

# FIRST CONNECTIONS



## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup> - 5<sup>TH</sup>

9:00 am-12:00 pm



All brave knights, adventurous explorers, and curious young hearts ages 3 years to 6th grade are invited to embark on an unforgettable journey! This summer, our church will transform into a royal kingdom where children will set out on an exciting Kingdom Quest—discovering the truth of God's Word, learning about His love, and following the One who lights our path—JESUS! Each day will be filled with epic adventures that reveal the greatest King of all. Along the way, we will discover that Jesus is the Light who guides us, leading us out of darkness and into the life He has prepared for us.

### REGISTER TODAY!

KIDS

VOLUNTEERS



- ★ Gather your courage.
- 🛡️ Prepare for adventure.
- 🏰 The quest for God's Kingdom awaits!

## "United, We Live God's Will"

# Ichthus Finale



"For in Christ Jesus... the only thing that counts is faith working through love. "  
Galatians 5:6

Join us for our Ichthus Finale on May 6th at 5:30 P.M. at Chautauqua Park! We will start off the evening with a potluck, followed by games and activities for the whole family. We will provide hamburgers and hotdogs, and you can bring a side dish or dessert to share!



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# WORSHIP

Questions?  
Contact: Church Office  
(402) 463-1329



## SPECIAL WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Traditional Services  
Sanctuary

Saturdays-6:00 P.M.

Sundays-8:25 A.M.

Holy Communion:

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday each month

Contemporary Services

Celebration Center

Sundays-10:35 A.M.

Holy Communion:

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday each month

Facebook Livestream  
SUNDAYS

8:25 AM & 10:35 A.M.

Good Sam. Village Ch. 3

SUNDAYS 6:00 P.M.

Wednesdays 12:30 P.M.

Hastings Public Access TV

Spectrum ch. 181/Allo ch. 16

Wed 2:00 P.M. & Sun 2:30 P.M.

Radio: 1230 AM

SUNDAYS 11:00 A.M.



### FIRST COMMUNION

April 2nd 7:00 P.M.

Celebrate our 5th graders as they receive their First Communion during the Maundy Thursday service. Join us to witness and support these young members of our Church family at this meaningful moment in their spiritual lives.



### CONFIRMATION

April 26th 11:00 A.M.


Come to the Sanctuary to be a part of the special service at 11:00 A.M. as we celebrate this important step in the faith journey of our 8th graders. Help us support and honor their commitment to a life of faith.


**CLASS OF 2026 SENIOR RECOGNITION**  
May 2nd & 3rd


**CELEBRATE WITH US!**  
*Mother's Day* May 9th & 10th

**KINGDOM QUEST**  
AN EPIC JOURNEY TO DISCOVER GOD'S KINGDOM


**VBS SERVICE**  
June 7th  
10:35 A.M.

**Malchus**  
 Malchus appears during the arrest of Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane. He was a servant of the high priest and was struck by the disciple Peter, who cut off his ear. Jesus immediately healed Malchus' ear, even in the moment of His arrest.


**Simon of Cyrene**  
 Simon carried the cross for Jesus when He could no longer do so. Simon of Cyrene stands as a quiet symbol of unexpected discipleship, reminding believers that following Christ sometimes begins when we are interrupted without fully understanding it at first.

**Pilate's Wife**  
 Pilate's wife told Pontius Pilate to have nothing to do with Jesus because she has suffered greatly in a dream on His account. Her intervention stands as a moment of conscience and witness, highlighting that even in silence and powerlessness, truth was being testified to during Christ's suffering.

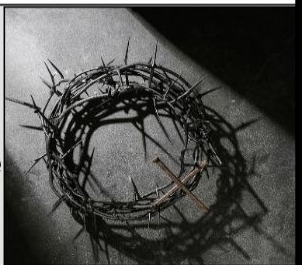
**VBS COMMISSIONING**  
May 30th & 31st   
Join us in praying for our VBS Volunteers and the ministry ahead as they prepare to serve and share God's love with the children in our community. We are grateful for the time, energy, and faith they bring to this important work.

