

NEWS AND NOTES

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Website Address: www.stlukewheaton.com

Pastor: The Rev. Terry L. DeGiovanni (785 396 4411)

Organists: Pam Steinmeyer and Gloria Falk

Chairman: Bruce Abitz Vice Chairman: Alan Fischer

Elders: Martin Hnneberg and James Revell

February Altar Duty: Brenda Schlegel

Sunday, February 15, 2026 10:30 a.m.

Attendance: Saturday: February 8: 8 Sunday, February 9: 39

Sunday School Attendance: February 9: 5 Offering: \$

We continue to Pray for those unable to Worship with us who are residing in a Care

Facility: Onaga Health and Rehab: Cynthia Althouse, Eugene Abitz, Eastridge (Centralia): Gary Kolterman RedBud Assisted Living: Joan Kolterman, Lavona Biesenthal

Wellsprings at Westmoreland Assisted Living: Dorothy Guth

Remembering in our Prayers: Eldon Falk, Pastor Gruoner and Marvin Bosse Special
prayers for the family of Justin and Julie Schlegel Wren and a special prayer for their
new infant son, Maddox Merrill, born Sunday, February 1, 2026, at Stormont Vail
Hospital. Baby Maddox remains in the NICU in Topeka. Parents are staying at
Ronald McDonald house in Topeka during the week.

Sunday School Co Superintendents: Linda Falk and Ireta Schwant

Sunday School February Birthdays: Jesse Schlegel, Luke Robert Wren, Ellie Starns

Sunday School Teaching Staff: Pre K thru Grade 2: Jenny Donnelly and Bailey Starns

Grade 3 thru Grade 8: Joy Zabel and Brenda Schlegel Substitute Teacher: Dixie Revell

December: 5 Sundays: Holden and Cora Stout, Kamryn Thorson, Rylee and Luke
Wren, Timothy and Sawyer Graf

January: 10 Sundays: Michael and Elsie Henneberg

20 Sundays: Hazel and Olive Ubel (Flashlight)

February: 15 Sundays: Westin and Remington Donnelly (\$2.00 bill)

Sunday School will meet at 10:00 a.m., (lessons during worship) Jan. & Feb.

Sunday School will resume at 8:45 am on Sunday March 1

Pastor will at McFarland on Wednesdays during Lent. If needed call his cell

412 334 4280

February 15 (Transfiguration) – In the Transfiguration of Jesus, we see that the glory of the Almighty God was hidden in the human flesh of our Lord. What a great reminder that God can work remarkable and glorious things through that which the world views as normal and ordinary. God, who can bring about the restoration of the fallen world through human flesh and blood, can also do wonderful and amazing things through surprise pregnancies, people born with severe disabilities, and those with terminal illnesses. Instead of turning to death in these cases, we should look for the ways that God might be hiding His good and gracious will in them.

TODAY: Soups, hot dogs and dessert with Sweethearts: at the Onaga Senior Center... serving 11:00 a.m., to 2:00 pm. **Freewill offering** and Silent Auction. Proceeds go to the Onaga Historical Society and sponsored by Thrivent Financial Services. Music during the lunch hour with the **Bonjour Connection**. Everyone welcome to attend!!!

And the Onaga Historical Society will hold the annual meeting on February 19, Thursday at 6:30 PM at the Senior Center. Election of officers. Guest speaker is David Steele from St. Marys. He will be speaking on the earliest settlers to Pottawatomie County. The public is invited to attend this meeting.

The LWML is collecting **baby new clothes and diapers**, infant to size 4T on behalf of Flint Hills Lutheran for Life to donate to the Manhattan Pregnancy Center to assist young mothers. Bring to the church and put in basket in the Narthex. Remember to save your **Best Choice labels** and put in container also in the Narthex.

Ash Wednesday February 18th: Worship with Holy Communion at 7:00pm. An evening meal will be served at 5:30 pm to 6:45 p.m. by the **Youth Group**. **Freewill offering!!! Fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetable, rolls and dessert**

Lenten Service at 7:00pm on Wednesday, February 25 plus a Meal by the LWML serving at 5:30 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Taco Bar and Dessert If you or your group want to serve a Lenten meal, please notify Chairman Bruce Abitz as soon as possible.

The Lutheran Hour Radio Broadcast

KNDY	1570	AM	Sunday	12:30 PM
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February 15, 2026 "Up and Down the Mountain" Guest Speaker: Rev. Michael Schutz
Many voices compete for our attention, but above all, listen to the voice of Jesus and hear what He's done for you.

Matthew 17:1-9

February 22, 2026 "As Through Fire" Lutheran Hour Speaker: **Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler**
To be baptized into Christ, to trust in Him, is to die with Him, to be raised by Him, to pass through the fire under His shelter.

1 Corinthians 3:13