



Please remember to tune into KDWC Christianson broadcasting on 99.3 FM to broadcast our morning worship services at 10:30am each Sunday. They do begin promptly at 10:30am. Just letting you know so you don't miss anything. Happy Sunday everyone.

The Silver Bucket for March is Simdel

Simdel is a non-profit begun by a native of Togo and his wife, now residents of Sioux Falls. It is a Children's Education Ministry for this tiny country in West Africa. Primary school is free for its people, but uniforms, backpacks and supplies are not. This prevents many from attending school in this impoverished country. Simdel gives students & teachers these needed items as well as some scholarships to go on to further education. Thank you to Ron for his visit and sharing more about Simdel.



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Prayer Chain for March 15, 2026

Kimberly Bennett
 Jessa Dahl
 Alyssa Frakes Family
 Terry and Peggy Nelson
 Marilyn VanWyhe
 and for people to fill our Sanctuary.



March 18, 2026 at 7pm
 First Presbyterian Church



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We are accepting items for the FUEL Auction. Let's fill those tables up! Can't wait to see what we have this year! Be sure to save your pennies and prepare for another great auction and activities in support of our youth!!

Palm Sunday - March 29, 2026



- We will be having a 5th Sunday offering on **March 29** for our utilities.
- A 5th Tuesday event on **March 31**.
- Our Annual Summer camping trip on **August 14-16**

March 15, 2026 – Sunday

9:30am - Adult/Men's Sunday School
 9:30am - 3rd Sunday Sunday School
 9:45am - Coffee time
 10:30am - Livestream Worship Service
 4:30pm - Genesis/Revelation Bible Study

March 16, 2026 - Monday

3:30pm - Genesis/Revelation Bible Study
 5pm - Walk in Your Power Group Study
 Messenger Deadline

March 17, 2026 - Tuesday

9:30am - Shut in visits
 6pm - Trustee Meeting
 6:30pm - Church Council Meeting

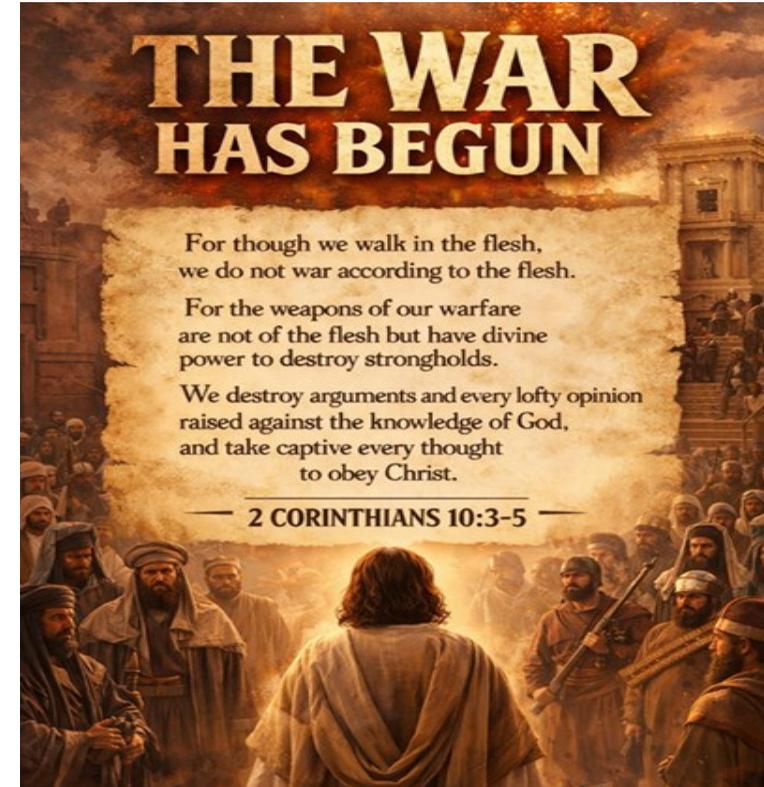
March 11, 2026 – Wednesday

9am-2:30pm - Open Prayer Chapel
 6:15pm - FUEL and Confirmation
 7pm - Lenten Service - First Presbyterian Church
 8pm – AA/AlAnon Meetings

March 12, 2026 - Thursday

8pm - NA Meeting

**Luverne United Methodist Church
 Sunday Worship Service
 4th Sunday in Lent
 March 15, 2026**



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Your Worship Assistants today are:

Accompanist: Anissa Vis

Sound: Jason Kruse

Acolytes: Duane and Ezra Nelson

Coffee: Riley and Journey Anderson

Lay Reader: Christine VonHoltum

Grocery Cards: Karis Dwire

Hosts: OPEN

Trustee: Al Aanenson - March 16-22, 2026

Power Point: Jennifer Hilfers

God's People Gather...

This time is to welcome each other, and settle our hearts in to worship

UNITED WE SING *"This is Amazing Grace"*

PRAISE TEAM SONG

UNITED WE SING *"In Christ Alone"*

PRAISE TEAM SONG

WHO LOVES JESUS, WE LOVE JESUS!

UNITED WE SING *"Hymn of Promise"*

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VERSES 1-3**

Please note: We will pass the offering at this time and bring it forward during the doxology. You may also use the online GIVE link on our website at umcluverne.com or use our mobile app at any time.

DOXOLOGY

#95 UMH

OFFERTORY PRAYER, in unison,

Lord, we thank you for your faithfulness. We are so grateful that we can always count on you. Out of your abundance and great mercy, you have given us so much. And so we give you this offering today. With it we worship you and give our whole selves to you. Take it now and use it for your kingdom and your glory. Extend and multiply its reach and influence, we pray. May it be a great blessing to many. We ask all this in the powerful name of Jesus. Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP, responsively

L: May the Lord be with you,

C: And also with you.

L: We are gathered together to worship the God who has called us to love God.

C: And the God who has asked us to follow God's direction.

CALL TO WORSHIP, responsively (Continued)

C: We do so because we know the Spirit and the Spirit knows us.

L: We are reminded that we are not alone.

C: Because the Holy Spirit is among us, Jesus is with God, and God is present.

L: Let us rejoice that because he lives, we, too, live!

C: Amen.

God's People Worship...

This time is to hear God's voice

SCRIPTURES

2 Corinthians 10:3-5 Page 1163 NIV

Ephesians 6:11-18 Page 1177 NIV

1 Peter 5:8-9 Page 1224 NIV

James 4:7-8 Page 1218 NIV

John 10:10-11 Page 1075 NIV

1 John 5: 4-5 Page 1231 NIV

MESSAGE

The War Has Begun

UNITED WE SING *"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"*

PRAISE TEAM SONG

God's People Pray...

This time allows us to lift our thoughts to God, lift up the good stuff around us and the cares that fill us.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

God's People Go to Live Out...

This is the time we are called to go and share Jesus with the world.

UNITED WE SING *"The Lord Bless and Keep You"*

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