



Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ
Augustana District



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Welcome to Faith Lutheran

To all who are hungry, to all who are thirsty and longing for drink, to all who are sinners looking for a Savior, and to whosoever will come: this church opens wide its doors in the name of Jesus Christ.



Digging Deeper Beginning January 6

Beginning "in the Beginning"

As Faith Lutheran begins the Bibleopoly challenge to read through the Bible in 2019, this Digging Deeper class will give an overview of the first five books of the Bible, often called the Pentateuch. Come to learn some background information to deepen your understanding of what you are reading. Meeting in the Faith Center.

The Life and Ministry of the Messiah

This class will examine some of the key teachings and events of Jesus' life using Ray Vander Laan's series filmed on location in the Holy Land. See where Jesus walked and taught, and how that influenced his hearers. Meeting in the office conference room.

December 23, 2018

Worship & Study

Worship Attendance
8:00 First Word - 127
10:10 Combined - 193
Christmas
Eve: 2 p.m. - 285
4 p.m. - 378,
Foundation - 126,
6 p.m. - 176,
11 p.m. - 105
Day - 80
**Lectionary Study
for Next Sunday**
Isiah 60:1-6
Ephesians 3:1-12
Matthew 2:1-12



The radio broadcast today is sponsored by Keith Nelson in honor of new family members Chase and Madeline.



The flowers on the pedestal are from the funeral of Marion Tate.

Announcements

End of Year Contributions

Please note that the church office **WILL BE OPEN** on **MONDAY, DECEMBER 31**. Any end of year contributions brought to the church by 12 noon will be applied to your 2018 giving statement for tax purposes. Thank you for your support of the mission and ministry of Faith Lutheran Church!

2019 Ministry Team Members Needed

The Nominating Committee is seeking a few more Ministry Team members for 2019-2020!

Congregational Vice-President

Congregational Secretary

Church in the World team - one more member

Discipleship team - two more members

Management team - one member

Worship team - one member

Any questions? Want to serve? Please talk to Pastor Scott or Pastor Dave.

Thank you!!



January Faith Family Fun

On Sunday, January 6, from 2-4 p.m. come out to Hutch Bowl for some friendly, family competition on the lanes.

(Note that this was originally scheduled to be a sledding day but who knew that MN in January could mean no snow?)

January Free Community Meal

Join one of our Faith Groups as they serve the free community meal on Sunday, January 6, from 4-6 p.m. in the Faith Center.



Poinsettias

If you purchased a poinsettia in memory or in honor of someone you may pick one up to take home anytime that the church is open.



Bells 101

Have you ever considered playing the bells but felt that you couldn't read music or keep rhythm? Have you played bells before and miss it? Well here is your chance to learn/get back into playing the bells. Will Holt is offering Bells 101 on Thursday evenings at 7:30 p.m. beginning on January 10. If you are interested in more information you can e-mail him at willh@faithlc.com or touch base with him at his church office. Hope to see you there!

Save the January Dates!

Mugs and Muffins: Saturday, January 19 beginning at 9:30 in the Faith Center; speaker - Penny Stuber

Annual Congregational Meeting: Sunday, January 27 beginning at 12 noon in the Sanctuary (lunch served beforehand in the Faith Center)

Men of Faith: Wednesday, January 30, beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the Faith Center; speaker - Jon Gelschus



Please remember all those from Faith who are serving our country through active duty:



Braiden Borge (Marines, grandson of Sandy Curtiss)
 Corporal Colin Bos (Marines, Camp Pendleton, CA - son of Dawn Bos)
 Sgt. Jason Gaulke (El Paso, TX - nephew of Alice Fransen)
 Petty Officer 3rd Class Mason Rutledge (Navy, Norfolk, VA- son of Lenny & Patti Rutledge)
 Pfc Anthony Settergren (MN National Guard, Kuwait - son of Richard and Jean Settergren)
 Col. Rob Skaar (Mpls/St. Paul Air National Guard - son of Dave & Marian Skaar)
 LT Brett Stadskev (Navy, Norfolk, VA - son-in-law of Judy and Tom Felber)
 Corporal Nathan Thunstrom (Marines, Camp Pendleton, CA - son of Andy & Shelly Hedin and grandson of Dennis & Barb Hedin)
 Pfc Ryan Wersal (Army, Fort Meade, MD - son of Roger and Laurie Wersal)

**PASTOR
 DAVE SLAM
 DUNKS!**

**Open your
 Bible . . .
 Open your
 hearts . . .
 Open your
 minds . . .
 START
 NOW!**

GOD SPEED ➔	Nahum	Habakkuk	Zephaniah	Haggai	Zechariah	Malachi	Matthew	Mark	Luke	John	Acts	Romans	1 Corinthians	2 Corinthians	Galatians	Ephesians	Philippians
Micah																	Colossians
Jonah																	1 Thessalon.
Obadiah																	2 Thessalon.
Amos																	1 Timothy
Joel																	2 Timothy
Hosea																	Titus
Daniel																	Philemon
Ezekiel																	Hebrews
Lamentations																	James
Jeremiah																	1 Peter
Isalah																	2 Peter
Song of Solomon																	1 John
Ecclesiastes																	2 John
Proverbs																	3 John
Psalms																	Jude
Job																	Revelation
Esther	Nehemiah	Ezra	2 Chronicles	1 Chronicles	2 Kings	1 Kings	2 Samuel	1 Samuel	Ruth	Judges	Joshua	Deuteronomy	Numbers	Leviticus	Exodus	Genesis	GO ⬆️ 2019

Reading plans for all ages available at the Bibleopoly Boards and online at Faithlc.com, pick one up, and then start reading on January 1!



**Radio
Broadcast**
KDUZ 1260 AM
Sundays 8 a.m.



TV Broadcast
Cable Ch. 10
Sundays 10 a.m.
and 5 p.m.
Tuesdays 5 p.m.
Thursdays 10 p.m.

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Pastors

Pastor Scott Grorud
Pastor Dave Wollan
Pastor Paul Knudson
Pastor Paulus Pilgrim
Rev. K.K. Alavi – Missionary in India

Staff

Marsha Schmit, Director of Pastoral Care
and Evangelism
Will Holt, Director of Music and Worship
Gladys Nissen, Director of Youth and
Family Ministry
Laura Weikle, Director of Children and
Family Ministry
Miriam Rahn, Finance Coordinator
Wendy Magruder, Administrative Assistant
Jim Brodd, Custodial Services Coordinator

- ◆ *Please sign the welcome pad* located at the end of the pew in the sanctuary or as they are passed around in the Foundation. Please include your address and phone number if you are a visitor.
- ◆ If you are interested in becoming a member of Faith Lutheran, please call Marsha Schmit at 587-2093.
- ◆ *Large print bulletins* may be obtained from the ushers.
- ◆ Thank you for turning off your **cell phones** during worship.
- ◆ Communion is served at the First Word and Sanctuary Services on the first and second Sunday each month and in the Foundation on the third and fourth Sundays.



Holy Communion

We welcome to the Lord’s Table all baptized Christians who believe that Jesus Christ is present in the bread and wine of Holy Communion. Children who have completed communion instruction are welcome to receive the Lord’s Supper. All other children are welcome to come forward for a blessing.

If you are unable to receive wine, please let the wine server know and grape juice will be provided. Gluten-free communion wafers are also available. Please let the server know and they will be provided.