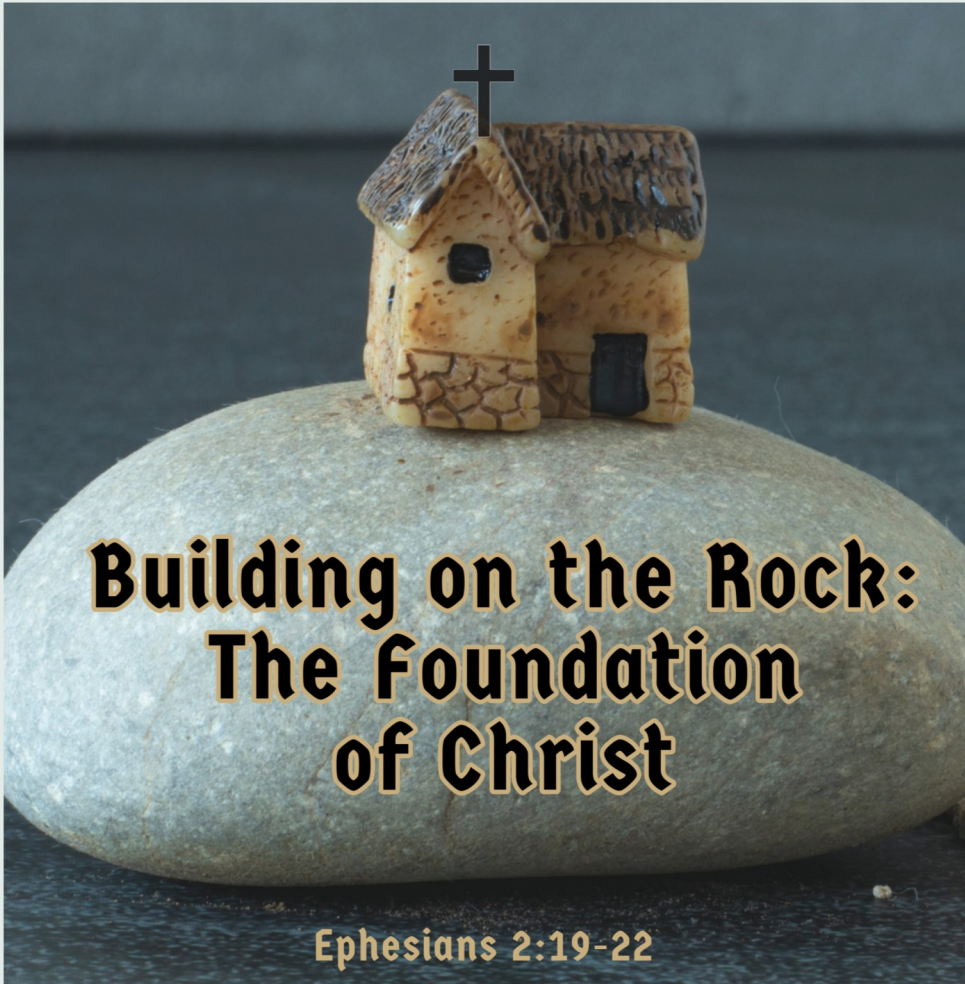


**Lutheran Church of the Cross**



**Building on the Rock:  
The Foundation  
of Christ**

**Ephesians 2:19-22**

**February 9, 2025  
Fifth Sunday after Epiphany  
9:00 & 10:30 am Worship**

## FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

February 9, 2025                      9:00 & 10:30 AM  
Lutheran Church of the Cross, Nisswa, Minnesota  
Rev. Drew Bakken                      Rev. Michelle Ruen

### GOOD MORNING & WELCOME TO LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS!

Welcome to worship as we come together in praise and thanksgiving to our living Savior!  
Holy Spirit, blow through our church with power. Open our hearts to follow your call.

### INTRODUCTION

The fifth Sunday after Epiphany continues to highlight unlikely instruments and circumstances appointed to reveal God's glory. "Who will go for us?" God asks. A person of unclean lips, a former persecutor of the church of God, and three fishermen who couldn't catch a thing. More surprising still, perhaps, is that we are also called.

