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LUTHERAN CHURCH

**2026
MARCH**

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A NOTE FROM PASTOR MARK

Love Outpoured: Waiting With Hope

Romans 8:18–21

(Scripture reading for March 11)

Paul writes in Romans:

“I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed... creation itself waits with eager longing.”

Lent understands those words.

This season never asks us to pretend life is a room for worry, grief, fatigue, and the quiet burdens we carry. Yet Paul does something surprising — he does not deny suffering, but reframes it. He says creation groans not because hope is lost, but because hope is coming.

That is the heart of our Lenten theme: Love Outpoured.

God’s love is not poured out after everything is fixed.

God’s love is poured out in the middle of the waiting.

Our daily Love Outpoured devotion is meant to be a simple pause each day where we practice that hope. Not dramatic faith, but steady trust — the kind that learns, slowly, to expect God’s presence in ordinary moments.

We often think growth comes from big spiritual experiences. But Romans 8 shows something quieter. Transformation happens over time, when God meets us again and again in small ways. A few minutes in Scripture may seem small, yet day after day the Spirit reshapes how we see life.

Paul says creation waits with “eager longing” — standing on tiptoe, leaning forward. That’s what daily Scripture trains our hearts to do.

Instead of letting schedules, worries, or headlines define the day, we begin with God’s promise. Gradually we notice changes: patience comes easier, forgiveness sooner, hope steadier. Not because life got simpler, but because love has been poured into us.

So this Lent, don’t aim for perfection — aim for presence.

(Continued)



A NOTE FROM PASTOR MARK

(continued)

Miss a day? Begin again tomorrow.
Busy morning? Read it later.
Late night? Let it be your last word before sleep.

The goal isn't completing a religious task.
The goal is letting God meet you daily.

Together at Shepherd of the Prairie, these small daily moments form a shared rhythm of hope. We practice trusting that the present moment is not the end of the story.

Love is already being poured out.
God is already making all things new.

So each day this Lent, open the devotion, stand on tiptoe, and wait with hope.

I'll look forward to seeing you worship!

Pastor Mark

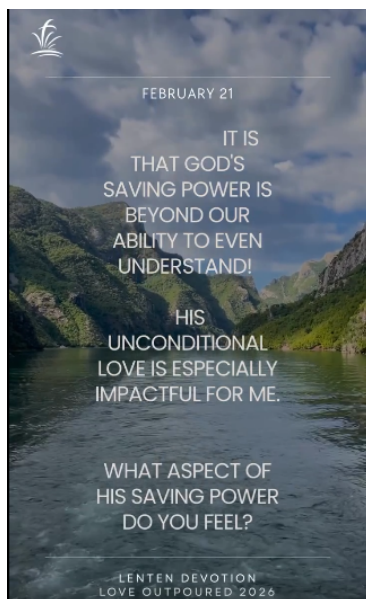
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Lenten Devotional Love Outpoured

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MINISTRY MUSING WITH DONNA

Recently, I was sitting in a long line of traffic waiting for a light to change. I looked up and saw a big, beautiful hawk sitting in a tree. As I was admiring the hawk, I noticed it was sitting on a tiny little branch at the edge of the tree. The branch was so small that it barely poked out beyond its feet. It was a teeny, tiny little branch at the end of a little bigger branch, connected to a little bit bigger branch... You get the idea.



As I watched, the hawk didn't seem to know how precarious its perch was. It simply sat peacefully on the tiny branch and looked around with seemingly no thought that the branch might give way. I was amazed at that tiny branch being able to hold up that big hawk.

Later, as I thought about the hawk and the branch, I considered how often we may find ourselves sitting out at the end of a tiny branch, looking at the world around us. Have you ever been there? I know I have. Life sometimes seems to take a wrong turn; a loved one dies, a job is lost, a rift in a relationship, a difficult diagnosis, and so many other things can have us sitting out at the end of that teeny, tiny branch, holding on for dear life.

Just as the hawk trusted that tiny little branch to hold it safely, when we feel like we are at the end of our tiny little branches, holding on for dear life, we can trust that God is holding onto us. Our God will never let us go, never let us fall off our tiny branches. Our God will sit on the branch with us, holding on to us firmly until it is time for us to fly again.