**Centurion Soldier**  
 This Roman soldier had the role of overseeing the crucifixion of Jesus. At the foot of the cross, he witnessed extraordinary events that led him to declare in fear, "Truly this man was God's Son!"

*Eyewitness of His Passion*  
**Thank you for joining us on our Lenten journey to hear the story through new eyes!**

**Joseph of Arimathea**  
 Joseph was a good and righteous man from the Jewish town of Arimathea. Joseph asked Pilate for the body of Jesus to give him a proper burial in a tomb.

**NEW** **NO WORSHIP SERVICE APRIL 1ST**  
There will **NOT** be a Wednesday night service during Holy Week this year (No Foolin')! Normal Ichthus activities will resume on April 1st! We encourage you to join our Maundy Thursday Service and our Tenebrae Candle Service on Good Friday in preparation of celebrating our Risen Savior on Easter.



April 2nd  
 **Maundy Thursday**  
12:10 P.M.  
and  
7:00 P.M. with 5th Grade First Communion

April 3rd  
 **Good Friday**  
Tenebrae Candle Service  
7:00 P.M.

April 4th & 5th  
**Easter**  
Services with Communion  
  
Saturday:  
Traditional 6:00 p.m.  
Sunday:  
Traditional  
6:30 A.M. & 10:00 A.M.  
Contemporary  
9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

# KIDS

Discipleship

Questions?

Contact: Cassie Brader or Kendra Weichman  
at [FSPKidsMin@firststpauls.org](mailto:FSPKidsMin@firststpauls.org)

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**KIDS**

KIDS 3 YEARS OLD - 6TH GRADE  
BE SURE TO CHECK-IN  
BEFORE HEADING TO CLASS!

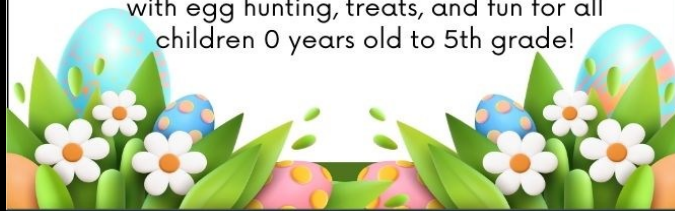
Wednesday Night  
ICHTHUS: 6:00 - 7:15 P.M.  
SUNDAY SCHOOL  
9:30 - 10:30 A.M.

## EASTER EGG HUNT

SATURDAY, APRIL 4TH

10:00 A.M. IN THE CELEBRATION CENTER

Hop on over for an Easter celebration filled with egg hunting, treats, and fun for all children 0 years old to 5th grade!



## SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

First St. Paul's will pay for half (up to \$250) of your Christian summer camp registration fees. See the office for more information and forms!



## GOD MADE ME PRESCHOOL OPEN ENROLLMENT



OPENINGS IN ALL CLASS

**3 YEAR OLDS**

TUESDAY & THURSDAY  
8:15-11:00 A.M.  
\$90/month

**4 & 5 YEAR OLDS**

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, & FRIDAY  
8:15-11:00 A.M.  
\$110/month

**TRANSITION TO KINDERGARTEN**

Advanced curriculum offered as a stepping stone between Preschool and Kindergarten

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY  
12:15- 3:00 P.M.  
\$110/month

TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION:  
(402) 463-1329 OR [FIRSTSTPAULS.ORG](http://FIRSTSTPAULS.ORG)



## THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS!!

Thank you so much to our youth and adult volunteers who donate their time on Wednesday evenings and Sunday mornings to help with our children ministries!

Becky, Cassie & Kendra



**NOTICE:** The **LAST DAY** of Wednesday Ichthus is **APRIL 29TH** and the **LAST DAY** for Sunday School is **MAY 17TH!**



What does it look like for God's Spirit to be with you?

