

THREE THINGS THURSDAY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2026



1—FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

Sunday, February 22, 2026

Lent doesn't begin with scarcity—it begins with joy.

In John's gospel, Jesus' first miracle isn't a warning or a test. It's a wedding. Water becomes wine—good wine—abundant and overflowing. And Jesus says this is what God's reign is like. The good news is playful. Subversive. Unexpected. Like a mustard seed that grows wild and tall. Like grace that refuses to be contained.

Following Jesus won't always be comfortable—but it is rooted in love, joy, and celebration.

This week, we're reminded that the good news should surprise us, delight us, and draw us deeper into a life worth celebrating.

Join us for worship this Sunday as we begin this Lenten journey together...

grounded in grace, filled with joy, and open to the surprising work of God among us.

2—LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF PERSONAL CARE KITS

Collecting now through Palm Sunday, March 29, 2026

During this season of Lent, we're invited to put our faith into action by caring for neighbors around the world through **Lutheran World Relief Personal Care Kits**.

These simple kits—made from everyday household items—offer comfort, dignity, and hope to families facing crisis. A towel, soap, and basic hygiene items may seem small, but they remind someone in a difficult moment that they are seen, valued, and loved.

Each Personal Care Kit includes:

- 1 light-weight, dark-colored bath towel (20" x 40" to 52" x 27")
- 2 bath-size bars of soap (in original wrapping)
- 1 adult-size toothbrush (in original packaging)
- 1 metal nail clipper
- 1 sturdy comb

Our goal is to assemble **75 Personal Care Kits**.

Thank you for helping share God's love in a tangible way and for providing essential tools that support health and dignity for people around the world.

3—YOU'RE INVITED! (SHHH... IT'S A SURPRISE!)

Saturday, February 28, 2026, 12:30pm—Fellowship Hall

You're invited to a very special — and very secret — celebration!

Please join us for a **surprise 50th wedding anniversary celebration** honoring **Debbie & Erv Dukatz** on:

Saturday, February 28, 2026

12:30pm

Fellowship Hall at the church

We would love to gather as their church family to celebrate this incredible milestone and the many years of love, faith, and commitment they share.

We're planning a **salad luncheon**, and you're invited to bring a dish to pass — salads (fruit, pasta, greens, Jell-O, etc.), light sides, or bars/ desserts would all be perfect.

Most important: This is a surprise!

Please help us spread the word — but be sure to keep it quiet around Debbie & Erv.

We hope you can join us as we celebrate 50 wonderful years!

SAVE THE DATE, ORGAN RECITAL

Sunday, March 8, 2026, 2pm—Sanctuary

We are delighted to share that one of our very own organists, **Thomas Haag**, will present an organ recital at Our Savior's on Sunday, March 8, 2026, at 2pm.

This special afternoon of music is free and open to the public. A freewill offering will be received to support education programs sponsored by the American Guild of Organists – Riverside Chapter.

All are welcome! Invite your friends and neighbors to join us for this inspiring musical event.

For more information, please call [608.433.2621](tel:608.433.2621).

STAY CONNECTED THIS FEBRUARY

February's calendar is now available! You can view upcoming worship services, meetings, and events by [CLICKING THE LINK HERE](#). We hope this helps you stay connected and informed throughout the month. Please reach out if you have any questions.

THIS WEEK AT OUR SAVIOR'S

Thursday, February 19, 2026

9am—1pm Church Office

Friday, February 20, 2026

Pastor/Staff Sabbath

Saturday, February 21, 2026

9am—1pm Women's Clothes Closet Open

Sunday, February 22, 2026

First Sunday in Lent

9:30am Worship

10:15am Moo-Moo's Prayer Club

10:30am Coffee Fellowship

2—4pm Sugar Creek Bible Camp Annual Meeting

6:30pm Y.E.S. A.A. Meeting

Monday, February 23, 2026

9am—1pm Church Office

10am—12 noon Gas Vouchers

Tuesday, February 24, 2026

9am—1pm Church Office

9am Quilters

1—5pm Women's Clothes Closet Open

4pm Come For Supper Door Open

4:15—5pm Meal Served

5—5:30pm Carry-Outs Only

Wednesday, February 25, 2026

First Wednesday of Lent

9am—1pm Church Office Open

12 noon Worship

5:30pm Lenten Soup Supper

6pm Worship

6:30pm Green Initiative Task Force

Thursday, February 26, 2026

9am—1pm Church Office Open

10:30am Set Up for Saturday's Celebration

Friday, February 27, 2026

Pastor/Staff Sabbath

Saturday, February 28, 2026

9am—1pm Women's Clothes Closet Open

12:30pm Dukatz Anniversary Celebration

Sunday, March 1, 2026

Second Sunday in Lent

9:30am Worship

10:15am Moo-Moo's Prayer Club

10:15am Jello Jubilee

6:30pm Y.E.S. A.A. Meeting

Monday, March 2, 2026

9am—1pm Church Office

10am—12 noon Gas Vouchers

Tuesday, March 3, 2026

9am—1pm Church Office

1—5pm Women's Clothes Closet Open

4pm Come For Supper Door Open

4:15—5pm Meal Served

5—5:30pm Carry-Outs Only

Wednesday, March 4, 2026

Second Wednesday of Lent

9am—1pm Church Office Open

12 noon Worship

5:30pm Lenten Soup Supper

6pm Worship

Thursday, March 5, 2026

9am—1pm Church Office Open

Friday, March 6, 2026

Pastor/Staff Sabbath

Saturday, March 7, 2026

9am—1pm Women's Clothes Closet Open

Sunday, March 8, 2026

Third Sunday in Lent

9:30am Worship

10:15am Moo-Moo's Prayer Club

10:15am Pie-Luck Sunday

2pm Organ Recital

6:30pm Y.E.S. A.A. Meeting

Monday, March 9, 2026

9am—1pm Church Office

10am—12 noon Gas Vouchers

Tuesday, March 10, 2026

9am—1pm Church Office

9am Quilters

1—5pm Women's Clothes Closet Open

4pm Come For Supper Door Open

4:15—5pm Meal Served

5—5:30pm Carry-Outs Only

Wednesday, March 11, 2026

Third Wednesday of Lent

9am—1pm Church Office Open

9am Staff Meeting

12 noon Worship

1pm Priscilla Circle

5:30pm Lenten Soup Supper

6pm Worship

Thursday, March 12, 2026

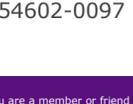
9am—1pm Church Office Open

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