Rose Free Lutheran Church

First Sunday in Lent March 9, 2025 Pastor Todd Erickson

"Dear friends, I urge you, as foreigners and exiles, to abstain from sinful desires, which wage war against your soul. Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you of doing wrong, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day he visits us." 1 Peter 2:11-12

Order of Worship

Opening Announcements and Prayer

#62 Beneath the Cross of Jesus

Confession of Sin — #10, p. 49 Ambassador Hymnal
Scripture Readings — Ephesians 2:10-22; Matthew 5:13-16
Confession of Faith—Meaning to 2nd Article of Apostles' Creed
Offering

Gideon's Presentation—Darrin Smedsmo

#355 The B-I-B-L-E

Children's Message

Message — Aliens - 1 Peter 2:11-12

#486 Soldiers of Christ, Arise

Lord's Prayer and Benediction

Threefold Amen

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Weekly Calendar

Sunday, March 9-2:00-4:00 pm-Sledding at Malung;

6:30 pm Youth Group at Osweiler's

Monday, March 10—7:00 pm John Women's Bible study at Rose

Tuesday, March 11—9:30 am Quilting at Rose; 7:00 pm Rose Christian Ed

Wednesday, March 12—7:00 am Guys' CFB at Rose; 9:30 am Women's

Bible Study at Rose; **2:00 pm** Spruce Ladies Aid; **4:00 pm** Young Explorers at

Rose; 5:30-6:30 pm Soup & Sandwiches at Spruce; NO Confirmation this

week; 7:00 pm Lenten Service at Spruce

Thursday, March 13—2:00 pm Rose WMF Bible Study/Meeting/Lunch; 2:00 pm North Star Bible Study

Upcoming Events

Monday, March 17—7:00 pm Galilee Bible Camp Corporation Annual Meeting at United Free Lutheran, Greenbush

Thursday, March 27—Early registration deadline for FLBC Campus Days **Saturday, April 5**—Men Alive Retreat at Galilee Bible Camp

What We Believe



Association of Free Lutheran Congregations (AFLC)

For more information about the AFLC: https://www.aflc.org/

We Believe.....

- The Bible is the inspired and inerrant Word of God, the authority in all matters of faith and life.
- In the Trinity, that God the Father is Creator of the world, Jesus is the Son of God and Savior of the world, and the Holy Spirit is the Comforter and Teacher to the world.
- Jesus is God in the flesh, Who lived a perfect life, died on the cross for all sin, has risen from the dead and is coming to earth again.
- The teaching and preaching of God's Word is the main task of the Church, to be conducted in such a way that the saints are built up and unbelievers see their need for salvation:
- The congregation is the right form of the Kingdom of God on earth, with no authority above it but the Word of God and Spirit of God.
- True Christian unity is a spiritual concept, not a manmade organization such as the World Council of Churches or the National Council of Churches
- Christians are called to be salt and light, separated from the ways of the world, and that this difference is to be reflected in the life of the congregation as well as in the institutions of the church body.

^{*}Personal Listening devices are available; ask an usher, and they will gladly assist you.

^{**}There is an unstaffed nursery available downstairs for parents with small children.