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Welcome to Promise Ministries!

We're glad you are here. If there's anything we can help you with this morning, feel free to approach Pastor Scott, Pastor Sean, a staff member at the Welcome desk, a greeter, an usher, or an elder.

Promise is a welcoming community living and growing in Christ while following His example in active service to others.

Children's ministry is offered for 3 year olds through 5th grade during Pastor's message time at 9:00am worship. The **nursery** is staffed with a volunteer for little ones during 9:00am worship. The nursery is open and parent supervised during 10:30am worship.

Offering: If you would like to make an offering electronically visit us at www.promisefw.org or scan the QR code. Text 'GIVE' to: 260-308-1059. Or you can place your offering in a 'joy box' (located on the wall near each door).



COMMUNION

In the Lord's Supper we believe that we receive the very body and blood of Christ- in, with, and under the bread and the wine. This is a profound and unexplainable mystery.

This Sacrament is open to baptized individuals who repent of their sins, believe in Jesus Christ as their Savior, and acknowledge His real presence in the bread and the wine. Children and adults who have not yet been confirmed are invited to come forward and cross their arms over their chest for a blessing.

THIS WEEK AT PROMISE

Sunday, August 24

9:00a Worship
10:30a Worship
Confirmation

6-7:30p Sr High Youth Group

Monday, August 25

6:00p Safety Training Night
For Volunteers

Tuesday, August 26

7:00p Elders Meeting

Wednesday, August 27

6:30p Genesis Bible Study

Sunday, August 24

9:00a Worship
10:30a Worship
Confirmation

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

Sunday August 17th, 2025

Attendance 9/10:30 337/107

General Fund

Offerings Last Week \$11,982
Needed Weekly \$13,042

TODAY IN WORSHIP

August 24th, 2025

Message

"The Door"

Pastor Scott Hedtke

Scripture Reading

Luke 13:22-30

Songs

Come As You Are
All Creatures
I Will Rise
Living Hope
Reckless Love
How Great Is Our God
Your Grace Is Enough



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THE PROMISE PRESS

Announcements, Upcoming Events and Service Opportunities



Preschool Now Enrolling!

Promise Lutheran Preschool will open its doors on September 2, 2025! Our preschool will offer part-time and full-time, Christian-based programming tailored for children aged 3 to 5 years.



Check out our website for class times and more information!



CRIMSON THREAD
AT HOME
by Promise

Genesis Bible Study On Wednesday

Pastor Scott and Pastor Sean will be leading a Bible Study on Genesis to go along with our Crimson Thread at Home readings.

August 20th–November 19th
Every Wednesday at 6:30pm

Women's Bible Study Beginning In September

The Wednesday mornings ladies' Bible study will meet in September and October (9 weeks) from 9:30 until 11:00 a.m. using the book Creation, New Creation by LifeLight Foundations. The cost of the book will be \$12. Call or text Kim Elmer at 260-416-1737 or sign up at the Welcome Center

SERMON NOTES

“The Door”
Luke 13: 22–30

PRAYER

For Healing Needs: Adeline, Beth, Becky, Brad, Brian, Chris, Dan, David, Emma, Erin, Gabe, Hallie, Jason, Jerry H., Jerry T., Ken, Kylie, Lavonne, Lisa M., Lynda, Maddy, Markus, Mike B., Mike M., Mona, M.T., Nasim, Peggy, Phyllis R., Reid, Ryan, Sandi, Sara, Sarah, Shannon, Stephanie, Stephanie H.

For Those That Mourn: Fiona Sheppard and her family as they mourn the loss of her grandfather, Samih Abouhalkah and his family as they mourn the loss of his sister.