



If you are out and about and would like to visit with some great people, the following Church Members would love to have a call, visitors or both!

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Bulletin Information – please have to the office by noon each Tuesday.

Newsletter information – please have to the office by the 15th of each month.

OFFERINGS - WAYS TO GIVE:

If you are unable to attend services but would like to give, we have made some convenient ways to continue your offerings. We appreciate your faithfulness, Thank you.

MAIL : Benton PO Box 706 Crooks, SD 57020

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ELECTRONIC GIVING Check the websites giving image.

www.wclcdellrapids.org & www.bentonelca.org

BENTON'S 'TEXT TO GIVE'

1: Text "give" to the number **1-605-205-7789**. The automated response will direct you to the webpage. Once the system has your number stored, this will be a simple way to give right during the offering time!

2: The donations webpage through your browser is

<https://bentonchurch.breezechms.com/give/online>

Benton, Vanco - Here is the site link for your online giving tiles.



YOUTH - I have signed up for our confirmation students and youth from Willow and Benton to serve the Banquet West on Wednesday, May 6th. Serving will be from 5:00-8:00. There are 15 slots open (parents are welcome as well!). I will have sign up sheets posted at both Willow and Benton, or you can let me know and I will sign you up. The address is 710 N Marion Rd. Thank you, Kendra

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday March 29th, 2026

Vicar Kendra Kappler, 605-951-8841, kappler2002@gmail.com

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**Willow Creek Worship – Sundays, 9am, Sunday School follows Worship.
Benton Sunday School starts at 9:30am-10:30am, Worship at 10:45am
Communion is offered every Sunday, at both churches.
Both churches live stream worship on Facebook.**



April 2nd, Maundy Thursday, at Benton, 6:30pm, Communion

April 3rd, Good Friday, at Willow Creek, 6:30pm

April 5th, Easter Sunday, Benton Sunrise Service at 6:30am, No Sunday School

Willow Creek Service at 9:00am, No Sunday School



"Benton and Willow Creek" – Easter Lillies

If you would like to have a Lily at the church in honor or memory of a loved one, please bring your lily to the church during Holy Week. Place your name on the bottom if you want it back and please take it with you after Easter Sunday Worship. Please notify the Church office by noon, Tuesday, March 31st, with the information you would like printed in the bulletin regarding your loved one. Thank you.

At Willow Creek, Katie Hoekman has offered to pick up a lily for you, and you can pay her back. Her # is 605-940-3559.



Special thanks to all the Sunday School kids for sharing their music with us today.

Confirmation class will start again after Easter. Wed. 4/8/2026 at Willow Creek, 6:30pm.
Youth Group, Wed. April 8th at Willow Creek, 7:30pm.

BENTON ANNOUNCEMENTS



Sunday Mornings at Benton Coffee/Fellowship will start at 9:30am, (during Sunday School), 10:45 Worship. Please feel free to join us for a time of fellowship while your kids are at Sunday School. If you don't have kids in Sunday School come and enjoy the fellowship. Coffee/treats will begin at 10am when there is no Sunday School.

BENTON WORSHIP TEAMS FOR 2026 (team leaders listed)

- Apr. 5th, First Team – Doug & Sandy, Communion, Easter Sunrise Service, 6:30am, Breakfast to follow worship
- Apr. 12th, Second Team – Roger & Linda, Communion, Potluck Dinner
- Apr. 19th, Third Team – Cheryl & Connie, Communion
- Apr. 26th, Fourth Team - Butch & Lori, Communion

Please check the newsletter to see what team you are on and the list of duties to be completed each Sunday.



Notice from the Benton Cemetery Committee: Starting May 1st, 2026, a single lot at the Benton Lutheran Cemetery will be changing. Member Price will be \$300.00 per single lot, Non-Member price \$600.00 per single lot. Contact Kenny Benson (605-366-3513) for any questions.



Sunday, April 12th at Benton – we will start showing the “Chosen Series”, 5pm, potluck supper.
All are Parish Members and friends welcome to attend.

WILLOW CREEK ANNOUNCEMENTS



WILLOW CREEK WORSHIP TEAMS: 2026 - New Teams

- Apr. 5th, Team 2, Communion, Easter Sunday, 9am Worship
 - Apr. 12th, Team 3, Communion
 - Apr. 19th, Team 4, Communion
 - Apr. 26th, Team 5, Communion
- Teams are listed in the newsletter.

Worship team members will be changing starting the first Sunday of April. PLEASE check the March newsletter for the changes.



MENS COFFEE: MEN: Join us on Saturdays at 8:30 am at Willow Creek for food, coffee, and fellowship. On the First Saturday of every month, the men provide a Pancake Breakfast during their coffee fellowship time.



WOMENS QUILTING: Join us on Mondays at 9am as we enjoy quilting and fellowship at Willow Creek.