# April

Always be joyful because you belong to the Lord. I will say it again. Be joyful!  
Philippians 4:4 Nlrv



# May



How can you remember that God is with you in tough times?

Let us not become tired of doing good. At the right time we will gather a crop if we don't give up.  
Galatians 6:9 Nlrv

**Children's Choirs**  
Because we were made to praise!

**Cherub Choir and Joyful Noises** will sing during the **10:35 A.M. Worship Service** on **April 26th**



Questions?  
 Contact: Pastor Chad Power  
 (402) 705-4026

# YOUTH

Discipleship

**ATTENTION  
 SENIORS &  
 FAMILIES**

**SENIOR  
 RECOGNITION  
 WEEKEND  
 MAY 2ND & 3RD**

For the Senior Recognition video, please send these three photos to Chad as soon as possible!

- Baptism
- Confirmation
- Senior Picture



send pictures to : [chad@firststpauls.org](mailto:chad@firststpauls.org)

## Congratulations **CLASS 2026** TO OUR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

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|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Luke Askey      | Ryann King         | Preston Sjuts     |
| Logan Brakhahn  | Kaitlyn Langenberg | Lincoln Treffer   |
| Isabel DeJonge  | Reese Lavene       | Samuel Tunks      |
| Peyton Hartman  | Yarethzi Lom       | Emilia Uhrmacher  |
| Trevor Hohlen   | Vincent Marcello   | Brooklynn Vorhees |
| Austin Imler    | Gavynn Mustin      | Adalaide Walston  |
| Kamille Kennedy | Moyer Reiners      | Travis Zubrod     |
|                 | Ayden Scott        |                   |

### Sr. High Mission Team Silent Auction Fundraiser

JUNE 6TH AND 7TH (AT ALL SERVICES)  
 Look out for fun baskets for all ages in the Gathering Area. Come and support the mission team!

#### SR. HIGH MISSION TEAM STOCK SALE

Starting on Easter Sunday, you can find a member of the mission team to purchase stock for \$25 per share to help support the trip. Stock Holders will be able to attend a Banquet on August 9th where the team will share their Mission experiences.



## EASTER BREAKFAST



**SUNDAY, APRIL 5TH**

**7:30 - 11:30 A.M.**

**JOIN US IN THE FOUNDERS HALL TO SUPPORT THE SR. HIGH MISSION TEAM.**

### SR. HIGH MISSION TRIP *Puerto Rico*

Next Payments Due:  
 April 15th, May 20th, and June 17th

#### IMPORTANT DATES

- April 5th: Easter Breakfast
- April 5th - June 7th: Stock Sales
- April 26th at 7 P.M.: Team Meeting
- May 31st at 7 P.M.: Team Meeting

**JULY 18TH-25TH**

### JR. HIGH MISSION TRIP *LVR*

Next Payment Due: April 15th

#### IMPORTANT DATES

- May 27th: Mtg. with parents & leaders
- May 29th: Serve RFKC Banquet

**June 21st-27th**

### SOUL CAFE EXTENDED

Join us on April 26th for lunch after the Contemporary Service in the Christian Underground as we continue to grow in faith.

### Senior High Ministry (Grades 9th-12th)

7:00 - 8:00 P.M.  
 HOMEWORK &  
 HANGOUT HOUR

8:00 - 9:00 P.M.  
 SOUL CAFE



### CONFIRMATION Wednesdays 6:05-7:30 P.M.

7th Grade Confirmation Meet: Basement at Y&FMC

8th Grade Confirmation Meet: Upstairs at Y&FMC

### OREO's- The Good Stuff in the Middle

For ALL 7th & 8th Graders & Friends



Watch for details to come!



