

WESTBY UMC
February 15, 2026

* *Please stand in body or spirit*

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* GATHERING SONGS *Love, Love*
 Heart of Worship

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Jesus calls us to learn from Him.

P: We come to listen to His teaching.

L: Jesus teaches us about the Kingdom of God, a kingdom shaped by mercy and love.

P: Teach us, Lord, to live Your Kingdom ways.

L: Jesus says, "Love your enemies."

P: Help us to love one another as You have loved us.

L: Let us worship God, our Teacher and our Lord.

P: We come to worship and to learn from Jesus.

*** OPENING PRAYER**

Teaching Jesus, we come before You with open hearts. You healed the broken, cast out evil, and taught the way of God's Kingdom. As we hear Your word today, shape us by Your teaching. Teach us to love one another, even when love is difficult, so that our lives may reflect Your Kingdom. We offer this time of worship to You.

God, give us courage to dream Your dreams for our church. Please open our minds and hearts and ears, so we can hear Your voice to know what Your purpose is for our church. We pray in Christ's name, Amen.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

COMMUNITY PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

#895 UMH

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 6:27-38

MESSAGE *"Jesus Taught People"*

* HYMN OF INSPIRATION *Blest Are They* #2155 TFWS

* DOXOLOGY

OFFERING OUR GIFTS, LIVES AND SERVICE

*** Please place your offering in the offering plate on the table in the narthex by the sanctuary entrance. ***

* OFFERING PRAYER

* CLOSING HYMN *Love the Lord Your God* #2168 TFWS

* BENEDICTION

* POSTLUDE

Music: Jane Gaskell
Pastor: Paul Lee

WELCOME TO ALL WORSHIPPING WITH US TODAY!

Coming Events:

Feb. 15 10:00 AM – Fellowship & Sunday School
Feb. 18 1:00 PM – Ash Wednesday Service @ Viroqua UMC
5:30 PM – Soup Supper
6:00 PM – Ash Wednesday Service @ Westby
Feb. 22 Food Drive Begins – Please bring Protein Items for this day

* Please pray the Visioning Prayer, listed below, at 3:20 PM each day so we can be united in asking God what He wants our church to do for serving Him and others.

PRAYERS

Jill, our country, those traveling, Sunday School students & families, God's Vision for our church, Pastor Paul, Norseland residents, our church family, unnamed concerns, our church in ministry

Mission of the Month – Bethel Butikk

We will be collecting donations for Bethel Butikk in addition to the Lent Food Drive collections for Bethel Butikk and the Cashton Food Pantry.

Hygiene Bags for Bethel Butikk

Please continue to donate items for the Hygiene Bags for Bethel Butikk. The items needed are toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo & conditioner, hand soap, hand lotion, deodorant, razors, shaving cream, brushes & combs. They also need packages of feminine hygiene products.

Senior Strength Training

This class is open to everyone of all ages and meets on Tuesday and Thursday, 12:30-1:15 PM.

Westby Senior Meal Site

Meals will be served Monday-Thursday, at 11:30 AM. Please call 608-637-5201 by 8:00 AM to reserve and order a meal for that day.

Prayer Request Box

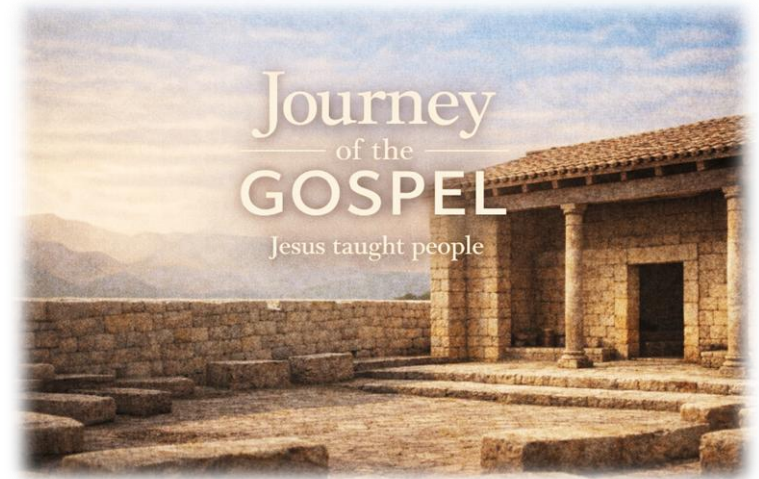
Please write your prayer request on the note card and put it in the box. Our Thursday Morning Prayer Group will then pray for these requests when they meet on the 1st Thursday of the month.

Food Drive Items:

Feb. 22 – Proteins	March 15 - Soup
March 1 – Pasta/Grains	March 22 - Fruits
March 8 – Breakfast/Snacks	March 29 - Vegetables



WESTBY United Methodist Church February 15, 2026



9:00 AM Worship
10:00 AM Fellowship & Sunday School after
Worship

Westby United Methodist Church
202 East State St., Westby, WI 54667

*Our calling is to reach all people with the
life-changing power of God's Love and
Grace available to all through Jesus
Christ, our Lord.*