



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 all who will come: this church opens wide its doors in the name of Jesus Christ.

Digging Deeper and Sunday School will not meet today. All classes will resume on Sunday, Jan. 9!

Upcoming Changes to Faith's Social Media Posts

In an effort to be more intentional and vary our types of posts, we're making a few changes to how we engage the Faith Lutheran Facebook page. Here's a look at what you can expect beginning this week:



Sunday: Schedule for the upcoming week

Monday: Link to the YouTube recording of Sunday's service

Tuesday: Faith Encouragement devotion

(Lectionary will be moving to Zoom, please contact the church office for the link)

Wednesday: Morning Prayer (moving to 7 a.m.)

Thursday: Faith Encouragement devotion

Friday: The Faith Friday Five announcements

Follow our Facebook page at FaithLutheranHutchinson for these postings along with other announcements and photos of events throughout the week.



The final giving figures for 2021 were not yet known when this bulletin was printed, but it was clear that, in any event, Faith Lutheran came very close to meeting all its expenses for the year. **THANK YOU** all for your steadfast and generous support of the ministry God has entrusted to us in this church.

**Sunday,
January 2, 2022**

Worship Attendance

Christmas Eve

2 p.m. - 255

4 p.m. Sanctuary - 194

4 p.m. Foundation - 105

6 p.m. - 98

11 p.m. - 89

Christmas Day

10 a.m. - 63

Sunday

8 a.m. - 60

10:10 a.m. - 111



The radio broadcast today is sponsored Diane Reece and her family in memory of her husband David.

Poinsettias

Thank you for all of the donations of poinsettias to beautify our worship spaces for Christmas. If you donated one and would like to take it home, feel free to pick one up after worship today or anytime this week.



8:00 First Word

Acolytes: Lyla Selle and Jaida Mayer
Computer: Judy Flemming
Music: Austin Willhite
Reader: Owen Weikle
Sound: John Olsen
Ushers: Don and Gail Diehl

10:10 Sanctuary

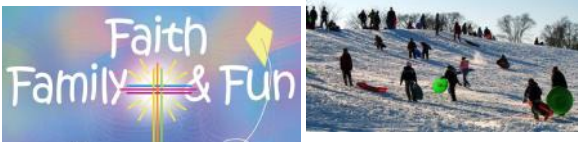
Acolytes: Trinity Alderink and Hayden Bloemke
Computer: Shari Dorival
Music: Austin Willhite
Reader: Shelly Kirchoff
Sound: Jeff Krueger
Ushers: Barry Anderson, Alex Saloum, Bruce Christenson, and Bob Winslow
Video: Dick Krueger

Weekly Lectionary Study

Each Tuesday at 12 noon, the pastors take turns leading a study of the upcoming lectionary texts. This week, the Gospel texts for the Baptism of Our Lord are Isaiah 43:1-7, Romans 6:1-11, and Luke 3:15-22. You can participate in this study in person in the office conference room or via Zoom. Contact the church office for the link.

Giving Tree

Faith is collecting donations of new hats, mittens, scarves and socks through January 31. Gifts can be dropped off at the Giving Trees in the two church gathering spaces. These gifts will be forwarded to Common Cup and distributed to those in need in our community.



January Faith Family Fun

Sunday, January 9, from 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Bring the kids, bring the sleds and meet at Rocket Hill for an afternoon of sledding, cookies and hot cocoa. If the weather does not cooperate for sledding, meet at church for a movie and treats instead.

Newborn Kits



Global Health Ministries
Helping the hands that heal

In 2019, 10,000 newborn kits were received by mothers around

the world through GHM. Faith is currently collecting items for 20 kits. Items still needed to complete these kits: 19 bath towels and 10 newborn stocking caps. Donations can be dropped off in the church office.

FREE community MEAL

Free Community Meal

January 9 from 4-6 p.m. is the next scheduled free Community Meal. Stop in for some warm and delicious tomato soup, cheese and crackers and a tasty dessert.

