

Pella Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod
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Welcome to Pella Lutheran Church! Thank you for silencing cell phones. Please fill out the yellow registration card and place it in the pouch at the end of the pew.

In Our Thoughts and Prayers Today:

Health Concerns: Vanessa Knuth, Ed Bernthal

Birthdays this week: Janet VandeSlunt, Jenna Westphal, Brynn Sievert, Rosemary Baumann, Robyn Vanderbush, Makiya VanderGalien, Jordan Kovalaske, Sandy Armga

Baptisms: Isabella Marie Walter & Caleb Matthew Walter

Lord's Supper Announcement: All communicant members in good standing of Pella Lutheran or another Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS) congregation are welcome to the Lord's table. If you are not a member of an LCMS congregation, we ask that you please not partake of the sacrament at this time. Our congregation follows the historic practice in the Christian Church of closed Communion, partaking of the Lord's Supper only with those who are in fellowship with us. This does not deny that members of other Christian denominations are believers. Rather, it bows the knee to our Lord's deep concern for doctrinal truth (Romans 16:17) and the Scripture's witness of doctrinal unity for the common reception of this sacred meal (1 Cor. 10:16-18). Our pastor would be happy to answer any questions you may have about this.

Sermon Title: "The Light of the Gospel" 2 Corinthians 4:3-4

Men's Bible Study: Saturdays @ 7 a.m. Men of all ages are invited to join us for coffee, donuts, Bible Study and prayer. We are studying the book of Acts.

Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class: What does the Bible say about demons and demonic activity? Please join us for this interesting study. In a few weeks we will be using the newly updated Catechism for our study on Sunday mornings. If you would like to purchase a copy of this Catechism, there is a sign-up sheet downstairs or let the church office know. The price is \$15.00.

Thursday Morning Bible Class: Please join us on Thursday mornings at 10:00 a.m.

Lenten services begin this week, Feb. 14th, Ash Wednesday with a noon & 7:00 p.m. service. Holy Communion will be observed along with the Imposition of Ashes at both services. Services will continue through the Lenten season on Wednesdays. A meal will be served in the Fellowship Hall starting at 6:00 p.m. A sign-up sheet is in the narthex for those wanting to help with meals.

Thank you, Pella congregation, for providing Christmas gifts for the families that are involved with our agency. We appreciate the generosity and thoughtfulness that is given to us year after year. We are incredibly grateful for the continued support from the members of our area communities. Your kindness does make a difference in the lives of others.

Blessings to you, The Staff at Lutheran Social Services

(Loretta Gedamke would also like to thank the ladies who helped her organize the Angel Tree and deliver the presents.)

Thanks to all our 'Meals on Wheels' volunteers for January, especially with the cold temperatures. Sharon Long

Congregational Meeting—Monday February 26, 2018 @ 7:00 p.m.

Agenda: Organ Maintenance
IHH Preschool Future Plan
Update on Bylaw Changes

Select Mission for February: Lutheran Hour Ministries— LHM is a trusted expert in mass media proclamation with a global network of partners. Each week we reach more than 51 million people around the world with the Gospel. Our flagship ministry, The Lutheran Hour®, is the world's longest Christian outreach radio program. It airs weekly on more than 1,600 stations throughout North America and is also available online and through a mobile app. Learn more at www.lutheranhour.org.

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This Week at Pella

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY February 11
 9:00 a.m. Worship/Communion
 10:15 a.m. Education Hour
 6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class

MONDAY February 12
 9:00 a.m. Pella Life Group
 7:00 p.m. Elders' Meeting

TUESDAY February 13
 9:30 a.m. Prayer Group
 6:30 p.m. Trustees Meeting

WEDNESDAY February 14 **Ash Wednesday**
 9:00 a.m. Quilting
 12:00 p.m. Lenten Service/ Communion
 6:00 p.m. Jr. Youth Group
 6:00 p.m. Dinner
 7:00 p.m. Lenten Service/ Communion

THURSDAY February 15
 10:00 a.m. Bible Study
 5:30 p.m. 1stPlace4Health
 7:00 p.m. Pella Choir

FRIDAY February 16

SATURDAY February 17
 7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study

SUNDAY February 18
 9:00 a.m. Worship
 10:15 a.m. Education Hour
 6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class

SERVING THIS WEEK

Sunday, February 11
 Elder: Darwin Wetzel
 Altar Assist: Chuck Lund
 Organist: Christal Zills
 Finance: Darlene Seering
 Greeters: Darlene Seering
 Video/PA: Don Hartwig, Warren Schmitz
 Acolyte: Kailie Westphal
 Ushers: Daryle & Nancy Buss

Wednesday, February 14
 Noon: Elder: Ben Kuenzi
 Organist: Lora Krueger
 7:00 p.m. Elder: Nathan Trauernicht
 Organist: Christal Zills

SERVING NEXT WEEK

Sunday, February 18
 Elder: Warren Schmitz
 Organist: Lora Krueger
 Finance: Marj Peachey, Cheryl Pater
 Greeters: Harvey & Carol Schmitz
 Video/PA: Duey Vande Zande,
 George Baumann
 Ushers: Geroge & Rosemary Baumann

Church Attendance Last Week

Sunday 2-4-18 9 AM—75 Visitors: 3

Contributions

Week ending 2/4/18.....\$5,009.25
 January Simply Giving.....\$1,615.00

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About the Cover: Throughout Scripture, God the Father reminds us of who Jesus is: "My beloved Son; listen to Him" (Mark 9:7). We are to listen to Jesus for our salvation and no one else, for there is no one else who brings the message of forgiveness and salvation to completion. Jesus died for all the sins of mankind, and He rose again for our salvation. Thanks be to God for His gift of Jesus!