

WEEKLY UPDATE

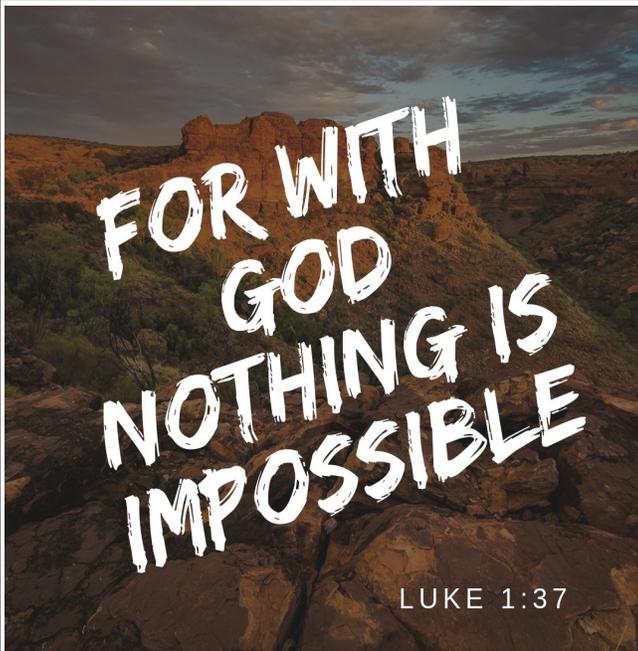
March 1st,
2026

KOST CHURCH

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LOVE GOD | LOVE PEOPLE | MAKE DISCIPLES



WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

If this is your first time worshipping with us, thanks for visiting! Please fill out a contact card (in the pew rack or online) and let us know a little about yourself.

Did you miss a service? Past sermons are available to watch or re-watch on Kost's YouTube page, at kostchurch.org, and on Facebook as well.

PICK UP YOUR
COMMUNION
ELEMENTS

THIS WEEK AT KOST

Sunday	9:30 am Worship Service 10:45 am Fellowship Time 11:10 am Sunday School
Monday	6:30 pm Pickleball
Wednesday	7:00 am Men's Bible Study NO Women's Bible Study 6:30 pm Youth Group
Thursday	6:30 pm Women's Bible Study
Friday	5:00 pm Respawn
Saturday	9:00 am Deep Discipleship
Sunday	9:30 am Worship Service 10:45 am Fellowship Time 11:10 am Sunday School

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays
9:30 am

The Wednesday morning Women's Bible Study is starting a new series **NEXT WEEK**, March 11th, through **Colossians!** Women of all ages are invited to join this study. If you are interested, please speak with Carol Nelson or Mary Priesler! *This study is on break this week to prepare for the new series, beginning next week, Wednesday at 9:30am.*

Thank you for your faithful financial support of Kost Church.

Gifts can be dropped off in the offering plate or through direct payment from your bank.

YOU ARE LOVED!

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PART 3

Proverbs 3:19-20

☛ ...Nature is God's workshop. The sky is his resume. The universe is his calling card. You want to know who God is? See what he has done. You want to know his power? Take a look at this creation. Curious about his strength? Pay a visit to his home address: 1 Billion Starry Sky Avenue. Want to know his size? Step out into the night and stare at star-light emitted one million years ago.... [Max Lucado]

- ☛ This planet is remarkable in its makeup because its makeup leads us to _____ at our _____
- ☛ The creation of all natural things serves as a _____ to His glory, love, grace, mercy, wisdom, power, and goodness
- ☛ God's glory is reflected in the _____ . His power is seen in the forces of "nature." His tenderness is revealed in the delicate and fragile beauty of a mountain or meadow filled with wild flowers, chattering animals, giggling streams and hosts of other marvelous critters. His power and even fury is seen in a frightening thunderstorm or erupting volcano. His genius is evident in the astonishing complexity of the very 12 or so systems that work together to keep each of us alive and interacting with one another. [Bill Welsh]
- ☛ Mankind collectively finds _____ in the natural creation because humans are created in God's image and God finds it _____
- ☛ The beauty of God's creation pales in comparison to the beauty of _____
- ☛ My job:
 - ☉ N _____
 - ☉ E _____
 - ☉ A _____ & _____
 - ☉ T _____

Next week's passage:
 Acts 2:42, Matthew 22:34-40, 28:18-20
March 1, 2026 |
Joshua Jensen

Need to talk? Need prayer? Our Stephen Ministers provide free confidential emotional and spiritual support. Just speak with an individual with a blue and white nametag.

