



## HOLY WEEK

### SERVICES

**MAR**  
**29**

#### PALM SUNDAY

9 and 10:30 am Services

**APR**  
**2**

#### MAUNDY THURSDAY

7 pm Communion Service with  
the Living Last Supper

**APR**  
**3**

#### GOOD FRIDAY

10 am Children's Service  
We present the story of Holy Week  
and the Resurrection followed by an  
egg hunt.  
Noon: In person & live-streamed  
7 pm: In person

**APR**  
**5**

#### EASTER SUNDAY

8, 9, 10\* & 11 am services  
\*10 am will be live-streamed

There will be no Sunday School, nursery care or  
coffee hour on Easter Sunday.



### FPLC Easter Garden

Spring plants will be used to  
decorate the church during our  
Easter services. If you would like  
to purchase a plant to add to the  
decorations, please fill out an  
Easter Garden form. You may

scan the QR code or click the link below to fill out the  
form and enter your payment. If you prefer a paper copy  
of the form, they are available in Fellowship Hall.

A list of donors will be published in the Easter Sunday  
Bulletin. Please specify the individual(s) who you would  
like to have this plant be in honor of, or in memory of.  
Plants may be picked up following the 11 am service on  
Easter Sunday, April 5, or on Tuesday, April 7. The office is  
closed Monday, April 6.

Each plant is \$30. There is a firm deadline of Sunday,  
March 22, for the forms and payment. Questions? Contact  
Lori Barrieau; [lori@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:lori@foxpointchurch.org).

[Order Form](#)



## Men's & Women's Clubs

*Life, Faith and the Road to FPLC: Meet Pastor Josh*

Spend some time getting to know Pastor Josh and learn his back story!

**Date:** Thursday, March 19

**Time:** 11:30 am

**Location:** FPLC

**Fee:** \$15 includes lunch

**RSVP:** In Fellowship Hall or with the link; deadline is Sunday, March 15

**Contact:** Lori Barrieau; [lori@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:lori@foxpointchurch.org).



**RSVP**

*(by March 15)*

FPLC Office Hours  
Monday–Thursday from 8:30 am–4 pm

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# Electronic Recycling Drive

Get your spring cleaning off to a good start by responsibly disposing of your unwanted appliances, devices and other electronics with cords or batteries at the North Shore Interfaith Green Team's Electronic Recycling Drive.



## RECYCLING DRIVE LOCATIONS

**Saturday, April 18**  
**8:00 AM-1:00 PM**

Crossroads Presbyterian Church  
6031 W Chapel Hill Rd, Mequon

**Sunday, April 19**  
**9:00 AM-1:00 PM**

Congregation Emanu-El B'ne Jeshurun  
2020 W Brown Deer Rd, River Hills

**Saturday, April 25**  
**3:00-5:30 PM**

St. Joseph's Catholic Church  
1619 Washington St, Grafton

**Sunday, April 26**  
**8:00 AM-12:30 PM**

St. Joseph's Catholic Church  
1619 Washington St, Grafton

**8:00 AM-1:00 PM**

Congregation Shalom  
7630 N Santa Monica Blvd, Fox Pt  
Enter the circle drive on Calumet

**NO LIGHTBULBS, AIR  
CONDITIONERS,  
HUMIDIFIERS,  
REFRIGERATORS OR  
FREEZERS ACCEPTED.**

Questions? Contact Stacia Hickey;  
[stacia@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:stacia@foxpointchurch.org).

*Our nine Northshore congregations are partnering with Elite Energy Distribution, Inc., a Milwaukee based recycling company.*

## CO-SPONSORS

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# Create YOUR OWN MEMORIAL SERVICE W/ PASTOR BILL

## Create Your Own Memorial Service **Save the Date!**

Have you ever thought about what you'd want your memorial service to look like? Most families end up guessing — in the middle of grief. That's why we're offering a meaningful (and surprisingly fun!) workshop.

