

Zion Lutheran Church | Kulm ND | March 9, 2025

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Our mission: We gather in faith to worship Jesus as Lord, grow through grace, and share the good news of Jesus Christ
Our vision: to be a community of faith who follows Christ, loves one another and ministers to the needs of others

Today: Sunday 5:30 pm World Day of Prayer at Kulm Assembly of God Church. Men and women are welcome to attend. A light snack will be served after the service. Please contact Sybil Anderson at 701-320-0851 if you have an answer to prayer you would like to share during the service.

March 12, 19, 26, April 2, 9: 5:45 pm supper followed by Lenten services at 6:30 pm. Families are encouraged to come eat, worship and pray together as we journey to the cross. This year's theme is "Stepping Stones through Lent". The service will be in the sanctuary with kids involved and will close with people/families praying together during "Prayer Around the Cross",

March 15: Christians in Action retreat at Emmanuel in Gackle, from 10:00-2:00. Council members, congregation leaders, CIA board members, and worship leaders are invited to attend. Last year's retreat was informative, helpful, and enjoyable.

Introduction

These forty days called Lent are like no other. It is our opportune time to return to the God who rescues, to receive the gifts of God's grace, to believe with the heart and confess with the mouth the wonder of God's love in Jesus, and to resist temptation at every turn. This is no small pilgrimage on which we have just embarked. It is a struggle Jesus knew. It is a struggle Jesus shares. The nearness of the Lord, in bread and wine, water and word, will uphold and sustain us..

Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16

- ¹ You who dwell in the shelter of | the Most High,
who abide in the shadow of | the Almighty—
- ² **you will say to the Lord, “My refuge | and my stronghold,
my God in whom I | put my trust.”**
- ⁹ Because you have made the | Lord your refuge,
and the Most High your | habitation,
- ¹⁰ **no evil | will befall you, nor shall affliction come | near
your dwelling.**
- ¹¹ For God will give the angels charge | over you,
to guard you in | all your ways.
- ¹² **Upon their hands they will | bear you up,
lest you strike your foot a- | gainst a stone.**
- ¹³ You will tread upon the lion | cub and viper;
you will trample down the lion | and the serpent.
- ¹⁴ **I will deliver those who | cling to me;
I will uphold them, because they | know my name.**
- ¹⁵ They will call me, and I will | answer them;
I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue and | honor them.
- ¹⁶ **With long life will I | satisfy them, and show them | my
salvation.**