Donna

WEDNESDAY LENT ADULT STUDY

During Lent Dave Kolzow leads the Wednesday Adult Bible Study. This Lent, discover a love that isn't earned or rationed—but outpoured in Christ.

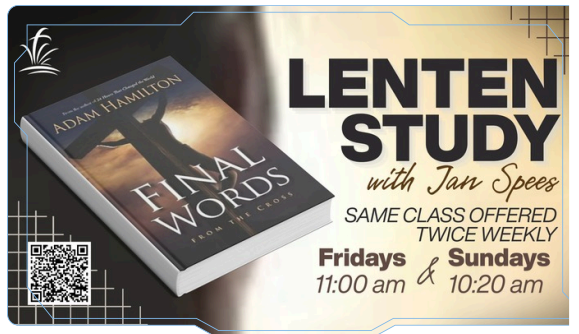
Through Paul's letter to the Romans, we'll explore grace that meets us at our worst, frees us from fear, and holds us fast through every storm. Join our midweek Bible study and be renewed by the mercy that reshapes how we live and love.



Contact: Dave Kolzow at drkolzow@gmail.com

LENTEN STUDY FRIDAY OR SUNDAY

In 24 Hours That Changed The World, Adam Hamilton took us on a Lenten journey through the last days of Jesus' life. Now in this inspiring follow-up book, Hamilton explores Jesus' final words as seen and heard through the eyes and ears of those who stood near the cross.



Each chapter begins with the biblical account followed by a first-person story as might have been told from the viewpoint of one of the characters at the cross. Then the chapter explores the meaning of Jesus' dying words for our life today. Following the last statement, a postscript recounts the words Jesus spoke following his resurrection, including what truly we're the final words Jesus spoke while walking this earth.

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BOOK CLUB

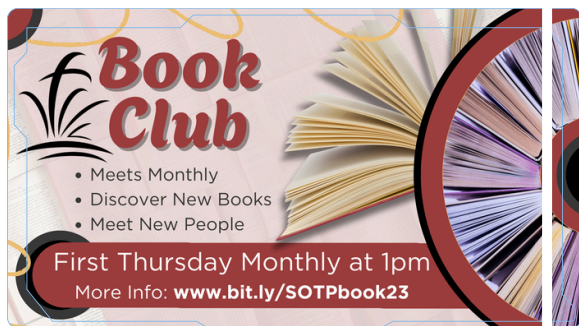
Do you enjoy reading?
Looking for a way to
connect with others?
Then you just might enjoy
our Book Club.
We take turns reading
different genres.

Books being discussed
at our upcoming meeting:

- March: **GOD OF THE WOODS** by Liz Moore,

a detective story. Facilitator for March is Melissa Mazur.

Contact: Dottie Bobzin at dbinil@att.net



NEW MEMBER GATHERING

If you have been
worshipping with us
at SOTP in person or
online and would like
to know more about us
as a worshipping
community, we would
love to have you join
us at our New Member
Gathering.



We will be holding the next gathering
on **Sunday, May 3rd at 3pm.**

This will be an opportunity for you to learn more about the life
and ministry of SOTP and for you to consider prayerfully whether
or not you want to formally become a member of the SOTP family.
If you have any questions, contact Donna.

Contact: Donna Kelly at donna@sotppmail.com

EASTER FLOWER GARDEN

Easter is just around the corner, and we are looking forward to the joy of celebrating Christ's resurrection together.

As we prepare our worship space this year, we are mindful of those in our community who are allergic to Easter lilies. In place of the large array of lilies, we will be creating a simple and beautiful spring flower garden—a gathering of fresh blooms along with a smaller number of lilies which reflect new life, hope, and the promise of Easter morning.

If you would like to support the Easter flowers, please make an online donation to help offset the cost. Your gift, which can be made in memory or honor of a loved one, of any size, will help create a welcoming and life-giving space for everyone who worships.

Thank you for helping us make our Easter celebration both beautiful and accessible to all. With gratitude, Worship Support Team Contact: Carolyn Cuttle at ednca@comcast.net



THRIVENT COMING TO SOTP

We are pleased to share that Matt and John Drafall from Thrivent Financial for Lutherans will be at Shepherd of the Prairie on March 21 and 22 to assist Thrivent members with directing their Choice Dollars.