Plan the Celebration of Your Life (literally!) Think of it as planning the best party you'll never attend.

You'll have the chance to:

- Pick your favorite songs and scriptures
- Write your "greatest hits" obituary
- Organize passwords and important info
- Record a message for your loved ones
- Dream up a legacy gift that lives on

**Date:** Sunday, April 19

**Time:** 3 – 5 pm

**Where:** Fellowship Hall

**Sign up:** In Fellowship Hall or with the link:

[Sign Up](#)



# CONFIRMATION

## Info and Workshops

Our website is the place to go for all things Confirmation! Use the link below to find everything you need. If you have any questions, contact Lori Barrieau; [lori@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:lori@foxpointchurch.org) or 414-352-8990.

### Wednesday Workshops

Our workshops take place on Wednesdays from 7 – 8:30 pm. Schedule changes due to weather or any other reason will be communicated to parents. To see the dates for the entire year, please see our [website](#).

### March

March 18

### April

April 8 & 22; 8th graders only; Affirmation Workshop

### May

May 6; Confirmation rehearsal for 8th graders and their parents; 7 – 8 pm

Sunday, May 17; Rite of Confirmation Ceremony; 3 pm

## A Meal for the Journey

### A Youth-Hosted Dinner & Variety Show Supporting Our Mission Trip

Friday, April 24 | 6:00–8:00 PM | FPLC Fellowship Hall

Join us for a joyful evening of food, laughter, and community as our high school youth host a Dinner Theater Fundraiser to support their upcoming mission trip.

This summer, more than 50 of our students will travel to Asheville, North Carolina, where they will serve alongside Service Learning Camps and participate in meaningful work to support local communities. This special evening is one way we come together as a church family to help send them out in service.

Guests will enjoy a delicious dinner served by our youth, along with entertainment provided by the students themselves — including music, skits, and storytelling that reflect their excitement and hopes for the trip ahead.

Come enjoy a wonderful evening together while supporting the next generation of servants and leaders in our church.

**Tickets:** \$30 per person

**Purchase tickets:** Click this link

**Reservation deadline:** April 17

We hope you'll join us for this fun and meaningful night as we support our youth and the mission they are preparing for.

[Purchase Tickets](#)



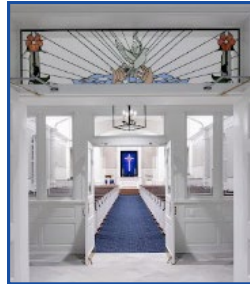
### Food Needs Continue to Rise

Due to the generosity of so many, the food pantries FPLC donates to have not run out of food, but it is hard for them to

keep up as the number of guests rises, federal assistance programs are changing or being dropped and grocery prices are still going up.

Canned protein and hygiene products are always welcome. You can pick up a list of most-needed items at the Welcome Desk or on our website [HERE](#).

**Note:** We can't accept expired foods; please check labels. Filling and culturally-appropriate foods are needed, not specialty items. Please contact Stacia Hickey; [stacia@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:stacia@foxpointchurch.org) with any questions.



### Ushers Needed

Ushers keep our services running smoothly! This volunteer spot is open to confirmation students w/a parent, HS kids and adults.

We particularly need Ushers for the following:

- 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month at 9 am
- April 2, Maundy Thursday: 7 pm
- April 3, Good Friday: noon or 7 pm
- April 5, Easter Sunday: 8 am, 9 am, 10 am or 11 am

Instructions are on the signup sheet and training can be provided. Scan the QR code, click the link or contact Lori Barrieau; [lori@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:lori@foxpointchurch.org).