FINANCES	Yearly Income as of 2/1: \$8,928	LAST WEEK'S OFFERING: \$3,545
	Yearly Spending as of 2/1: \$13,150	<i>Weekly need to cover budget: \$3,458</i>
	Yearly Shortfall as of 2/1: \$4,192	

KOST CHURCH

EXISTS TO GLORIFY GOD BY REACHING OTHERS, SO ALL CAN GROW TO MATURITY IN FAITH AND BEAR FRUIT IN CHRIST'S LOVE

BECAUSE SCRIPTURE TEACHES US TO **LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS, AND MAKE DISCIPLES**

- PLEASE PRAY

- ✚ For Mark Schoess's family
 - ✚ For Caleb Nelson's family
 - ✚ For Tonya Erickson's family
 - ✚ For Dave & Sharen Martin
 - ✚ For the Brask's grandkids, moving to South Dakota
 - ✚ For those involved with Deep Discipleship to stay the course and work hard
 - ✚ For events happening in the Middle East—and for all out war to be avoided
 - ✚ For us as a church—that we intentionally and boldly live out gospel truth in our families, our communities, our workplaces/schools, and our church

Greeters wanted! We're going to up our hospitality game! Our greeter ministry was done in by covid and it's time to bring it back. We are seeking individuals/couples who would be willing to serve one Sunday every couple of months standing at the main doors (beginning at 9:15) and greeting folks as they arrive. The only special talents you need are a firm handshake, a smile, a "good morning", and the ability to point visitors in the right direction. **FIRST IMPRESSIONS MATTER!** If you'd be willing to be part of this, please speak with Pastor Josh or even better, text him right now 715-681-1208.



Nursery volunteers. We are seeking volunteers to occasionally staff the nursery during worship services. If you would be willing to help out, please speak with Trinity Fish or Julia Kottarathil.

DISTRICT BLITZ

Please help keep family costs down (\$100/student) and more students attending by donating to this year's District Blitz campaign

Donate by noting **BLITZ** on check memo line or giving cash directly to Pastor Josh

This year's goal: **\$3500 RAISED SO FAR: \$600**

We are also seeking out an 7 or 8-passenger vehicle to borrow for the weekend. Please let Pastor Josh know if you'd be willing to loan

DISTRICT-BLITZ 26

arise
the book of **Jenah**

APRIL 17-19, 2026
DECC, DULUTH MN
districtblitz.org

Light the Path Gala

Join us in lighting the path to home for our families.

A path to hope, healing and home.

Delightful Acres

Saturday, March 21, 2026

6:00 to 9:00 pm

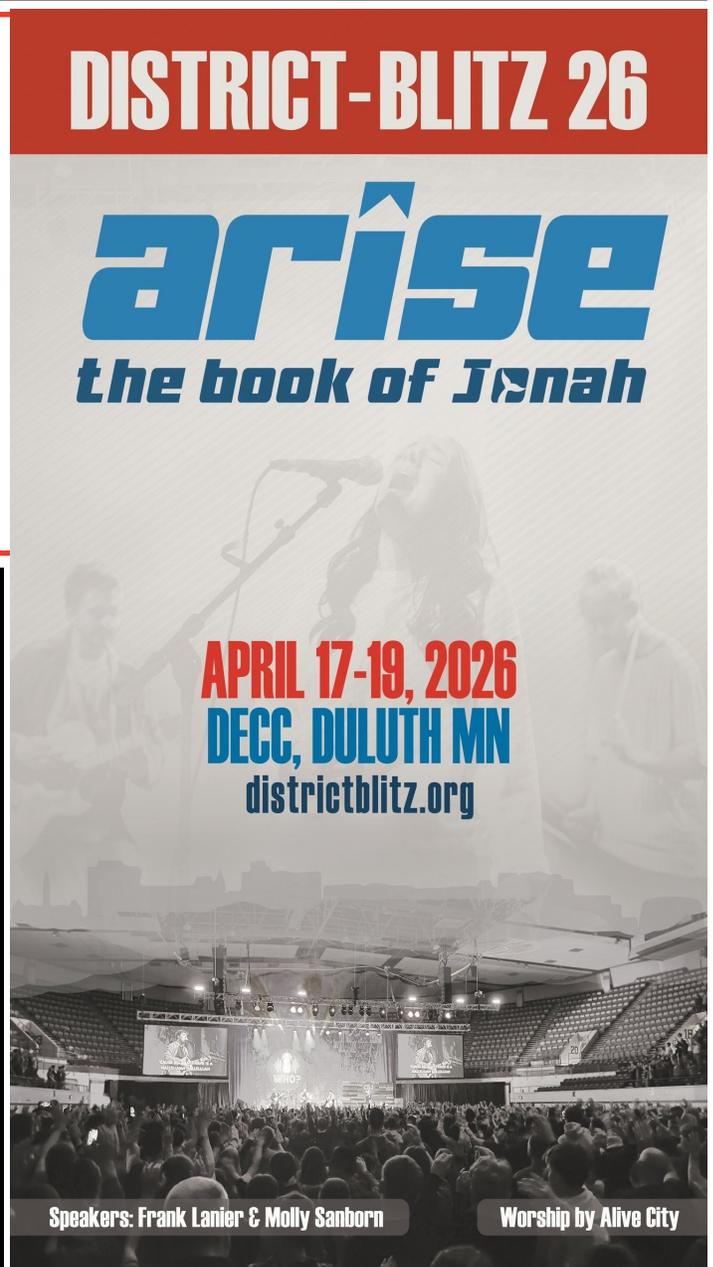


- Entertainment by...
Flagrant Foul Improv Group
- Music by Fendrick & Peck
- Silent Auction
- Delicious Food
- Raffles



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