

Palm Sunday
March 29th, 2026
Order of Worship - 11:00am

Gathering Songs *"Jesus, I Need You"*
 "I Want Jesus to Walk with Me"

Welcome

Processional Reading Zechariah 9: 9-10, 16-17 (NRSV)

Processional Song *"We Are Marching in the Light of God"*

Launch Kids sing

Bible Presentation

Greeting

Opening Song *"Blessed Be Your Name"*

Prayer of the Day

Choir *"Proclaim the Glory of the Lord"* Lloyd Larson

Scripture Reading Psalm 84 (read responsively)

Gospel Acclamation *"Better Is One Day"*

Gospel Reading Matthew 21: 1-11 (NRSV)

Sermon **Who Is This? Pastor Sue**

Offering *"Christ Above Me"*

Offertory Prayer

Prayers of the People

Holy Communion *"Where Are You"*

Post-Communion Prayer

Blessing

Sending Song *"Amazing God"*

Dismissal

Pastor: Go in Peace & Follow the King

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Readings for April 5th, 2026 will be from Colossians 3: 1-4 (NRSV), Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24, Matthew 28: 1-19 (NRSV) Key Verse: Matthew 28: 6

Pastor Sue will be gone April 6th – 24th. During her time away, Lexy Steinkle from Bethlehem Lutheran Church will be available for any emergencies that might arise. Her number is 701.235.6522

The Hospitality Team is looking for treat donations for Sunday morning coffee. They can be brought during regular office hours & placed in the freezer in the kitchen downstairs. Please sign-up to bring treats at the Information Desk.

The Church Office will be closed April 3rd & 6th.

SUMMARY OF ATTENDANCE

Midweek Lenten Services: 78 March 22nd: 190

March Total Attendance: 878

February Income: \$42,417 February Operating Expenses: \$57,518

Net Loss: \$15,101

Care & Share Offerings for March 2026 go to Path

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

WEEK of March 29th - April 5th, 2026

Today	PALM SUNDAY WORSHIP 8:00-12:30pm Kings Men Pancake Breakfast – Fellowship Hall BIBLE MILESTONE 3RD GRADERS LAUNCH KIDS SING AT BOTH SERVICES 9:00am Trad. Worship with Holy Communion 10:00am Easter Egg Hunt in Worship Center 11:00am Cont. Worship with Holy Communion
Monday	6:30pm Boy Scout Troup #213 7:00pm AA - Fellowship Hall
Tuesday	10:00am Lectionary Bible Study – Fellowship Hall 6:00pm Cub Scout Pack #232 No Choir Tonight 6:45pm Dakota Vocal Union Practice
Wednesday	9:00am Piecemakers 9:00am Staff Meeting
Thursday	12noon Maundy Thursday Worship 6:00pm Arts & Environment Team Planning Meeting 6:30pm Communion Milestone 6:30pm Maundy Thursday Worship
Friday	12noon Good Friday Worship 6:30pm Good Friday Worship
Saturday	9:30am More than Manna in the kitchen
Sunday	Happy Easter!! 7:00am Trad. Worship with Holy Communion 9:00am Trad. Worship with Holy Communion 11:00am Cont. Worship with Holy Communion
Monday	Church Office Closed All Day!

We are so happy you are with us today! If you are visitor, please stop by the Welcome Desk after worship & look for me. We have a gift for you.

We are in the final stretches of fundraising for the new church sign! So far, we have raised \$37,100 of the \$55,000 needed to cover the cost of the sign & the electrical expenses. All money given to the Facility Enhancement fund, will go to the sign. Any extra monies raised, will go to landscaping. More details to come.

Families, save the date! Vacation Bible School will be July 13-16 & is free!! More info to come!

Bible Camp Registration is now open for youth 2nd grade – 12th grade. Scholarships are available for all of our youth. See the Youth-Family Bulletin Board for more information. As Bible Camp nears, please consider contributing to the Bible Camp Scholarships are available for all our youth. Thank you for your support! Let Maren know when you have registered your child/children.

Need a card for a special occasion? Check the card rack in the Narthex. They are only .50 & there are many to choose from! Even Easter cards! If you have cards to donate, you can leave them in the church office. Thank you!

