

We are collecting clear glass vases (12” or taller with 4” opening) to decorate for the 150<sup>th</sup> celebration. If you have any you would like to donate, please put them on the kitchen counter. Thanks so much, Jane.



**RUMMAGE SALE** - Due to the 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration, donations will not be accepted until after July 1. The rummage sale will be on August 13, 14 and 15, 2026. Talk with Brenda Richards with any questions.



We, at First Lutheran, congratulate the Senior Class of 2026 on their accomplishments and wish them the best for the future. On Sunday, May 24 we will be honoring our seniors at our worship service and at the coffee hour to follow.

### Serving Scoops and Smiles!

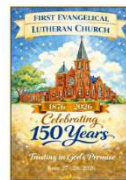
Please join us after church on Wednesday nights beginning June 17 for ice cream! Every Wednesday through August 19, ice cream and toppings will be served in the church parking lot. It’s easy and fun to be part of this ministry to our church and community. If you would like to help serve ice cream, give me a call at 507-370-4218. There is not much work, a short time commitment and lots of smiling faces! - Mary Ingenthron



On Friday, May 22 & Monday, May 25, the office will be closed for the Memorial Day Holiday.



Remember to wear red on Sunday, May 24 for Pentecost.



Join us at the First Evangelical Lutheran Church 150<sup>th</sup> Celebration!!  
JUNE 27-28  
*Trusting in God's Promise*

- ★ **June 27- Saturday Events**  
2:00-6:00 p.m. - Games and Fellowship for the young and the old  
4:45-5:45 p.m. - Sandwich & Chips and Lemonade/water (RSVP)  
6:00-7:00 p.m. - Evening Service in Courtyard followed by Ice Cream in courtyard  
7:00-8:00 p.m. - Evening Gathering to visit and share Memories  
7:00-8:00 p.m. - Guests invited to join choir practice for Sunday

- ★ **June 28 - Sunday Events**  
9:30 - Morning Worship  
11:30 - Catered Meal - (RSVP on the form found on The webpage)  
Open Mic Sharing of memories  
12:30-3:00 - Musical Entertainment and fellowship

Further details will be posted on our website in June.

- ★ We want to know you are joining us!  
Please fill out the **RSVP online form found on the website**, <https://www.felcwgtn.org/>  
or leave a message with your name and number of guests by calling the church office 507-376-6148 or emailing felcwgtn@gmail.com

- ★ **\*\*As a memory of the 150<sup>th</sup> celebration,**  
Mugs and Christmas ornaments will be available to purchase!

### First Lutheran Church – ELCA

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Ministers: All baptized members – Jeanette McCormick, Pastor

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May 17, 2026 – The Christ Hymn (\* = please stand)

GATHERING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (p. 94)

\*GATHERING SONG ELW 634, “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name! (vs. 1, 2, 5 & 6)

\*GREETING

\*KYRIE (p. 138)

\*CANTICLE OF PRAISE (p. 140)

“This Is the Feast”

\*PRAYER OF THE DAY

READING: Philippians 2:1-13 (Red Bible p. 954)

PSALM 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24 (Red Bible p. 434-435)

CHILDREN’S SERMON

\*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (p. 142)

“Alleluia”

\*GOSPEL: Luke 6:43-45 (Red Bible p. 838)

SERMON

Pastor Jeannette

HYMN OF THE DAY ELW 627, “O Day Full of Grace” (vs. 1 & alternate verses 2-4)

\*NICENE CREED (p. 104)

\*PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

\*PEACE (p.143)

OFFERING/CGC MOMENT

\*OFFERING SONG ELW 367, “Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds” (vs. 4)

OFFERING PRAYER

\*GREAT THANKSGIVING/DIALOGUE (p. 144)

\*PREFACE

\*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (p. 144)

\*THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE (p. 145)

\*LORD’S PRAYER (p. 145)

\*INVITATION TO COMMUNION

\*LAMB OF GOD (p. 146)

\*COMMUNION

COMMUNION SONGS

ELW 482, “I Come with Joy”  
ELW 754, “Jesus, the Very Thought of You”

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (p. 146)

SENDING OF COMMUNION (p. 146)

\*BLESSING

\*SENDING SONG

ELW 729, “The Church of Christ, in Every Age”