**PRELUDE**                      "Holy God, We Praise Your Name," D. Burton/R. Hobby

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS & CHURCH COUNCIL INSTALLATION

**CALL TO WORSHIP**                      "The Donut Song," Evans                      King's Kids

### CROSS KIDS EXCUSED

**GATHERING HYMN**                      "Holy, Holy, Holy"                      **HYMN #413**

1. Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty! Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.  
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty! God in three persons, blessed Trinity!
2. Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee, casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee, which wert and art, and evermore shalt be.
3. Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee, though the eye of sinfulness thy glory may not see,  
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee, perfect in pow'r, in love and purity.

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### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, who creates, redeems, and sustains us and all of creation.

**Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

To you, O God, **All hearts are open, to you all desires known. We come to you, confessing our sins. Forgive us in your mercy, and remember us in your love. Show us your ways; teach us your paths; and lead us in justice and truth, for the sake of your goodness in Jesus Christ our Savior.**

**Amen.**

By water and the Holy Spirit God gives you a new birth, and through the death and resurrection of † Jesus Christ, God forgives you all your sins. The God of mercy and might strengthen you in all goodness and keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

### **GREETING**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the refining fire of the Holy Spirit, and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, be with you all. **And also with you.**

### **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Most holy God, **the earth is filled with your glory, and before you angels and saints stand in awe. Enlarge our vision to see your power at work in the world, and by your grace make us heralds of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

*(please be seated)*

### **READING**

**1 Corinthians 15:1-11**

*Paul delivers in a nutshell the story of the gospel that was given to him. In the lineage of the Christian faith, we have received the good news of God's love from generations of believers before us, and we continue to tell this story to the world.*

Now I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you—unless you have come to believe in vain.

For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

Word of God, word of life.

**Thanks be to God.**

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

“Bright and Glorious is the Sky”

**HYMN #301 vs. 6**

*(please stand as you are able)*

And this star, as bright as day, that will never lead astray  
With its message so appealing, is the Word of God, revealing.  
Christ, the way, the truth, the life, Christ, the way, the truth, the life.

**GOSPEL****Luke 5:1-11**

*Jesus' teaching of God's word has begun to draw great crowds. For Simon, James, and John, Jesus' teaching inspires hospitality, then obedience, and then risk. After Jesus' creative power is revealed, fear and amazement leads these three fishermen to leave everything behind to become apostles.*

The holy gospel according to Luke. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people." When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*(please be seated)*

**SERMON**

"Casting Out Our Nets"

Pr. Michelle Ruen

**HYMN OF THE DAY**

"Here I Am, Lord"

**HYMN #574 vs. 1&3**

*(please stand as you are able, during the last verse)*

1. "I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.  
I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?"

*Refrain*

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

3. "I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.  
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?"

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## **OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**God of grace, your love reaches to the heavens, and your abundance to the depths of the seas. Bless what we offer to your service: our gifts, our abilities, and our hearts. Let us overflow with gratitude and generosity, now and always. Amen.**

## **APOSTLE'S CREED**

**I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*(please be seated)*

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

**"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"**

**HYMN #815**

**\*I want to walk as a child of the light, I want to follow Jesus.**

With the Spirit of Christ shining upon us, let us boldly pray for the church, the world, and all of creation.

God of surprising abundance, you call your people to enter deeply into the world. Equip us to respond to your call. Please call our faith communities to do marvelous things. Bless the labor and efforts of this congregation, that we may be a sign of your presence in the world. Lord in your mercy, \*

Open the hearts of all leaders, especially those who serve in the armed forces, that they respond to their commission with wisdom and patience. Ensure that all who serve are kept safe in body, mind, and spirit. We pray for an end to all war and armed conflict. Lord in your mercy, \*

Fill with your compassionate presence all who are suffering from addiction, mental illness, injury, or illness of any kind, including those on our prayer list. Draw helpers to their side so that they find relief from their burdens. Lord in your mercy, \*

We thank you for those who have courageously gone before us in the faith. May we too show a deep trust in you throughout our lives. Lord in your mercy, \*

