

Prayer Requests

Harold, grandfather of Michael Wilke—hospitalized.
Aaron Rutt, son of Douglas Rutt—complications from heart surgery.
John Huss, alumnus—ongoing cancer treatment.
Robert Vieker, father of Jon Vieker—ongoing recovery.
Linda, sister-in-law of Kathy Luther—ongoing recovery.
Tim Dinger, father-in-law of Caitlin Dinger—ongoing cancer treatment.
Henry, 3-year-old nephew of Jason Dulworth—diagnosed with Leukemia.
Kevin Duff, 2016 graduate—diagnosed with a brain tumor.
Emily, daughter of EIIT Vicar Benedict Boroi—recovering from a stroke.
Ginny Schweigert—medical testing and treatment for cancer.
Creed, son of Jesse Kueker—receiving treatment for kidney transplant rejection.
Lee Hagan, LCMS District President—recovering from a stroke.
Miriam Prieto—recovering from surgery.
Gilbert Kajuna, SMP Vicar—recovering after hospitalization.
Caleb, son of Michael Stainbrook, 2022 graduate—cardiac issues.
Thomas Courtney, relative of Erika Petsch—recovering from surgery.
Karen Eatherton, mother of Sam Eatherton—in hospice care.
Francis (“Rev.”) Rossow—recovering at home.
David Dissen, alumnus—diagnosed with cancer.
Robert Rapp, friend of Jamie Crustals’ family—recovering from a heart attack.
Harold (“Hal”) Senkbeil—recovering from cancer surgery.
Nicholas Vulkalovich—recovering from pneumonia.

CONCORDIA SEMINARY Chapel of St. Timothy and St. Titus

Wednesday, February 25, 2026
The First Week of Lent

Divine Service, Setting One

Prelude

Stand

Confession and Absolution

LSB 151

Introit

Ps. 91:9–13; antiphon 15–16

L When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will rescue him and honor him.
With long life I will satisfy him and show him my salvation.

L Because you have made the LORD your | dwelling place—*
the Most High, who is my | refuge—

C **no evil shall be allowed to be- | fall you,***
no plague come | near your tent.

L For he will command his angels con- | cerning you*
to guard you in | all your ways.

C **On their hands they will | bear you up,***
lest you strike your foot a- | gainst a stone.

L You will tread on the lion and the | adder;*
the young lion and the serpent you will trample | underfoot.

C **Glory be to the Father and | to the Son***
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

L When he calls to me, I will answer him; I will rescue him and honor him.
With long life I will satisfy him and show him my salvation.

Kyrie

“Kyrie! God, Father” *LSB 942*

Salutation and Collect of the Day

LSB 156

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 3:1–21

Stand

Verse (Lent)

LSB 157

Holy Gospel

Matthew 4:1–11

Sit

Hymn of the Day

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” *LSB 657*

Sermon

Stand

Nicene Creed	LSB 158
Prayer of the Church	
Offertory Hymn	“All Mankind Fell in Adam’s Fall” LSB 562 The choir sings stanza 4.

Stand

Service of the Sacrament	LSB 160 ff.
Preface	
Sanctus	
Prayer of Thanksgiving	
Lord’s Prayer	
Words of Our Lord	
Pax Domini	
Agnus Dei	

Sit

Distribution

During the singing of the Agnus Dei, the congregation is invited to come forward to the communion rails.

The Lord’s Supper will be distributed at the communion rails in a continuous flow. Both pulpit and lectern sides come forward at the same time. Beginning at the center of the rail, please take the next available place at the rail, moving around toward the wall behind the altar and allowing for space between you and others as you are comfortable. Both the chalice and individual cups are available. The chalice is continuously cleansed with alcohol-soaked purificators. After communing, please return to your seat by the side aisles.

If you need to receive a gluten-free host, please let the distributor know, and he will bring one to you.

Distribution Hymns	“Christ, the Lord of Hosts, Unshaken” LSB 521 The choir sings stanzas 2 and 4. “The Tree of Life” LSB 561
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Stand

Dismissal	
Post-Communion Collect	LSB 166
Benediction	
Postlude	

In the Lord’s Service

Presiding Minister	Rev. Dr. Stephen Pietsch
Preacher	Rev. Dr. Ronald Mudge
Lector	Rev. Joel Heckmann
Assistants	Rev. Dr. Jon Vieker Seminarian Daniel Johnson Seminarian Matthew Shipman Seminarian Nathaniel Rizzuto
Organist	Dr. Samuel Eatherton

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Individual Confession and Absolution is available through Chaplain Mark Barz. barzm@csl.edu. “When I urge you to go to confession, I am simply urging you to be a Christian.” (Large Catechism, Brief Exhortation, 32).

Concerning the Divine Service

The Lord’s Supper is celebrated on our campus in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord Jesus, as He says, gives His very body and blood under the bread and wine for us Christians to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord, those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, set aside any refusal to forgive, and forgive as He forgives us. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and so are unable to receive the Sacrament, are invited to meditate on God’s Word in the distribution hymns and pray for the day when divisions will have ceased. Those coming to the altar for a blessing rather than the Holy Supper are asked to cross their arms over their chest.

This service of Holy Communion is hosted by Holy Cross Lutheran Church, St. Louis, Missouri, Revs. Robert Bernhardt and Paul Gaschler, pastors.

To submit prayer requests for daily chapel, please submit them via SemNet: [Semnet>Resources>Chapel>Prayer Request](#).