



Augustana Lutheran Church

Weekly Parish Visitor

February 15, 2026

Transfiguration of Our Lord

207 N. Kelly St.
Hobart, IN 46342
(219)942-3574

Sunday 2/15

Worship Service 8am & 10am

Live on Facebook

Augustanalutheranchurch-hobart
Also Sunday afternoon posted on
our website augustanahobart.com

- Sunday School 9:00am
- AA 5pm

Monday 2/16

- Daily Devotion with Pastor Scott
- Homemakers 1pm
- N/A 7pm

Tuesday 2/17

- Daily Devotion with Pastor Scott
- Food Panty
- Bell Choir 6:30pm
- Chancel Choir 7:30pm

Wednesday 2/18 Ash Wednesday

- Daily Devotion with Pastor Scott
- Al-A-non 9:30am
- Worship 11am
- Worship 7pm

Thursday 2/19

- Daily Devotion with Pastor Scott
- Al-Anon 9:30am
- Worship 4pm
- Bible Study 5pm
- Boy Scouts 6:30pm
- Grief Share 7pm

Friday 2/20

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Saturday 2/21

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Sunday 2/22

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HYMNS 8:00am

Opening Hymn	834
Hymn of Praise	671
Hymn of the Day	317
Sending Hymn	318

HYMNS 10:00am

Opening Hymn	834
Hymn of Praise	671
Hymn of the Day	317
Communion Hymn	487
Communion Hymn	661
Sending Hymn	318

Food Pantry

Next food pantry is February 17th
Augustana Families,

You can pick up food pantry bags or drop off Monday-Friday every week 9-1, and we are also accepting monetary donations. We are giving gift cards and non-perishable food to our food pantry people.

We appreciate all of the support we receive from our Augustana family. Stay Safe!!

Please try to grab a bag in the Narthex and get what's needed!!

We Need Paper Bags with Handles!!

Online Giving:

If you are interested in Online Giving please sign into the link below and create an Account. Please **ONLY USE CHECKING ACCOUNTS** when setting up Online Giving. Augustana will be charged additional fees if you use a debit or credit card, so we encourage you not to use these. osvhub.com/augustanahobart/funds

Pastor Scott & Chris Contact Info:

If outside of office hours M-F 9am-1pm please call Pastor Scott's cell 765.343.2275 or call Chaplain Chris Williams at 219-798-9483

David Wilson President Contact Information (219)712-9800

Communion

In the middle of the communion trays is white grape juice for those of you that would prefer non-alcohol. Gluten free wafers are available.

Last Week's Attendance

Sunday

February 8, 2026

8am (13)

10am (58)

Week of February 8, 2026

Financial Update Week 6 Received

2/8/2026 \$4,597.90

Required Weekly: \$5,300.00

Window Fund

If you would like to give to the window fund, please use a pew Envelop and mark it window fund. Thank you!

Birthday February 15th – 21st

18 - Ms. Karen Rieck

21 - Mrs. Sheryll Bennett

Mr. Marc Keen,

Mr. Tim McCabe

Noisy Offering

On the last Sunday of every month the Sunday school children will be collecting loose change from the congregation during the offering. The money collected is used to for Evangelism and to promote Augustana's ministry to our community.

Make a Change

Noisy Offering is the last Sunday of Every Month!

Our Nov. & Dec. offering was \$65. Thank You!!

Donut Angel

Allen Wozniak took donuts to Hobart Hospital, 6th floor West. Would you like to be a Donut Angel? See Jackie in the church office. It's a lot of fun!!

Serving This Week:

Musician

Daniel Grayvold

Presiding & Preaching

Pastor Scott Mauch

Assisting Minister

Chris Williams

Communion Steward

Phil Buzolitz

Tech Minister

Anne McDonald

Sunday School Teacher

Chaplain Chris Williams

Altar Guild – Melissa Gonzalez & Patty Snyder

Flowers:

Given By: Phil & Jan Buzolitz in Memory of Marie Buzolitz

Given By: Joe & Nancy Barron in Celebration of Joe & Nancy's 14th Wedding Anniversary!

