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MEMORIAL LUTHERAN CHURCH & STUDENT CENTER MAR 2019 ▶ WE'RE HERE FOR YOU.



After a mild beginning to the winter, it's seemed like winter will never end. We've set records for cold and snowfall, and it's seemed like every weekend there's another snowstorm or blizzard or polar vortex which makes it difficult to go to church. We wonder if it will ever end.

The time after spring break can feel that way, too. It seems like the semester will never end, without any holidays to look forward to that help break up long busy stretches. It seems like the summer, with promises of relaxation, internships, or graduation will never come.

Runners say it's the last part of the race that is the hardest. It's when you're tired and the end never seems to be in sight. But we know that as the dreary winter days and semester projects never seem to end, that we can persevere because we keep our eyes on Jesus. Following him, we know what the end will be. -DRB



▶ WORSHIP WITH US

Saturdays at 5 PM..."Come as you are!" Saturday evening service is always informal.

Sundays at 8:30 AM...This is the service that feels most like home.

Sundays at 11 AM...This is the most popular service for students. It is the same service as the 8:30.

LENT MIDWEEK WORSHIP AND SOUP SUPPERS

Join us for worship every Wednesday in Lent (April 3 and April 10). *Soup suppers* are held 5:30-6:30 PM, with worship at 7 PM.

Wednesday Student Fellowship...Join us each Wednesday in the Student Center at 8:30 PM for a time of Bible study, singing, and more.

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP

April 14 - 8:30 & 11 AM - **PALM SUNDAY** Watch the Sunday School children process in with palms at the 8:30 service as we begin Holy Week with Palm Sunday.

April 17 - 8:30 PM - **Student Fellowship Passover.** Come join us as we follow a simplified Passover meal and learn about the connections to Jesus' last supper.

April 18 - 7:00 PM - **Maundy Thursday Service**

April 19 - Noon & 7:00 PM - **Good Friday Service**

April 20 - 5:00 PM - **Holy Saturday Service**

April 21 - 8:30 & 11:00 AM - **EASTER SUNDAY**
Easter Breakfast is served from 9:30 -10:30 AM.



Let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. -Hebrews 12:2

▶▶ GET INVOLVED

Join other students for coffee and treats in the church basement after the 11 AM service April 28!

“FISH” (Friday International Student Hospitality) dinners are a great opportunity to meet people from all over the world and eat some great food. Cost for the meal is \$3 per person, \$7 per family. Come join us at 6 PM, April 5!

Stay after FISH on April 5 to make sundaes, watch a movie, and have a lock-in!

Join other students for free **breakfast pizza** at 10:30 in the Cardinal Room on April 7!

Do you need a quiet place to study? Memorial is open for studying Sunday through Friday from 9 AM -11 PM and Saturdays from 10 AM - 11 PM. There are many quiet places in which to study, including our Student Center with comfy couches, small tables, and WiFi. **Study treats** made by the congregation **are provided** during Dead week and finals!

VOLUNTEER.....

Will you be in Ames this summer?

We will need volunteers to help with Vacation Bible School (June) as well as with our international ministry programs! If you're interested, contact the church office.

Do you enjoy participating in a fun softball game? MLC supports a team through the Ames Church Softball League. If interested, contact Pastor Dave for more information. All skill levels welcome.

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✚ Sunday 8:30 AM
✚ Sunday 11:00 AM

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