



# First Lutheran Church

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Pr. Maribeth McGoven

## ***Season of Rest: A Rhythm of Rest***

February 9, 2025

### **GATHERING**

PRELUDE	<i>Be Still</i>	River and Robots
BELLS		
WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS		
CALL TO WORSHIP		screen
GATHERING PRAYER		screen
CENTERING TIME	<i>Rest in Peace - Seph Schlueter</i>	
PRAYER		scree

### **WORD**

*PSALM 23*

CHILDREN'S TIME

HYMN	<i>Just As I Am, without One Plea</i>	<i>LBW #296</i>
	Mary Munson	

*SCRIPTURE READING*

SERMON	<i>A Rhythm of Rest</i>	Pr. Maribeth McGoven
TIME FOR REFLECTION:	<i>Video – Psalm 23</i>	Phil Wickham

PRAYERS

P: God of peace,

**C: Hear our prayer.**

OFFERING                      Mission for February – Audrey's Purple Dream

OFFERTORY PRAYER

## MEAL

GREAT THANKSGIVING

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION MUSIC

*You Speak* – Audrey Assad

*Hold Me Fast* – Aaron Shust

*Oceans* - Hillsong

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

screen

## SENDING

BLESSING

BELLS

SENDING SONG

*O God, Our Help in Ages Past*

*LBW #320*

Mary Munson

DISMISSAL

P: Go with peace. Go in joy. Go forth, rested and renewed to love and serve the Lord.

**C: Amen. Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

*Let Your Glory Fall*

River and Robots

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## WEEK'S BIBLE READINGS

**Mon** [Psalm 115; Judges 5:1-11; 1 Corinthians 14:26-40](#)

**Tue** [Psalm 115; 1 Samuel 9:15-10:1b; 1 Timothy 3:1-9](#)

**Wed** [Psalm 115; Isaiah 8:1-15; Luke 5:27-32](#)

**Thu** [Psalm 1; Jeremiah 13:12-19; Acts 13:26-34](#)

**Fri** [Psalm 1; Jeremiah 13:20-27; 1 Peter 1:17-2:1](#)

**Sat** [Psalm 1; Jeremiah 17:1-4; Luke 11:24-28](#)

**Sun** [Psalm 1; Jeremiah 17:5-10; 1 Corinthians 15:12-20; Luke 6:17-26](#)

## SERVICE ASSISTANTS

	<b>This Week</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	Danny & Betty Lecy	Denice Johnson
<b>Ushers</b>	Galen & Charlotte Negen	Galen & Charlotte Negen
<b>Reader</b>	Shane Synstegard	Bernie Beck
	Communion Assistants: & Maja Cox	Communion Assistants:

*Prayer Concerns: The people of the Ukraine, The people of Israel and Palestine, Audrey's Purple Dream; The family of Ron Wells; Marlys Stainbrook, Carl & Linda Anderson, Phyllis Carlson, Tim Atwater (brother-in-law of Carol Jones), Jean (cousin of Vi Sundermeyer), Emily (friend of Vi Sundermeyer), Elaine Kelsey (friend of Peg Davies), Rose & Don (Vi Sundermeyer's sister and brother-in-law), Jerry Johnson (brother of Jay Johnson), Ryan Lau, Carla & Scott (friends of Corina Bronczyk), Ryan Wood (Darrin & Corina Bronczyk's nephew), Mike & Leah O'Rourke (friends of Peg Davies), Karen Rich (sister of Mike Jones), Bonnie & George Lueck, Tina Riggs (friend of Bobbie Wosika), Jerry Leverson (Resurrection Band singer), Jim Thomsen, Gail Buck, Mark Hiene (Linda Anderson's brother-in-law), Matthew Lane (Carl Anderson's step grandson), Erika W. (friend of Vi Sundermeyer), Jennifer Lyons (niece of Carol Jones), Jimmie & Joyce Lecy (Harry Lecy's brother & sister-in-law), Dr. Brian Bratloff, Sebrina Hegg (Tina Ericson's sister), Phyllis Deer, Georgia Alexander (Pat Tinklenberg's granddaughter), Bruce Dahl (friend of Jay Johnson), Pat Tinklenberg (Heather Lenander's mom), Matt (nephew of De & Dave Carlson), Jason Kath (friend of Bobbie Wosika), Jim Kolar, Riki and her family, Bernice Seward (De Carlson's mother), Nicky (friend of Peg Davies), Kent Stover (Kirk Stover's brother), Paul Benson (Betsy Lecy's brother), Dawn, Barb Hanson, Tim Cooper, David VanEye, Cheyenne (Sherry Grantham's granddaughter), Levon Voshell, (aunt of Cina Pidde & Denice Johnson), Sarah & Sonny, Carole Hemme (Jana Dunham's mother)*

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### Opportunities This Week

<b>Today</b>	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:15 AM
	Church Council meeting	11:30 AM
<b>Tue</b>	Quilting	9:30 AM
<b>Sun</b>	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:15 AM

### Announcements

- ✓ **Two forums being offered by Bethany of Nevis and Nevis Community Ed. See the bulletin board for more info.**
- ✓ **THANKS to all for donating to APD fishing coolers.**

# **February Mission of the Month**

## **Audrey's Purple Dream**

Audrey Pidde, Shannah Geimer's mother, didn't start out as a superhero.

She was just one of us, part of a community that loves living with the rigors of the North country, and values the virtue of neighbors helping neighbors. Then in 2005, she faced cancer with no more than the dream of a trip to Alaska. Her heroic battle inspired this small community to raise \$10,000 to help. Audrey passed before Alaska was possible. Yet, she knew that her bills were paid and much more importantly, that she was loved.

Audrey's great legacy is that each year in her honor we remind ourselves that neighbors helping neighbors IS the power of community. We fundraise with events, raffles, and with the help of many neighbors and strangers we are able to improve the lives of those with cancer. Audrey lives on through the community she inspired—because of you. Thank you for helping, thank you for caring, thank you for recognizing the power of community.

If you wish to donate, please make your checks to FLC with APD on the memo line.

For more information go to:

<http://www.audreypurpledream.com>