If you, your family, friends, or Bible study group could host one of these meals, please sign up in the sanctuary gathering space.

Faith Quilters



Faith Quilters will meet on Wednesday, January 5, 2022, beginning at 9 a.m. If you are looking for something new to try in the new year, give this group a try. All sewing/quilting abilities are welcome to join this monthly group.



Upcoming Events

Sunday, January 2

8 a.m. First Word Service
with Holy Communion
10:10 a.m. Combined
Sanctuary/Foundation
Service with Holy
Communion
5 p.m. HCVN Worship
Broadcast

Monday, January 3

Tuesday, January 4

6 a.m. A. P. Theology
9 a.m. Faith
Encouragement
9 a.m. Exercise
12 p.m. Lectionary study
5 p.m. HCVN Worship
Broadcast

Wednesday, January 5

7 a.m. Morning Prayer
9 a.m. Release Time
9 a.m. Faith Quilters

Wed., Jan. 5 (continued)

2:30 p.m. 56er's
3 p.m. Middle School Bells
3:45 p.m. Confirmation
5 p.m. Ringers of Faith
6:15 p.m. Faith Singers
7 p.m. FLYouth Night

Thursday, January 6

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible study
9 a.m. Faith
Encouragement
1:30 p.m. Communion at
Woodstone
6:30 p.m. Crossways yr. 3
10 p.m. HCVN Worship
Broadcast

Friday, January 7

7 a.m. Women's Bible
study
9 a.m. Women's Bible
study
1 p.m. Bulletin Assembly

Saturday, January 8

Sunday, January 9

8 a.m. First Word Service
with Holy Communion
9 a.m. Sunday School
9:15 a.m. Digging Deeper
10 a.m. HCVN Worship
Broadcast
10:10 a.m. Sanctuary
service with Holy
Communion
10:10 a.m. Foundation
Service
2:30 p.m. Faith Family Fun
Sledding at Rocket Hill
4 p.m. Free Community
Meal
5 p.m. HCVN Worship
Broadcast
6 p.m. Crossways year 1

New Adult Studies beginning in January

Thurs., Jan. 6 - 6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study beginning *The Great Divorce* by C.S. Lewis

Sun., Jan. 9 - 9:15 a.m. Digging Deeper *Who Is This Jesus?*

Week of Jan. 16 - Faith Groups resume at a variety of dates and times studying
The Biblical Orchard: Real-Life Models of the Fruit of the Spirit

Thurs., Jan. 20 - 12 noon Theo Thursday resumes digging into *Practice Resurrection:
Conversations on Growing up in Christ*

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

Braiden Bjorge (Marines, Jacksonville, NC grandson of Sandy Curtiss)

Mike Bjorge (Air Force, son-in-law of Sandy Curtiss)

Petty Officer 3rd Class Mason Rutledge (Navy, New Orleans, LA - son of Lenny Rutledge
and Patti Rutledge)

LT Brett Stadsklev (Navy, Corpus Christ, TX son-in-law of Judy and Tom Felber)

Spc Ryan Wersal (Army, Fort Meade, MD son of Roger and Laurie Wersal)

Trevor Wersal (MN National Guard, son of Roger and Laurie Wersal)



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

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



Pastors

Pastor Scott Grorud
Pastor Dave Wollan
Pastor Paul Knudson
Pastor Paulus Pilgrim
Pastoral Intern Jeff Amundson
Rev. K.K. Alavi and Abdul Messiah
Missionaries in India

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Kristen Durst, Director of Youth and
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- ◆ ***Please sign the welcome pads*** located at the end of the pew in the sanctuary or the clipboards as they are passed around at 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.
- ◆ Thank you for turning off your **cell phones** during worship.



Holy Communion

Holy Communion is served at the First Word and Sanctuary Services on the first and second Sunday and in the Foundation on the third and fourth Sunday of each month.



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.