\*DISMISSAL (p. 146)

## SUNDAY SERVANTS

**ASSISTING MINISTER/LECTOR:** Ed Philipp  
**ACOLYTE:** Kinsley Neugebauer  
**SOUND:** Kevin Fleming  
**POWERPOINT:** Pam Fleming  
**PIANIST:** Cindy Anderson  
**VAN DRIVERS:** 5-17 Midg White (360-3215)  
5-24 Larry Woodbury (360-2689)  
**GREETER:** Judy Selberg  
**LIVESTREAM:** Ethan Nixon  
**COFFEE:** Clinton & Alison Nixon Family

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Attendance

Attendance Last Sunday: 80      Attendance a year ago: 95  
Attendance Last Wednesday: 0      Livestream: 329



**Members:** Grace McGaughey, Laura Christensen, Bob Benson, Linda Towne, Mike Vosburgh, Logan Waldner, Shirley Frisch, Erin Schutte-Wadzinski, Wadzinski Family, Leroy Merkel, Alvin Kuehl, Jean Black, Dennis Zierke, Kathy Summers, Glenda Lais, Val Veen, Zach Kempema, Gayle Huehn, JoAnn Kruse, Charlene Wachter, Marilyn Frisch, Julie & Denny Christensen

**Members in Nursing Homes:** Joan Tofteland

**Members in Care Facilities:** Rosann Boots, Karen Lewis, Jean Bender

**Family Members & Friends:** Connie Ness (friend of Vickie Milbrath), David King (friend of Kevin & Pam Fleming), Verna Hill, (mother of Mary Ingenthron), Avrey Smith (brother of Austin Peters-Smith), Tiah Colacci (friend of Pastor Jeanette), Aaron & Amy Koob (nephew of Dale & Debbie Koob), Rita Knutson, Wendy Frodermann (family of Eric & Lisa Milbrath), Rachael Felske (granddaughter of Karen Buchman), Darlene Voxland (Aunt of Lisa Waldner), Suzy Wilson (cousin of Gayle Huehn), Ken Nunes (brother of Pat Elsing and Nancy Hellstrom), Vickie Bierman (sister of Lisa Waldner), Darlene Vaala (grandmother of Tiffany Neugebauer), Debbie Schannaw (daughter of Gayle Huehn), Rick Nunes (brother of Pat Elsing & Nancy Hellstrom), Kelly Reeves & family (Friend of Lisa Waldner), Maghan Fleming (Daughter-in-law of Kevin & Pam Fleming, Mark Richards, Joe Christensen (son of Nora Leinen & Gene Christensen), Butch Zeiner (Valerie Veen's brother), Josh Hansen (Mary Ingenthron's son)

**Our service men and women and Love INC**

## FELC SCHEDULE FOR May 18-24, 2026

Monday – 18	9:00AM	<b>BULLETIN DEADLINE</b>
	2:00-3:30PM	GriefShare
Tuesday – 19	7:00AM	Early Risers Bible Study
	9:00AM	Staff Meeting
	6:00PM	Finance Team
	7:15PM	Church Council
Wednesday – 20		
Thursday – 21	9:30AM	Hannah Circle
	1:30PM	Memory Café
Friday – 22		Pastor's Sabbath Day <b><u>OFFICE CLOSED</u></b>
Saturday – 23		
Sunday – 24	8:00AM	Grace Lutheran Worship
	9:30AM	Worship/Graduate Sunday – Rejoice in the Lord

**Radio Broadcast Sponsor:** In celebration of August Demuth's 1<sup>st</sup> Birthday.  
(Service time is 8:00 am on the radio 104.3 FM.)

**Why we sing** *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* alongside the Christ hymn in Philippians is because both texts hold together exaltation and humility, revealing a Christ who is lifted up not through domination but through self-emptying love, even to the point of death. Often called the "National Anthem of Christendom," this late eighteenth-century hymn by Edward Perronet has carried a vision of expansive, shared praise across generations and traditions, even appearing in popular culture through Bing Crosby's 1951 album *Beloved Hymns*. Its call for "every kindred, every tribe" to crown Christ as Lord is not only a declaration of worship but an invitation into participation, asking us to embody the humility, mercy, and justice we sing. As we join this widening chorus, we are drawn into lives that reflect the love of Christ in the world.