

Northland Lutheran Church LCMC

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Sunday, March 8, 2026

Purpose Statement: "To worship God, spread His Word, witness for Christ, welcome all, serve them and grow the community of believers through the power of the Holy Spirit."

TODAY AT WORSHIP

Projector: Kevin Dahle
9:00 AM Sunday School
10:00 AM Worship

Monday, March 9, 2026
Town of Harrison Meeting
@ 6:30 PM

Wednesday, March 11, 2026
Confirmation
6:30-7:45 PM
Communion (Intinction)

Thursday, March 12, 2026
AA Meeting @ 7:00 PM

NEXT SUNDAY, March 15, 2026
Projector: Craig Anderson
9:00 AM Sunday School
10:00 AM Worship

**If anyone would like to purchase an
Easter Lily in Memory of a loved one,
please let Pam Dahle know by March 22.**

**There will be a Congregational Meeting
on March 22 after Worship**



CONTACT THE OFFICE

For Information regarding church rental, weddings, baptisms, membership or to have an announcement put in the newsletter or bulletin please contact the office at 715-445-2956 or northlandchurch@hotmail.com. You can contact Pastor William Stukenberg @ 262-441-0513
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Opening Hymn

Beautiful Savior #518 LBW

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Call to Worship: Taken from Psalm 63

Pastor: O God, you are my God; earnestly I seek you;

People: my soul thirsts for you; my flesh faints for you, as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.

Pastor: So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory. Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you.

People: So I will bless you as long as I live; in your name I will lift up my hands.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Hymn of Praise

Jesus all for Jesus
(Printed)

Scripture Readings

Genesis 19:12-17

¹² Then the men said to Lot, “Have you anyone else here? Sons-in-law, sons, daughters, or anyone you have in the city, bring them out of the place. ¹³ For we are about to destroy this place, because the outcry against its people has become great before the LORD, and the LORD has sent us to destroy it.” ¹⁴ So Lot went out and said to his sons-in-law, who were to marry his daughters, “Up! Get out of this place, for

the LORD is about to destroy the city.” But he seemed to his sons-in-law to be jesting.

¹⁵ As morning dawned, the angels urged Lot, saying, “Up! Take your wife and your two daughters who are here, lest you be swept away in the punishment of the city.” ¹⁶ But he lingered. So, the men seized him and his wife and his two daughters by the hand, the LORD being merciful to him, and they brought him out and set him outside the city. ¹⁷ And as they brought them out, one said, “Escape for your life. Do not look back or stop anywhere in the valley. Escape to the hills, lest you be swept away.”

James 1:13-18

When tempted, no one should say, “God is tempting me.” For God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does he tempt anyone; but each person is tempted when they are dragged away by their own evil desire and enticed. ¹⁵ Then, after desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and sin, when it is full-grown, gives birth to death.

Gospel

Matthew 7:5-23

⁵ There is nothing outside a person that by going into him can defile him, but the things that come out of a person are what defile him.” And when he had entered the house and left the people, his disciples asked him about the parable. ¹⁸ And he said to them, “Then are you also without understanding? Do you not see that whatever goes into a person from outside cannot defile him, ¹⁹ since it enters not his heart but his stomach, and is expelled?” (Thus, he declared all foods clean.) ²⁰ And he said, “What comes out of a

person is what defiles him. ²¹ For from within, out of the heart of man, come evil thoughts, sexual immorality, theft, murder, adultery, ²² coveting, wickedness, deceit, sensuality, envy, slander, pride, foolishness. ²³ All these evil things come from within, and they defile a person.”

Hymn

**Blessed is He who Comes
(Printed)**

MESSAGE

Prayer

Apostle’s Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting, **Amen.**

Offering Offertory

Prayers of the Church

Please respond with: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For zeal this Lent, that following Christ we may cast every idol from our hearts and be devoted to Him alone, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For the continued proclamation of the cross’s power, that from this life-giving tree we would receive the gifts that preserve faith, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

That our heavenly Father would preserve and bless all Christian households; that husbands and wives would live in love and service to each other; that fathers and mothers would diligently bring up their children in the fear of the Lord; and that children would honor their parents and be well equipped for service to their neighbors in this life, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

That the Lord of the perfect Law would guide all who govern us; that He would lead them into truth in His ways and uphold justice; and that He would help us serve and obey them in accord with His will, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For all who suffer in our midst, that the flood may not sweep over them nor the pit close its mouth on them; and that God would deliver them in His steadfast love, granting them healing, comfort and peace, let us pray to the Lord: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Hear us, heavenly Father, for the sake of Christ Jesus, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Lord’s Prayer

Pastor: Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

People: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come,

thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever and ever. AMEN

BENEDICTION

Closing Hymn

Beloved, Let us Love one Another Jn 4:7-8

Blessed is He who Comes

CHORUS: "Blessed is He Who comes,
Who comes in the Name of the Lord?
Who comes in the Name of the Lord?
Hosanna in the highest!"

Repeat CHORUS

1)"Who is this, who comes to walk
among us
makes the lame to walk, and blind to see?
with a word, commands the raging sea?"

CHORUS

2)"His mercy and His love endure forever.
Give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good.
He comes to deliver and to save!"

Sing CHORUS twice

BELOVED, LET US LOVE ONE ANOTHER

Beloved, let us love one another
For love is of God, and ev'ry one who loveth is
born of God and knoweth God
He that loveth not
Clap, clap, clap
Loveth not God for God is love
Beloved let us love one another
1 John 4: 7 and 8.
Beloved let us love one another for love is of
god, and ev'ry one who loveth is
Born of god, and knoweth god
He that loveth not
Clap, clap, clap
Loveth not God for God is love beloved let us
love another
1 John 4: 7-8
Beloved x2

Let us love one another, love one another
For love is of God and ev'ry
One who loveth is born of God and knoweth
God
He that loveth not
Clap, clap, clap
Loveth not God for God is love
God is love
Beloved x2
Let us love one another
1 John 4: 7-8

Beloved x2

Let us love one another
Love one another

For love is of God and ev'ry
One who loveth is born of God and knoweth
God
He that loveth not
Clap, clap, clap
Loveth not God for God is love
God is love
Beloved x2
Let us love one another
1 John 4: 7-8 x2