Music: Bell Choir

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Congregation welcomes everyone-and yes, we do mean everyone.

Blessing Box

Peyton Griffith brought the blessing box to Augustana with the idea of providing food for individuals who are living in their vehicles or do not have access to kitchen appliances. When donating please consider items that can be opened easily such as soup cans with **pop tabs**, pouches of tuna, and items that can be resealed. We appreciate your continued support. Caring Ministry

Luther's Understanding of Confession

Martin Luther viewed confession as a vital practice for Christians, emphasizing the importance of absolution and personal reflection on sin. He believed that confession consists of two main parts: **confessing one's sins** and **receiving absolution** (forgiveness) from a pastor, which he regarded as equivalent to God's forgiveness. He articulated this in his **Small Catechism**, stating that confession should not be abolished in the Church, as it provides comfort and strength against sin and a troubled conscience. **After Bible Study at 10:15am -11:30am we will be offering Adoration of the Cross- Scripture Meditation and personal private confession in the Sanctuary.** How is your spiritual condition?

Flower Chart Please sign Up in March, April & May

I just wanted to remind everyone, that when you sign up for flowers please sign up on the flower chart in the hallway as well as fill out the white paper located below the flower chart. Return the white paper into the church office, so it can be put into the church bulletin correctly! Also, please take a flower fund envelope to be used to put the money in for the flowers.

Thank you for your cooperation!

You're More Jewish Than You Think!

Hebrews Bible Study | Begins January 15

Join Chaplain Chris for a seven-week Bible study on the Book of Hebrews, exploring the deep Jewish roots of Christian faith, worship, and tradition. Hebrews invites us to see how practices like covenant, sacrifice, priesthood, and perseverance shape our understanding of Christ and our life of faith today.

Together we'll explore how early Christians interpreted Jesus through the lens of Israel's story—and how that story still forms us as a Word-and-Sacrament people. This study is designed for thoughtful conversation, honest questions, and shared learning. No prior Bible study experience is required.

Thursdays at 5:00 pm

January 15 – February 26, 2026

Augustana Lutheran Church (Fireside Room)

All are welcome. Come for one session or commit to the full journey.

Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board at the top of the stairs or contact the church office to reserve your spot.

Places of the Passion: A Series of Services for the Season of Lent

Ash Wednesday: The City of Jerusalem

Join us for the Places of the Passion special service for Ash Wednesday, as we follow in the footsteps of our Savior, contemplating the places where Jesus stood on his path to salvation. In this service, we go to Jerusalem, the place of the Passover, where Jesus gathers with the crowds and sacrifices himself for us. The meaning, history and spiritual inspirations associated with this location are highlighted. We will learn things we may not have known before as we grow to understand more deeply the hard road our Lord took that the way to heaven might be open to us.



**Ash Wednesday Service
February 18,
At 11 am & 7 pm**

**Lenten Services are February 25,
March 4, 11, 18 & 25
At 7:00 pm
With Soup Suppers at 6:00 pm**

Lent Soup Suppers

On Wednesday's during Lent, there is a Soup Supper at 6:00 pm, before the service at 7:00 pm.

Lenten Soup Suppers are scheduled for the following dates at 6:00 p.m. Please join us for this time of fellowship! Your help is welcomed. If you are not on one of the listed committees and would like to individually provide a menu item, please check the menu sign-up sheets in the hallway or contact the chairperson of the scheduled committee(s). Thank You!

February 25th
Food Pantry / Altar Guild

March 4th
Worship & Music / Bell Choir / Chancel Choir

March 11th
Foundation / Property

March 18th
Council / Caring

March 25th
Congregation

All church members are more than welcome to help out with all of the Soup Suppers.