

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Council '26 officers: Cal DeRuyter - pres, Warren Gradert - VP, Daniel Borchers - treas, Lindsey DeZeeuw - sec; Muriel Koedam - benevolence, Scott Campbell - head usher.
- Midweek Lent services will begin with Ash Wednesday worship this Wed Feb 18 06:30pm, and continue through Wed Mar 25. Soup supper will be served before each midweek service starting at 05:45pm, excluding Ash Wednesday - sign-up sheet posted in Narthex. Evening Bible Study will be on hold during Lent, plan to resume after Easter.

## SOUP DINNER FUNDRAISER

**YOU'RE INVITED:** "Sunday Soup Dinner" Sun Feb 22. To-go soups will be available. Sponsored by Thrivent.

**COOKS:** Dave & Sandy Heuer, Lance & Katie DeJong, Warren & Candy Gradert, Donna Ranschau, Becky Gradert & Nicole Breurer.

**MENU:** fresh dinner and cinnamon rolls; soup offerings of chili, vegetable beef, chicken noodle, split pea, brat, and potato ham.

**FREEWILL OFFERING:** directed to Mission Ukraine Fund for family's current legal and other future expenses.

## SCHEDULE

Mon 02/16 10:30am PLC worship re-broadcast Ch 12 (Premier)

Wed 02/18 05:30pm Praise Team rehearsal

06:30pm Ash Wednesday worship

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Tue 02/24 02:00pm Pastor Bill leads worship at Crown Pointe

Wed 02/25 Lent midweek worship

05:45pm Soup supper

06:30pm Worship service

Sun 03/01 06:00pm LYO meets

Mon 03/09 07:00pm Council meeting

Sun 03/15 06:00pm LYO meets

*Lent midweek worship 06:30pm: 02/18 Ash Wed; 02/25, 03/04, 03/11, 03/18, 03/25. (Soup supper 05:45pm, excluding Ash Wed)*

*Holy Week worship: Maundy Thurs 06:30pm 04/02; Good Fri 06:30pm 04/03; Easter Sunrise 07:45am 04/05; Easter Communion 10:15am 04/05.*

## PRAYER FOR LOCAL CONGREGATION

Centerpoint Church

Pastors Jamie Dykstra and Chris Godfredsen

## SERVING TODAY (and next week)

Lectors: Vicki R (Mike DR) Deacon: Steve R (Joe R)  
Praise Team off today (sings)  
A/V: Daniel B, Ryan R (Tim S, Tasha W)  
Acolyte: CL Rehder (Ellie DZ) Organ: Becky S (Becky S)

## READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK (ESV)

Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7; Psalm 32; Romans 5:12-19

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Today's festival is a bridge between the Advent-Christmas-Epiphany cycle, which comes to a close today, and the Lent-Easter cycle that begins in several days. On a high mountain Jesus is revealed as God's beloved Son, echoing the words of His baptism. This vision of glory sustains us as Jesus faces his impending death in Jerusalem. We turn this week to Ash Wednesday and the season of Lent leading up to Easter Sunday.

## OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

After 40 years of service, and following many years by his father before him, Terry Winterfeld is retiring as manager of PLC Peace Cemetery. If you feel called to continue this tradition of service, or for more info, contact Council pres Cal DR (712-470-5294).

## DEACONS' PRAYER LIST

Our church leadership; Evert DeBondt, Lorene Franken, Lura Gayer, Orville Rehder, Shirley Rehder, Irene Sneller (CrPointe Estates SC).

### About Our Church

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Watch Sunday worship live on Facebook streaming or YouTube, re-broadcast Mondays 10:30am Channel 12 (Premier)

To purchase PLC logo tshirt, contact Marissa Rehder 712-203-1234

# PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH LCMC



February 15, 2026

Transfiguration of Our Lord

Last Sunday after Epiphany

Rev. William Loefke, Pastor

Faith Alive Service 10:15am

Youth Sunday School 09:00am

Adult Sunday School 09:15am

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## Faith Alive Worship Hour!

### Prelude

*a time of meditation and preparation for worship*

### Announcements

### Call to Worship

### Gathering Hymn #295

*"Tell Me the Story of Jesus"*

*"Philip began with that very passage of Scripture and told him the good news about Jesus." Acts 8:35*

### Confession and Forgiveness

### Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, the resplendent light of Your truth shines from the mountaintop into our hearts. Transfigure us by Your beloved Son, and illumine the world with Your image, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

### Children's Time

*"Let the children come...!" Luke 18:16*

*with Amanda Borchers*

### First Lesson

*Exodus 24:12-18*

### Responsive Reading

*Psalm 2*

### Epistle Lesson

*2 Peter 1:16-21*

*Congregation Response to Epistle Reading:*

***"Thanks be to God!"***

### Congregation Sings Hymn #9

*"Glorify Thy Name"*

### Announcement of the Holy Gospel

*Matthew 17:1-9*

***"Glory to You, O Lord"***

*Congregation Response to Gospel Reading*

***"Praise to You, O Christ"***

### Sermon

*"Jesus Is Revealed in an Awesome Way!"*

*Sermon Notes available in Narthex*

### Hymn of the Day #349

*"O How He Loves You and Me"*

*"As the Father has loved Me, so have I loved you."*

*John 15:9*

### Apostle's Creed

### Sharing of God's Peace

### Offertory

*Blessing of Tithes and Offerings*

*Hymn #815 "Doxology"*

### Prayers Of The People

*Reader: "God, in Your mercy,"*

*Congregation: "Hear our prayer."*

### Lord's Prayer

### Benediction

### Sending Hymn #103

*"All Hail King Jesus"*

*"He has this name written:*

*King of Kings and Lord of Lords." Revelation 19:16*

### Dismissal

*Pastor: "Dynamic Love!"*

*Dynamic Ministry! God's Holy Word!"*

*Congregation: "Thanks be to God!"*

### Postlude

### February Benevolence

*Mid Sioux Opportunity, Sioux Center IA*

Welcome Visitors! Please sign guest book in the Narthex.

Enjoy coffee in the Narthex, \$3 donation requested.

Hymns are from *The Celebration Hymnal* unless noted.

Scriptures are from *ESV* (English Standard Version).

Offerings are received when the plate is passed during worship.