

THE FIRST EDITION

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MARCH 2023

Our Lenten Journey

Ash Wednesday marked the beginning of our 40-day Lenten journey. Lent is a season when we follow Jesus into the wilderness and acknowledge our humanity. In the words of Kate Bowler, "During Lent, we ask God to show us the world as it really is. It is a chance for the whole church to be on the losing team. A time to tell the truth: Life is so beautiful and life is so hard. For everyone. Easter is coming, yes. But for now, we sit in the ashes of our own broken dreams and broken hearts, knowing that God sits here with us too. Together, might we say: bless *this* Lent."

This Lent we take the annual journey toward the cross of Good Friday and the empty tomb of Easter Sunday. This is a time of reflection and preparation when we are invited to acknowledge the reality of our imperfections and the harshness of life. When we do this, we might better accept God's abiding love and abounding grace that we receive on Easter morning.

There can be something therapeutic and even freeing when we see the imperfect reality within ourselves and the world. It can free us to accept that life is often out of our control and to accept God's grace. For in Christ, life can come from death. In other words, accepting our shortcomings allows us to witness the redeeming work of the Holy Spirit who brings life in the midst of death.

Our midweek Lenten Theme this year is "Unfinished: Discovering God's Call in the Not Yet." Worship will begin at 7 pm on Wednesday nights using Holden Evening Prayer. Each week we will hear from a different local area ELCA pastor on the topics of: called to regret, called to values, called to openness, called by God, and called to attentiveness. You are invited to join us before worship for pizza supper with the confirmation students.

In Christ,
Pastor Luke



February 22	2pm & 7 pm	Pastor Luke Hollander
	Ash Wednesday	Called to Renewal
March 1	7 pm	Pastor Kira Anderson, St. Ansgar's
		Called to Regret
March 8	7 pm	Pastor Tim McDermott, Spring Garden
		Called to Values
March 15	7 pm	Pastor Judy Thompson-Reitz, Urland
		Called to Openness
March 22	7 pm	Pr. C.J. Boettcher, Cannon River/Cross of Christ
		Called by God
March 29	7 pm	Pastor Luke Hollander
		Called to Attentiveness
April 2	9 am	Pastor Luke Hollander
	Palm Sunday	Called to Experience God's Presence
April 6	2 pm and 7 pm	Pastor Luke Hollander
	Maundy Thursday	
April 7	7 pm	Pastor Luke Hollander
	Good Friday	
April 9	8 am and 10 am	Pastor Luke Hollander
	Easter	Called to Resurrection



Is Anyone Out There?

The past few years have been challenging to say the least. A global pandemic, civil unrest, and a sense that the United States of America was a country deeply divided were constantly in front of us. Not to mention the changes with church staff and, most importantly, our pastor. We didn't worship together in many congregations for months – some have yet to return to their sanctuaries that they left back in 2020.

Some congregations have discovered they have lost members, community influence, and financial resources. The people who once occupied our pews may have decided they prefer to worship, at least part of the time, from home. Relationships, which depend on contact and interaction, have changed, impacting youth groups, Sunday school classes, and social circles. Sometimes we wonder if people are even paying attention any more. All of this is to say that financial stewardship in this environment is going to continue to be a challenge.

To meet these changing circumstances, "business as usual" for resourcing stewardship is simply not going to work any longer.

Believe it or not, there is more to First English Lutheran Church than just what you see on Sunday morning! We host blood drives, bible studies, the Cannon Falls Food Shelf, and other community events in our building and members plan several ministries, like quilting, food drives,

and other ELCA-sponsored ministries. All of these things are planned and prepared by leadership and staff who are deeply committed to our becoming who it is God is calling us to be. The ministry and mission of our church take place because of the spiritual and financial gifts our members and friends choose to offer. These are the resources that fuel our mission; and yes, it does cost real money to provide these spiritual things!

The decision to give a gift (of your time, talent or tithe) is a choice, but as a follower of Jesus, it really isn't an option! Based on what we have received, we are encouraged to give something—out of thanksgiving for what God has done, and as a sign of faithfulness and commitment to be a part of the good things that God is continuing to do in our world.

