

TODAY IN WORSHIP

Preacher: Pastor Greg DeBoer

Worship Leaders: (8:30) Denise Lueke **(10:15)** Jamie Rich

Children's Time: (8:30) Heather Kroeger **(10:15)** Gina DeBoer

Reading(s): Psalm 119:33-40; Matthew 18:15-20

Readers: (8:30) Lon Olson **(10:15)** Derek Fey

Hymns: #731, #359, #656, #638, #836

Musicians: (8:30) Organist: Amy Spies;
Special Music: Leisha Moxness

(10:15) Band

Prayers of healing for Lyn Robart, Dennis, Bill Miller, Jan Larsen, Shirley Brandert (*Amy Spies' mother*), John Clopper, Joy Horn, Gayle Paschall, Virginia Gard, Ron Pronske, Butch Scott, Jeff Glosser, Ray Meister, Marge Sperling, Jerry Schelling, Jeff Zimmerman, Marlin Hultgren (*Lori Wells' brother*), LaVonne Nelsen, Bob Beaver, Karen McPherran, & Pam Spevak

Prayers of peace for LouAnn Dooley & Linda Lynch on the passing of LouAnn's mother & Linda's sister, Joan Johnson; for Jamie Vanek & family on the passing of her grandmother; for Jennifer Poulas & family on the passing of her father, Dale Kinney.

Altar Flowers are sponsored by Dwayne & Niki Jesse in honor of Karsen & Reese's birthdays and in remembrance of Carson Day.

Sunday Morning Gathering is sponsored by Fremont Therapy & Wellness.

Total Attendance for the Week 8/30: 328

Wednesday "PRAY-lude": 34

Sunday Worship: 294

Giving for the Period of 8/25-8/30:

Weekly Giving: \$9,367

Tithes for Aug: \$59,348.62 | **Tithes Budget for Aug:** \$72,000

Giving YTD: \$848,261.34 | **Budget YTD through Aug:** \$915,000

Want To Try Electronic Giving? Here's How:

- Text the dollar amount to **402-999-4983**
- Scan this QR code

If you would like to set up a recurring gift, please contact Wendy Grosse at wendyg@flcfremont.org or 402-721-2959.



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ABOUT FIRST LUTHERAN

Questions??

Welcome Center: located just outside the Worship center towards the front entrance.

For Our Young Worshippers

Creation Stations: are located on each side of the Worship Center. This is an area for children to be creative while in worship.

Children's Bulletins: are located by each entrance into the Worship Center.

Busy Bags: are filled with quiet activities for children, located by each entrance of the Worship Center. Please return them at the end of the service.

Children's Message: is a time during worship for kids to hear the message at their level.

Sunday Small Groups: are available September-April for children 1 yr—6th grade from 9:40-10:10am in the Sunday School wing.

Sunday Morning Adult Small Groups:

Various studies are offered between services in the Heritage Room & Conference Room. Everyone is welcome to join!

Needing Care?

FirstCare: If you are in need of pastoral ministry or a visit, please contact the Church Office.

Worship Assistance

Open Seating: is available for people with limited mobility. Please leave these areas for walkers & wheelchairs & a seat for their companion.

Hearing Assistance: devices are available at the sound booth at the back of the Worship Center.

Gather at the Table

Communion: All are welcome at the Lord's table. Please come forward at the direction of the ushers. You will receive a wafer & cup of wine or grape juice from the servers. Gluten-free wafers & white grape juice are also available. If you would like communion brought to you, please inform an usher.

Fellowship Time: hot & cold coffee, tea, milk & donut holes are available in Fellowship Hall. Help yourself & enjoy time of friends & fellowship.

In the Chair Pockets:

Green Cards: This card offers various ways to give to FLC. You may place this card in the offering tray to indicate electronic giving.

Blue Cards: This card allows you to share your contact information, prayer requests for the staff to pray over, & to let us know you have worshipped with us. Please place this card in the offering tray. We look forward to getting to know you!



FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, September 6

THIS WEEK'S MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS...

Copies of the **September Messenger** are available at the Ministry Center and Church Office. You can also view it online on our website.

Church Office Closed – Labor Day

Please note that the Church Office and ELC will be closed on Monday, September 7, in observance of Labor Day. Standard operating hours will resume on Tuesday, September 8.

2026-27 Youth & Children's Ministry Registration

Don't miss out on upcoming communications! Be sure to sign your child(ren) up for one or more of the various opportunities FLC offers for our younger members. There is something for all ages. Registering your child(ren) each year is necessary to assure we have the latest contact information for families. Visit our website or scan the QR code to register. **Don't hesitate! Fall programming begins in September!** Please contact ginad@flcfremont.org with questions.



