#### **Serving This Week:**

Scripture Readers: 8:30 - Bonnie Boetel 11:00 - DeeAnne Marlow Song Leaders: JJ & Kari Heimdal

Tech Booth:8:30-Dexter Peters/Colton Johnson 11:30-

Lighting of Advent Candle:
8:30am - Erin, Josie & Dan Dirks
11:00am -Julia, Ryan, Evelyn & Harrison Lee
Ushers: 8:30 - Greg & Kathy Kraus
11:00 - Lenny & Sue McNea

THANK YOU... to all assisting with worship today, you're serving to make a difference!





TO FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH













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#### FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH STAFF

Perry Aalgaard Senior Pastor Brian Jack Associate Pastor Director of Music and Worship Jennifer Johnson Tammy Carr Director of Children's Ministry Lynn Egesdal Office Manager Bruce Leu Facility Manager Facility Manager Lenny McNea Ann Aalgaard Supportive Ministry Trisha Ferguson Bookkeeper Director of Development John Adams, Sr.

## **BeFriender Ministry Directors**

Carol DeSchepper Carol Platt Tammy Carr

Sioux Falls Chaplin

# **WEEKLY EVENTS**

## SUNDAY – November 30th Thank Offering

First Sunday in the season of Advent 8:30am Worship

9:30am Fellowship

9:45am Adult Education Hour

No Sunday School

11:00am Worship

#### MONDAY - December 1st

6:30am Men's Group @ IOLBC 5:30pm Mission Team Meeting

#### **TUESDAY - December 2nd**

9:00am Quilting

9:30am Women's Bible Study 5:30pm Deacon's Meeting

#### WEDNESDAY - December 3rd

9:30am Staff Meeting 6:30pm Kids at First 6:30pm Choir Practice 7:00pm Youth Group

#### THURSDAY – December 4th

8:00am MOFIA (Men's group)

#### FRIDAY - December 5th

Office Closed

#### **SATURDAY - December 6th**

#### **SUNDAY - December 7th**

8:30am Worship/Communion/

Cantata

9:30am Fellowship

9:45am Adult Education Hour

9:45am Sunday School

11:00am Worship/Communion/

Cantata

# FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

# Welcome to Worship November 30th, 2025

#### **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

Welcome

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Greeting

#### FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH

Confession and Forgiveness

#### SHINE ON US

Prayer

First Reading: Deuteronomy 1:3 - 8

### **THY WORD**

Gospel: Luke 3:2-6

# MY GOD IS SO GREAT

Children's Time

Sermon: Pastor Perry Aalgaard
RED SEA ROAD

Apostles' Creed

Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Offering & Thank Offering

Benediction/Dismissal

#### **COME THOU LONG EXPECTED JESUS**



**Notes** 



# **WELCOME to First Lutheran Church!**



**OUR MISSION STATEMENT** 

"Gathering to know Jesus, serving to make a difference."

#### VISITOR INFORMATION

**Information Kiosk:** You may help yourself to the many resources on our Information Kiosk, near the entry. **Connect Cards:** Please complete information on the blue Connect Cards located in the pews or Information Kiosk.

**Nursery:** The nursery is always open; parents, guardians, or older siblings (5th grade and up) must stay in the nursery with younger children. The cry room is for nursing moms & infants.

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#### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

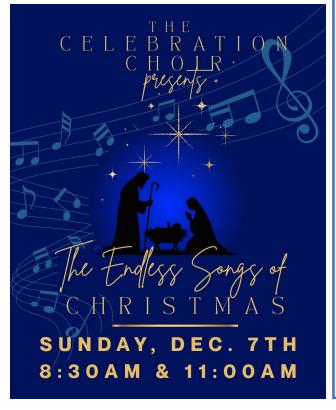
- \*Gary Peters and family as they mourn the passing of his brother, Randy Peters. May God grant him rest and the family comfort and hope.
- \*First Lutheran family and friends that are mourning the loss of loved ones.
- \*First Lutheran family and friends that are battling cancer.
- \*Our companion congregations of San Pablo Lutheran Church in Chile, the Southern Diocese in Tanzania, Pueblo de Dios in Argentina, St. Dysmas in Sioux Falls, and Grace Lutheran in Primghar, IA.







View previous Sunday service on Milford Cable: Channel 12 - Mondays at 10am and 7pm or on our YouTube Channel



## FIRST CONNECTIONS

# THANK OFFERING WILL BE RECEIVED TODAY

It's that time of year when we reflect on our blessings. This year's Thank Offering will go towards First Lutheran's food pantry "The Shepherd's Shelf."

#### **NOVEMBER NOISY OFFERING**

Today is the final day to drop off coats in the tub in the entryway or to contribute financial donations during noisy offering. Thank you for your contributions!

#### LIVE STREAMING

Please note that the **8:30am service** is live streamed. Attendees may be seen & recorded during our live stream at various times throughout the service.

#### **ADVENT DEVOTIONALS**

There are a few Advent devotionals on the kiosk in the entryway. If you'd like additional reading materials as we prepare for Christmas, please take one!

# DAILY BIBLE RECAP READINGS READING THROUGH THE BIBLE

Here are this weeks daily readings:

11/30	Duet 3-4
12/1	Duet 5-7
12/2	Duet 8-10
12/3	Duet 11-13
12/4	Duet 14-16
12/5	Duet 17-20
12/6	Duet 21-23
12/7	Duet 24-27