



Be Thou My Vision

Welcome to First Lutheran Church. All *baptized Christians* who understand that Christ is truly present in the bread and wine are welcome to join us for Holy Communion. Wheat-free and gluten-free communion wafers are available on the baptismal font during communion. Grape juice is available on both sides.

WE ASK EVERYONE to complete the "Footprints" and list if you are communing or have a prayer request. You may write your prayer request(s) on the back. Please check YES for the name to be included in the bulletin or NO if you want the name to be known only to the prayer teams. We strive for confidentiality, so be sure you have the person's permission, or use only the first name. Completed "Footprints" may be placed in the offering plate. We ask that you "think green" and place blank "Footprints" forms in the narthex to be reused.

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given the Glory of God by Carol Roessing in loving memory of Norman Roessing.

CALLING ALL WOMEN! *Help for Today, Hope for Tomorrow* will be the theme of the upcoming WELCA Central Spring Conference. The guest speaker, Kaitlyn Kniss, of the Women's Resource Center, (WRC) will speak about the center's work in Hancock County. The event is April 15th from 9:00 – 1:00. Lunch will be provided. Your entry cost is an in-kind donation of any diapers to support WRC. This is a fantastic opportunity to connect with other women in the community, learn about important issues, and support a worthy cause. RSVP today by signing up on the hall bulletin board.

CROSS OF LOVE envelopes are available today. All donations will benefit our local Lutheran Social Services office. LSS... *"touches the lives of people each year through a variety of services - providing hope, compassion and stability to those in need"*. Cross of Love donations will be received through April 2nd. Please place unused envelopes in the narthex.

LENTEN MIDWEEK WORSHIP continues Wednesdays at 7:00. Holden Evening Payer on the "Wandering in the Wilderness", *Learning from Israels Interim*. This Wednesday's theme: **"Detour"**, *failure to enter the land after the report of spies*.

L.I.F.T WILL MEET on Tuesday, March 21st at 11:30 for a brown bag lunch in the Church Fellowship Hall. There will be a discussion on the book *Good Grief* by Granger, E. Westberg. If you need a copy, please contact Marilynn Dunn. For more information, or if you need a ride, please contact Marilynn Dunn at 419-722-8543 or Sue DeMoss at 419-306-9994.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS for members are now available on the bulletin board and in the church office for two scholarships from the Endowment Fund. The deadline is March 31st.

DON'T FORGET THE COMMUNITY DINNER! It is already the 3rd Sunday! Please consider donating fruit, salad, or dessert. Come to help with prep, cleanup, OR JUST COME FOR FELLOWSHIP AND LUNCH!! It has been very fun to have more members come and just be God's "Salt and light!" Thanks.

CHRIST IN OUR HOME devotional books are available in the narthex and the east entry. *Christ in Our Home* is a quarterly Christian devotional that brings you a daily message of God's amazing grace. Reflections and prayers are based on scripture readings from *Revised Common Lectionary Daily Readings*. Each day offers a Bible verse, a personal commentary or meditation, a suggested prayer concern, and a unique prayer.

CALLING ALL MEN. Your help is needed for the Easter Breakfast. To volunteer, please sign up on the hall bulletin board. For more information, contact Randy Buck at 419-348-1611 or rluck2@Frontier.com

**Maundy Thursday
April 6, 7:00pm**

**Good Friday
April 7, 7:00pm**

**Easter Morning Worship
8:15 & 10:45am**

**Easter Breakfast
9:00**

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Please place in the box in the narthex or sign up on the bulletin board.