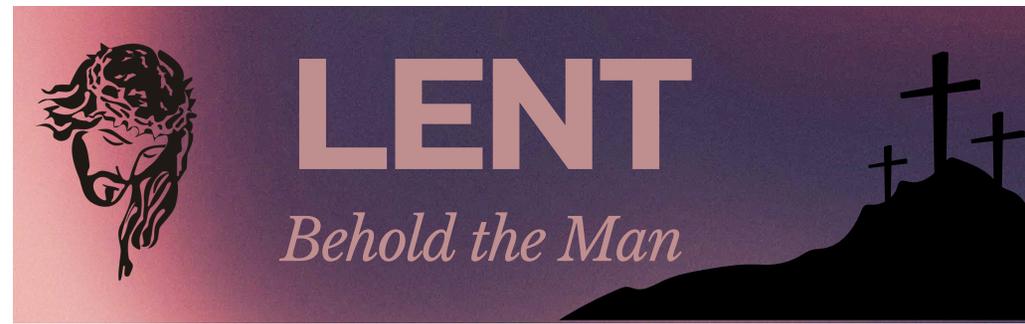


## OUR STAFF

Senior Pastor, Rev. Scott Hedtke  
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## 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, March 22nd

- 9:00a Worship
- 10:30a Worship
- 4:00p Crimson Thread Bible Study
- 6:00p Senior High Youth Meet

### Monday, March 23rd

- 6:00p Community of Men Meet

### Wednesday, March 25th

- 9:30a Ladies' Bible Study
- 6:30p Lenten Worship

### Sunday, March 29th

- 9:30a Worship
- Palm Sunday & Egg Hunt

## LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

Sunday, March 15, 2026

Attendance 9:00/10:30	351/97
General Fund Offerings Last Week	\$14,771.94
Needed Weekly	\$14,043.00
YTD Income	\$149,992.05
YTD Special Contributions	\$2,456.11
YTD Expenses	\$200,457.00

## Welcome to Promise!

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](http://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).



## TODAY IN WORSHIP

March 22, 2026

"Jesus, If Only..."  
Pastor Scott Hedtke

**Scripture Reading**  
John 11:1-44

### Songs

If I Got Jesus  
Broken Vessels  
The Potter's Hand  
Holy Forever  
King Of Kings  
Good Good Father  
Rise Up



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# THE PROMISE PRESS

Announcements, Upcoming Events and Service Opportunities

## Easter Flowers

Time is running out to purchase your Easter flowers. After the Easter service, you'll have the opportunity to choose your favorite flower to take home.

Each flower is available for \$10.

Deadline NEXT WEEK: Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>.

Use the QR code here to order or there is also a paper form on the back tables.



## Palm Sunday & Easter Egg Hunt

March 29<sup>th</sup> we will have ONE Service at 9:30am for Palm Sunday.

Easter Egg Hunt for the children will be immediately following service at 10:45. Please meet at the prayer cross.

## Soccer Shots at Promise

We're excited to announce that our church will be hosting Soccer Shots!

This is a great opportunity to welcome families from our community, share our location, and introduce what we offer—including our preschool and Sunday services. We look forward to sharing this with our members and our local community!

Thursdays | Spring Program: April 16 - May 28 | Ages 2-8

Scan the QR Code to take you to the website for more information and to register.



## Save the Date for VBS!

**Emerald Crossing | June 8-11, 2026 | 9-11:30am**

### Calling all VBS Volunteers!

Please use the QR code here or at the VBS table in the Welcome Area to sign up.

This is also where you will provide your VBS t-shirt size!



# SERMON NOTES

“Jesus, If Only...”

John 11:1-44

## PRAYER

**For Healing Needs:** Annette Hamman, Jeff Reece, Jerry Hapke, June Emerick, Kylie Johnson, Lynda Hess, Retta Melcher, Sandi Wolff, Tammy Liggett, Adeline, Asher M, Bea, Chelsea, Cody, Donnie, Gabe, Jim, Kathy, Kristi, Mona, Sara, and Toby