



- ✠ Sharing God's Grace
- ✠ Living His Word
- ✠ Making Disciples

Sunday School – 9:10 am
Sunday Divine Worship – 10:30 am
Monday Divine Worship – 7:00pm

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For the Week Beginning March 4, 2018

Communion: We celebrate Holy Communion today. **Please read carefully the statement concerning Holy Communion** provided in the worship folder. In faithfulness to God's Word we practice close communion. It is our privilege and responsibility to prepare for this sacred meal. You are encouraged to use pages 329-330 in Lutheran Service Book to aid in your preparation for this sacred meal.

Need A Prayer: for yourself or someone else? In the entryway our Stephen Ministers are available and easy to spot. Just look for their blue nametag. Remember the power of prayer!

Return From Exile continues this Wednesday at noon and 7 pm. Our theme this week is: "Out of Egypt: Through the Water."

Lenten Devotions based on our theme are on the ushers' stand. Take one for yourself and one (or more) to give away as a witness to your Suffering Savior.

Monday Service is TOMORROW at 7pm! Don't see someone here this morning, care enough to invite them, encourage them to be here tomorrow at 7 pm.

ECP Registration: This week is Open Registration. We only have a handful of openings. The Lord has surely blessed our school.

Midweek Schedule During Lent: Classes for Pre-Confirmation and Confirmation will be from 5:45-6:45 pm. Bible Bits and Bible Bunch *do not meet during Lent.*

Wednesday Meal: Is at 5:00 during Lent. This week is **Pork Chops & Sauerkraut**. A free-will offering to help cover expenses is always appreciated.

Moms: It is your turn to SHINE! The Mother/Son bowling is on Saturday, March 24th from noon-2p.m. Details are in the March newsletter or talk to Jane Pase. Spots are limited, so R.S.V.P. as soon as possible by signing up on the back of the **PINK SHEET** this week. Note: Due to Bowlero's policy, children must be 4 years old for safety reasons.

Easter & Confirmation Cards: are now available in the greeting card display in the east hallway. Please make your checks out to *Grace Guild*.

Calling All Bunnies: Egg-ceptional help needed! Please help fill the baskets in the entryway by bringing candy-filled Easter eggs. **Deadline is March 25th.** These will be hunted by our Bibleville kids on Easter morning! *Thank you!! Board of Education.*

Easter Lily(ies): Would you like to provide a lovely lily or two for our Easter Sunday Divine Service? Make sure to fill out your envelope with your dedication. Cost is \$15 each. Last day to order is **Palm Sunday, March 25th.** Envelopes are on ushers' stand by the *Portals of Prayer*.

Pastor Pase in Andrews: During Lent Pastor Pase will be leading the service at Faith, Andrews each Thursday at 6 pm.

Organ Improvement Project: Pledges have begun to arrive. All the details are in your newsletter. Our organ, which has served us for 50 years, needs serious help and repair. We are using 2018 as the time to raise the necessary funds. The organ will be repaired between Christmas 2019 and Easter 2020. Pledge forms are to be turned into the church office or given directly to Pastor Pase. Your prayers are greatly appreciated.

Do You Love Kids? There's an opportunity to serve Bible Bits kids (preschool age) in Room 12 during Midweek classes. Please use the **PINK SHEET** or contact Pastor Allman if you are willing to serve a Wednesday evening.

Spring Forward! Don't forget to set your clocks **AHEAD** one hour Saturday night before you go to bed.

Stephen Ministry: In Matthew 25, Jesus says, "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in ..." We have many opportunities to respond to Jesus' great love by showing that love to others. Stephen Ministry is one way our congregation shows that love to people who have deep needs for care. You also have many opportunities to show Jesus' love during the week. As you encounter people this week, try asking yourself, "How can I show them Jesus today?"

Extreme Makeover...in HIS Image: Ephesians 2:10 – "For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them." Even the good we do in this world is a gift from God, prepared beforehand for us to do. And this too is a gift! For isn't doing good also a good thing for the one who does it? So from first to last, from the Lord's free salvation given to us to the good works He's prepared for us to walk in, it is all a gift of God's grace.

Life Quote: “When we pray the Lord’s Prayer, we ask God to ‘deliver us from evil.’ We ask Him to protect us against the callous evil of abortion, the taking of a human life. We are harnessed with the burden of belonging to a nation that practices this barbaric procedure and calls it a ‘right.’ May God have mercy on us.” *Chaplain (Lt. Colonel) Steven Hokana, Assistant Director of Ministry to the Armed Forces (MAF) (LCMS) – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org*

The Lutheran Hour: "When God's Darkness Surrounds You" Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Dale A. Meyer. When times are darkest, God wants you to know how close He really is. It's in those threatening times that you can especially learn and live in His love. (*Exodus 20:1-17*) The Lutheran Hour airs at 7:30am on KWEL AM 1070 & 107.1 FM.

Family Shield Ministries: “TBA” Airs at 8:00am on KWEL AM 1070 & 107.1 FM.

Last Week at Grace

Divine Service (02/25).....	132
Sunday School Attendance (02/25).....	74
Monday Divine Service (02/26).....	11
Lenten Noon Service (02/28).....	17
Lenten 7pm Service (02/28).....	40
Lenten Noon & 7pm (2/21).....	\$1,446.30
First Fruit Giving (02/19 & 02/25)	\$9,186.00

Sunday Morning Sunday School/Faith Formation

Coffee, juice, & donuts are served at 9:00

Adult	Fellowship Hall
<i>Isaiah</i>	<i>Pastor Pase</i>
Adult	Community Room
<i>Growing in Christ</i>	<i>Pastor Allman</i>
Adult	Parlor
<i>Sunday Lessons</i>	<i>Pete Lufholm</i>
Grades 7-8	Youth Room
.....	<i>Ryan & Tiffani Hamilton</i>
Grades 9-12	Youth Room
.....	<i>Chad & Lisa Dalager</i>
Adventure Zones in Bibleville	Bibleville
.....	<i>Ages 3 years – 6th Grade</i>
Little Lambs (Ages 0-2)	Room 12
.....	<i>Kelly Patterson & Larissa Keller</i>

Graceful Living This Week

This Sunday **03.04.18**

7:30	<i>The Lutheran Hour</i> KWEL AM
.....	1070 & 107.1 FM
8:00	<i>Family Shield</i> KWEL AM
.....	AM 1070 & 107.1 FM
9:10	Sunday School
10:30	Divine Service w/Communion
2:30	Legacy Ranch Service

Monday

9:00	Circuit Meeting @ Grace
6:00	Joyful Tones
7:00	Divine Service w/Communion

Tuesday

6:00	Board of Youth
7:30	God’s Groupies

Wednesday

6:45	Men of Grace
Noon	Lenten Service
5:00	Meal – Pork Chops & Sauerkraut
5:45	Midweek Ministries
.....	Pre-Confirmation 3 rd -4 th
.....	Pre-Confirmation 5 th -6 th
.....	1 st Year Confirmation
.....	2 nd Year Confirmation
.....	Joyful Chorus
7:00	Lenten Service

Thursday

9:30	Quilters
7:00	Board of Elders

Next Sunday

03.11.18

7:30	<i>The Lutheran Hour</i> KWEL AM
.....	1070 & 107.1 FM
8:00	<i>Family Shield</i> KWEL AM
.....	AM 1070 & 107.1 FM
9:10	Sunday School
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2:30	Legacy Ranch Service
6:00	Focal Point 2.0



Our ECP continues to *Shine* this week.
You are invited to read
Luke 12:22-24, Luke 12:27-28 *with us this week.*