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Several articles this month focus on Jesus' passion—his Palm Sunday processional (p. 5), his moments of decision (p. 10), his submission to the government (p. 28), and his beautiful sacrifice (back page). Take time to highlight these articles to your members this month—whether in your bulletin, after-service announcements, or social media.

As an extra bonus, Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary professor Stephen Geiger has recorded short daily videos to accompany his Lenten article in this month's issue. "Jesus' Passion: 40 days of Bible readings" will be released daily on FIC's social media and website, starting on Ash Wednesday. Each short Bible reading will include a thought to consider about the text. Please consider highlighting this additional way to be in God's Word to your members.

Find the videos online at forwardinchrist.net/videos.



WELS CONNECTIONS

March's *WELS Connection* highlights the oldest Lutheran high school in the United States—Luther Preparatory School, Watertown, Wis., one of WELS' two worker-training preparatory high schools. In *Forward in Christ* this month, see how Luther Prep and Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Saginaw, Mich. (pictured), are maintaining their mission to prepare students for the public ministry—even during a pandemic (p. 24).

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A picture can be worth a thousand words. See ministry blessings for our WELS congregations and their members—through pictures—in "This is WELS" (p. 4) and "District news" (p. 25).



As believers in Jesus, we all have a specific identity—we are God's children. God reminds us of that identity in the Bible, another reason its message is so important today (p. 12).



Meet two of your brothers in Christ: a new member who after years of questioning church membership decided to get confirmed the same day as his daughter (p. 7) and a long-time Christian who shares the story of the signs of his life (p. 16).

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Have a story from your congregation that you want to share? We're always looking for congregational news and photos as well as WELS members' stories of faith. Submit your story or event to be featured at forwardinchrist.net/submit.