


Long Lake Lutheran Church

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March 23, 2025



3rd Sunday of
Lent

TUNE YOUR RADIO TO 93.1 FM TO HEAR THE SERVICE!

Third Sunday in Lent 9:00 am Worship

PRELUDE:

SONG: Matt Maher “The Lord’s Prayer”

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Listen, siblings of faith. Today, you will receive the good news of Jesus.

All: The bread of life satisfies our hunger and thirst.

One: Today, God will speak to us, filling our hearts and healing our souls.

All: The bread of life loves us and knows our needs.

One: Today, there will be enough bread for all, enough to mend every broken place.

All: The bread of life has come to sustain us.

Believing this promise, let us worship together!

GATHERING SONG: ELW 641 “All Are Welcome”

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS:

TEMPLE TALK: Community Garden

OPENING PRAYER:

CALL & PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

ASSURANCE OF PARDON:

PASSING OF THE PEACE:

HYMN OF PRAISE: ELW 323

“God Loved the World” vs 1 & 2

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION:

RESPONSIVE READING OF:

Psalm 63: 1-8

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: “We Do Not Live by Bread Alone” Unfailing Light pg. 7

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE GOSPEL: Matthew 6: 9-13

ALL: “Glory to you, O Lord”

Reading of the Word

All: “Praise to you, O Christ”

Children’s Offering/Message: Denise Sunderland

Message: Pastor Sue

SONG OF THE DAY: Lenten Song:

“Bread of Life” (please see insert)

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

OFFERING:

Offering Song: ELW 188 “Create in Me a Clean Heart”

Offering Prayer

Lord’s Prayer (Please stand as you are able)

CHARGE & BENEDICTION

SENDING SONG: Tauren Wells “When We Pray”

DISMISSAL

LENT 2025		“Bread of Life”	
March:			
23rd	Sunday Worship @ 9 “Bread for Each Day”	17th	Maundy Thursday Worship @ 6 “Bread for Remembrance”
26th	Wednesday Soup Supper @5; Worship @ 6	18th	Good Friday Worship @ 6 “Bread for Uncertainty”
30th	Sunday Worship @ 9 “Bread for Sharing”	20th	Easter Sunday Worship @ 6:15, 9:00 & 10:30 “Bread for Feasting” Easter Breakfast 7-10:30
April:			
2nd	Wednesday soup Supper @ 5; Worship @ 6		
6th	Sunday Worship @ 9 “Bread for Community”		
9th	Wednesday Soup Supper @5; Seder Meal & Worship @ 6		
13th	Palm/Passion Sunday Worship @ 9 “Bread for the Road”		
16th	Wednesday (no worship)		

ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 23, 2025

- **Mission for the Month:** March is LLLC Community Garden. April will be Camp Penuel.
- **Text Messages:** If you would like to receive announcements through text, please fill out the insert and leave on Brenda's desk.
- **Choir-** All ages with singing & music ability practicing Sundays after worship.
- **Breakfast Club:** for high school age. Sunday mornings @ 10:10 – 10:50 downstairs in the Cornerstone.
- **Digital Directory:** Pictures will be taken between 10 and 10:30 Sunday. Confirmation families can also get pictures taken on Wednesday evenings.
- **1st Communion Classes** will be held today and the 30th from 11:30-1:30 in the Fellowship Hall.
- **We are in need of Sunday School substitute teachers.** Please see Morgan Engren if you are willing to help.
- **Garage Sale, May 1st** - Save the date & save your stuff! When you begin your Spring cleaning, please consider donating your great stuff to the WELCA Garage Sale. BUT, please don't bring it until the week before the sale. No computer stuff, baby cribs, mattresses, or car seats. No large furniture or appliances. Good, used stuff is really appreciated. Old, worn-out, stained, torn, on its last legs... not appreciated! This is a great fundraiser for WELCA. They do so much for our church and our kitchen.
- **Save The Date:** Spring Clean-up-Saturday, May 17.
- **Adult COED softball Season** starts either 4-28-25 or 5-5-25 depending upon field conditions. Practices will start 2 weeks prior. All welcome; we are able to allow ages from 15 (15 years old needs League and coaches permission) and up! Contact Bruce Riebe 612-384-9109 and or bruce.riebe@gmail.com
- **If anyone is graduating** this year let Tessa know ASAP or by April 1st.