As a congregation, our mission states *"We, as Christians of First English Lutheran Church, dedicate ourselves to witness through God's love and minister to the needs of others as Christ teaches us."*

Your dedication will carry us and our community through these challenging times, if we only but respond to what God has given us with generosity of our own.

Source: <https://centerforfaithandgiving.org/>



Women of FELC

Next Gathering

Tuesday, March 14 at 10 am

Fellowship Hall
Sharing Fellowship and Bible Study



Now meeting the 2nd Tuesday of each month!



HENRY LEE WOODWARD was baptized on Sunday, February 19, 2023. He was born on November 11, 2022 to **Alison** and **Jared Woodward** in Woodbury, MN. Godparents are **Logan** and **Julia Godfrey**.

Visit our Website for Updates!

www.firstenglishchurch.com

Hello People of FELC,

As Epiphany closes and Lent begins, here is a recap of what the First English Youth have been up to and a look ahead to what is coming.

Starting off with the older kids, confirmands have been busy as we learn all about the New Testament.

They have faithfully attended to learn about Jesus and our ancestors in the faith this year. However, we did take a break from studying to have a "Fat Wednesday" celebration last week. Students got to team up for a board game tournament, play Bible trivia, and battle it out to see who the last one standing was in human battleships. This was a great way to add some fun into the learning.

But confirmation has not been the only activity happening for FELC youth. We also hosted a Florida Man Fun Night, with a theme of controlled chaos and warmer weather activities. With a turnout of 25 youth, we played games, had food, and learned about how God reveals Himself to us in Jesus.

Moving onto what our youngest members have been up to, FELC has seen great success with the Sunday School program this year. Kids continue to come downstairs to hear the Bible stories and activities.

Spotlights, milestones and acolytes are another facet of children's ministry you've been seeing at FELC. This month, the third graders served as readers, ushers, and greeters, and did an amazing job welcoming us into worship. Additionally, the Kindergarteners had their Power of Prayer Milestone, where they learned why we pray the Lord's prayer with their families. Finally, the confirmation students have been serving as our acolytes, carrying the cross and lighting the candles during worship. All in all these kids have done a wonderful job serving and being a part of the congregation.

Now that you know what we've been up to, here's what is coming up.

Throughout Lent we will have pizza suppers and confirmation. Please join us from 6-6:30 pm for supper, and get to know our confirmation students. We will follow supper with our lessons and worship. We're excited to see you there.



Peace,
Maddie Patterson
CYF Director

WORSHIP SERVICES

The livestream of our 9 am worship service is available on our website, www.firstenglishchurch.com



...on our YouTube channel & Facebook page

...aired on the local HBC Channel 12

(check local listing for schedule)

& MediaCom cable channel 12 (11 am on Tuesday, 3 pm Wednesday, and 4:30 pm on Saturday)

(Note: Recently the local cable commission has been having issues with the government access channel.)

If you'd like to have a DVD of the worship services delivered to your home, contact the church office at 507-263-3042.

Still unable to access the weekly worship?

Call the church office; a link can be sent to your email and you can click on it and watch!

Join Us

Wednesday Lenten Supper



March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

6 pm

A variety of pizza's will be served.

March is Food Share Month!

The annual Minnesota FoodShare March Campaign brings together organizations, businesses, faith communities, and individuals to help keep 300 food shelves statewide stocked throughout the year.

Locally, our Social Ministry Committee invites you to help the Cannon Falls Food Shelf stock their shelves with the following items:

Food items:

- Hamburger helper products
- Chunky style soups and saltines
- Cereal
- Cookie and snack crackers

Non-Food Items:

- Paper products- toilet paper and tissues, paper towels
- Laundry and dish soap
- Personal products, shampoo, deodorant, hand soap, toothbrushes and toothpaste

The 2023 March Campaign will run February 27 through April 9.