If you are eligible for Thrivent Choice Dollars®, this is a wonderful opportunity to designate your funds to support ministries right here at SOTP or other organizations you care about. Matt and John will be available to answer questions, provide guidance, and walk you through the simple process of directing your Choice Dollars.

Choice Dollars can make a meaningful impact in supporting the mission and ministry of Shepherd of the Prairie. If you're unsure whether you have Choice Dollars available, they can help you check your eligibility.

We're grateful for our partnership with Thrivent and for the ways these funds bless our congregation and community.

Contact: Ralph Wehnes at ralphwehnes@sbcglobal.net

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SUPPORT GROUPS



GRIEF JOURNEY GROUP

TUESDAY MORNINGS
10AM

Info: www.bit.ly/SOTPgrief

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ALL ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR SUPPORT GROUPS, MEMBERS AND NON-MEMBERS.

Grief Journey is for those mourning the death of a loved one.

Transitions is for those going through a deep loss: death of a loved one; job loss; loss of a relationship; empty nesting; divorce; loss of health; loss of purpose.

Dementia Caregiver Support is in collaboration with the Alzheimer's Association, a support group for caregivers, friends and/or family members with Dementia.

What's Next is a group for seniors to talk about changes and challenges in life and ideas on how to cope.

For more information on any of our support groups, reach out to Donna:

Contact: Donna Kelly
donna@sotpmail.com



TRANSITIONS

A JOURNEY THROUGH LOSS

TUESDAYS
7:00 PM

More Info: www.bit.ly/SOTPtrans

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SHEPHERD OF THE PRAIRIE LUTHERAN CHURCH & the ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION

DEMENTIA
Caregiver Support Group

MEETINGS:
MONTHLY
3RD TUESDAY
2:00 PM

More Info & Sign Up:
www.bit.ly/SOTPdem

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WHAT'S NEXT?

Group for seniors talk about changes & challenges & ideas on how to cope.

11:00 AM
SECOND TUESDAY

More Info: www.bit.ly/SOTPwhatsnext

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EASTER CANDY DONATIONS

Easter egg candy donations will be collected through March 20th. Drop off boxes can be found in the Coffee/Gathering Area in front of the counter as well as in the Crossroads.



Contact: Jill Gillming jill@sotpmail.com

HUNTLEY EXPO

The Huntley Business Expo is just around the corner, and we'd love your help making it a success! Join the Outreach Team on Saturday, March 14th as we connect with our community and share what makes SOTP such a welcoming and vibrant place to worship.



Bring a friend, lend a smile, and help us spread the word! Volunteer time slots will be available from 8:45–12:00 and 12:00–3:30, so there's a spot for everyone. Be on the lookout for the registration slide coming soon. Let's show Huntley who we are—we hope to see you there!

Contact Tara Mackey at rtmackey10@yahoo.com

LENTEN DINNER CHURCH

Our Dinner Church worship will continue through **March 25th**.

This is a time for us to worship and share a meal together much in the same way as the early church did. We will **begin at 6pm** with prayer and the wine of Holy Communion. Then we will eat and listen to our message for the evening from one of our pastors. We will end the evening with the bread “after supper”.



Just as we have in the past, we will need about 14 large crockpots of soup. You can sign up to bring soup at www.bit.ly/SOTPlent26, on the website, or at our registration kiosk.

Soups need to arrive no later than 5:45 pm.

So, bring our your favorite soup recipe to share with us! See you then.

Contact: Donna Kelly donna@sotpmail.com

PRAYER CHAIN

A graphic for the Prayer Chain. It features the Shepherd of the Prairie Lutheran Church logo on the left, a pair of hands clasped in prayer in the center, and the text "PRAYER CHAIN" in large orange letters. Below the title, it says "Submit a request online: www.bit.ly/SOTPpray" and "Join the chain & pray for others, email: donna@sotpmail.com".

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PADDY HOMAN & MCDANCE CO

They're back this year by popular demand! Join Paddy Homan and The Noble Call with the local Rebecca McCarthy McDance Company for a free St. Patrick's Day themed concert on Sunday, March 1, 2026 at 5:30pm.