We entrust our prayers to you, O God, in the sure and certain hope that your promise is revealed among the people. **Amen.**

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION** *(please stand as you are able)*

## THE LORD'S PRAYER *(sung)*

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

*(please be seated)*

## COMMUNION

### COMMUNION BLESSING *(please stand as you are able)*

Nourishing God, at this table you have refreshed us with holy gifts of food and drink. Strengthen us for service, and send us out to embody your good news of liberation and healing for the sake of the world. In the name of Christ we pray, **Amen.**

## BENEDICTION

The Spirit of the triune God ☩ bless you with joy, anoint you with compassion, and send you in love. **Amen.**

## SENDING HYMN

“Holy God, We Praise Your Name”

**HYMN #414 vs. 1&4**

1. Holy God, we praise your name; Lord of all, we bow before you.  
All on earth your scepter claim, all in heav'n above adore you.  
Infinite your vast domain, everlasting is your reign.
4. Holy Father, Holy Son, Holy Spirit, three we name you.  
Though in essence only one; undivided God we claim you  
And, adoring, bend the knee while we own the mystery.

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## DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Live in hope.

**Thanks be to God. We will.**

## POSTLUDE

“Holy, Holy, Holy,” R.B. Farlee

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If you are visiting or interested in joining Lutheran Church of the Cross, please leave your contact information on the Welcome to Worship cards in the pews and place in the offering baskets. If you have questions about LCC, please feel free to call Pastor Drew or Pastor Michelle at 218-963-2564.

**Please take note:** The Fireside Room will be unavailable from Feb. 3 through the 14th due to the construction of a Family/ Handicapped Accessible restroom. We appreciate your patience as this much-needed renovation/update to our facility is completed.



**The Bridge on 7th** is a low barrier warming shelter providing a safe place to sleep for individuals 18+ who are experiencing homelessness in the Brainerd Lakes Area. **The week of February 16 is LCC's volunteer week at the Bridge on 7th.** Please sign up at this link: <https://whocanbetherere.com/SignUp/week-of-feb-16th-lcc/22dwco9q> Shifts are mornings only 6:30 am to after 8. The Bridge is asking for two volunteers for each shift. If you haven't signed up before, a confidentiality agreement is the only requirement for being there. Duties involve making beds, light cleaning and assisting staff and guests who are out the door by 8 am.

### **Bible Confidence – Finally Putting It All Together**

Sunday Mornings in March at 10:00 in the Chapel Hall  
5 Sessions - March 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30

Would you like to feel more confident about your biblical knowledge?

While this fun series is excellent for those new to the Bible, it is especially helpful for those with a lifetime of worship and Bible study but who still don't feel confident in knowing how the Bible all goes together.

Sure, you can carry your Bible in your hand, but imagine if you could carry an organizational understanding of it in your head?

The achievable goal of this course is that you will know and retain a sense of the order and storyline of the books of the Bible, an understanding you can apply whenever you hear or read the Bible.

For those trying to read through the whole Bible, we'll also give special attention to helping you prepare for the harder-to-read parts of the Bible.

Our Goals are to learn and remember:

- 1) How the Bible is organized like a library.
- 2) The overarching storyline to the whole Bible.
- 3) Where to find it in the Bible.
- 4) How different Bible books use different writing styles.

No sign up, just grab your coffee and donut and come to Chapel Hall to join us.  
Taught by Luther Swenson.

# Lutheran Church of the Cross - News and Notes

## February 9—February 16, 2025

### PRAYER REQUESTS

**LCC Members:** Gary Boche, Steve Suer, Dan & Kristin Neale Family, Marlow Strand, Joel Mailand, Karen Johnson, Terri Langerud, Bonnie Anderson, Lowell Carlson, Mark Boesen, Nancy Schmidt, Pete Mogenson, Kathleen Warden, Keith Both, Sarah Aga, Sue Pratt