**Sign Up!**



## BLOOD DRIVE

Thursday  
**March 26**

1pm to 5:30 pm

**Helpful tip:**  
Make sure to eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water before donating.



### Fox Point Lutheran Church

**LOCATION**  
Fellowship Hall

**Donate and get away! All attempting donors will be entered for a chance to win a weekend getaway package to the Wisconsin Dells, including lodging and a spa day!\***

**APPOINTMENTS PREFERRED**  
Scan the QR Code or  
<https://tinyurl.com/FPLCMarch26>



\*NO PURCH. NEC. WI residents only; 18+. Ends 3/29/2026. One drawing; one (1) winner. Enter by blood donation or online. See Official Rules and online entry form at [versiti.org/getaway](https://versiti.org/getaway). Sponsor: Versiti, Inc., 638 N. 18th St., Milwaukee, WI 53233.



### Coffee Hosts Serve Up Some Comfort

Hosts make the coffee and serve the donuts on Sundays. You are still able to attend the church service! Families are welcome to volunteer with their kids too. It's also

a great Service Opportunity for our Confirmation students (with an adult). Please sign up with the link below or contact Lori Barrieau with any questions; [lori@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:lori@foxpointchurch.org) or 414-352-8990.



### High School Youth Group

At Youth Group, our vision is to create an atmosphere for 9th – 12th graders to grow, connect, worship and serve. Whether you go to church every Sunday, or have never stepped foot inside FPLC, if you're interested in exploring your faith

and having some fun, come join us!

#### Sunday, March 22; 1 – 5 pm; Trip to Holy Hill

Holy Week is just around the corner, but it can be hard to get in the right head space when you're drowning in homework, sports, and noise. Sometimes we need to change our surroundings to change our perspective.

That's why we're heading to Holy Hill!

We're going to hike the outdoor Stations of the Cross. It's a chance to get out of the suburbs, get some fresh air, and

actually walk through the story of Jesus' final days. We'll hike the trail through the woods and end at the Basilica to reset before Easter hits.

We want to experience the journey to Easter, not just hear about it.

- **Meet:** 1:00 pm at Church (We'll be back by 5 pm.)
- **Wear:** Mud-friendly boots and warm layers; the trail is real, and it's usually colder on the hill than it is here.
- **Bring:** A friend and a hoodie.
- **Drivers:** We need a few high schoolers, volunteers, and/or parents to help transport the crew! Please let us know if you'd be willing to help!
- **Sign ups to start soon!**

Contact Pastor Josh with any questions; [pastorjosh@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:pastorjosh@foxpointchurch.org).

We'd love to see you there! Click [HERE](#) to RSVP.

### First Light Bible Study

High school students are invited to join us for a new weekly Bible study! We'll gather for a relaxed, conversation-based space to ask real questions, build meaningful relationships, and explore faith together. We'll meet at Stone Creek Coffee, grab a drink or breakfast if you'd like, and spend time talking about life, Scripture, and what following Jesus actually looks like in the real world.

Whether you're deeply curious, unsure what you believe, or just looking for a consistent community, this is a space for honest conversation and connection. We'd love to see you!

**When:** Thursdays, 6 am, now – the end of the school year

**Where:** Stone Creek Coffee;  
6969 N. Port Washington Rd, Glendale

**Who:** All high school students

**Food & Drink:** Students may purchase beverages or breakfast as desired.

Please fill out the form to be on our Update and Info list if you are interested in participating, but all are welcome whether signed up or not!

## ASHEVILLE

**Trip Dates: Sunday July 19 – Sunday July 26**

Current 8th Graders through Graduating HS Seniors, this trip is for you! Our Summer Youth Mission Trip will be held in Asheville, North Carolina this year.

Students will serve alongside local organizations, meet people from different walks of life, and learn how communities respond to challenges together.

It's a chance for students to grow in empathy, confidence, faith, and their understanding of what it looks like to show up for others. Expect meaningful service, great conversations, new perspectives, and a week that challenges you to see both the world, and yourself, differently.

If you have questions, please contact Pastor Josh; [pastorjosh@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:pastorjosh@foxpointchurch.org) or 414-352-8990.