ELCA World Hunger's

40 Days of Giving

GOAL AMOUNT: _____

FEBRUARY	
<p>22 WED</p> <p>ASH WEDNESDAY O God, help us as we take up your invitation to prayer and simplicity, that these 40 days might sharpen our hunger for justice. Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.</p>	<p>23 THU</p> <p>Today would be a good day to set a goal for your giving to ELCA World Hunger as part of 40 Days of Giving. Write it down and refer back to it throughout the season.</p>
<p>24 FRI</p> <p>"As a person who has needed advocacy, I invite you to step in [to consider advocating for others] with open exploration for where God's grace and mercy may abide." —Catherine Weiss in ELCA World Hunger's new Lenten study guide.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ELCA.org/Resources/ELCA-World-Hunger</p>	<p>25 SAT</p> <p>"Be with us through this season, Lord, and all our working days, that when the final Easter dawns, we just in heaven's palace." —"O Lord, Throughout These Forty Days" (Psalm 139)</p>
<p>26 SUN</p> <p>Read and reflect on today's Gospel, Matthew 41-42. Then, read the Week One material in ELCA World Hunger's Lent study guide.</p>	
MARCH	
<p>27 MCN</p> <p>Goats (\$50) survive and thrive where other animals can't. They truly are lifesavers for families navigating some of the world's most difficult terrain.</p>	<p>1 WED</p> <p>Living well, maintain our line of worldly possessions and fix our hearts more firmly on you that, having nothing, we might yet possess everything, a treasure stored up for us in heaven. Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.</p>
<p>28 TUE</p> <p>"It is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice, to undo the thongs of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke?" (Isaiah 58:6)</p>	<p>2 THU</p> <p>"Let justice flow like streams of sparkling water, pure, enabling growth, refreshing life, abundant, cleansing, sure." —"Let Justice Flow Like Streams?" (Psalm 124)</p>
<p>6 MCN</p> <p>"An aging congregation' has run out of ways to connect with their community. We have members who are aging, but our community is young!" —Rev. Song Lee Kim, pastor of Light of Peace Lutheran Church in Federal Way, Wash.</p>	<p>7 TUE</p> <p>God of patient love, we pray for grace to take your generous gift and step with courage on this holy path, confident in the radiant life that is your plan for us, made known and given in Jesus Christ our Lord. Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.</p>
<p>11 SAT</p> <p>Gifts of life, pour your love into our hearts, that, refreshed and renewed, we might invite others to the living water given to us in Jesus Christ our Lord. Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.</p>	<p>8 WED</p> <p>Attending a farmer field school (FFS), a woman can learn how to grow a diversified vegetable garden, giving her family food security, additional income and hope for the future.</p>
<p>12 SUN</p> <p>Read and reflect on the week's Gospel, John 43-44. Then, read the Week Three material in ELCA World Hunger's Lent study guide.</p>	<p>9 THU</p> <p>"I lift up my eyes to the hills — from where will my help come? My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth" (Psalm 121:1-2).</p>
<p>13 MON</p> <p>"Lent, you give justice to all oppression, maintain the right, set prisoners free. You feed the hungry in your compassion, healing and life flow from your tree." —"Praise the Almighty" (GLW 472)</p>	<p>10 FRI</p> <p>"We are taking chances to try something new, and we can learn from each other in the process." —Husheki, Cuba Piglets (\$30) provide extra nutrition, fertilizer and income for families.</p>
<p>15 WED</p> <p>Scan the QR code to read Freya's story in the spring 2022 edition of "Lifeline" (p. 4)</p>	<p>14 TUE</p> <p>"One bread, one body, one Lent of all, one cup of blessing which we bless, and we, though many throughout the earth, we are one body in this one Lent." —"One Bread, One Body" (GLW 486)</p>
<p>16 THU</p> <p>The world produces more than enough food to feed every person — but the number of people experiencing hunger is growing. Just \$2 a day can have a significant impact toward sustainable solutions that end hunger and poverty.</p>	<p>17 FRI</p> <p>"If you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted, then your light shall rise in the darkness and your gloom be like the noonday" (Isaiah 58:10).</p>
<p>18 SAT</p> <p>See the impact of your generosity to ELCA World Hunger by choosing a video to watch on our videos channel. Thank you for supporting innovative solutions that get at the root causes of hunger!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Videos.Channel/ELCAWorldHunger</p>	<p>19 SUN</p> <p>Read and reflect on today's Gospel, John 9:1-46. Then, read the Week Four material in ELCA World Hunger's Lent study guide.</p>

ELCA World Hunger

Cannon Falls Food Shelf Needs Your Help

Nationwide, food shelves are struggling, Cannon Falls Food Shelf is struggling as well.