Admission is free and donations are gratefully accepted. Bring the family to experience this lively and memorable celebration of traditional Irish music, song, and dance. Sponsored by the SOTP artist series, The Noble Call and McDance Company performances are open to the public.

Sit back and listen to some of the very best of Traditional Irish music and song, from some of Ireland's leading musicians. Paddy Homan, one of Ireland's foremost traditional Irish tenors from County Cork, Ireland, and his group The Noble Call will provide guests with an incredible evening of traditional Irish entertainment. The group derives its origins from the age-old Irish tradition of "calling" on invited guests to share their favorite song, tune, story, and dance.

Homan adds a layer of warmth and familiarity to his performances, bringing the audience not just closer to the music, but welcomes them into a unique Irish experience. His quick-witted, Cork humor and spontaneity on the stage gave birth to his nickname as "Paddy - The Show-Man- Homan". He has been seen on Chicago's PBS Channel 11-TV and nationally on PBS with his "I Am Ireland" show. The McDance Company is an award-winning traveling dance company based locally in nearby Lakewood, IL. The dancers' ages range from 6 through 18 and they will bring their Irish style of dance to join forces with Paddy Homan and the Noble Call. The McDance Company has performed at Celtic Fest, Disney World, Ireland, Illinois State Fair, Northern Illinois, Northwestern and Purdue Universities and have been a mainstay in the Chicago Thanksgiving Day parade.

JENNY LIND VOCAL ENSEMBLE

Before embarking on a performance tour in Seattle, Washington, and Portland, Oregon, the Augustana College Jenny Lind Vocal Ensemble, under the direction of Dr. Michael Zemek, will perform at Shepherd of the Prairie Lutheran Church on Friday, March 20, 2026 at 7:00pm.



Jenny Lind Vocal Ensemble will collaborate and perform with Bel Canto from Jacobs High School in Algonquin, directed by Jennifer Parker, and Bella Voce from Dundee Middle School in West Dundee, directed by Mona Roy.

Sponsored by the SOTP Artist Series, the public is invited to attend this free performance. No tickets are required and freewill donations are gratefully accepted.

The Jenny Lind Vocal Ensemble, from Augustana College in Rock Island, Illinois, is a select treble ensemble for students who wish to develop advanced choral skills and a better understanding of various styles of choral music composed for sopranos and altos. The ensemble's chosen repertoire — from folk to contemporary, ancient to modern — focuses on moving forward and upward, overcoming challenges and celebrating compassion.

The ensemble performs on campus and at community events. It is named after Jenny Lind (1820-1887), a Swedish opera singer known as the "Swedish Nightingale", who was considered the finest high performance "coloratura" voice of her day.

Visit the church website at www.shepherdoftheprairie.com for further information or email at artistseries@sotpmail.com.

Shepherd of the Prairie Lutheran Church, located at 10805 Main Street, under the leadership of Senior Pastor Mark Boster and Pastor Ryan Mackey, has served the Huntley community for over 20 years. Visit www.sotp.org and follow at www.facebook.com/ShepherdofthePrairie.

FEED THE HOMELESS

Volunteers: Set Up & Serving - arrive at Willow Crystal Lake no later than 11:30am on Friday 3/6/26.

Desserts: Drop off in SOTP kitchen in refrigerator marked WILLOW LUNCH no later than 10am on Friday 3/6/26.



For questions, contact Vik Bekeris at yikbek66@yahoo.com

LENT OFFERING DISTRIBUTION

During our upcoming Lenten offering season, SOTP collections will be distributed to the following three charities evenly. Your generosity is truly appreciated.

- 1) Mercy Ships: Mercy Ships uses hospital ships to provide essential medical services off the coasts of West African nations. SOTP supports efforts through periodic donations.
- 2) Feed My Starving Children: Feed My Starving Children's mission is feeding God's starving children. SOTP supports efforts by periodic donations and organizing volunteer sessions to pack meals at their Schaumburg location.
- 3) Habitat for Humanity: SOTP is part of the New Hope Partnership which consists of churches in Elgin, Dundee and Huntley helping to build homes in the northern Fox valley for those in need. SOTP supports efforts by periodic donations and volunteering at on-site work sessions.

