

Week at a Glance

Sunday February 15

8:30 am Worship
9:30 am Fellowship
10:00 am Sunday School

Monday February 16

10:00 am Bible Study at Calvary
or via Zoom
4:00 pm Stewardship/Finance

Tuesday February 17

2:00 pm Women's Circle
5:00 pm **All Saints Shrove
Tuesday Pancake
Supper**
7:00 pm Council meeting

Wednesday February 18

12:00 pm Ash Wednesday
Service, Calvary
7:00 pm Ash Wednesday
Service, St. James

Thursday February 19

Friday February 20
Office closed

Saturday February 21

10:30 am Women's Café
1:00 pm Quilters

Sunday February 22

8:30 am Worship
9:30 am Fellowship
10:00 am Sunday School

Birthdays

Rickie George	2/15
Roberta Hodge	2/15
Bowlin Marshall	2/15
Hunter Merrill	2/15
Kristina Cox	2/17
Daisy Bower	2/18
Mauwa Lebon	2/18

Pastor Knowles will be using his cell phone when contacting members of the congregation. 815-866-9595

If you have announcements next week, please contact the church office no later than Monday prior to the Sunday when you want the announcement to appear.

Donald Knowles	Pastor
Trish Myers	Office Administrator
Dr. John Hildreth	Musical Director
Doug Nelson	Treasurer
Office Hours	9 am-2 pm, M-Th

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St. James Lutheran Church

Announcements
February 15, 2026

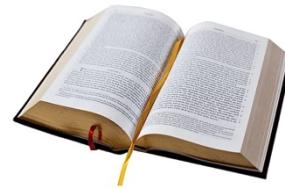
The Transfiguration of Our Lord



**10:00 am
Fellowship Hall**

Bible Study – Matthew

Bible study led by Pastor Knowles is on Tuesdays at 6:30 pm. (No Bible Study on Feb. 17) If you would prefer a daytime study, come on Monday mornings at 10:00 am at Calvary in the Upper Room. The Zoom links are on the St. James website.



Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper - hosted by All Saints

Be sure to mark **February 17** (Shrove Tuesday) on your calendar for gourmet pancakes, sausages and a Christ Cake. **Time: 5:00-6:30 pm** in the Fellowship Hall. Someone will have a baby Christ figurine under their piece of cake, and Fr. Dusty will present them with a gift. Free will offering will be accepted.

Midweek Lenten Services

The 2026 Midweek Lenten Services will be joint services with the Rock Island/Moline (RIM) congregations. The theme of the services will be *Going Deeper: Conversations with Jesus.*

We will be invited to explore the why behind what we do in response to God's call in an ever-changing world. We will join the conversation between Jesus and his partners from Sunday's gospel readings as we think about naming, claiming, and proclaiming our why.

Each week the RIM congregations will gather together for worship at 7:00 pm. A soup supper will precede worship at 6:00 pm. The schedule is as follows:

February 25 @ San Jose Obrero (located at Trinity, Moline)

March 4 @ First, Moline

March 11 @ Salem, Moline

March 18 @ St. James, Rock Island (co-hosted with Calvary)

March 25 @ First, Rock Island



Those Serving		
	February 15	February 22
Minister	Pastor Don Knowles	Pastor Don Knowles
Organist	Dr. John Hildreth	Dr. John Hildreth
Worship Assistant	Stacy Miles	Stacy Miles
Lector	Bob Ryden	Jerry Johansen
Counters	Dave Renneke Rhea Frank-Cottingham	Ruth Anne Hartman Stacy Miles
Sound Booth	Dave Renneke	Jerry Johansen

Last Sunday's Worship

Attendance	32	8.3% of the year
Operating Fund through January		8.0% of the budget
Income		6.8% of the budget
Expenses		
Local Food Pantries this year	\$ 90	
World Hunger + Lutheran World Relief	\$ 100	
Disaster Relief	\$ 0	
Rescue Mission meals served on January 14	60	

Ash Wednesday Service - February 18

Calvary 12:00 pm

St. James 7:00 pm