For more than 25 years, the volunteers of the Cannon Falls Food Shelf has devoted its energy to passionately advocating for the needs of our community family.

Consider donating food to restock the food shelf for our community now.

Tax ID# is 30-0221349.

Email at foodshelfcannonfalls@gmail.com or call at (507) 263-3257 with any questions.

Food Shelf Hours

1st Saturday (Mar. 4)

10 am to Noon

2nd Thursday Mar. 9)

10 am to Noon

3rd Thursday (Mar. 16)

4:30 to 6:30 pm

4th Thursday (Mar. 23)

10 am to Noon

ELCA World Hunger's **40 Days of Giving**

GOAL AMOUNT: _____

20 MON Scan the QR code to read Maria's story in Living Lutheran

21 TUE Faithful service, open our hearts that with compassion and love we might recognize one another as signs of your presence among us. Through Jesus Christ, who redeems us. Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.

22 WED A simple water well or other water point can help as many as 500 families gain access to clean, safe water. Consider the gift of a well (\$2,500) or a portion of a safe-water project (\$250) today.
World Water Day

23 THU "God's invitation for us to build a just world where all are fed comes out of our own experience as people saved by grace. As told in Holy Scripture, the entire history of the people of God is the story of God being present with the people, especially when they felt alone." Revisit this lesson in ELCA World Hunger's Lent study guide Week Two material.

24 FRI "Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord my whole life long." (Psalm 138:8)

25 SAT Creator God, keep us in your presence and give us your wisdom. Open our hearts to gladness, and dry tears to silence and rest: to us the joy of your salvation. Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.

26 SUN Read and reflect on today's Gospel, John 11:5-48. Then, read the Week Five material in ELCA World Hunger's Lent study guide.

27 MON "Alice's Garden is truly a pocket of paradise in an urban landscape."
— Sarah
Scan the QR code to read the story on page 3-10a "Food Love"

28 TUE "All who hunger, gather gladly; holy manna is our bread. Come from wilderness and wandering. Here in truth we will be fed. . . Taste and see the grace eternal. Taste and see that God is good."
—"All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly" (ELW 467)

29 WED Even the most experienced farmers — such as Hakari — can transform their harvests and their futures with access to seeds and tools (\$50) along with agricultural training.

30 THU "We help because we were helped."
— New Mexico Relief, partner of a congregation in bordering Mexico, Lutheran refugees
Scan the QR code to read about the Lutheran history of welcome in the Lutheran Disaster Response blog.

31 FRI "My soul waits for the Lord more than those who watch for the morning, more than those who watch for the morning, O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love . . . [and] great power to redeem" (Psalm 130:4-7)

APRIL

1 SAT As many as 80 million people around the world are unsheltered. Your gifts matter! Keep learning about how you can make an impact by visiting ELCA.org/Hunger. Thank you.

2 SUN Read and reflect on today's Gospel, John 11:1-48. Then revisit a favorite hymn, lesson, passage from Scripture or ELCA story from World Hunger to reflect on as we enter into Holy Week.

3 MON Loving God, pour out your Spirit upon us, that we might have despair and death with the hope of resurrection and faith in the One who called Lazarus forth from the grave. Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.

4 TUE "When through the waters winds our path, around us pain, around us death, deep calls to deep, O saving breath, and found beside us faithfully there is the love of God."
—"In Deepest Night" (ELW 688)

5 WED Christ our God, hold us in your embrace as we wait for Easter's dawn. Comfort us with the promise that no power on earth, not even death itself, can separate us from your love. Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.

6 THU Gather all you've collected throughout your Lenten journey and add up your total gift to ELCA World Hunger! Make your donation online at ELCA.org/40Days or bring your gifts to your congregation. Thank you for working creatively and courageously toward a just world where all are fed.

7 FRI "We were able to feel alive again. . . They gave us a grain of hope and dragged us from uncertainty to a new life."
—Richard, an asylum-seeker in Berlin, reflecting on the transformative support provided by the Asylum Protection Center (an ELCA World Hunger partner).