# ADULT

## Discipleship

Questions? Contact: Becky Mohling  
(402) 984-7154



**MAN FEAST**  
2026  
FEATURING DR. JIMMY SITES  
HUNTER, ADVENTURER, BIBLE TEACHER  
PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH  
GRAND ISLAND, NE  
**APRIL 12**  
5:30 - 8:00 P.M. TICKETS: \$25

DECOYS OF DECEPTION  
DR. JIMMY SITES

For men of all ages! Come for amazing ribs, inspiring music, and fellowship with over 500 guys.

**Deadline to register is April 5th or until sold out.**  
[peacegi.org/manfeast](http://peacegi.org/manfeast)

Contact Pastor Chad if you are interested in riding with a group that plans to leave First St. Paul's around 4:30 P.M.

**First St. Paul's Lutheran Church  
Church Directory Photo Sign Up**

Please join us in updating our Church Directory!  
Use the QR code to access the sign-up.  
Choose a day and time that works best for you!  
Pictures will be taken in the LOT (east side of the Youth & Family Ministry Center). Freewill donations accepted to offset the expenses.  
The backdrop will be a LIGHT GRAY.  
Digital rights can be purchased for \$50.  
You can call or text Chris Hollister at 402-469-6704 to sign up as well.

Sign Up Link



**Bible Studies**  
**SUNDAY MORNING**

Parent Forum Holy Grounds Room Time: 9:30 A.M.	Adult Forum Heritage Room Time: 9:30 A.M.
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<b>TUESDAY</b> Men's Bible Study Heritage Room Time: 6:30 A.M.	<b>THURSDAY</b> Bibles & Brews Arron Diecker's House Time: 7:00 P.M.
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**WEDNESDAY NIGHT**  
6:05-7:05 P.M.

**Crazy Love by Francis Chan**  
Host: Jessica Walston & Morgan Savage  
Location: Ephesians

**12 Daring Women of the Bible by Lisa Harper**  
Host: Becky Mohling  
Location: Holy Grounds Room


**Your Quest Awaits!**

Every great Kingdom Quest requires a fellowship of heroes! To make this year's VBS a legendary success, we need you to help us conquer the impossible.

Whether you're a master of logistics or a joyful guide, there's a place for you in our court. Here is how you can join the mission:

- Gather the Provisions:** Visit the VBS table! Find an item or two to donate from our list of essentials to help make our journey a success.
- Join the Ranks:** It takes a village (and then some!) to run a kingdom. Sign up to volunteer and help us lead our young explorers.

The gates are open, and the quest won't be the same without you. Stop by the VBS table in the Gathering Area today to see how you can help us make 2026 the most impactful year yet!



**GRIEF SHARE**

GriefShare is for those who are grieving the death of a loved one. They meet on Thursdays at 1:30 P.M. at the Y&FMC. The last day of this session is **April 30th**. Griefshare is free to join.

Contact Belva Junker at 402 (469)-1236 with questions

**WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS!!!**

 <b>Kaci Vorderstrasse</b>	 <b>Cole, Rachel, Ariana, Olivia and Ariella Zentner</b>	 <b>Heath &amp; Pam Arterburn</b>	 <b>Jace, Jolene, Jonah and Asher Kluger</b>	 <b>Moyn &amp; Marcy Keim</b>
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# MISSION

Questions?  
Megan Lockling (402) 463-1671  
Finance Coordinator

## stephen MINISTRY.

God never intended for us to go through tough times alone. Stephen Ministers are available to meet with you—privately and confidentially—to listen, care, encourage, support, and reflect Christ's presence in your life.

If you'd like to learn more about Stephen Ministry for yourself or someone else (regardless of membership status), contact a Pastor or Stephen Ministry Leader:  
**Kathy Adelson (402) 984-0066 or Janet Drudik (402) 705-0105.**

2026 Judas Purse Recipient  
*Catadupa, Jamaica*  
*Experience Mission*



In October 2025, the island of Jamaica was devastated by Hurricane Melissa, a category 5 hurricane and the 3rd strongest ever recorded in the Atlantic Ocean. Don't forget to turn in your Judas Purse offering.