Contact: John Witt, Mission Team at john_witt@outlook.com



HOLY WEEK & EASTER WORSHIP



Palm SUNDAY
Worship

8:30AM Organ & Hymns
10:30AM Worship Band



H O L Y W E E K



Maundy Thursday
LIVING LAST SUPPER
April 2, 2026
7PM

In person & on-line



Good Friday
Worship

April 3, 2026 at 7pm



Easter Sunday
Worship

8:30 am Organ & Hymns
10:30 am Worship Band



FAMILY LOCKIN



YOU ARE INVITED TO OUR

FAMILY LOCKIN

MARCH 13, 7PM
TO MARCH 14, 8AM

BRING SLEEPING GEAR & GAMES

Volunteers Needed

KIDS 8TH GRADE & UNDER WITH THEIR FAMILIES



EASTER EGG HUNT



YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR OUR

EASTER EGG HUNT

2026

SATURDAY
April 4 at 10am

SIGN UP NOW!

5TH GRADE & YOUNGER



HIGHLIGHTED EVENTS

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

- PADDY HOMAN & THE NOBLE CALL WITH THE REBECCA MCCARTHY MCDANCE TEAM – ARTIST SERIES CONCERT, 5:30PM

FRIDAY MARCH 6

- PROVIDE & SERVE MEAL FOR HOMELESS

FRIDAY, MARCH 13

- FAMILY LOCKIN, 7PM

SATURDAY, MARCH 14

- SOTP BOOTH AT HUNTLEY EXPO

FRIDAY, MARCH 20

- JENNY LIND CHOIR FROM AUGUSTANA WITH CHOIRS FROM JACOBS & DUNDEE MIDDLE SCHOOL, ARTIST SERIES CONCERT, 7PM

SUNDAY, MARCH 29

- PALM SUNDAY SERVICES, 8:30AM & 10:30 AM

SUNDAY, MARCH 29

- PALM SUNDAY SERVICES, 8:30AM & 10:30 AM

THURSDAY, APRIL 2

- MAUNDY THURSDAY WORSHIP, 7PM

FRIDAY, APRIL 3

- GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP, 7PM

SATURDAY, APRIL 4

- EASTER EGG HUNT, 10AM

SUNDAY, APRIL 5

- EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP, 8:30AM & 10:30AM

VIEW ALL:



REGULARLY SCHEDULED

SUNDAYS

- 8:30-11AM (1ST) FOOD DRIVE
- 9:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
- 10:10 AM KIDS CONNECT
- 10:20 AM ADULT EDUCATION
- 10:45 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP
- 1:00 PM FBWL

MONDAYS

- 9:00 AM (3RD) GAZEBO VALOR QUILTS
- 9:00 AM STAFF MEETING
- 10:30 AM FBW
- 12:30 PM FRIENDS (WOMEN'S) BIBLE STUDY
- 6:30 PM BOY SCOUTS TROOP 200
- 7:00 PM (2ND) MINISTRY NIGHT
- 7:00 PM (3RD) COUNCIL MEETING

TUESDAYS

- 7:30-8:30 AM MORNING MOVEMENT
- 8:00 AM MEN'S COFFEE (MCD'S BY HUNTLEY WALMART)
- 9:00 AM (1ST & 3RD), PRAIRIE POINTE QUILTERS
- 9:00 AM LITTLE LAMBS PRESCHOOL
- 9:15 AM AL-ANON MEETING
- 10:00 AM GRIEF JOURNEY GROUP
- 2:00 PM (2ND) WHAT'S NEXT FOR SENIORS
- 2:00 PM (3RD) DEMENTIA CAREGIVER SUPPORT
- 6:30 PM (1ST), SCOUT TROOP 200 COMMITTEE
- 6:30 PM (1ST), BOY SCOUTS PATROL LEADER'S COUNCIL

- 7:00 PM TRANSITIONS JOURNEY THROUGH LOSS
- 7:00 PM CUB SCOUTS, TIGERS
- 7:00 PM FBW
- 7:00 PM AL-ANON MEETING
- 7:00 PM BELLS REHEARSAL