Worship Assistants: 11:00am

Ushers: Jen Grund Kim Grund Paul Grund
 Linda Pettie Darlene Rolie

Acolyte: Emmy Olson

Reader: Lynda Hammer

Communion Assistants: Lynda Hammer Theresa Johnson Cathy Meyer

Greeters: Theresa Johnson Cathy Meyer

Hospitalized or needing a Pastoral Visit: If you or a family member has been hospitalized, please contact Pastor Sue.

Prayer Concerns: If you or a family would like to be added to the prayer list, please contact the church office.

Please join us for worship on Maundy Thursday & Good Friday, April 2nd & 3rd. Services will be held at noon & 6:30pm both days. On Easter Sunday there will be Traditional Worship services at 7:00am & 9:00am & a Contemporary service at 11:00am. All are invited to join us to worship our risen Lord!

Don't wait to get your tickets for the Women's Night Out, Friday, April 17th!

Social Hour at 6pm, Dinner Served at 6:30pm, Speaker at 8pm

The speaker will be Natalie Dawn Hanson – It's Personal

The menu is: Roasted Heirloom Tomatoes with Hand Pulled Burrata & Aged Balsamic & Garden Basil Dressing, Savory Caramelized Onion & Gruyère Bread Pudding Muffin, Coq au Vin Bourguignon with Glazed Root Vegetables, Buttered Baby Potatoes, Silken Lemon Posset with Candied Citrus.

Tickets are \$25 or reserve a table of 7 for \$175. You can get one in the church office during regular office hours. Please have a check or correct change.



We grieve with the family & friends that we have laid in the arms of the Lord in the last month.

Joy Kahl April 13, 1933 – March 10, 2026

Joy is survived by her daughter, Lori & Mark Thrall, her son, Tom & Dawn Kahl, her three grandchildren" Ryan & Pakou Van Dyke, Andrea & Tyler LaMont, Logan & Maddison

Kahl; five great-grandchildren: Gavin LaMont, Kinley Lamont, Mason Yang, Ariya Van Dyke, and Emerson Kahl. Blessed be the memory of Joy Kahl.

Marvel Mossestad November 11, 1922 – February 17, 2026

Marvel is survived by her children, Bonnie & Norman Scott, Cheryl & Dennis Delamater, Janell Schweitzer & Allen Surprenant & Oscar Stalvik Jr. and many grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great grandchildren. Granddaughter Ali Farstad-Olson & Isaac Olson & children – who are members of Faith Journey Lutheran Church. Blessed be the memory of Marvel.

BIO Girls is working to better understand how families view & access our program. We are inviting caregivers of girls in grades 2-6 to complete a brief survey – www.biogirls.org/survey The survey takes about 5 minutes & focuses on awareness, decision-making, & what makes programs feel like a good fit for families. Responses are completely confidential & will only be used to strengthen outreach & program delivery. Questions can be directed to Laura Scott, Chief Operating Officer 701.388.0002 or Laura@biogirls.org



Faith Journey Lutheran Church
Sunday March 29th, 2026

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11am

WIFI Guest: Faith-Guest Password: FaithJourney

Ministers: All members of Faith Journey Lutheran Church
Pastor: Sue Koesterman - skoesterman@growinfaith.org
Parish Business Manager: Katie Berg - kberg@growinfaith.org
Faith Formation Director: Maren Kramer - mramer@growinfaith.org
Executive Asst. for Finance & HR: Heather Reimer - hreimer@growinfaith.org
Creative Worship Coordinator: Jane Whaley - jwhaley@growinfaith.org
Contemporary Worship Coordinator: Jamie Thompson
Church Council President: Ali Farstad - Olson
Worship Sunday 9:00am Traditional (September – May)

11:00am Contemporary (September – May)

10:00am - Rotating Traditional & Contemporary (May 24 – Sept. 13)

6:30pm – Wednesdays (May 27 – Sept. 9)

Launch Family Sunday School for 4 years - Grade 5

Sunday, 10:00am - Fellowship Hall (During the school year)

Compass Confirmation for Grades 6 - 8

Wednesdays, 7:00pm - Worship Center (During the school year)

Find us on our Website: www.growinfaith.org

Instagram: [faithjourneyWF](https://www.instagram.com/faithjourneyWF)

Facebook: [faithjourneyWF](https://www.facebook.com/faithjourneyWF)

Send bulletin and newsletter information to:

Jolanda Anderson

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Church Office Hours: Monday – Thursday
Friday

9:00 – 4:00pm
9:00 – 12noon