



ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **Thrivent members remember you have until March 31** to direct your Choice Dollars.
- ◆ **Sunday worship changing time in May & June to 11am.** Synod Guidelines suggests a minimum of 8 weeks be given to a pastor for parental leave. Pastor Carter has chosen to take his leave following Pastor Kayla finishing her 12 week parental leave in April. He will be gone during May and June. This leaves us multiple Sundays to fill the pulpit. Instead of using video sermons and people from within the church to lead worship, Pastor Brooke will lead us at 11am following her service at Zion Lutheran. This allows us the ability to have someone to serve communion and also perform baptisms if needed.



If you are willing to bring a soup or egg salad for the Wednesday Lenten meals please scan the QR code to sign up.



Wednesday Night Sunday School

Every Wednesday During Lent

PK-4th Grades
will have class from 5:30-6:15pm

5th –10th Grades
are expected to work their assigned times during the meal and also attend the Lenten Worship Service at 7:00pm.



GLC WANTS YOU TO APPLY FOR OUR

SCHOLARSHIPS

4 - \$500 SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Get your applications at:
grafonlutheran.com

Lay Ministry - 2
Margaret Egeland - 1
Ruby Schrank - 1
(For those attending Concordia)

Please turn in your applications by
April 1, 2025

Grafton Lutheran Church (ELCA)

“Believe. Belong. Be Sent”

1st Sunday of Lent

10:00am

March 9, 2025

Welcome to our Worship Celebration!

We join together as God’s people to be nourished by God’s gifts and to offer our thanks and praise. Let us extend a warm welcome to our new and familiar friends in Christ.

Gathering

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

**Please stand if able*

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Confession & Forgiveness

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***Gathering Hymn** *“Love Divine, all Loves Excelling” vv.1-2*

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***Greeting**

***Kyrie**

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***Canticle of Praise**

“Glory to God”

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Prayer of the Day

Word

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

First Reading

Deuteronomy 26:1-11

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Psalm

Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16

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Second Reading

Romans 10:8b-13

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***Gospel Acclamation**

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***Gospel Reading**

Luke 4:1-13

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Sermon

Hymn of the Day

“Spirit of Gentleness”

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***Apostle’s Creed**

***Prayers**

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***Peace**

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Meal

God feeds us with the presence of Christ.

Offering

*Offertory Prayer

*Great Thanksgiving *“Holy, Holy, Holy”*

*Eucharistic Prayer, Words of Institution

*Lord’s Prayer

Holy Communion

Distribution

Post-Communion Prayer

Sending

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

Blessing

*Sending Hymn *“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”*

Postlude

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March’s Mission of the Month
will be collected for
Domestic Violence and Abuse Center

Serving Today

Pastor Carter Hill
Music Steve Ekman
Sound Doug Johnson
Greeters..... Katie Stark, Toren Stark, Marla Stark
Ushers Ryer Stark, Roger Stark
Lector Zola Stark
Comm. Council..... Stephanie Baldwin
Comm. Runner..... Katie Stark
Comm. Server Sandy Stark, Vaya Stark
Coffee Bonnie Mohagen, Mardell Niswonger
Chairpersons Mavis Sevigny, Bonnie Mohagen

This Week

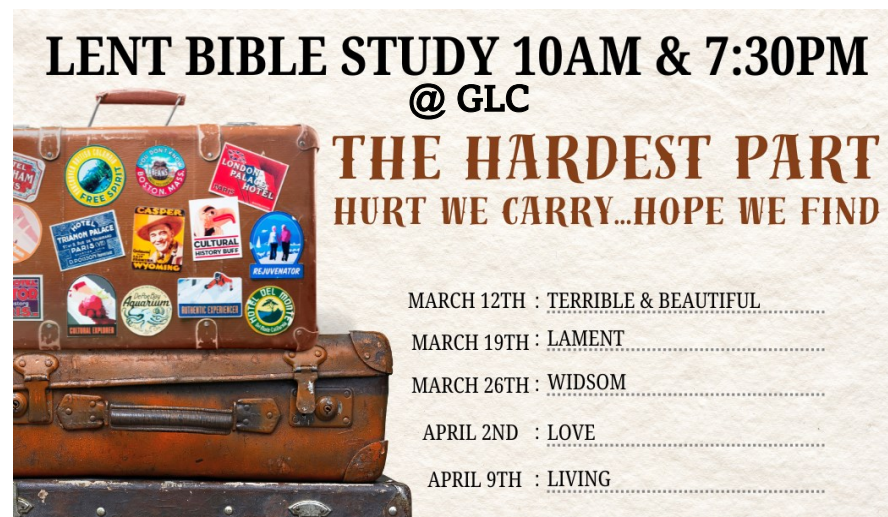
Sun. 3/9 **10:00am** Worship
 11:00am Coffee & Fellowship

Tue. 3/11 **5:30pm** Choir Practice

Wed. 3/12 **9:00am** Quilters Meet
 10:00am Lenten Bible Study
 5:30pm JuBellation Practice
 5:30-6:15pm Wednesday Night “Sunday” School
 6:00pm Lenten Soup & Sandwich Supper
 5th & 6th grade serves

 7:00pm Lenten Worship
 7:30pm Lenten Bible Study

Sun. 3/16 **10:00am** Worship
 11:00am Coffee & Fellowship



LENT BIBLE STUDY 10AM & 7:30PM
@ GLC


THE HARDEST PART
HURT WE CARRY...HOPE WE FIND

MARCH 12TH : TERRIBLE & BEAUTIFUL
MARCH 19TH : LAMENT
MARCH 26TH : WIDSOM
APRIL 2ND : LOVE
APRIL 9TH : LIVING


Community Events

- The Concert Choir from the Free Lutheran Bible College will be singing on March 16th at the 10:30am Service at Bethel Free Lutheran Church everyone is encouraged to come here this wonderful choir.
- Grief Support Group will meet the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm at Our Saviour’s Lutheran of Park River.

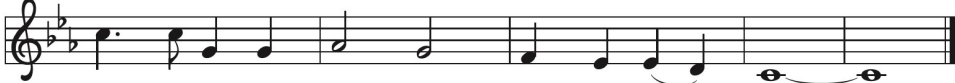
Kyrie



Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Lord, have mer - cy.



Chris - te e - lei - son. Christ, have mer - cy.



Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Lord, have mer - cy.

Canticle of Praise



1 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;
2 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;
3 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;



yours is the prom - ise, the bless - ing, the birth.
yours the ho - san - nas, the dy - ing, re - birth.
yours the a - noint - ing, the ra - di - ant worth.



Ours the re - joic - ing for Word giv - en frame;
Ours the re - joic - ing for na - ture re - claimed;
Ours the re - joic - ing for spir - its a - flame;



ours the thanks - giv - ing to your ho - ly name.




Ours be the tell - ing of deeds great - ly done;




yours be the glo - ry, O God, yours a - lone.

Gospel Acclamation



Noth - ing in all cre - a - tion can sep - a - rate us from the love of God.




Noth - ing in all cre - a - tion can sep - a - rate us from the love of God.


Holy, Holy, Holy



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and



God of might, heav - en and earth are full of your




glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.



Bless - ed is the one who comes in the name of the



Lord. Ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.