We have hearing assist headsets in the sound room. See Kent to get one.

DISCLAIMER-As you know, our cameras broadcast our services to the public on Facebook. Being in the Sanctuary implies consent to be on camera. If you do not wish to be on camera, please sit in the back third of the Sanctuary. Communion distribution will not be broadcast.

The Missions Team saw numerous blessings in 2024 at Long Lake Lutheran Church, with the congregation's support.

The following groups received donations from our Sunday free-will offerings:

\$355.50 Lutheran World Relief for disasters	\$547.95 Camperships
\$383.50 Camp Onomia	\$567.60 Spoke Folk
\$847.55 Habitat for Humanity	\$371.95 Isanti County Schools
\$497.95 Camp Penuel	\$862.60 Yellow Ribbon
\$516.60 Quilting	\$711.40 Live Nativity
\$607.60 LLLC Community Garden	\$773.05 ELCA Global Barnyard

FEBRUARY 2025 OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE

Needed monthly: \$33,949

Offering: \$23,310 Attendance 381

WAYS TO GIVE

Cash/Check

Mobile Giving QR Code



TEXT Give to 833-623-0354

Additional ways to Give:

- Automated recurring giving: set up online via our website Online Giving Link.
- Stocks: consider donating stocks through a conversation with your financial advisor and the church.
- QCD: Qualified Charitable Distribution

Week of March 23-30

Sunday, 23rd
Newsletter Articles Due
9:00 Worship
10:00 Choir Practice
10:10 Breakfast Club
10:30 Sunday School
11:30 1st Communion Class
6:00 4-H Long Lake Leaders Mtg.

Tuesday, 25th
9:00 Mission Quilting
9:30 Fellowship Café
7:00 AA

Wednesday 26th
11:30 Lunch Ladies @ Pinebrook
5:15 Lenten Soup Supper
6:00 Lent Worship
7:00 Confirmation Small Groups

Thursday, 27th
9:00 Prayer Group
10:30 Bible/Book Study
12:00 Senior Cards

Friday, 28th
7:00 AA

Sunday, 30th
9:00 Worship
10:00 Choir Practice
10:10 Breakfast Club
10:30 Sunday School
11:30 1st Communion Class

Today's Worship Helpers

Greeter: Connie Engren
Usher: Denise Sunderland & LoAnn Herold
Lector: Margaret McBride
Kitchen: Ernie & Nancy Sandahl
Donut Pick-up: Mike Schlegel
Council Rep: Morgan Engren
Acolyte: Aubrey Bell
IT Room: Lillian Curie

March 30th Worship Helpers:

Greeter: Matt Lundeen
Usher: Harlan & Madge Lillemoen
Lector: Ronda Fenlon
Kitchen: Margaret Bauer
Donut Pick-up: Jenny Boniarczyk
Council Rep: Morgan Engren
Acolyte: Amelia Gillmore
IT Room:

Slide technician: Dylan Monroe

IT & Broadcast: Kent Eittreim

PRAYER CONCERNS (Let us know how we can pray for you.)

Pray for healing for:

Wanda Strike's Cousin Molly
Mary Schuett's brother-in-law Dale Sherf
Michelle Yurich's mom Mary Jo
Nancy Johnson's granddaughter Madeline
Marcy Stoeckel's niece Erin & Daughter-in-law Nikki
Karen Baker's niece Angie
Kent and Joanne Eittreim's friend Natalie Goldston
Sharon Stanius' grandson Hayden
Lisa Gustafson's mom Rosie, brother Eric and her friends Julianna, Brenda, Kathy
John (Rose) Hass' nephew Kevin
Linda Rouen, and her aunt Evelyn
Les & Chris Rowe's sister-in-law Nicole
Becky Agranoff's friends Jimmy, Rick, and Doug; sister Kathleen & Brother-in-law Lewis
Colleen Evenson
Therese Cather's brother James and family, and her niece Kelly
Jenny Boniarczyk's sister Cheryl
Judy Nelson
Steve Lundeen
Loretta Fornberg's sister Darlene
Dale & Kathy Findell's neighbor Mark
Lillian Reetz

Richard Hansen
Bruce Riebe's Son Erik
Tessa Budnick's grandpa Mike

Pray for comfort for all who grieve: Bill & Sharon Sudeith in the loss of their son William.

Please update the office staff about people placed in the prayers.