8 SAT "By your hand you feed your people, feed of angels, heaven's bread. For these gifts we did not labor, by your grace we have been fed."
—"Do Not Count Your Good Your People" (ELW 486)

9 EASTER SUNDAY He is not here, but has risen! Alleluia!
Revisit, reflect on and rejoice in John 20:1-18 or Luke 24:1-12.

ELCA World Hunger

Council Highlights

FELC Council Highlights: February 9, 2023

Meeting was called to order at 7:01 pm by Acting President Mike Miller.

Present: Phyllis Althoff, Brenda Deutsch, Julie Gergen, Diane Johnson, Scott Johnson (Zoom), Dean Kautz, Jim Nelson, Jennifer Nobach (Zoom), Robin Stewart, Mike Trelstad, Pr. Luke Hollander. Excused: Phil Jacobson, Dan Meyers. Non-voting: Karen Anderson, Royce Anderson, Mike Miller.

Pr. Hollander led opening devotions.

Agenda: No additions to agenda.

Approve January 12, 2023, council minutes. J. Nelson moved, M. Trelstad seconded. Passed.

Pastor's Report

Pastor Hollander highlighted his written report. He is planning to walk gently and listen closely, while not rushing.

Treasurer's Report: K Anderson

12/30 Gen Fund Balance/Checking Acct	\$ 20,679.19
January Gen Fund Income	+ 27,840.82
January Gen Fund Expenses	<u>- 19,925.26</u>

1/31 General Fund Balance/Checking Acct	\$ 28,594.75
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1/31 Fund Balances/Gifts

Rooted in Faith Fund	\$ 34,607.93
Building Expense Fund	\$ 2,958.75
Youth Account	\$ 22,230.14
Benevolence/LSS Gifts (January)	\$ 1,566.00
Designated Gifts (January)	\$ 4,133.66

- According to the budget, we need approximately \$21,400 in General Fund income each month.
- Undesignated Christmas memorials were distributed to Lutheran Disaster Relief (\$475) and Youth Pizza fund (\$2,000).
- The remaining balance in the Call Committee fund of \$3,031.68 was transferred back into the General Fund Reserve from where it came.
- The credit at the gas company has been used, so we will be paying gas bills each month.
- Pledges received this month for Building expenses, Benevolence, and Rooted in Faith are ahead of budgeted amount. The Youth Account continues to be in good shape.

Approve raising Bell Choir Director's annual stipend to \$2,340 (same as Choir Director's stipend), as requested at annual meeting. R. Stewart moved, D. Kautz seconded. Passed.

Approve Treasurer's Report. D. Johnson moved, M. Trelstad seconded. Passed.

Old/Continuing Business

A. P. Althoff presented written safety report.

- Door chime on entryway door installed; thank you Mike Miller.
- Plan to rearrange main office furniture to allow Administrative Assistant to see people entering.
- Lower level north door and frame will be replaced (food shelf getting bid).
- P. Althoff and D. Johnson will explore key fob system and creating master key plan for building.
- M. Miller will explore installing security camera system.

B. Amended Constitution submitted to SEMN Synod office for action at February 25 Synod Council meeting. Thanks to Gail Moorhouse for proofreading document. D. Kautz suggested keeping hardcopy of approved document on file. D. Johnson suggested uploading to church website. C. R. Anderson has bid for replacing carpet in Pastor's office and CYF Director's office. Approve bid of \$1,977.48 to remove old carpet and replace with new carpet (same color as in narthex), funds from RIF-Building. P. Althoff moved, R. Stewart seconded. Passed.

D. Offering process

- 1) Regular envelopes still on back order; have "general envelopes" to use.
- 2) Working on getting more volunteers to help count and record offering on Mondays (Chris Pofahl is still volunteering)
- 3) Agreed to collect offering during worship again.

New Business

A. Nominated: President – Phil Jacobson; Vice President – Dean Kautz; Secretary – Diane Johnson. There were no additional nominations. Elect slate of officers. R. Stewart moved, P. Althoff seconded. Passed.

Approve authorized signatures for all financial institutions of Phil Jacobson, Dean Kautz, Diane Johnson, Luke Hollander, Karen Anderson, and Kathy Ehlers. P. Althoff moved, M. Trelstad seconded. Passed.

