



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.

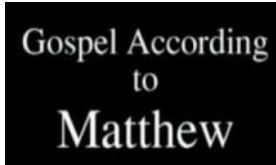


Old Wine in New Skins

Join seminarian Brian Lauer for a look at the Pentateuch: Five Books in Four Weeks. In this class you will survey some of the themes that carry forward from the Old Testament into the Gospels, and touch on what these books still have to say to 21st century Christians. Meeting in the Faith Center.

An Introduction to Matthew's Gospel

With the new church year starting in December, we'll be featuring the Gospel of Matthew for our weekly Gospel readings. This class will get you ready! Come and explore some background information about the first Gospel, as well as some themes that run throughout it. Each Gospel has a "personality" of its own, so come to the Office Conference Room and learn about Matthew.



B-2-3



Meeting in the nursery at 9:15 a.m. today. This is a time for parents with children birth through 3-years old to meet with other families and to discover ways to share the faith with their young children.

November 17, 2019

Worship Attendance

8:00 First Word - 154
10:10 Sanctuary - 103
10:10 Foundation - 159

Lectionary Study for Next Sunday

Christ the King Sunday

Malachi 3:13-18

Colossians 1:13-20

Luke 23:27-43



The radio broadcast today is sponsored by Dennis and Sandy Langehaug in honor of their 33rd wedding anniversary.

Announcements



FLCW Annual Meeting

Today, beginning at 11:30 a.m. in the Faith Center you are invited to enjoy a cup of hot cider and appetizers. Then, after a short meeting that includes the disbursement of funds raised in 2019, we will create a holiday craft project to take home.

Faith Quilters

Calling all quilters! There will be a special quilting day on Thursday, Nov. 21, beginning at 8:30 a.m. Pack a lunch and plan to spend the day!



Common Cup Ministry Annual "Coming Together in Song" Concert

The concert will be held on Sunday, November 24, at 4 p.m. at Christ the King Lutheran Church. This concert is a major fundraiser for CCM and it includes many great local voices and choirs. It is always an inspiring and enjoyable afternoon.

Baptized Today

Sunday, November 17, 2019

Vincent Ryan Heilman
son of Nathan and
Emily Heilman

Sponsors: Timothy & Jessica Aikin
and Deidra Belkie



Thanksgiving Services

Faith Lutheran Church will hold Thanksgiving worship services with Holy Communion on Wednesday, November 27 at 6:30 p.m. and on Thursday, November 28 at 10 a.m.

Thanksgiving Eve Pie Social

Plan to stay after worship on Thanksgiving Eve and enjoy delicious desserts and fantastic fellowship.

You can sign up today to bring your favorite dessert to share!



Soup and Chili Supper

Preceding the first Advent service, on Wednesday, December 4, at 6:30 p.m., you are invited to come and enjoy the annual soup and chili supper. Supper will be served from 5-6:15 p.m. Sign up today to bring your family's favorite soup, chili or dessert.

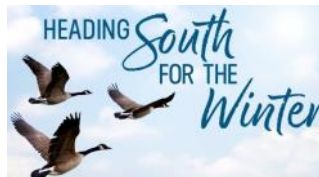


Volunteers Needed!

Faith Lutheran will be serving the High School Free Lunch on Thursday, December 5. Kristen Matthews is looking for some help in prepping, serving and cleaning up for this event. If you have an hour or two free and can lend a hand, let Kristen know, 320-587-2093.

Snow Birds

If you are heading someplace warm for the winter, don't forget to let the church know! Please call the office at



320-587-2093 to let us know when you plan to leave and when you will return. We can temporarily change your mailing address or send things to you electronically while you are away.



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

- Braiden Borge (Marines, grandson of Sandy Curtiss)
- Mike Borge (Air Force, Qatar - son-in-law of Sandy Curtiss)
- Sgt. Jason Gaulke (El Paso, TX - nephew of Alice Fransen)
- Petty Officer 3rd Class Mason Rutledge (Navy, Norfolk, VA- son of Lenny & Patti Rutledge)
- Pat Scharn (Air Force, Qatar - husband of Elizabeth Scharn)
- Col. Rob Skaar (Mpls/St. Paul Air National Guard - son of Dave & Marian Skaar)
- LT Brett Stadsklev (Navy, Corpus Christ, TX - son-in-law of Judy and Tom Felber)
- Corporal Nathan Thunstrom (Marines, Reserves - son of Andy & Shelly Hedin and grandson of Dennis & Barb Hedin)
- Spc Ryan Wersal (Army, Fort Meade, MD - son of Roger and Laurie Wersal)

November Hunger Appeal

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The goal for the Hunger Appeal this year is \$5,000.

Disbursement of these funds will be:

- 50% to Common Cup Ministries
- 25% to New Hope Mission Society
- 25% to Friends in Madagascar Missions

Donations can be made to the Faith Lutheran Church Hunger Appeal by using the *Mission Sunday* or *Thanksgiving* envelopes, or note "Hunger Appeal" on the memo line of your check.



Stewardship Snapshot

Since a very low point in mid-September, Faith Lutheran's General Fund has received strong support from the congregation. ***Thank you*** for continuing to invest in the ministry God has entrusted to us here.

As we look toward the end of 2019, Faith Lutheran still needs to receive an additional \$194,000 to break even on the year. That would meet all of our remaining expenses and restore a very helpful surplus that allows the church to manage cash flow through the year. It is a very large amount, but in line with the need we typically see at this time each year. Please give generously as the Lord has first blessed you so that our church can end the year in a healthy financial position.

Faith's leaders also encourage members of the Faith family to help change this *pattern* of giving so that the church will not be so dependent on massive year-end giving. Starting in 2020, can we begin to spread out the gifts we give so that Faith's ministry is reliably funded all year long?

Again, ***thank you*** for your faithful support of the work God is doing through Faith Lutheran Church!



**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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Pastor Paulus Pilgrim
Rev. K.K. Alavi and Abdul Massieh
Missionaries in India

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Marsha Schmit, Director of Pastoral Care and Evangelism
Kristen Matthews, Director of Youth and Family Ministry
Laura Weikle, Director of Children and Family Ministry
Will Holt, Director of Music and Worship
Sara Wegner, Interim 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.
- ◆ Holy Communion will be served at the First Word and Sanctuary Services on the first and second Sunday each month. It will be served in the Foundation on the third and fourth Sunday of each month.



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.