**Friends & Relatives of LCC Members:**

Jo Quam (Mary Cram's friend), Tom Woog (Missy Trees' dad), Keith Shepherd (Pete Mogenson's friend), Carl Boeder (Wanita Holsapple's brother), TJ Emerson (Pam Evenson's daughter-in-law), Julie Fink (Deb Van Roy's cousin), Frank Wastesicoot (Al & Linda Larson's friend), Bev Emery (Arlene Brodeur's friend), Shirley Huff (Tom Gerrety's fiancé), Harry Tollas (friend of Pete Mogensen), Shelli Farone (Annie Schmitz's sister), Kathy "Lena" Hanson (Billie Jo Jaeche's mom), Grant Hanson (Sara Smith's friend), Scott Dufour (Pauline Gustafson's friend), Jan & Pat O'Donnell (Mavis Zachary's sister & brother-in-law), Julie LaRose (Marv & Elvera Pelkey's friend), Pat Gunderson (Don Gunderson's wife), Judy Parkin (Mary Cram's friend), Lane & Sandy Weber (JoAnn River's friends), Martha Sather (Dick & Judy Rickbeil's daughter), Janelle Ellis (Sandy Hins sister), Mary Larson (Lisa Hagen's mom), Mary Kay Gergen (Colleen Both's friend), Joey Halvorson (Marty Halvorson's sister), Darrell Kempfert (John & Marilyn Quist's friend), Steve Hedtke (Chris Hedtke's dad), Brian Krawiecki (Kelsey Kuhn's father), Sabrina Lewandowski (Tracy Olson's friend), Linda Reid (Carol Alverson's sister), Dave Watson (Mark & Kari Erickson's friend), Cheri Axel (Tracy Olson's friend), Merv Johnson (Kerri Nordby's dad), Pastor Tom Peterson (Keith & Colleen Both's friend), Annie (friend of Dave & Marie Olness), Karly & Caitlin Deal (Colleen Both's great nieces), Ronald Anderson (Jean Larson's husband), Andy Skjod (Dennis & Cynthia Skjod's nephew), LCC members in care facilities, all veterans and active service-men and women, and those struggling with mental health or addiction issues.

*Please call the church office to make updates to the prayer list. If you or someone you know is in the hospital or would like a visit, please call the church office at 218-963-2564.*

### RIPPERS, STRIPPERS, AND ROLLERS - TODAY, SUNDAY—FEBRUARY 9<sup>TH</sup>

Are you a ripper, stripper, or roller? Come and be one and join the Women of the Cross/Women of the ELCA on **TODAY, February 9th** during the coffee hour and find out! I guarantee you will have fun while helping out our brothers and sisters around the world! We are fortunate to have Sherry Johnson of Aurora, the founder of Rippers, Strippers, and Rollers, with us that day. Sherry is also a NE MN Synod Women of the ELCA board member. Sherry will provide a brief introduction and then will turn us into expert rippers, strippers, and rollers. If you like it, you can make your "roll" a recurring one at LCC.

### VOLUNTEER



Many serving opportunities available. If you can help by being a greeter, usher, worship coordinator, reader or communion assistant at any of the services or contact Tracy Olson via text or call @ 763-258-6364.



**Bible Studies: Men's Breakfast** at The Side Track every Thursday at 8:15 AM.

**Text Study** on Wednesdays @ 8:30 am in Chapel Hall. All are welcome to be a part of this ministry! If you are interested, email [laurie@lccnisswa.org](mailto:laurie@lccnisswa.org) and you will be added to the email list to receive the texts each week.

**Stonehouse Fridays — Fridays, 12:00 Noon-1:00, Beginning Feb. 7th** - Join us at noon on the four Fridays in February at Stonehouse Coffee in Baxter. We will be watching a short Nooma film by Rob Bell each week touching on issues that we care about, that we want to talk about, and that come in a way that fits our world. We want a God who cares about what happens in this world and that will be the point of our discussion. There is no homework, just come for an hour to be among friends and to relax before the weekend. Led by Carol Smith.

**Bible in A Year** - We have almost 50 people reading the Devotional Bible in Chronological order with commentary by F. LeGard Smith. It's not too late to join in. If you would like to gather together for encouragement and accountability, there is a group of us gathering for a discussion on each week's readings on Wednesdays from 5:00-5:45 PM in the Conservatory. Come when you can.