WEDNESDAYS

- 9:00 AM LITTLE LAMBS PRESCHOOL
- 10:30 AM WOMEN'S FBW
- 11:00 AM GOD'S GIRLS (DEL WEBB) BIBLE STUDY
- 11:00 AM ADULT BIBLE STUDY
- 5:45 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNERS
- 7:00 PM CONFIRMATION
- 7:00 PM ADVENTURE CLUB
- 7:00 PM ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL

THURSDAYS

- 7:30-8:30 AM MORNING MOVEMENT
- 9:00 AM LITTLE LAMBS PRESCHOOL
- 9:00 AM (2ND), PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY
- 1:00 PM (1ST) BOOK CLUB
- 6:30 PM (2ND), LIONS CLUB
- 6:30 PM HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP
- 7:00 PM CUB SCOUTS

FRIDAYS

- 10:00 AM WOMEN'S COFFEE (MCD'S BY HUNTLEY WALMART)
- 10:30 AM FBW

SATURDAYS

- 5:00 PM WORSHIP

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

1-Mar Marilyn Howard
Joe Jones
Darren Walloch
2-Mar William Glennon
Ruth Glennon
Gayle Holzwarth
Taylor Ramey
3-Mar Jill Hoffman
Penelope Symbal
4-Mar Dawn Johnson
5-Mar Matthew Behm
Lucille Connelly
Michele Marx
6-Mar Martha Jacobson
Savanna Kramp
Meredith Lick
Hollie Lindgren
Tamara Uteg
7-Mar Kathy Burns
Tamara Polzin
Christine Tinney
Cathy Walthers
8-Mar Carol Bletz
Taylor Dean
Nina Richardson
Dina Wagner
10-Mar Jaime DeBlicke
Vivian Kasal
Pamela Perrott
Kendall Wolf
11-Mar Denise Gartzke
Arja Kasper
Sandy Werner

12-Mar Jaxson Thomas Domenz
Alice Hallett
Nicholas Liotus
Joanne Schwartz
13-Mar Ronda Shoemaker
14-Mar Bentley Jacobs
Lisa Piskule
15-Mar Scott Fiandalo
Lauren Flanagan
16-Mar Ashlyn Grabs
Brooke Grabs
Grant Jahr
Jason Walker
17-Mar Debbie Cook
18-Mar John Sturz
Skylar Wondriska
19-Mar Jim Hunt
Annabel Johnson
Dee Jones
John Robinson
Phyllis Thomson
20-Mar Marcy Coffman
Richard Paeth
21-Mar James Rice
Braden Turk
22-Mar Bennett Buesing
Stan Crissman
Thomas Hollabaugh
Payton Marx
Derek Reincke
Ed Richard
Devan Turk
23-Mar Cecelia DeBolt

23-Mar Lillian DeBolt
Michael Hoch
Erin Linton
Zachary Ethan Powe
24-Mar Karen Ankerberg
Chad Juergensen
Sara Solem
25-Mar Gavin Lehmann
Rob Lindsey
26-Mar Herb Dabelow
Sandi Stewart
Noreta Walker
27-Mar Mike Dahlin
Kylie Golembeck
Eric Larson
Evan Mackey
Jennifer Trevino
28-Mar Toby Kembrowski
Rachel Miller
Christopher Stopka
29-Mar Arnie Didricksen
Curt Gerald
Bob Peterson
Wayne Schmidt
30-Mar Karen Brodsky
Amy Johnson
Jennifer Powe
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TREASURER'S REPORT

