

Lord of Life

ANNOUNCEMENTS

for the Week of March 15, 2026

Little Lutherans - Children ages 2 - 4 years old

Little Lutherans class begins at 9:25 AM in Room 116 for music. At 10:30 AM parents may pick up preschoolers from Room 110.

Sunday School - Children K - 5th Grade

Sunday school classes begin at 9:25 AM in Room 116 for music. At 10:30 AM parents may pick up K – 5th graders from Room 113.

IMPACT Youth Bible Class

Students meet at 9:30 AM in Room 122 with Scott Peters.

Special Needs Bible Class

Students meet at 9:30 AM with Sandy Ehrett in the Library.

Adult Bible Class

At 9:30ish, Pastor Shaltanis leads an adult class in the Fellowship Hall.

Adult Bible Class Small Group Alternative

Mike Kunschke leads a study on John's Epistles at 9:30 AM in Room 115.

What time is it?

With the recent time change, you might wonder, but we can tell you. It is **EGGS-ACTLY** time to sign up for our annual Easter Breakfast that will be held on Sunday, April 5, following the early service. What can **YOU** do, you ask. 1) Sign up and let us know you plan to attend; 2) let us know what absolutely delicious dish you can provide for the breakfast; and 3) please sign up to help set up or clean up on Saturday, April 4, and/or Sunday, April 5. Many hands make light work. The sign-up sheets are located in the narthex. Questions? Contact Gail Senter at 972.672.5769 or gail.senter@yahoo.com. Thank you in advance for **ALL** of your help.

In conjunction with the Easter breakfast on April 5, there will be an Easter Egg Hunt for those children who are 10 and under. Please bring a basket for them to use.

Sheets Needed

Comfort makers is in need of sheets to use for quilt backings. They may be any size or color, new or gently used. You may leave them in the sewing closet in the fellowship hall. If you have any questions contact Dee Peters or any of the sewing ladies. Your help and support for this mission outreach is sincerely appreciated.

THRIVENT MEMBERS: 2025 Choice Dollars Expire on March 31, 2026

Lord of Life has received thousands of Thrivent Choice Dollars from our Thrivent members over the years. These funds, unless directed otherwise, are deposited into our Endowment Fund. The deadline is approaching for directing your 2025 dollars. Once again, there are two ways to direct your dollars to Lord of Life: 1) On-line at www.thrivent.com/thriventchoice or 2) by phone at [800-847-4836](tel:800-847-4836) and say "thrivent choice" at the prompt. These grant dollars are awarded to Thrivent benefit members who can direct them to the church or charity of their choice. At Lord of Life, these dollars will play an important part in the future of our church and its ministries. If questions arise, see Dave Peters.

Flower Chart is in the Narthex - Many Dates Available!

The flower chart consists of monthly pages in a "Flower" binder on a table in the narthex. Each monthly page has the Sundays listed with a space for each arrangement for your name and the occasion you wish to recognize. A suggested donation of \$55 per flower arrangement may be made when the occasion is near by placing a check in the offering plate with a "flowers" notation.



Community Rewards

If you shop Kroger regularly, link your Kroger Plus Card to Lord of Life (**BW594**) in their Community Rewards program, then your purchases will benefit Lord of Life Lutheran Church. This selection **must be renewed every August** (www.kroger.com/account/communityrewards) or it is dropped from your Kroger Plus Card – check your receipts if you're not sure where your rewards are going. We received \$ 61.12 from 25 households with Kroger purchases between November 25, 2025 and February 24, 2026! Thank you!

Stewardship Thought in the Church Year

John 6:5 – “Jesus said to Philip, ‘Where are we to buy bread, so that these people may eat?’”
Of course Jesus knows the answer to that question — He knows how He means to care for His people. The Lord provided, and He still provides. This knowledge frees us for generosity without fear.

A Life Thought in the Church Year

Sin makes us blind to the things of God (Isaiah 42:16, 18). Not only do we often fail to recognize our neighbors and the many needs they have, but we also have a hard time seeing our own lack of love (John 9:41) and need for salvation. Thankfully, Jesus has come to open our blind eyes and turn our darkness into light (John 9:6, Isaiah 42:16). The Lord not only grants us faith to see Him and know His salvation, He also empowers us to “walk as children of light” (Ephesians 5:8) to better see and serve our neighbors in need, from the least of them to the greatest.

Christ for You this Week on KFUO.org

On Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8 a.m. CT), tune in as we pick up our study of Genesis with chapter 29! Tune in for Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 a.m. CT) as we continue our study of the book of Numbers. This week, we'll be picking up with chapter 22. Don't forget to join us for Concord Matters (3/21 at 10 a.m. CT)! We'll be continuing our study of the Sacrament of the Altar as laid out in Luther's Large Catechism. How often should we be receiving the Lord's Supper? Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or in the KFUO Radio app.

Serving Our Worship Today:

Pastor:	Rev. Joel Shaltanis
Organist:	Linda Haupt
Altar Guild:	Clarice Lundquist, Kathy Hite, and Laurie George
Elders:	Greg Moudy, Mike Kunschke
Greeters:	Phaedra Shaltanis, Charis Bennett & Cheryl Tyler
Ushers:	John Frinsko, Sam Carter
Sound:	Brian Wolf, Gideon Selvaraj

This Week at Lord of Life - Today, Mar. 15, 2026

8:00 AM	Early Worship Service
9:00 AM	Youth Breakfast Fundraiser
9:30 AM	Little Lutherans (2-4yrs, Rm 110)
	Children's Sunday School (K-5th Gr, Rm 113)
	IMPACT Youth Bible Class (Rm 122)
	Special Needs Class (Library)
	Adult Bible Class (Fellowship Hall)
	Adult Bible Small Class (Rm 115)
10:45 AM	Late Worship Service
6:00 PM	Young Adult Bible Study

Tuesday, March 17

6:00 PM Handbells

Wednesday, March 18

1:00 PM Worship Service
5:45 PM Soup Supper
7:00 PM Worship Service
7:30 PM Adult Choir

Thursday, March 19

7:00 PM Admin Council

Friday, March 20

9:00 AM Comfort Makers

Saturday, March 11

10:00 AM Binky Patrol

Next Sunday's Readings March 22, 2026

First Reading: Ezek. 37:1-14
Epistle: Rom. 8:1-11
Gospel: John 11:1-45 (46-53) or
John 11:17-27, 38-53



Altar Flowers

The flower arrangements on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God by Mary Farmer; and by the elders