### ALLEN'S & RUSS'S RECEIPTS

God Made Me Preschool is collecting Allen's & Russ's receipts dated from Sept. 1, 2025 through Mar. 31, 2026. Turn receipts into the collection container in Gathering Area or to the Church Office. The deadline to turn them in is April 10th!

**DEADLINE IS APRIL 10TH!**

## JOIN OUR KINGDOM QUEST MISSION

This summer, our kids are embarking on an epic Kingdom Quest during VBS. But every great quest needs a mission, and this year, our mission is right here in our own backyard.

We are teaching the kids that you don't have to travel across the globe to be a 'world changer.' Sometimes, the most important mission field is our own community. That's why our VBS mission focus this year is supporting the **Hastings Food Pantry**.

While the kids learn about how God uses them to provide for others, we are inviting you—the rest of our 'kingdom'—to join the fellowship! We want to show our children what it looks like when an entire church works together to feed those who are hungry. We aren't just talking about a missed snack; we are talking about neighbors who aren't sure where their next meal is coming from.

### YOU can help us succeed in this mission!

We are collecting non-perishable food items all throughout VBS week, including the weekend of June 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>!



## BENEVOLENCE WEEKEND April 11th & 12th

Through the generosity of our church community, we are able to support several local charities with donations through our Local Benevolence Fund.

Hearts & Hands Against Hunger	Revive	Habitat for Humanity
Royal Family Kids Camp	The Bridge	Open Table
Royal Family Kids Mentoring	Cancer Walk	Threads of Grace
Hastings Food Pantry	GriefShare	Food4Thought
Crossroads		Meals on Wheels

## ICHTHUS MENU

- April 1st - **KITCHEN CLOSED!!**  
Just Kidding - Happy April Fool's Day!  
Ham Balls, Cheesy Potatoes, Sweet Green Beans, Coleslaw, and Dessert
  - April 8th  
Sloppy Joes & Chips, Pat's Potato Salad, and Dessert
  - April 15th  
Taco/Nacho Bar, Refried Beans with Queso, and Root Beer Floats
  - April 22nd  
Upside Down Pizza, Garlic Bread Sticks, and Pineapple Upside Down Cake
  - April 29th  
Ham & Cheese Sliders with Chips, Baked Beans, Coleslaw, and Dessert
- ALL MEALS SERVED WITH SALAD & VEGGIES AND PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY SANDWICHES  
\*All Meals are Subject to Change\*

SUNDAY



JUNE 7, 2026 | 5:30-7:30 PM

BRICKYARD PARK, HASTINGS NE


Gather  Hastings

Evening of  
**WORSHIP**

# APRIL 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 5:00 Ichthus Meal 6:00 Activities 6:00 Confirmation 7:00 Praise Band 8:00 Soul Cafe	2 <b>Maundy Thursday</b> 1:30 GriefShare 6:30 Quilters Guild 7:00 Worship	3 <b>Good Friday</b> 7:00 Tenabrae Candle Worship	4 <b>Benevolence Weekend</b> 6:00 Worship
5 <b>Easter</b> 6:30 Sunrise Service 7:30 Easter Breakfast 9:00 Contemporary 10:00 Traditional 11:00 Contemporary	6 <b>Office Closed</b> 7:00 Property	7 6:30 Men's Bible Study 4:30 Outreach 5:30 Christian Ed 6:30 Worship & Music	8 9:00 LCW Project 5:00 Executive 5:00 Ichthus Meal 6:00 Activities 6:05 Confirmation 7:00 Praise Band 8:00 Soul Cafe	9 1:30 GriefShare 2:00 Knit, Pray, Crochet	10	11 6:00 Worship
12 <b>Benevolence Weekend</b> 8:25 Worship 9:30 Education Hr 10:35 Worship	13 12:00 Finance 6:30 Handbells	14 6:30 Men's Bible Study 6:30 P.M. Foundation 7:30 Council Meeting	15 9:30 LCW Group 1 1:30 LCW Group 2 5:00 Ichthus Meal 6:00 Activities 6:05 Confirmation 7:00 Praise Band 8:00 Soul Cafe	16 1:30 GriefShare	17	18 6:00 Worship
19 8:25 Worship 9:30 Education Hr 10:35 Worship	20 6:30 Handbells 5:00 Stephen's Ministry	21 6:30 Men's Bible Study 1:30 LCW Group 3	22 5:00 Ichthus Meal 6:00 Activities 6:05 Confirmation 7:00 Praise Band 8:00 Soul Cafe	23 1:30 GriefShare 2:00 Knit, Pray, Cochet	24 1:00 Bridge	25 6:00 Worship
26 <b>Confirmation</b> 8:25 Worship 9:30 Education Hr 10:35 Worship 11:00 Confirmation 7:00 Sr. High Mission	27 6:30 Handbells	28 6:30 Men's Bible Study 7:30 Compassionate Friends	29 5:00 Ichthus Meal 6:00 Activities 6:05 Confirmation 7:00 Praise Band 8:00 Soul Cafe	30 1:30 GriefShare		