TREASURER'S REPORT SUMMARY FOR THE PERIOD ENDING JANUARY 31, 2026

UNRESTRICTED GENERAL FUND


	MONTHLY	MONTHLY	MONTHLY ACTUAL	YEAR TO DATE	YEAR TO DATE	YTD ACTUAL	ANNUAL	YTD PERCENT	YTD PERCENT
	ACTUAL	BUDGET	VS. MONTHLY BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET	VS. YTD BUDGET	BUDGET	RECEIVED	EXPENDED
January 1, 2026 Beginning Balance	\$ 396,670.07								
Monthly Income	\$ 128,316.20	\$ 121,733.00	\$ 6,583.20	\$ 128,316.20	\$ 121,733.00	\$ 6,583.20	\$ 1,059,057.00	12.12%	
Monthly Expenses	\$ 87,792.64	\$ 87,540.00	\$ 252.64	\$ 87,792.64	\$ 87,540.00	\$ 252.64	\$ 1,059,057.00		8.29%
Income vs. Expenditures	\$ 40,523.56	\$ 34,193.00		\$ 40,523.56	\$ 34,193.00				
January 31, 2026 Ending Balance	\$ 437,193.63								
Average Monthly Expenses (Budgeted)	\$ 88,254.75								
Approx. Months Covered by Fund Balance	4.95								

MORTGAGE SERVICE FUND

	MONTHLY	MONTHLY	MONTHLY ACTUAL	YEAR TO DATE	YEAR TO DATE	YTD ACTUAL	ANNUAL	YTD PERCENT	YTD PERCENT
	ACTUAL	BUDGET	VS. MONTHLY BUDGET	ACTUAL	BUDGET	VS. YTD BUDGET	BUDGET	RECEIVED	EXPENDED
January 1, 2026 Beginning Balance	\$ 82,570.22								
Monthly Income	\$ 36,003.57	\$ 18,807.00	\$ 17,196.57	\$ 36,003.57	\$ 18,807.00	\$ 17,196.57	\$ 225,684.00	15.95%	
Monthly Expenses	\$ 18,807.00	\$ 18,807.00	\$ 18,807.00	\$ 18,807.00	\$ 18,807.00	\$ -	\$ 225,684.00		8.33%
Income vs. Expenditures	\$ 17,196.57	\$ -		\$ 17,196.57	\$ -				
January 31, 2026 Ending Balance	\$ 79,866.79								
Average Monthly Expenses	\$ 18,807.00								
Approx. Months Covered by Fund Balance	4.25								


Respectfully submitted, Robert Mollis, Treasurer

DONATE ONLINE



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LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Online Giving




www.bit.ly/SOTPGIVING

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INVOLVEMENT SCHEDULE

		March 1	March 7/8	March 14/15	March 21/22	March 28/29
Communion Bread	Sun	Carol Stonecipher	Pam Perrott	Jenny Hollabaugh	Elizabeth Trout	Ellice DaBelow
	Extra	Nancy Hammer				
Counters	Nov.	Doug Nagel, Cheryl Adams & Marilyn Wilhelm				
Greeters	SUN 9AM	Carol Engstrom Elaine Gillam	Eileen Gerald Terry Halpin	Dottie Bobzin Susan Blumer	Cyndi Monson	Terry Halpin Eileen Gerald
	SUN 10:45 AM	Bob & Carolyn Malm				
Ushers	SAT 5PM	x	Lynn Meyer Sandy Scalise	Tom Cox Therese Cox	Carol Hartman Peggy Lynn Loiseau	Steve Murphy Jim Murphy
	SUN 9AM	WALTER LEMKE Tim Bueschel Jeff Stangle Bill Vallee Bob Henderson	JACK CONTI Cheryl Rotermond John & Patti Witt Carol Engstrom Sue Blumer	STAN CRISSMAN Wayne Schmidt Arja Kasper Dan Wentzloff Jeff Ottens Andrew Lick	RALPH WEHNES Don Wickersham Jerry & Pat Darrow George Attaway Chuck Zindel	8:30AM WALTER LEMKE Tim Bueschel Jeff Stangle Bill Vallee Bob Henderson
	SUN 10:45 AM	BOB MCDUFFEE Tim & Karen Doyle	JIM STANCL Mike & Patti Kargol Andrew Szekey	DOUG NAGEL Don Koerner Judy Petropulos Max Wondriska	BOB MOLLIS Diane Mollis Monca Wichtendahl	10:30 AM BOB MCDUFFEE Tim & Karen Doyle
Welcome Center	SUN 9AM	Don Wickersham Karen Brodsky	Don Wickersham LuAnn Munneke	Karen Brodsky Rick Miller	LuAnn Munneke Tara Mackey	Don Wickersham Jocelyn Doden
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