

GLORIA DEI LUTHERAN CHURCH

9 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

January 25th, 2026



The Life of Jesus

Part 14

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Sunday Worship: 9 a.m.

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WELCOME! THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US TODAY.

To help you prepare for worship this Sunday

1. Here are the Bible references for today's message.

• Mark 10:46-52

2. Mark each verse with a bookmark so you can easily find it during worship.

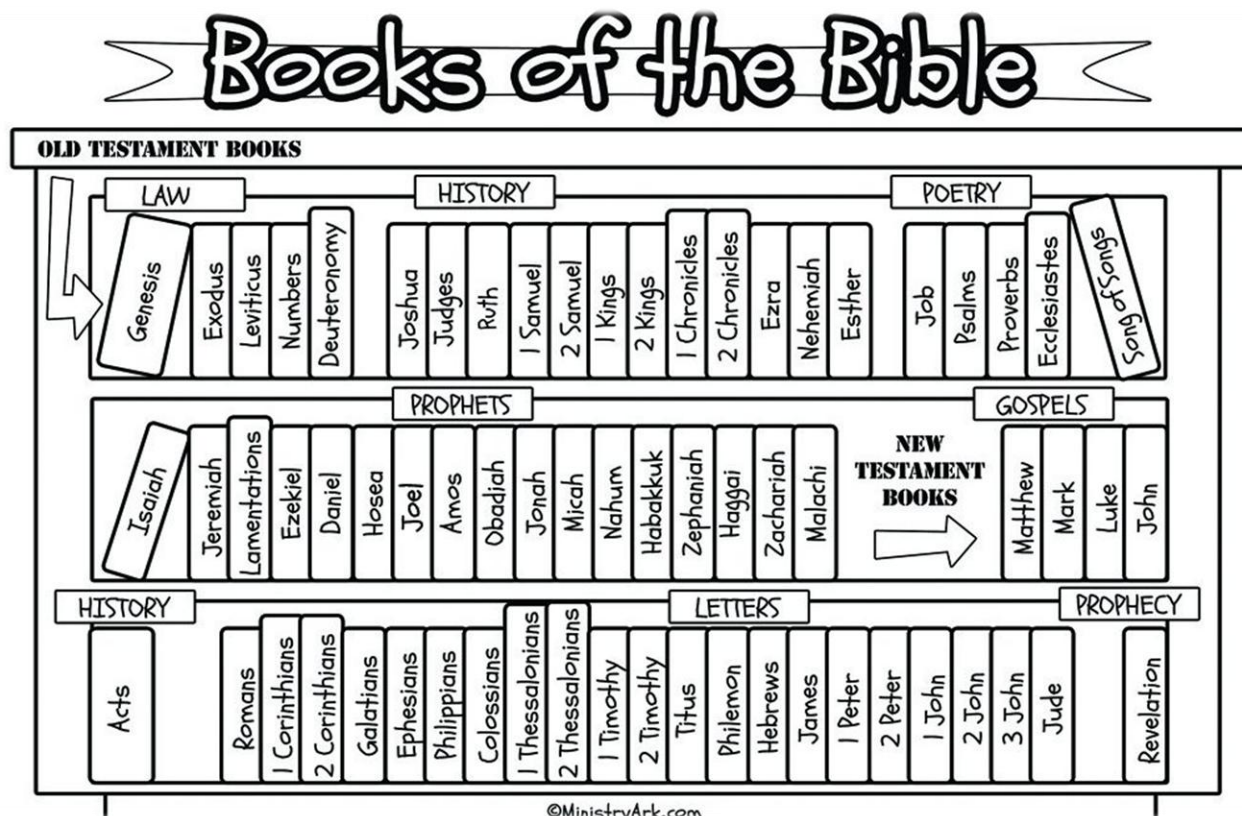
3. Highlight those verses you find helpful.

4. Here is a prayer before worship:

Lord Jesus, You are always there for us. Bless our morning of worship - keep our eyes fixed on your sure and certain promises of mercy and forgiveness. Amen.

**Bookmarks and Bible highlighters and Bibles
are available at the back of the sanctuary.**

Need help finding the Bible verses? This image may help!



WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

BAPTISM HYMN #590:1-2

Baptized Into Your Name Most Holy

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- 1 Baptized into Your name most holy,
O Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
I claim a place, though weak and lowly,
Among Your saints, Your chosen host.
Buried with Christ and dead to sin,
Your Spirit now shall live within.
- 2 My loving Father, here You take me
To be henceforth Your child and heir.
My faithful Savior, here You make me
The fruit of all Your sorrows share.
O Holy Spirit, comfort me
When threat'ning clouds around I see.

BAPTISMS OF LUKE JOSEPH LANDOWSKI & ELIAS JAMES LANDOWSKI

Parents Mike & Molly Landowski

BAPTISM HYMN #590:3-4

Baptized Into Your Name Most Holy

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- 3 My faithful God, You fail me never;
Your promise surely will endure.
O cast me not away forever
If words and deeds become impure.
Have mercy when I come defiled;
Forgive, lift up, restore Your child.
- 4 All that I am and love most dearly—
Receive it all, O Lord, from me.
Let me confess my faith sincerely;
Help me Your faithful child to be!
Let nothing that I am or own
Serve any will but Yours alone.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P Holy and gracious God,

C I, a poor sinner, plead guilty before God of all sins.
I have lived as if God did not matter and as if I mattered most.
My Lord's name I have not honored as I should; my worship and prayers have faltered. I have not let His love have its way with me, and so my love for others has failed. There are those whom I have hurt, and those whom I have failed to help.
My thoughts and desires have been soiled with sin.
I am sorry for all of this and ask for God's grace.
I want to do better.

P God be merciful to you and strengthen your faith.

C Amen.

P The Bible tells us "as far as the east is from the west,
so far does he remove our transgressions from us."
You are forgiven - Jesus paid for us all! Today is a new day!

C Amen. Thanks be to God!

SONG OF PRAISE

The Goodness of God

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I love You, Lord for Your mercy never failed me;
All my days, I've been held in Your hands.
From the moment that I wake up until I lay my head
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God.

Chorus: All my life You have been faithful.
All my life You have been so, so good.
With ev'ry breath that I am able
Oh, I will sing of the goodness of God.

I love Your voice You have led me through the fire
And in darkest night You are close like no other.
I known You as a Father; I known You as a Friend.
And I have lived in the goodness of God!

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 42:5-9 (page____)

Thus says God, the Lord,
who created the heavens and stretched them out,
who spread out the earth and what comes from it,
who gives breath to the people on it
and spirit to those who walk in it:
“I am the Lord; I have called you in righteousness;
I will take you by the hand and keep you;
I will give you as a covenant for the people,
a light for the nations,
to open the eyes that are blind,
to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon,
from the prison those who sit in darkness.
I am the Lord; that is my name;
my glory I give to no other,
nor my praise to carved idols.
Behold, the former things have come to pass,
and new things I now declare;
before they spring forth
I tell you of them.”

P This is the Word of the Lord.

G Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE READING

2 Corinthians 4:1-6 (page___)

Therefore, having this ministry by the mercy of God, we do not lose heart. But we have renounced disgraceful, underhanded ways. We refuse to practice cunning or to tamper with God's word, but by the open statement of the truth we would commend ourselves to everyone's conscience in the sight of God. And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled only to those who are perishing. In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. For what we proclaim is not ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, with ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake. For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

G Thanks be to God.

THE LIFE OF JESUS

Mark 10:46-52 (page___)

They came to Jericho. And as [Jesus] was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a great crowd, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside. And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" And Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart. Get up; he is calling you." And throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. And Jesus said to him, "What do you want me to do for you?" And the blind man said to him, "Rabbi, let me recover my sight." And Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he recovered his sight and followed him on the way.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord

C Thanks be to God.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

SONG OF THE DAY

Lord, I Need You

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Chorus: Lord, I need You. Oh, I need You.
Ev'ry hour I need You.
My one defense, My righteousness,
Oh God, how I need You.

SERMON

THE OFFERING – WAYS TO GIVE

- In the Offering Plate
- By Text 844-431-7278
- Scan the QR code.
- By mail: PO Box 126, Pequot Lakes, MN 56472

Thank you!



A TIME FOR PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

+ + + SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT + + +

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

THE PEACE OF THE LORD

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with You.

PREPARING FOR THE LORD'S SUPPER

We believe that Christ's body and blood are present in, with and under the bread and wine. Our Lord invites to His table those who repent of all sin, and trust in Jesus as their Savior.

