



Announcements 03/29/2026



This week's calendar 03/29/2026 thru 04/05/2026

Sunday	9:30 AM	Palm Sunday Worship Service with Communion – Pastor Jaime Decker Sunday School After Worship
	10:45 – 12:30	WELCA Palm Sunday Dinner – Open to all to Attend
Monday	6:30 PM	Book Study
Thursday	9:00 AM	Bits N' Stitches Quilting
	6:30 PM	Maundy Thursday Service
Friday	6:30 PM	Good Friday Service
Saturday		Pastor Jaime's Sabbath
Sunday	7:00 AM	Easter Sunrise Service – Pastor Jaime Decker YOGA Easter Breakfast between services
	9:30 AM	Easter Traditional Worship Service – Pastor Jaime Decker No Sunday School After Worship

Worship Assistants	March 29th	9:30 Service- April 5th	April 12th	April 19th
Reader:	Val Bjork	Barb Melroe	Michelle Ciesynski	Kirstin Kempel

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:	March Ushers	April Ushers
	Captain: David & Donna Hansen	Captain: Shawn & Kris Beck
	Torey & Kirstin Kempel	Pete & Janae Sherlock
	Miles & Lannae Johnson	Dennis & Denise Dahl
		Timothy & Jessica Peterson

Total 2026 Giving as of Feb 28th: \$55,529.42 **2026 Budget:** \$221,492.25

This week we lift in prayer to God:

- + Those in our congregation celebrating their birthday: Bruce Holden, Kandyce Sandstrom, Keith Beaver, Michael Witkowski, Warren Seykora, Ryan Johnson, Karson Beckstrom, Kari Gilje, Paul White, Ethan Weigelt, Nancy Comegys Tysen Hansen, Benjamin Odegard, Ginny Margolis
- + Those in our congregation celebrating their anniversary: Rachel & Jason Nelson
- + 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, Kandyce Sandstrom, Ty & Katelyn Michels, Delores Bohnenkamp, Weston Gregor, Dennis Peterson, Rod Glass, Jeff Tyler.
- + Those who mourn the loss of a loved one: The Family & Friends of Kay Swanson

→ **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



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- **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!
- **Palm Sunday Dinner:** WELCA is serving Palm Sunday dinner TODAY, 10:45-12:30. Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Bun, Corn, Coleslaw and Dessert. Free Will and all are welcome to attend, so please spread the word!
- **Make-A-Change:** TODAY during Sunday School, the Sunday school kids will be choosing how to spend the "Make a Change" offering collected in 2025. Each child will be given a specific amount to spend on items of their choice from the ELCA Good Gifts Magazine. These items may include farm animals or supplies, education or school supplies, fresh water, and so much more. We hope your child is able to attend Sunday School March 29th and be a part of this. Then on April 12th, we would like to have the Sunday School kids help us share with the congregation the gifts that were chosen. 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.
- **Book Study:** We will be reading and discussing "*The Borrowed Life of Frederick Fife*" by Anna Johnston. Our next meeting will be on Monday, March 30 at 6:30pm and we will be discussing chapters 1 & 2.
- **Holy Week Services:** **March 29th:** Palm Sunday Worship 9:30am, Palm Sunday Dinner 10:45am-12:30pm
April 2nd: Maundy Thursday Service 6:30pm, **April 3rd:** Good Friday Service 6:30pm, **April 5th:** Easter Sunrise Service 7:00am, YOGA Breakfast: between services, Easter Traditional Worship Service: 9:30am.
- **Easter Service:** Easter Sunrise Worship Service 7:00am followed by Easter Traditional Worship Service: 9:30am. All are welcome to attend, please spread the word and come join us in celebrating that Jesus is Risen!
- **Easter Breakfast:** 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.
- **Easter Lily Donations:** In preparation for Easter Sunday services, the GA Altar Guild will be hanging up the crosses that hold 6 lilies in each cross. We welcome any donations of lilies or other plants to beautify the sanctuary. Lilies will not be placed in the sanctuary until the Saturday before Easter. You may place your flower donation on the table under the coat hangers in the Narthex (entry). If you donate an Easter Lily/Plant to help decorate our worship service this Easter Season please write your name on the Lily Donation sheet on the table by the secretary office and please include who the plant is in Memory/Honor of. Thank you for helping our worship space look beautiful this Easter Season.
- **Mowing List:** 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!
- **WELCA Booklets:** The 2026 WELCA booklets are printed and available on the table by the secretary's office. Feel free to grab one. Thanks!
- **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.

