



## WEEKLY UPDATE BULLETIN

Reaching Out . . Sharing Christ – 3/8/2026 --- The 3rd Sunday in Lent

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#### **Office Hours this Week**

Tues. – 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.  
Weds. – 9 a.m. -- 4 p.m.  
Thurs. -- 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

#### **Welcome:**

As we spring forward into a new season, may we also step into the fresh grace God provides each day. Though we may have lost an hour of sleep, we gain time together in His presence—a reminder that His mercies are new every morning. You are always welcome to join us for any of our activities.



#### March 8 – Third Sunday in Lent

**Exodus 17:3 – “But the people thirsted there for water, and the people grumbled against Moses and said, ‘Why did you bring us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our livestock with thirst?’”** Even the Israelites, who saw miracles with their own eyes, fell into unbelief and fear. From this distance we can see how foolish their worry is. How foolish will our worries appear from the distance of eternity? The Lord cared for them, and He will care for us.



## KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

### **For Comfort and Healing:**

- For **Cora Gibbs**, Ardi Gibbs' granddaughter.
- Please keep **Bruce Arett** in your prayers.
- **Dede Welsh**, daughter-in-law of Dave and Karen Welsh, has been diagnosed with an aggressive breast cancer that was caught early. Please keep Dede in your prayers.

### Other

- Our church family, especially for **the Naatz family** .
- For **Christians** persecuted around the world.
- For **Peace** in Ukraine.
- For **Peace** in Israel.
- For **the safety** of our government leaders.

### THANKSGIVING:

#### **Birthdays this week (3/8 thru 3/14)**

Michele Barnes March 9  
Kayla Richardson March 10

**No Anniversaries this week:**

**PRAYER CHAIN:** Ardi Gibbs is our **Prayer Chain Leader**.

Please contact Ardi with your prayer requests or if you

Would like to join the prayer chain team --- 507-254-6564/[ardig775@gmail.com](mailto:ardig775@gmail.com)

**Next LWML Meeting** – to be decided.

## Growing in Christ

### ..... **Wednesday, Feb. 25, 2026**

Worship	14
Envelopes	\$1,500.00
Plate	10.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,510.00</b>

### **Sunday, March 1, 2026**

Worship	18
Communion	18
Adult Bible Study	8
Envelopes	\$ 1,930.00
Plate	60.00
Joyful Response	164.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,154.00</b>



**Electronic Giving:** Consider automating your regular donations with our electronic giving program. Mount Moriah relies on the financial support of the congregation and electronic giving offers an effortless way to give on a recurring basis. For additional information, talk with our financial secretary, Tammy Vosberg.

PLEASE SIGN UP TO PROVIDE A SUPPER ON WEDNESDAYS AT 6:15 pm, PRIOR TO THE 7:00 pm LENT WORSHIP SERVICE

One date is still available and the sign-up sheet is posted on the double doors.

Feb. 25 - Ardi Gibbs

March 4 - Amundson

March 11 - Open

March 18 - Vosburg

March 25 - LWML



Thank you for sharing-----

Thursday Night Bible Study  
7:00PM \* Faith & Family Center

GENESIS

Led by Pastor Timothy Smith

Join us on Thursday evenings at 7:00PM for an in-depth Bible study on Genesis. Together we'll explore the foundations of God's Word—creation, covenant, faith, and God's promises that point us to Christ. Come ready to learn, ask questions, and grow in God's truth. All are welcome!

(From the Trinity Newsletter)



### Thrivent Choice Dollars

Thrivent Financial members have until **March 31** to direct their Choice Dollars for charity. We would be most pleased if you would designate them to Mount Moriah!

Direct your  
Thrivent Choice  
Dollars  
Today!



Registration for summer camps at Camp Omega is now open. There are a variety of opportunities:

- Explorer Camps (ages 6-8)
- Youth Camps (ages 9-15)
- High School Camps (ages 14-18)
- Outpost Camps (ages 9-15)
- Art Camp (ages 9-12)
- Horse Camp (ages 9-12)
- Family Camps
- Confirmation Camp (ages 11-14)
- Camp for People with Developmental Disabilities



Providing a camp experience is a great gift idea! Instead of "stuff," give your child, grandchild, godchild or family friend the gift of time at Camp Omega. They will experience community with other Christian youth and grow in faith in Jesus Christ.

Register today at [campomega.org/summercamp](http://campomega.org/summercamp).

**Easter Flowers:** Please consider purchasing Lilies or Mums to beautify the chancel for Easter time!



Complete the order form on the bulletin table, follow the directions, and return with payment by **Sunday, March 15.** Take your flower home after Easter and plant it in your flower garden!

White EASTER LILIES: \$14.00 EACH  
Assorted MUMS: LARGE \$15.00  
SMALL \$ 9.00



**3/8/2026 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent**

**Worship – 10:00 a.m.**

**Fellowship – 9:30 am Adult Bible Study – 8:30**

Elder – Don Vosburg  
Reader –Dennis Karst  
Music – Margaret Karst  
Altar Guild for March / Kim Amundson  
Preacher – Rev. Dr. Scott Fiege

**WE NEED YOUR PLASTIC BAGS:**

The Byron Lions Club is collecting plastic bags to make benches to place around the Byron community. If you have grocery bags, or any plastic bag, bring them to church and place them in the can that is located by the mailboxes in the back of the church. If you have any questions, talk with Ardi Gibbs.



**3/11/2026 – 4th Weds. in Lent**

**Worship – 7:00 pm Dinner – 6:15 pm**

Elder – Brant Klepel  
Reader –Kristie Hahn  
Music – Justin Hahn  
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Preacher – Rev. Dr. Scott Fiege

**LWML/Social Committee**

Meeting - 4:00 PM, Sunday, March 1 at Mt Moriah

Easter brunch - after 7:00 am Easter service (April 5)

What activities would you like to see our church family do this Spring and Summer? Please contact Lois, Julie, or Ardi with ideas. Planning will be soon.

Thank you  
Ardi

**3/15/2026 – 4th Sunday in Lent**

**Worship w/Communion – 10:00 a.m.**

**Fellowship – 9:30 am Adult Bible Study – 8:30**

Elder – Don Vosburg  
Reader –Dave Welsh  
Music – Ruth Benning  
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