

PREACHER: Pastor Bob Preuss
LAY MINISTER: Jamie Gudknecht
ACOLYTE: Perri Linroth
USHERS: Ray Volkers – Captain, Clara Volkers,
Judy Ashby, Wendy Knutsen
GREETERS: The Linroth Family
MUSICIANS: Linda Zelig
NURSERY: *Open, but no attendant*

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CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICE

March 15, 2017 6:45 P.M.

The "My Calling" series continues in Adult Education on Sunday March 19th with Dawn Mizinski who is a delivery room nurse. During this series we hear from our own members about how their vocations have been shaped by their faith journey. Please join us at 11:00 for this informative series from our own members. On March 26th we will hear from Trevor Tolly a Behavior Specialist at South Campus 916.

March is Minnesota Food Share Month

If you wish to support our John Glenn Jet Fuel Backpack program, you may give any time until March 26th. ALL funds donated will be given to Merrick Community Services so that they will receive matching funds. This will DOUBLE the amount they are able to use to help us fill the Jet Fuel Backpacks. Envelopes are available in the narthex. **Please make your check payable to: CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH and write: Jet Fuel in the memo line. THANK YOU!**

Easter Flower Orders

There are Easter Flower order envelopes in the basket on the shelf in the narthex. Complete the form and include your check payable to: Cross Lutheran Church and place it in the offering plate. Lilies \$9, Blue Hydrangea \$15 and White or Yellow Mums \$9.50 are available. FINAL DAY TO ORDER is SUNDAY March 19th.

Altar Guild Help is Needed

A 1 month commitment is all that it takes to become a part of our Altar Guild. For that month, you will work with another person to make sure the altar area is ready for our worship services and cleaning up after the service is finished – washing and drying communion cups, covering the altar, putting away flowers if any. **YOU WILL BE TRAINED!** Please see Diana Border if you can help!

Substitute Sunday School Teachers also NEEDED

If YOU can help on an as needed basis, please contact Debbie Walker to have your name added to the list of substitute teachers.

Worship Assistants for next Wednesday, March 22nd

Lay Ministers – Duane Gudknecht
Acolyte – Kennedy Paananen
Ushers – Wayne Lund's Team
Greeters – The Paananen Family

Bold Print - indicates congregation responds as a whole
* - indicates congregation should stand as able

PRELUDE	<i>Jesu, meine Freude</i>	J.S. Bach
*OPENING VERSICLES	p. 309	
*PSALMODY		p. 312
LESSON	Isaiah 53:1-12	O.T. p. 683
HYMN	<i>Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross</i>	ELW # 335
LESSON	Luke 22:54-62	N.T. p. 87
THE SERMON		
*HYMN	<i>Great God, Your Love Has Called Us</i>	ELW # 358
OFFERING	<i>Where Can I Flee Your Presence, God</i>	Ian Kellam
THE LITANY		p. 316
*THE LORD'S PRAYER		p. 112
*BENEDICTION		
*CLOSING HYMN	<i>God, Who Made the Earth and Heaven</i>	ELW # 564

In observance of Lent, there will be no postludes during this season.