

THIS WEEK AT EAST SIDE: March 11 - 18

<i>Sunday March 11</i>	8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am	Worship
Lent 4	9:15 - 10:30 am	Sunday School 3 years - 5 th Grade
	10:30 am	Service of Healing (Chapel)
	Noon	Council Meeting
	5:00 pm	Evening Worship
<i>Monday</i>	9:00 am	Mission Quilters
	12:30 pm	WELCA Board Meeting
	2:00 pm	WELCA Fellowship
<i>Tuesday</i>	10:00 am	Coffee Fellowship
<i>Wednesday</i>	10:00 am	Lenten Worship
	4:45 pm	King's Ringer's Rehearsal
	5:30 pm	King's Choir Rehearsal
	5:30 pm - 6:45 pm	Lenten Supper
	6:00 pm	Celebration Ringers Rehearsal
	7:00 pm	Lenten Worship
<i>Thursday</i>	7:00 am	Men's Bible Study
	9:30 am	Staff Meeting
<i>Friday</i>	Noon	Union Gospel Mission Luncheon
<i>Sunday March 18</i>	8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am	Worship
Lent 5	9:15 - 10:30 am	Sunday School 3 years - 5 th Grade
	9:30 am	Baptism Class (West Conf. Room)
	12:15 pm	Special Congregational Meeting
	5:00 pm	Evening Worship

Previous Week Offerings

General Fund: \$ 19,285
 General YTD: \$ 102,015
 Building Fund: \$ 4,585
 Building YTD: \$ 22,694

Attendance: **345**
 S.S. attendance: **48**

Special Congregation Meeting Notice

On Sunday, March 18 there will be a **special meeting of the congregation** at 12:15pm. The purpose of this meeting is to present the Council's recommendation for a new Lead Pastor at East Side. A vote will be taken as to whether or not to issue a Call to this candidate. Your attendance at this meeting is very important. If you have any questions, please visit with Carla Midden or any other member of the Church Council.

Meet the New Pastor Candidate

The candidate for Lead Pastor and his family will be here on March 18th from 10:00 to 11:00 in the Fellowship Hall.

Serving us today are: Lectors 8:00 am Elvin Thomsen 9:30 am Steve Hayes 11:00 am Harriet Barrett Greeters 8:00 am Joe & Sharon Johansson (*east doors*) Andrew & Danielle Champa & Esley (*west doors*) 9:30 am Justin & Kristi Point & Family (*east doors*) Al & Bev Fix (*west doors*) 11:00 am Jan Driver (*east doors*) Sharon Kulbel (*west doors*) Communion Assistants 8:00am Dave Howard 9:30 am Justin & Kristi Point, Carla Midden, Bev Fix, Kirk Lien, Steve & Barb Hayes 11:00 am Harriet Barrett, Allie Martens Bus Driver Kirk Lien Ushers 8:00 am Keith Myers, Dale Fritz, Milt Jackson 9:30 am Ryan Postma, Kay Fritz, Laurie McKnelly, Donna Postma, Karen Slocum, Nancy Peterson, Linda Hoeck 11:00 am Bob & Kathy Jellis, Jim & Judy Vollmer, East Side Youth Sound System 8:00am Rick Paetow 9:30 am Mike Simundson 11:00 am John Boheman 11:00 am Musicians Ben Hoefer, Zinta Zimmer, Becky Nelson, Zachary Ferdinand Coffee Servers 9:00 am Joe & Sharon Johansson 10:15 am Dee Eriksen & Joyce Fuyok

Today's Radio Broadcast is in honor of **Dale & Rose Carmen's** 50th Wedding Anniversary that they will celebrate on March 16th!

Our sympathies to:

- Paul Griffith and family on the death of his father **Robert Griffith**. Funeral services were held Thursday at First Lutheran Church.
- Ardie Fueston and family on the death of his brother, **Roger Fueston**. Funeral services were held Thursday in Papillion, NE.

Direct Your 2017 Thrivent Choice Dollars® by March 31, 2018

Through this program, eligible members can recommend where Thrivent donates millions of charitable outreach dollars each year. *This is available for ALL Thrivent members!* Last year, **\$6,465** was directed to East Side Lutheran and helped with our various ministries here! Last day to direct Choice Dollars is March 31, 2018!

TODAY IS THE LAST DAY to buy ButterBraids! They will be available for pick up on Saturday, March 24th from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm.

Easter Lilies are available for order today! Forms are available in the church office. \$10 per lily. They are due on March 25th.

Gospel Mission Lamplighters meeting @ East Side on March 16th at Noon. Love gift is disposable dishes.

WELCA Fellowship on Monday at 2:00 pm. The speaker will be from the Compass center, who provide direct support to victims of violence and community prevention.

During Holy Week (March 26-30th) from 11:30 - 1:30 pm, passion week music will be playing continuously in the Sanctuary. Everyone is welcome for Listening, Reflection, and Prayer.