# MAY 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2 <b>Graduation Recognition</b> 6:00 Worship
3 <b>Graduation Recognition</b> 8:25 Worship 9:30 Education Hr 10:35 Worship	4 1:00 Bridge 6:30 Bells 7:00 Property	5 6:30 Men's Bible Study 4:30 Outreach 5:30 Christian Ed 6:30 Worship & Music	6 <b>Ichthus Finale</b> 5:00 Executive 5:30 Potluck & Activities at Chautauqua 7:00 Praise Band	7 6:30 Quilters Guild	8	9 6:00 Worship
10 <b>Mother's Day</b> 8:25 Worship/Bells 9:30 Education Hr 10:35 Worship	11 9:30 LCW Exec 12:00 Finance 6:30 Bells	12 6:30 Men's Bible Study 6:00 P.M. Foundation 7:30 Council Meeting	13 9:00 LCW Project 7:00 Praise Band	14 2:00 Knit, Pray, Crochet	15	16 6:00 Worship
17 <b>Last Day of Sunday School</b> 8:25 Worship 9:30 Education Hr 10:35 Worship	18 6:30 Handbells 5:00 Stephen's Ministry	19 6:30 Men's Bible Study 11:30 LCW Group 3	20 9:30 LCW Group 1 1:30 LCW Group 2 6:00 Preschool Graduation	21	22 1:00 Bridge	23 6:00 Worship
24 8:25 Worship 9:30 Adult Forum 10:35 Worship	25 <b>Memorial Day</b> <b>Office Closed</b>	26 6:30 Men's Bible Study 7:30 Compassionate Friends	27 7:00 Praise Band *Jr. High Mission mtg with parents	28 1:00 Bridge 2:00 Knit, Pray, Crochet	29	30 <b>VBS Commissioning</b> 6:00 Worship
31 <b>VBS Commissioning</b> 8:25 Worship 9:30 Adult Forum 10:35 Worship 7:00 Sr. High Mission						

# MEMBER CELEBRATIONS

We celebrate birthdays starting at age 80 and anniversaries beginning with the 25th year. While we do our best to keep these lists up to date, we know mistakes can happen. If you or someone you know should be included but isn't—or if you'd prefer not to be listed—please let us know. We'd love to honor you correctly!

