

**Celebrating and Sharing God's love for over 127 years**

**Sunne Evangelical Lutheran Church**

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**The First Sunday in Lent**

**February 21, 2021**

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<b>Holy God, heavenly Father, in the waters of the flood you saved the chosen, and in the wilderness of temptation you protected your Son from sin. Renew us in the gift of baptism. May your holy angels be with us, that the wicked foe may have no power over us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. AMEN</b>	
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**ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP TODAY**

**Pianist: Michele Vietz**

**Lesson Reader: Danielle Schill**

**Last Sunday 16 people gathered for worship.**

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**WELCOME TO WORSHIP TODAY AS WE CELEBRATE THE LORD'S SUPPER. ALL WHO ARE BAPTIZED AND BELIEVE THAT CHRIST IS TRULY PRESENT IN AND WITH THE BREAD AND WINE ARE INVITED TO SHARE THIS MEAL. ALL CHILDREN AND ADULTS WHO DO NOT COMMUNE ARE INVITED FORWARD FOR A BLESSING.**

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**THIS WEEK AT SUNNE**

- TODAY 9:00 a.m. Sunday School/Conf
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service
- MONDAY HAPPY BIRTHDAY, SUNNE!
- WEDNESDAY 7:00 p.m. Lenten Worship
- THURSDAY 10:00 a.m. Quilting
- NEXT SUNDAY 9:00 a.m. Sunday School/Conf
- 10:00 a.m. Worship Service

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Throughout the year we will be praying for the members of Sunne. As we pray for the family of Sunne today, we pray for Max, Rebecca, Laynee, and Finlee Sorch; Travis and Amanda Sorch; and Gary and Kathy Speten.

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Please leave your hymnals in the pews.

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We partner in ministry with Camp of the Cross Ministries.

Our prayers today include: Brandalyn Coley, Jeff Giles, Arlys Kassian, Cheryl Triska, Jim Pascua, John Schneider, Levi Gartner, Char Theurer, Michele Vietz, Dennis Ewine, Shirley Martin, Jeanne Field, Clarence and Sylvia Bessler, George Kraft, Allen Albaugh, Tabitha Halvorson, Stephanie Hobbs, Alvina Broste, Jim Hagen, Pat Herdebu, Roger Schroeder, Glenn Weist, Brad Kjos, Shauntaye Kopecky, Oaklynn Hakanson, Hailey Quam, and Orville Speten.

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Throughout Lent, the cross is covered with a veil, and the Hymn of Praise and the Alleluia are not sung, to suggest that Lent is a time of austerity, purification, and spiritual cleansing.

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**Lenten Worship**

Every Wednesday during Lent we will gather for worship at 7:00 p.m. Compline (prayer at the close of the day) will be the order of worship. Consider making fellowship, worship and study part of your Lenten discipline.

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**SUNNE'S 128<sup>th</sup> Birthday**

On February 22, 1893 a group of Swedish immigrants who were originally from Sunne, Varmland, Sweden, gathered to form a Swedish Lutheran congregation in northern Burleigh County. They gathered to worship the Lord on top of this hill on the North Dakota prairie. Over the years, Sunne has become a congregation with members of many ethnic backgrounds, religious denominations and worship traditions. All those who proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are welcome to become part of God's family at Sunne.