**PRIMETIMERS - THIS THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 12:00 Noon—1:30 pm** Come watch Actor/Playwright Chuck Johnson bring President Abraham Lincoln's thoughts to life with "The Night Before Gettysburg." Original and historically accurate, this short, one-man, three-act play provides a peek into the 16th president's state of mind as he put the finishing touches on his immortal "Gettysburg Address." Bring a sack lunch if you'd like. Coffee, lemonade, and dessert are provided in the Celebration Center.

**Rummage Sale News:** Donations accepted Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday from 8:30am to 4pm. Donation site closed Monday & Friday. A list of accepted/not accepted items is available at the church office/website. Please call Laurie at 218-963-2564 prior to dropping off items. **Mark your calendars:** Next clothing presort will be **Tuesday, Feb. 11, 9:30 am - noon**. Next hard goods presort will be **Monday, Feb. 17, 9:30 am - noon**. All are welcome!

### **LUTHER CREST BIBLE CAMP WOMEN'S WEEK—JUNE 22<sup>th</sup> THROUGH JUNE 27<sup>th</sup>**

All women. All week. All sorts of fun! Gather at Luther Crest for another great Women's Week experience at camp this summer! We'll provide an excellent arrangement of meals, goodies, and treats. There'll be daily speakers and presentations as well as *nightly entertainment* with musicians and entertainers. This is a wonderful opportunity to participate and grow together in a Christ-centered community through discussion and devotion.

Separate programming is offered for children and grandchildren of all ages.

Cost for the full week: Early Bird \$479 | Regular \$659 No cost for babies and preschool age children in daycare. Cost for one day: \$65 Cost for a carload for one day: \$130 (Available 6/23-25) Early Bird Deadline is: February 14, 2025! Check out their website and register on-line: <https://www.luthercrest.org/womens-week.html> Call Jodi Milli (507) 438-4435 or Gloria Thomas (218) 963-7951 if you would like more information.

**THIS WEEK AT LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS**

**February 9—February 16, 2025**

- SUN, 2-9:** *B-days: Mike Larson*  
**9:00** **Worship w/ Communion & Online**  
10:00 Coffee Fellowship/ Youth Serving Scones  
10:00 Rippers, Strippers & Rollers  
**10:30** **Worship w/ Communion**
- MON, 2-10:** *B-days: Lynn Christensen, Denise Hallan, Erica Hanowski, Vickie Ottem*  
8:30 Staff Meeting & Prayers  
10:00 Women’s Bible Study: Luke in the Land  
1:00 Prayer Shawl Group
- TUES, 2-11:** *B-days: Terry Frovik*  
9:00 Computer Lab  
9:30 Clothing Pre-Sort for Rummage Sale
- WED, 2-12:** *B-days: Clint Baker, Boyd Maine, Angie Rardin*  
8:30 Text Study  
1:00 Looney Ladies Book Club  
5:00 Bible in a Year  
5:45 Supper  
6:00 King’s Kids Rehearse  
**6:20** **Worship w/ Communion**  
7:00 Route 56/Confirmation/HSYG  
7:00 Sr. Choir Rehearsal/ A Time for Us
- THUR, 2-13:** *B-days: Eli Martini, Sandy Wacker*  
8:15 Men’s Breakfast  
10:00 Toning with a Purpose  
12:00 PrimeTimers  
7:00 Church Council  
7:00 A.A.
- FRI, 2-14:** *B-days: Brad Clarine, Weston Hiles, Susan Pratt, Nikki Stark, Mary Tyler*  
*CHURCH OFFICES CLOSE AT NOON*  
12:00 Stonehouse Friday in Baxter
- SAT, 2-15:** *B-days: Joey Helsene, Eric Jaeche*
- SUN, 2-16:** *B-days: Cheryl Wermager, Maggie Wolter*  
**9:00** **Worship w/ Communion & Baptism & Online**  
10:00 Coffee Fellowship  
**10:30** **Worship w/ Communion**  
11:30 Worship & Music Committee  
12:00 Youth Sunday Fun Day

