

OUR STAFF

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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, April 12th

- 9:00a Worship
- 10:30a Worship
- 4:00p CT @ Home Bible Study
- 6:00p Senior High Youth Meet

Monday, April 13th

- 6:00a Community of Men Meet

Wednesday, April 15th

- 9:30a Ladies' Bible Study
- 6:30p CT @ Home Bible Study

Friday, April 17th

- 6:00p Junior High Youth Night

Sunday, April 19th

- 9:00a Worship
- 10:30a Worship-Confirmation Sunday
- 4:00p CT @ Home Bible Study

RECENT NUMBERS	
Sunday, March 29, 2026 <u>PALM SUNDAY</u>	
Attendance 9:30	383
Sunday, April 5, 2026 <u>EASTER SUNDAY</u>	
Attendance 9:00/10:30	483/158
General Fund	
Offerings Last Week	\$32,262.01
Needed Weekly	\$14,043.00
YTD Income	\$207,044.08
YTD Special Contributions	\$2456.11
YTD Expenses	\$243,140.68



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).



TODAY IN WORSHIP

April 12, 2026

Message
"These are written so that you may believe"
Pastor Sean Sheppard

Scripture Reading
John 20:19-31

Songs

- Glorious Day
- Man On The Middle Cross
- Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me
- You've Already Won
- Lord I Lift Your Name On High
- My Savior Lives



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THE PROMISE PRESS

Announcements, Upcoming Events and Service Opportunities

Register NOW & Join us for VBS 2026!

Emerald Crossing | An Irish Adventure through Psalm 23

June 8-11, 2026 | 9-11:30am



Children
Register
Here



Volunteers
Register
Here

3 Year Olds Through 5th Grade

Next Weekend is Confirmation Sunday!

On April 19th at the 10:30 a.m. service, eight of our youth will affirm their faith through the rite of Confirmation. Following the service, we will have a light reception with cake and punch.

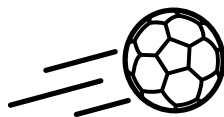
New Members Class



We have classes for new members set for May 3rd & May 17th, both at 11:00 AM after second service concludes. Lunch will be provided. Please sign up with this QR code.

Soccer Shots Sign Up Still Open!

Classes start this week but it's not too late to sign up!



SERMON NOTES

“These are written so that you may believe”

John 20:19-31

PRAYER

For Healing Needs: Dan Bremer, Rod Strautman, Adeline, Beth, Brad, Cheryl, Chris, Dan, David, Emma, Erin, Gabe, Grace F., Jaiden, Jason, Jeff G., Jerry H., Jerry T., Kylie, Larry M., Lavonne, Marcie, Markus, Mike B., Mike M., Mona, M.T., Nasim, Peggy, Reid, Ron, Ryan, Sandi, Sara, Sarah, Shannon.

For Those Currently Deployed: Rob Gresley