September Mobile Banquet

Contact: Heidi Richmond (heidir@flcfremont.org)

The FLC Mobile Banquet will be handing out 280 meals to Regency, LifeHouse, & ASPIRE this Thursday, September 10, from 5:30-6:30pm. Please consider helping to make this possible with your donations of food items, money or time. It's easy, sign up online or call the office to offer your help! Please have your donations to the church kitchen by NOON this Wednesday, September 9. We are collecting dish soap as our extra item this month. Sign up by scanning the QR code, going to our website under the "events" tab, or by calling the Church Office.



Omaha Community Playhouse - Come from Away Last Week To Sign Up!

Experience the inspiring true story of a small town that welcomed 7,000 strangers with open arms. In honor of the 25th anniversary of 9/11, **Come From Away** is a breathtaking celebration of kindness, music, and community at the Omaha Community Playhouse!

Date: Sunday, September 27 at 2:00pm

Tickets: \$35 (Adults) / \$25 (Students K-College)

Availability: Only 30 seats reserved!

RSVP: Scan the QR code or visit our website to sign up.
Payment must be turned into the Church Office or paid online by Thursday, September 10 to secure your spot(s)!



Brewed Theology

Faith. Libations. Conversations.

For as long as people have debated theology, there's been a drink nearby. Join us for our first round of Brewed Theology, this Thursday, September 10, at 7:00pm at Green's Tavern. We'll gather around the table for a guided conversation on *Defining Church: Where is it? What is it? How do we find it?*

Help Us Bless Our Young Adults With A Special Birthday Gift!

Contact: Gina DeBoer (ginad@flcfremont.org)

The First Lutheran Women want to keep our recent **high school graduates, college students, and new military personnel** connected to their FLC family with a special birthday gift! If you have a child in one of these groups, please share their info so we can celebrate them:



Basic Info: Name & Birthday

Addresses: Current mailing address & home/family address

For Students: School name & current year in school

For Military: Branch of service

How to Submit: Scan the QR code to fill out the form, or email all details to ginad@flcfremont.org.

Grandparents, Games, & Goodies!

Contact: Gina DeBoer (ginad@flcfremont.org)

There's still time to sign up! All youth & their grandparents, or a "grandparent" friend, are invited for an afternoon packed with Bunco, delicious snacks, and plenty of laughs.

Date: Next Sunday, September 13 – Time: 2:00– 4:00pm

Location: Heritage Room

How to Join: Sign up at the Ministry Center or contact Gina to reserve your spot!

Fall Kick-Off – Sunday, September 13

Join us for Fall Kick-Off as we celebrate the start of our new program year next Sunday, September 13! We have many activities on the docket:

- Bible Distribution to 3 year olds, 3rd & 7th graders
- Collecting 8oz bars of soap for LWR Kits (300 needed!)
- Sunday Small Groups for Kids Begins, 9:40-10:10am
- Grandparents, Games, & Goodies Event, 2:00pm

We can't wait to see you all next Sunday!

September Ministry Partner – The Bridge

Contact: Heidi Richmond (heidir@flcfremont.org)

This month, we are partnering with The Bridge, a local organization providing 24/7 crisis support, emergency shelter, & advocacy services for individuals and families experiencing domestic violence and sexual assault.

Currently, they have a critical need for Walmart and Hy-Vee gift cards to support the survivors they serve. These gift cards bridge that gap, offering survivors the flexibility to purchase the essentials they need.

Thank you for your faithful support of The Bridge and the survivors they serve. Gift cards can be dropped off at the Church Office or in the drop box in Fellowship Hall. You can make an online monetary donation by scanning the QR code or visiting our website.



Sunday, September 27 – Annual Meeting

Please note that on Sunday, September 27, we will hold a single worship service at 9:00am, followed by our Annual Meeting at 10:30am in the Worship Center.

TLC (Together Living with Cancer) Support Group

Has a cancer diagnosis affected your life somehow? Whether you're a patient caregiver, friend, or family member, join us at our **TLC (Together Living with Cancer) support group this Tuesday, September 8 from 6:30-7:30pm.** This is a safe and confidential place that can provide you with all the emotional and spiritual support you need.

Lutheran World Relief Personal & Baby Kits

The FLC Women are collecting Personal, & Baby Kit items for Lutheran World Relief! LWR Kits are specifically designed to help people coping with poverty, disaster, conflict and more. Whether a kit helps someone to maintain good hygiene, care well for a newborn baby, keep education going during a crisis or learn a new vocation, LWR Kits provide dignity and hope in the direst situations.



Want to make a difference?

Get the list: Scan the QR code or visit our website for the kit checklist.

Item Drop off: Bring completed kits or items to the Church Office.