**Lutheran Church  
of the Cross  
Daily Bible Reading  
from Lectionary C  
Mon., Feb 10, 2025**  
Judges 5:1-11  
1 Corinthians 14:26-40  
Psalm 115

**Tues., Feb 11, 2025**  
1 Samuel 9:15—10:1b  
1 Timothy 3:1-9  
Psalm 115

**Wed., Feb 12, 2025**  
Isaiah 8:1-15  
Luke 5:27-32  
Psalm 115

**Thurs., Feb 13, 2025**  
Jeremiah 13:12-19  
Acts 13:26-34  
Psalm 1

**Friday, Feb 14, 2025**  
Jeremiah 13:20-27  
1 Peter 1:17—2:1  
Psalm 1

**Sat., Feb 15, 2025**  
Jeremiah 17:1-4  
Luke 11:24-28  
Psalm 1

*Please take your bulletin home with you to use throughout the week as a reminder of upcoming events.*

**Reminder: Before planning any meeting/event/gathering at church, call the church office for availability and scheduling. Thank you.**



Lutheran Church of the Cross, Nisswa

## **CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY NEWS**

Join us for **LIFT SUNDAY scones** during Coffee Fellowship, served by our youth. We appreciate your generous support of this fundraiser:-)

Register **NOW** for **Luther Crest**—remember that no money is needed at time of registration and each LCC camper will receive a scholarship so that each camper's cost is reduced to **\$250**. Our week at **Luther Crest** is **July 20-25, 2025**. We

have spots reserved for **Witnesses and Leapers**. Hurry—our spots will fill quickly! There is a new registration system this year. If you have any questions, contact **Kari or Renae** at **Luther Crest**. Their registration is filling fast, so act quickly—within the next week if possible.

Check out the table tents in **Celebration Center** for all upcoming youth events—details on **Care Packages, Baked Potato Bar and Lenten Mentors**.

Thank you so very much to those who have donated items or money to the **Neale** family. We will continue the collection throughout the month of **February**, You are blessed to be a blessing to them!

**Grades 5 -12** - join us on **Sunday, February 16th** for **SUNDAY FUN DAY** with pizza and games from noon until 4 pm. Bring your favorite game and your appetite! See **Liz** for further details.

### **Creation Care Green Tip**

Submitted by **Laura Raedeke**, **Creation Care Team**

**"Yes, and How Many Times Can a Man Turn His Head and Pretend That He Just Doesn't See..."** **Bob Dylan**

A team of international scientists found that the world's oceans for the **seventh straight year** set a heat record in 2024, supercharging the world's extreme weather systems when heat and humidity are transferred to the atmosphere. Accepting that climate change is human-caused from burning fossil fuels is difficult, because it implies that changes will have to be made. Yet the U.S. is by far the world's **largest oil producer, with just five states and federal off-shore leases accounting for 87% of all U.S. oil production**. Parts of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge that were opened in January for oil development met with **no bids from the oil industry**, signaling an already saturated market. 27 states produce little or no oil and do not benefit from an oil economy, but have the potential to participate in the rapidly advancing clean energy economy.

# Thanks to our Worship Assistants!

<b>Musicians</b>	Cathy Taylor, Sharon Taute, Mallory Maine
<b>Greeters</b>	9:00 Darin & Lisa Olson
<b>Ushers</b>	9:00 Chris & Cristi Hedtke 10:30 Rod & Karen Opp
<b>Acolytes</b>	9:00 Graham & Noah Johnson 10:30 Presleigh Larson, Lillian Nelson
<b>Reader</b>	9:00 Bob Burns 10:30 Sandra Potthoff
<b>Worship Coord.</b>	Marv & Karen Green
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Betty Arveson, Gloria Thomas
<b>Communion Asst.</b>	9:00 Bob Burns, Jean Olson 10:30 Erin Strachan, Sandra Potthoff
<b>Coffee Fellowship</b>	Children, Youth & Family Ministry Team
<b>Tech Support</b>	Dick Schmidt
<b>Nursery</b>	Colleen, Abby & Rebecca Bakken

**\*\*Assistive Listening Devices are available in the Narthex. If you choose to use one, please leave it on the counter when you exit so it can be sanitized for the next use.**



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