Please take a moment to examine your hearts (1 Corinthians 11:28).

Ask yourself:

1) Am I sorry for my sins? (Psalm 51:10)

2) Do I believe Jesus died and rose for me? (John 3:16; Romans 5:8)

3) Do I believe His body and blood are truly present for the forgiveness of my sins?
(Matthew 26:26-28)

If you have never communed at Gloria Dei before or are unsure about what is taking place, please talk to Pastor Meyer. Welcome to the Lord's Table!

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you;
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

C Amen.

CLOSING HYMN #92

On What Has Now Been Sown

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- 1 On what has now been sown
 Thy blessing, Lord, bestow;
 The pow'r is Thine alone
 To make it sprout and grow.
 Do Thou in grace the harvest raise,
 And Thou alone shalt have the praise!
- 2 To Thee our wants are known,
 From Thee are all our pow'rs;
 Accept what is Thine own
 And pardon what is ours.
 Our praises, Lord, and prayers receive,
 And to Thy Word a blessing give.
- 3 O grant that each of us,
 Now met before Thee here,
 May meet together thus
 When Thou and Thine appear
 And follow Thee to heav'n, our home.
 E'en so, amen, Lord Jesus, come!

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR January 25, 2025

This Week at Gloria Dei

SUNDAY – Jan 25

9:00 am Worship (In-Person & Livestream)

10:00 am Coffee & Refreshments — Team 3

10:15 am Sunday School • Confirmation • Adult Bible Study

TUESDAY – Jan 27

9:00 am–Noon Quilters

WEDNESDAY – Jan 28

10:00 am Bible Study — *Unforgivable* (Conference Room)

6:00 pm Church Council

THURSDAY – Jan 29

10:00 am Pastor leading worship at Shiloh Assisted Living

5:00 pm Meal & Fellowship

6:00 pm *Thirsty Thursday — The Chosen*

FRIDAY – Jan 30

11:00 am Chat N Chow

SUNDAY – Feb 1

9:00 am Worship with Holy Communion (In-Person & Livestream)

10:00 am Coffee & Refreshments — Team 4

10:15 am Sunday School • Confirmation • Adult Bible Study

In Our Prayers

We lift up Jessica Cameron, Kathy Cameron's granddaughter, as she battles cancer, Bonnie Fyle as she recovers from her ailments, and Lynn and Justin Fairbanks as they recover from injuries after a car accident.

Communion Note

Non-alcoholic wine is available in the **purple cups** in the center of each tray.

Lakes Area Food Shelf - 29316 Patriot Ave, Pequot Lakes

Questions? **George & Colette Miller — (218) 820-2928**

Next Steps at Gloria Dei – Join us today after worship.

Interested in finding out more about Gloria Dei - what we believe – how we do ministry - where you fit in? Join us in the Conference room – located on the south side of the church, near the offices. **10:15 am**

Thirsty Thursday - *A thirst for the Word and fellowship.*

We watch an episode of *The Chosen* and talk about the people Jesus calls—and what it means to follow Him.

Meal at 5:00 pm • Viewing at 6:00 pm

Office Hours Update

With Lynn recovering, office hours will be limited.

Pastor Meyer will be in the office most mornings, Monday–Friday.

Thanks for your patience.

How You Can Help Lynn & Justin

There are two ways you can help. **1) Go Fund Me** - the link to this account has been posted on our Church Facebook site. **2) Gas Cards** - Holiday and Kwik Trip cards for travel back and forth to Pierz, where Lynn and Justin are rehabbing would also be appreciated.

Religious Release Time — Volunteer Opportunity

Wednesday, February 4

We have a chance to serve junior and senior high students during Religious Release Time at **Pequot Lakes Baptist Church**. We'll be making and serving **root beer floats**. **Be there by 10:15 am.**

Sign up on the **bulletin board** if you can help.

Midweek Lenten Services — Starting February 18

We're in a season of growth and change at Gloria Dei, and community matters more than ever.

This Lent we'll follow Jesus as He forms a movement of forgiven people—welcoming, connecting, and reaching out in His name.

Midweek Lenten Supper Help Needed

We need people who will help serve and clean up after our Midweek Lenten meals. You don't have to cook - just help. If you could do that - please sign up on the **bulletin board**. Thanks!

Wednesdays: 5:30 pm Free Dinner 6:30 pm Worship