



Our Savior's Lutheran Church

1326 1st Ave N., Great Falls MT
A congregation of the
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

April 2026 Newsletter
God's Work—Our Hands!

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WELCA SPRING
RETREAT
Flathead Lutheran Bible
Camp
April 24-26

Thanks to all of you
that helped!

**Our Savior's Lutheran
Worships each Sunday at
10:00 a.m.
with Refreshments and
Fellowship in the Church
basement following
services.**

Office Hours are
Mon. -Thurs. 9:00-1:00

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HE HAS RISEN

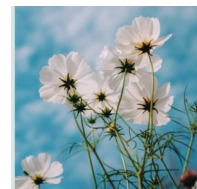


As we approach Easter Sunday we hope that your journey during this season leading to the cross and Resurrection has been full of reflection and growth.

HE HAS RISEN INDEED.

*This is the day that the Lord has
made; We will rejoice and
be glad in it.*

Psalm 118:24



Soup Suppers

Thank you all very much for helping with the Wednesday evening Lenten Soup Suppers. We had wonderful soups and desserts and cleaning up. was much appreciated

Our Savior's Events During April 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wed	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
March 29	30	31	1 7:30 Men's Square	2	3 7:00 1st Presbyterian Good Friday Service	4
5 EASTER 10:00 Worship Choir Practice 9:00	6	7	8 7:30 Men's Square	9 9:30 Quilters and Knitters	10	11
12 10:00 Worship Executive Cmt. 11:15 Human Concerns 11:15	13 7:00 Property & Finance	14 5:30 Worship & Music	15 7:30 a.m. Men's Square 7:00 Council Mtg	16 WELCA Board 10:00	17	18
19 9:00 Choir Practice 10:00 Worship	20 Newsletter Deadline	21	22 7:30 Men's Square	23	24 6:00 Game Night!	
26 10:00 Worship <i>Change for Change</i>	27 6:00 Book Club, Etc.	28	29	30 9:30 Quilters and Knitters	May 1	2

FINANCIAL REPORT:			
OFFERINGS, DISBURSEMENTS & BALANCES			
as of February 28, 2026			
General Fund	February	Year to Date	2025 YTD
Giving	\$11,976.00	\$23,887.00	\$38,585.50
Interest Inc	\$126.44	\$266.24	\$567.98
Expenses	\$13,029.48	\$22,032.22	\$37,053.20
Totals	-\$927.04	\$2,121.02	\$2,100.28

**Celebrating
April Birthdays**

(Known to the Office)

- 4/02 Harold Spilde
- 4/03 Melissa Horton
- 4/03 Theodore Shen-Lingan
- 4/03 Nathaniel Shen-Lingan
- 4/04 Robin Sainsbury
- 4/05 Marialyce Martin
Abbie Virts
- 4/06 Levi Eberl
- 4/07 Mark Goetz
- 4/12 Meredith Ludford
- 4/12 John Proud
- 4/13 John Goldhahn
Jocelyn Pritchard
- 4/15 Rae Smith
- 4/16 Jim Ronshaugen
- 4/17 Brianna Koontz
- 4/18 Karissa Ramstead
- 4/19 Michelle Brunner
- 4/20 Tori Anderson
Janet Murphy
- 4/21 Aunika Clemons
- 4/22 Ruth Allen
- 4/23 Phil Dunham
- 4/24 Bob Laird
- 4/26 Sharon Odden
Heather Swanson
- 4/27 Bob Dickenson
Julie Pribyl
- 4/28 Daryl Odden
Rodney Pribyl
Sandra Vanni
- 4/29 Jeremy Virts
- 4/30 Tyson Brown

Thanks!

Thanks to all of you who supported FISH by attending the Loaves & Fishes dinner on March 20th. Thank you to those who contributed silent auction items. Special thanks to all the volunteers who worked setting up the silent auction tables, picking bones, cooking the salmon, working in the kitchen, serving the food on the line and at the dessert table, pouring coffee, and helping clean up at the end. We could not do the dinner without all of your support. Also, Thrivent Financial contributed \$250.00 dollars to purchase food. The dinner and auction raised around \$3500.00.

Thank you again and God bless you for helping to raise funds to feed the hungry in our area!

FISH Board OF Directors
Our Savior's Human Concerns Committee

Fantastic Helpers!

Thanks to everyone for helping with the Loaves and Fishes. The event was very successful because of all the donations and effort that was put into making it happen.

Human Concerns Committee

Serving this April

April 5

Usher: Nancy Traner
Greeter: Lilli Milton
Reader: Kathy Maynard
Altar Guild: Kerrie Ramsted and Lilli Milton
Fellowship: Jerry and Loraine Mhyr
Offering Collector: Kerrie Ramsted
Counters: Kerrie Ramsted/Juanita Hogenson
Pianist/Organist: Michelle Payton
Cantor: Ellen Forslund
Officiating: Jodie Tooley, LMA

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April 12

Usher: Sanna Beerman
Greeter: Judy Spilde
Reader: Volunteer or Pastor
Altar Guild: Kerrie Ramsted and Lilli Milton
Fellowship: Jerry and Loraine Mhyr
Offering Collector: Kerrie Ramsted
Counters: Kerrie Ramsted/Juanita Hogenson
Pianist/Organist: Michelle Payton
Cantor: Ellen Forslund
Officiating: Jim Carlson, LMA

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April 19

Usher: Robin Sainsbury
Greeter: Bonnie Knight
Reader: Volunteer or Pastor
Altar Guild: Kerrie Ramsted and Lilli Milton
Fellowship: Jerry and Loraine Mhyr
Offering Collector: Kerrie Ramsted
Counters: Kerrie Ramsted/Juanita Hogenson
Pianist/Organist: Michelle Payton
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April 26

Usher: Emil Vanni
Greeter: Amy Ford
Reader: Volunteer or Pastor
Altar Guild: Kerrie Ramsted and Lilli Milton
Fellowship: Jerry and Loraine Mhyr
Offering Collector: Kerrie Ramsted
Counters: Kerrie Ramsted/Juanita Hogenson
Pianist/Organist: Michelle Payton
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Thank You!

*To the folks that worked at FISH February 17-20:
Emil Vanni, Doris Seaton, Cherryl Batchelor, Robin
Sainsbury, Bev James, Nancy Traner, Dennis and
Karen Andersen.*