Read more about it and RSVP for the trip through these links:

[Trip Info](#)

[Registration](#)



## The Rite of Holy Communion



Gillian Margaret Allers  
John Parker Cain  
Oliver Nicholas Cain  
Anaya Jade Kreitlow  
Charles Matthew  
Neumann Kreitlow

Gibson Lawrence Glocke  
Nash Newlin Pierce  
Mason Thomas Roecker  
Ivy Onella Taylor  
Logic Atlas Zucchi  
Woods Bach Zucchi

Congratulations to all our students who received  
First Communion on February 25th.



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### Dinner Volunteers at Serenity Inn

#### Great for Confirmation Families!

SI is a residence for men in recovery. Make or purchase a meal and take it warm to the Inn. Stay to eat and hear their recovery stories.

There is a leader from the Inn who directs the evening. So you just set up

the food and follow their lead!

Sign up with the link below or in Fellowship Hall. Please contact FPLC member Lorraine Buehler with any questions; [lcbuehler@cs.com](mailto:lcbuehler@cs.com), or 414-630-8933.

*Click here to sign up!*



Serenity Inn:  
2825 W. Brown St.

### Cooking for a crowd: Stressful? Time-consuming? Not your thing? That's okay!

If you are too busy to cook, it's JUST FINE to buy a good dinner and bring it to share with residents. Here are several possible suggestions, but you can pick your own! Two of the residents' faves are KY Fried Chicken and Mac & Cheese. You can just add salad and dessert! Buy a meal or parts of it from the following or a place of your choosing:

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|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Costco                 | Metro Mart Deli       | Qdoba         |
| Out & Out Catering;    | Woodman's             | Piggly Wiggly |
| Cedarburg              | Sendik's              | Jimmy John's  |
| Bunzel's Meat Market   | Karl's Country Market | Jersey Mike's |
| Kentucky Fried Chicken |                       |               |

**Volunteers Needed:**  
Dates for April and May  
are open!

## Fox Point Moms—2 Groups!



### Tuesday Evenings

This adult group offers a safe, open space to support moms of any age. This will be a time to mentor and support each other and discuss parenting and family issues—learning realistic and supportive faith-based advice for today's busy moms. Spread the word, this will be a great group! Join us any time!

**Leaders:** Mary Beth Scalise and Meghan Langlois

**Dates:** March 17; we meet the 1st & 3rd Tuesday evenings of most months.

**Time:** 6:30 – 8:00 pm

**Location:** Heritage Room (main level)

**Signup:** Use the QR code or click [HERE](#).

No need to RSVP for each session.



### Friday Mornings

This group is open to all moms of any age and provides a safe, supportive environment. We will focus on a devotional and discuss it at each session. Whether you are a mom or not, please help us spread the word by sharing this opportunity to get together. Join any time!

**Leaders:** Angie Biersach & Tracy Christenson

**Dates:** March 13 & 27; we meet the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month.

**Time:** 9:30 – 11:00 am

**Location:** FPLC, lower level in the room next to the Point Cafe.

**Signup:** Use the QR code or click [HERE](#).

No need to RSVP for each session.





### Sheepshead Group at FPLC!

**Date: March 13 & 27**

Declared the official card game of Milwaukee in 1983, Sheepshead is a staple to Wisconsin card players.

Are you interested in joining a group of Sheepshead players to meet at church for some friendly competition? We play in Fellowship Hall, on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month, from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. We will have “learning aids” available to help with the basics, and experienced players to guide you.

We are looking forward to sharing the fun! Interested or would you like more information? Contact Jim Schmidt at [schmidtyjim@aol.com](mailto:schmidtyjim@aol.com).



### Women's Book Club

This casual and fun book club meets every 6 weeks on a Monday from 7 pm – 8:30 pm.

If you have any questions or would like to join (even if you can't make every date), email or call Joanne Ginster; [jmginster@yahoo.com](mailto:jmginster@yahoo.com) or 414-491-8939.

### Dates and Books:

April 6: *Every Note Played* by Lisa Genova

May 18: *The Measure* by Nikki Erlick



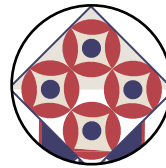
### Hospital Visits

If you or a loved one is hospitalized and would like a pastor visit or call (or just to let them know you are hospitalized), call the church office; 414-352-8990. Hospitals cannot share that information.



