

### Worship Helpers

**Council Representative March:** Mark Pinney

The Council Rep is responsible for reading announcements today. Any additional church-related announcements, please contact that person before the service.

**Scripture Reader:** Macie Sullivan

**Greeters:**

**Acolytes:**

**Music:** Betty Jo Braun

**Head Usher:** Ron Weyl

***Many thanks to those serving this morning!***

***YOU ARE NEEDED!*** We invite you to review the opportunities for participating listed on sign-up sheets in the narthex. There are many open dates that worship assistants are needed. Please check the listing and sign up.

<b>Church Office Hours</b>	
Monday	8:30 - 5:00
Tuesday	8:30 - 5:00
Wednesday	8:30 - 5:00

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## **Announcements—March 10, 2024**

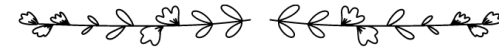
O Lord, whose steadfast love endures forever, we lift up our voices in thanksgiving. You have redeemed us out of trouble and gathered us here to feed us, that our souls may not faint within us. Satisfy the longing of our hearts with Your Son's good things, His body and blood, that we may abide in Your eternal peace. AMEN.



### **FLOWERS FOR EASTER - Order Deadline, March 13**

Each year, we purchase beautiful Easter flowers to adorn the altar in memory of your loved ones who have gone home to the Lord or in honor of those still with us. The list of donors and those honored or memorialized will be included in the Easter Sunday bulletin.

Order forms are on the table by the entry.



**LEADERSHIP RETREAT.** The Zion Leadership Retreat will be held this morning at about 10:45. Those attending will share a time of reflection and planning for the future of Zion.

### **Meetings this week...**

#### **RUTH CIRCLE – Tuesday, March 12**

Please join us on Tuesday, March 12, in the Fireside Room at 2:00 p.m., for the Ruth Circle meeting. Women of all ages are encouraged to attend.

#### **CHURCH COUNCIL—Tuesday, March 12**

The Church Council will meet in the Conference Room at 7:00 on Tuesday, March 12 for the monthly meeting.

#### **BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP—Wednesday, March 13**

*The Women's and Men's Breakfast* will meet on Wednesday, March 13, at 8:00 a.m. at Luke's Diner, Le Sueur.

### THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES ON CALENDAR

Sunday	3/10	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
		10:00 a.m.	Radio Broadcast
		10:00 a.m.	Social Hour
		10:45 a.m.	Leadership Retreat
Tuesday	3/12	2:00 p.m.	Ruth Circle
		7:00 p.m.	Church Council
Wednesday	3/13	8:00 a.m.	Men's & Women's Breakfast
		5:00 p.m.	Church School & Confirmation
		5:30 p.m.	Community Supper
		6:30 p.m.	Ecumenical Lenten Evening
Sunday	3/17	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
		10:00 a.m.	Radio Broadcast
		10:00 a.m.	Social Hour

### WEEKLY REPORT OF GIVING AND WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

<b>March 3 Attendance:</b>	<b>62</b>
<b>March 3 Offering:</b>	<b>\$3,143.03</b>
<b>Amount needed weekly for budget:</b>	<b>\$5,735.00</b>

#### **Le Sueur Ecumenical Lenten Worship**

**Bible People...Monologues for Lent.**

**At Zion United Church of Christ**

**with First Lutheran Church and the United Methodist Church**

**6:30 p.m.**

March 13:	Lazarus Speaks	Luke 10:38-42, John 11:1-44, John 12:1-8
March 20:	The Disciple Thomas Speaks Meal by Zion UCC	John 11, John 12:1-11



#### **Holy Week Worship Schedule**

**Sunday, March 24, 9:00 a.m.**—A service featuring palms.

**Thursday, March 28, 6:30 p.m.**—A service with Holy Communion.

**Friday, March 29, 6:30 p.m.**—An ecumenical service hosted by

Le Sueur United Methodist Church

**Sunday, March 31, 9:00 a.m.**—Easter Service with Holy Communion



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#### **Sponsor a Radio Broadcast**

Our members and the general public have the opportunity to worship via radio. Our morning service is recorded and then broadcast on radio station KCHK 1350 AM & 95.5 FM at 10:00 a.m. Sunday mornings. The cost is \$140. This is a valuable ministry for our homebound members and our community.

#### **SUPPORT THE LE SUEUR FOOD SHELF.**

Minnesota FoodShare March Campaign, the largest grassroots food and fund drive in the state, brings together organizations, businesses, faith communities, and individuals to help stock and support the capacity of nearly 300 food shelves.

The Le Sueur Food Shelf relies on the generosity of the community to keep the shelves stocked with healthy food. The MN FoodShare Campaign runs February 26th through April 6th. During this time, all food and funds collected will be proportionally matched. The more that is collected, the greater the match will be received!

#### **Ecumenical Lenten Supper - March 20.**

Zion will be hosting the community supper before the Ecumenical Lenten service on Wednesday, March 20th. The Zion Fellowship is planning to serve sandwiches, salads, and dessert. Volunteers are needed to bring salads and desserts, and to help with the setup and cleanup. Sign up sheets are on the table near the entryway.

Lutheran Social Services of MN is offering a **Pop-Up Meal Event** Thursday, March 14 at 1:30 p.m. at the front parking lot of **Zion Church, 240 Elmwood Avenue, Le Sueur.**

**Redeemer Lutheran Church** Men's Pancake and Sausage Supper, Sunday March 17 from 4:00 – 7:30 p.m. All you can eat. Free will offering accepted.