain: David &amp; Donna Hansen</b> Torey & Kirstin Kempel Miles & Lannae Johnson Terry & Karen Euscher	Sage Turchin Jack Mairs Aleysha Sarith Morgan Temple		

<b>Weekly Giving</b>	<b>March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023</b>	<b>March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023</b>
Total Envelopes:	\$	\$ No Service Held - Weather
Attendance:	52	
<b><u>Weekly Amount Needed To Meet Annual Budget: \$3,755.96</u></b>		

### **This week we lift in prayer to God:**

- + All those in our congregation who are celebrating their **birthday** this week: Bobby Beckstrom, Aaron Flannery, Richard Olson, Patricia Creech, Jonathon McFarland, Martin Potts, Ashlee Lien, John Crandall, Samuel Crandall, Casey Flannery, Lucas Jacobson, Jeremy Berreth, Tracy Nicholson, Wendy Swanson.
- + All those in our congregation who are celebrating their **anniversary** this week: Timothy & Jessica Peterson
- + All those who mourn the loss of a loved one: The Family & Friends of Patti Anderson.

If you have announcements for G.A., please call them to 678-2552 or send them to [galutheranchurch@outlook.com](mailto: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](http://www.galutheranchurch.org) check it out!

- If you need to reach Jaime feel free to call her cellphone 701-680-2637 or email her at [jaimedecker4@gmail.com](mailto:jaimedecker4@gmail.com)
- **Pastor Jaime** will be taking **Friday** off as her designated day each week.

- **Weekly bulletin announcement** **Deadline:** Fridays by Noon. **April newsletter** **Deadline:** **Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup>**
- **Snow Removal:** Just a reminder that snow removal is done at the church on a voluntary basis. If you have the time and equipment, it would be greatly appreciated if you helped out to keep the church safely accessible this winter. Thank you in advance. 😊
- **Bulletin Donation Sheet:** The bulletin donation sheet for the 2023 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.
- **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 [galutheranchurch@outlook.com](mailto:galutheranchurch@outlook.com) and let her know. Thank You.
- **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!! Our account is @GustafAdolf-LutheranChurch or scan the QR Code. Thank you!
- **Cinema Sundays** - Sundays @ 2pm we will be watching the Amazon Prime Miniseries “*The Chosen*” with discussion to follow. We will watch two episodes every Sunday. Each episode is about an hour long. All ages are welcome and invited to join us. Any questions please contact Pastor Jaime.
- **Lent Services:** Wednesday Lent Services: Potluck 5:15pm, Worship 6:45pm. The Theme for Lent is, *Seeking*: honest questions for deeper faith.
- **Burger, Brat, Hotdog Feed:** The Men’s Group will be hosting a “Burger, Brat & Hotdog Feed” Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup> from 11:00am – 12:30pm. Free-Will. Proceeds will go towards purchasing a new exterior door for the fellowship hall. Open to all to attend so please Spread The Word!
- **Palm Sunday Dinner:** WELCA will be having a Palm Sunday Dinner, Sunday April 2<sup>nd</sup> from 11am-1pm. It is Free Will and Open to ANYONE to attend. So please spread the word and we will see you there!
- **USHERS:** PLEASE remember to get a head count **EVERY SUNDAY/WEDNESDAY** and record it on the sheet in the shelf by the balcony stairs. It is important that we have this number so we can estimate Bulletins and Communion supplies needed. Thank You for all you do to help with Sunday Services and making them run smoothly.
- **First Communion:** First communion class on Monday, March 27<sup>th</sup> 6:30-8:30pm. Open to all ages. We believe parents and child(ren) are to decide when they are ready to receive Holy Communion. Please contact Pastor Jaime to sign-up for the class and/or if you have any questions. First communion participants will be recognized and receive communion during Maundy Thursday service, April 6<sup>th</sup>.
- **Office Hours:** Pastor Jaime has changed her office hours, New hours are: Monday- 9:30-11:30am, Tuesday-9:30-11:30am, Wednesday-1:00-3:00pm. She is also available by cell 701-680-2637. Friday will still remain her day off.
- **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.



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