### Purchase Gift Cards at FPLC

By purchasing Bayside gift cards at church (*not* at the garden center) you help us send teens in Tanzania to high school. We retain 15% of each card's cost, which helps cover tuition. Cards can be purchased at the Welcome Desk on Sunday mornings or in the church office during the week.



### Quilters/Piecemakers

Join us as we make quilts for those in need. New members are always welcome and we'll teach you what to do. Bring your lunch and enjoy a break with other quilters. Come and go as your schedule permits.

**Date:** Tuesday, March 17

**Time:** 9 am – 1:30 pm

**Location:** Fellowship Hall

**Contact:** Ellen Feider: 414-435-8440

[efeiderwi@gmail.com](mailto:efeiderwi@gmail.com)



### The Basics of Baby Massage: A Parent/Infant Class

*Best for babies 2 weeks to under 12 months and their parent(s)/guardian(s).* Infant massage

can relieve fussiness, pain and discomfort for the baby as well as help babies fall asleep sooner and sleep more restfully. Bring your baby, a blanket and wear comfy clothes to class as we will be on the floor. Handouts will be provided.

**Date:** Friday, March 20; it's a one-session class, but come more if you would like! Next date is April 17.

**Time:** 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

**Limit:** 6 families per session

**Registration:** Contact Angie Biersach to RSVP, 414-207-2808 or [angiebiersach@gmail.com](mailto:angiebiersach@gmail.com).



### Mt. Meru Coffee at Home

You can support the Mt. Meru Coffee farmers by purchasing Mt. Meru Coffee (beans, ground, regular, decaf, Seasonal Premium Mt. Meru coffee, k-cups) at church to brew at home.

The coffee is delicious and your purchase helps support the growers running small coffee farms in the Meru District of Tanzania. Stop by the Welcome Desk on Sunday mornings or in the office during the week to make your purchases.



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## Welcome To Kids' Church!

We are so happy to have your child join us for a year of games, crafts, special outreach projects, and kid-appropriate videos—all designed to help your child learn about the Bible and grow their relationship with God and Jesus.

Kids' Church is held during our regular worship services at 9:00 and 10:30. Our kids are taught by specially screened and trained teaching staff so that you can sit back and enjoy worship!

Questions? Contact our Director of Childrens' Ministries, Julie Schlifske.

[Email Julie](#)

### Nursery

(birth to 3 years)

Drop your little one off any time before the service in our nursery, which is located in the lower level. Relax and enjoy worship. We can text you during the service if we need you!

[Nursery Registration](#)

### Preschool

(age 3 by Sept. 1 - 4K)

A special name tag is available for registered kids at our preschool table just inside the front entrance to the church. Grab a name tag and bring your child down to our preschool classroom when kids are released to Kids' Church after the pastor's Junior Sermon. The preschool classroom is in our lower level near the main staircase on the south side of the building. Please pick up your child after worship concludes.

[Preschool Registration](#)

### Faith Builders

(5K - 6th grades)

Our elementary kids meet in the lower level in the far north hallway. Just turn left at the bottom of the main staircase.

[Faith Builder Registration](#)



### VBS—God's Love is Fur-Real!

Join us for games, challenges, activities, crafts, and stories from the Bible that will help us to learn more about the importance of listening to God in our lives.

This week of fun and faith is for students who are currently in K4 - 3rd grades (for the school year of 2025-2026).

**Date:** June 15-19 (Mon-Fri)

**Time:** 9 am - Noon

**Cost:** \$75 (Scholarships available, contact the church office.)

Questions? Contact Julie Schlifske through the link below.

[Sign Up!](#)

[Email Julie](#)



### Little Lambs!

This fun program is designed for children who have turned age 3 by January 1, 2026, through those currently in a P3 program.