B. Approve limiting council meetings to 1 hour, with option to extend by council vote. Pr. L. Hollander moved, D. Kautz seconded, passed.

C. Pr. L. Hollander noted that Wednesday youth pizza supper was continuing during Lent. Others are welcome to eat with them before Lenten worship.

D. Pr. L. Hollander will work on a Statement of Inclusion for First English.

**Next Council Meeting:
Thursday, March 9, at 7 pm**

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E. Council will have access to our "Church 360" program; K. Ehlers will provide tutorial.

Committee Reports

- A. Property Committee: R. Anderson and M. Miller reported no snow to shovel!
B. Social Ministry: no meeting
C. Worship and Music: D. Kautz reported they are setting up a time to meet with Pr. Hollander.
D. Faith Formation: J. Nobach reported.
- 1) Sunday School going well; will be bringing music back with Emily Peterson leading once amonth.
 - 2) VBS: will not join with St. Ansgar's if they decide to use Good Earth Village.
 - 3) Stop Light and Milestones are going well.
 - 4) Wednesday confirmation will continue with pizza during Lent.

E. Foundation:

Approve distribution of 2022 interest of \$5,432.99 as follows: \$1,500 to youth group; \$750 each to one Cannon Falls high school senior; one Randolph high school senior, and one 3rd or 4th year college or graduate student; \$500 to Hope Coalition in Red Wing; \$432.18 to Good Sam account; \$750 to Luther Seminary for seminarian M. Patterson. P. Althoff moved, D. Kautz seconded, passed.

F. Memorials: J. Nelson is setting up meeting with Pr. Hollander and Executive Committee.

Mike Miller was thanked for his five years of service as president of the council.

Pastor L. Hollander led the group in the Lord's prayer. Approve motion to adjourn at 8:16 pm. R. Stewart moved, D. Johnson seconded, passed.

Communion Assistants

Mar. 5 – Dean Kautz, Jim Nelson, Robin Stewart/Karen Anderson

Mar. 19 – Phyllis Althoff, Robin Stewart, M. Trelstad

Respectfully submitted, Diane Johnson

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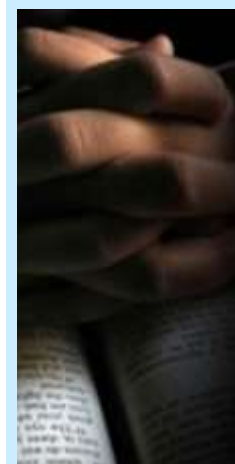
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MEMORIALS & GIFTS
FEBRUARY 2023

In Memory of Grayden Moorhouse
Doris Landon
Lyle and Jerilynn Noble
Marge Dracy



WISH TO PUT SOMEONE ON THE PRAYER CHAIN?

Contact our Prayer Chain Coordinator
Marcine Lundell 507-263-9146
E-mail: marcinegrace@gmail.com
or the church office to place your prayer request or if you'd like to be a prayer petitioner on the FELC Prayer Chain.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26 March 2023	27	28	1 10 am Staff Meeting 6 pm Lenten Congregational Pizza Supper 7 pm Wednesday Lenten Worship	2	3	4 10 am—Noon CF Food Shelf
5 9 am Communion Worship 9:20-9:40 am Sunday School	6	7	8 10 am Staff Meeting 6 pm Lenten Congregational Pizza Supper 7 pm Wednesday Lenten Worship	9 10 am—Noon CF Food Shelf 7 pm Church Council	10	11
12 Daylight Savings Begins 9 am Worship 9:20-9:40 am Sunday School 10 am Gr. 2 Milestone Class	13	14 10 am Women of FELC Gathering	15 10 am Staff Meeting 6 pm Lenten Congregational Pizza Supper 7 pm Wednesday Lenten Worship	16 4:30—6:30 pm CF Food Shelf	17 St. Patrick's Day	18
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26 9 am Worship 9:20-9:40 am Sunday School 10 am 5th Gr 1st Communion Class	27	28 10am Park St Bible Study	29 10 am Staff Meeting 6 pm Lenten Congregational Pizza Supper 7 pm Wednesday Lenten Worship	30	31	1 10 am—Noon CF Food Shelf



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