

Announcements:

We are in need of **readers** for Sunday worship. Please see the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.

Noisy Offering for February/March will go to Crawford County Meals on Wheels.

Our second annual **Shrove Sunday pancake breakfast** is **today** after worship. The breakfast ministry team will be preparing pancakes with a toppings bar, eggs, sausage, and coffee. We hope you plan to stay after worship for fellowship as we gorge ourselves in preparation for Lent. And speaking of...

Ash Wednesday is on February 18. We will gather at **7:00pm** as a Lutheran Partnership at St. Paul in North Robinson. 2307 St. Rte. 602.

If you would like to order **Easter flowers** to honor or remember loved ones this year, the orders must be in **today**. Orders can be submitted during Sunday service in the offering plate, placed on the secretaries desk, or put in the office mailbox. I you have any questions, please call the office at **419-468-3107**.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Due to health and scheduling issues, the Women's Bible/Book Study will begin: **Wednesday, March 11, 1:00 PM** at Cathy Badenhop's home. We hope that these changes will enable you to attend and learn how these women of the Bible can speak to us today! Books will be provided. Signup is available at the church or call **Cathy Badenhop 419-571-5948** or **Becky Voorheis 740-398-2960**.

LifeWise Evening of Impact - Thursday, March 26, 6-8pm at The Hub in Crestline. Doors will open at 4:45pm. Complimentary dinner and an update on LifeWise's work in Crawford County. Keynote speaker: Jim Tressel. Contact **Marti Smith** for additional information at **740-972-1121**.

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Sunday's lessons and sermon are recorded each week and can be streamed or downloaded from our website.

First Lutheran Church

February 15, 2026
Transfiguration of Our Lord

*Stand as you are able

ELW = Cranberry Hymnal



Gathering

The Holy Spirit call us together as the people of God

Prelude

* Call to Worship

* Confession and Forgiveness

* Gathering Hymn

"Shine, Jesus Shine"

ELW 671

* The Greeting

* Kyrie and Canticle of Praise

pgs. 203-204

* Prayer of the Day

Word

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song

First Reading

Psalm (psalms begin on p. 339 at front of ELW)

Exodus 24:12-18

Psalm 2

Second Reading

2 Peter 1:16-21

* Gospel Acclamation

p. 205

* Gospel

Matthew 17:1-9

Sermon

Pastor Shawn Schneider

* Hymn of the Day *"How Good, Lord, to Be Here!"*

ELW 315

* Prayers of Intercession

* Peace

Meal

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ

Offering

* Offertory Hymn "Create in Me a Clean Heart"

ELW 186

* Offering Prayer

* Preface

* Holy, Holy, Holy

p.144

* Thanksgiving at the Table

* Lord's Prayer

Distribution

Communion Hymns "Lamb of God"

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"Beautiful Savior"

ELW 838

"I Love to Tell the Story"

ELW 661

* Prayer after Communion

Sending

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

* Announcements

* Blessing

* Sending Hymn "O Master, Let Me Walk with You "

ELW 818

* Sending

It is good for us to be here;

We have seen God's glory and heard God's voice.

God now, renewed by grace and filled with light to love and serve the world God loves.

We will! Thanks be to God!

* Postlude

We are praying for:

Clint & Barb Howe, Mary Lou Griebing, Linda Kahler, Ed Naufzinger and Pastor Tim Keeler

Long Term Prayer List: Joe Beaty, Kyle Baughn, Marlene Leme, Chloe, Jeff Belding, Joyce Corwin, AJ Rinaldi, Kaden Allerding, Haylee Lilly, Scott, Sandy Alley, Jean Henry, Tina Fuson, Ed Smith and Bobbie Jo Seighman

Homebound, Assisted Living, or Limited Mobility: Jack Harpst Jr, Chuck Robinson, Jay DeNise, Millie Haas, Brenda Haas, Janet Hammermiller, Phyllis Straka, Fred Watkins, Joyce Shearer and Patty Owen

To add someone to our prayer list or prayer chain, call the church office or email us at pastor@flcgalion.com

Birthdays and Anniversaries:

Andrea Schneider - February 17

Helping Hands Today and next Sunday

| | <u>Today</u> | <u>Next Sunday</u> |
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| Accompanist | Adam Jarvis | Adam Jarvis |
| Assisting Minister | Brian Shifley | Mike Smith |
| Lay Reader | Beth Sinden | Beth Sinden |
| Greeters | Ron Buchanan | Ron Buchanan |
| Communion Prep | Tracy Kokiko | Roni Halberg |
| Audio/Visual | Randy Lady | Jeff Dinkel |
| Coffee Cart | Ron & Geneva Buchanan | Open |

This Week at First

Today 10:00 am Worship - Transfiguration of Our Lord
 11:15 am Shrove Sunday
 12:00 pm Catechism

Tuesday 3:15 pm Prayer Shawl Outreach

Wednesday 7:00 pm Ash Wednesday Service at St. Paul in North Robinson