**Date:** June 15-19 (Mon-Fri)

**Time:** 9:15 - 11:45 am

**Cost:** \$75 (Scholarships available, contact the church office.)

Questions? Contact Julie Schlifske through the link below.

[Sign Up!](#)

[Email Julie](#)



# PRAYER LIST

## All in The Family

Join us on Sunday, for the virtual service. If you or your family need anything we can help you with, call the office at 414-352-8990 or email [church@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:church@foxpointchurch.org)!

### Prayer Requests

Now you can make a prayer request through our website. Click [Prayer Requests](#) to submit a form or submit a request through email—[church@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:church@foxpointchurch.org).

We encourage you to keep these people in your prayers during the week.

Alex  
Robin Armitage  
Woody Barksdale  
Kim Bell  
Dan C.  
Caesar Chavez  
Kristofer Chavez  
Cheryl  
Richard Choi  
Rosie Conaway  
Pr. Dan  
Darryl  
Rick Frank  
Fredrick  
Andrea G.  
Jenny G.  
Kathy G.

Roy G.  
Joan Gildner  
Sue Hiller  
Harlow James  
Jeremy  
Jim  
Joan  
John  
Jon  
Donna Jordahl  
Randy K.  
Kay Kaltenberg  
Kath  
Kathy  
Charlie Kinney  
Corrine Kraus  
Leslie L.

Bonnie Lund &  
Family  
Makenna M.  
Steve M.  
Mary Beth  
Mary Jane  
Matt  
Michael  
Mike  
Nadine  
Nancy  
Curt Nash  
Robert Palmer  
Rebecca  
Rick  
Dave Rotter

Lynn S.  
Nancy S.  
William Skasick  
John Spersrud  
Betty Spigarelli  
Stephen  
Joe Strzyzewski  
Jane T.  
Pauline T.  
Terry  
Mike Umland  
Wayne V.  
Jeanette VanEngen  
Bob Wiese  
Al Z.

### Military

Alex	Ian
Cameron	Jonah
Cooper	Kyan
Danny	Matthew
David	Wyatt
Grant	



### Condolences

Our sympathy and prayers are with Debbie McGregor on the death of her husband John on Saturday, March 7. The services will be held at FPLC on Friday, May 1 at 1 pm.

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*Written by FPLC member, Mary Buscher. The devotion was first shared on Wednesday, March 4. If you would like to receive Mary's devotion on a weekly basis, please sign up here: [Weekly Devotion](#).*

Hello!

*"He restoreth my soul; He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake."  
– Psalm 23:3*

We call them staycations, get-aways, or vacations – it's one or more of us leaving and traveling to another place... for renewal. As a kid, it was two weeks up north or to Door County. As an adult, it was a weekend get-away. Staycations became popular during Covid-19 with roots in economic recessions or times of austerity. An online writer whose devotions I read uses the term staycation to define her daily time alone with God.

Her time with the Holy One includes Bible reading, journaling, and prayer. Time spent varies from five good minutes to one hour, at bedtime. I am in the five good minutes camp, usually in the morning, and frequently several times during the day. The austerity part is that I keep it simple...selecting a scripture, pausing and letting my guard down, speaking to Our Father from my heart. That's it. Not every time is it a cure for what's ailing me, but without a heart to heart with Him...there would be no cure for me at all.

This Lenten season is an opportunity to be nurtured by a God who embraces us and invites us to walk with Him, to return home, and to embrace the walk of Jesus. It is a bond, a kind of intimacy that can only be nourished by consumption of His grace in forgiveness, a holy meal that arrives via the most incredible server, Jesus. In the reading of scripture, and our heartfelt prayers and actions, there is satisfaction beyond anything we can imagine and a bond that remains forever unbroken. We can journey to a place of renewal with Our Lord.

*We pray together-  
God of calling, move us from prayer into action and from reflection into faithful service.  
Amen. – The Lutheran Deaconess Community*

Enjoy your wonderful staycation with God this week. – Mary