## *Happy Birthday to our Members*

### **April Birthdays**

- |                            |                             |                             |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 3 - Jim Shaw - 81          | 8 - Helen Miller - 94       | 18 - Delmer Van Lengen - 82 |
| 4 - Dixie Hutchison - 90   | *12 - Sharon Hager - 80     | 26 - Deanna Schardt - 83    |
| 4 - Belva Junker - 81      | *12 - Pat Olsen - 80        | *27 - Don Olsen - 80        |
| 6 - Neil Grothen - 85      | 13 - Duane Biede - 84       | 28 - Barbara Murman - 94    |
| 7 - Leone Sommerfeld - 105 | 13 - Dr. Nancy Krueger - 87 | 28 - Vicky Frerichs - 81    |
| 8 - Blanche Heyen - 84     | 15 - Ilene Weber - 92       | *30 - Pat Gartner - 80      |

### **May Birthdays**

- |                          |                          |                           |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 7 - Delores Scott - 87   | 14 - Pat Babcock - 82    | *17 - Shari Sole - 80     |
| 8 - Charles Stowers - 89 | 15 - Ruby Walker - 93    | 18 - Marvin Woodward - 86 |
| 11 - Sue Klatt - 83      | 16 - Dale Duensing - 83  | 29 - Richard Synek - 84   |
| 13 - Marceline Keim - 84 | 16 - Dean Hawthorne - 82 | 31 - Alex Eckert Jr. - 83 |
| 14 - Ernest Johnson - 82 |                          | 31 - Terry Klatt - 82     |

\*Members 80 Years and Older

## *Happy Anniversary to our Members*

### **April Anniversaries**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| 1 - Scott and Cynthia Hinrichs - 2000    | 12 - John and Anjanette Bonham - 1997     |
| 5 - Eric and Jodi Kelly - 1997           | 15 - Rodney and Kimberley Hunt - 1989     |
| 5 - Craig and Kim Harrenstein - 1997     | 17 - Paul and Shari Brei - 1982           |
| 8 - Kirk and Jami Ortegren - 2000        | 17 - Mitchell and Connie Stark - 1982     |
| 8 - Jeffrey and Jill Lavene - 2000       | 19 - Mitch and Elizabeth Schroeder - 1997 |
| 9 - Ronald and Janet Drudik - 1983       | 19 - Randy and Sally Savage - 1980        |
| * 9 - Craig and Susan Steinkruger - 2001 | 22 - Michael and Lisa Moore - 1995        |
| *10 - Dave and Linda Brown - 1976        | 25 - Michael and Caprice Lueth - 1992     |
| 11 - Dennis and Janet Piel - 1981        | 30 - Robert and Amy Stutesman - 1994      |

### **May Anniversaries**

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| 1 - Larry and Julie Luce - 1982        | 23 - Timothy and Barbara Lebsack - 1981 |
| 2 - Dennis and Brenda Stark - 1970     | 23 - Tom and Jill Fish - 1998           |
| * 5 - Andrew and Lori Ann Nehls - 2001 | 24 - Darryl and Barbara Parde - 1980    |
| 13 - Joel and Janel Zubrod - 2000      | 26 - Mark and Peggy Keiser - 1973       |
| 15 - Terry and Susan Klatt - 1965      | 26 - Daniel and Linda Psota - 1972      |
| 17 - Trent and Amy Kelly - 1991        | 29 - LeRoy and Connie Samuelson - 1960  |
| 19 - Randal and Karla Harms - 1990     | 29 - Kent and Tara Ochsner - 1999       |
| 20 - Craig and Lesa Kautz - 1978       | 30 - Randall and Angela Shipman - 1992  |
| 20 - Brian and Terri Mangers - 2000    | 31 - Burnell and Deborah Krull - 1975   |
| 21 - Jerry and LeAnna Lukas - 1994     | 31 - Hugh and Katherine Nehls - 1969    |

\* milestone anniversary - 25th and 50th

## *Journal of Life and Growth*

(January 1st - February 28th, 2026)

### **New Members**

Cole & Rachel Zentner on 1/23/2026  
(Kids: Ariana, Olivia & Ariella)

Moyn & Marceline Keim on 2/25/2026

### **Transferred to Church Triumphant**

Jack L'Heureux on 1/12/2026  
Eric Walston on 1/25/2026  
Donna Oberg on 2/8/2026  
Timothy Frank on 2/18/2026

