



FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
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: Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m.

"Parables, Prodigals, and Parallels to Purim"

Join Pastor Dave in an interesting exploration of five well-known parables in Luke 15-16 and how they parallel the events of the book of Esther. We'll examine reversals, feasts, and ominous messages in the stories of sheep, coins, sons, stewards and beggars in light of the drama of Queen Esther, Haman, and Mordecai. This class will meet in the Faith Center.

"Whatever You Do, in Word or Deed..."

That phrase from Colossians 3:17 raises the question of the Christian *life* and how it proceeds from Christian *faith*. What does it mean to "do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus"? This class will explore those questions, drawing on a short book by James Burtness about how Christian faith shapes the way we live and informs the decisions we make. Meeting in the office conference room.



The Nerd of the Rings

This group of Nerds will gather again on Sunday, **March 27, at 7 p.m.** to discuss Book Two of *The Fellowship of the Rings*.

Sunday,
March 20, 2022

Worship Attendance

First Word - 93
Sanctuary - 152
Foundation - 125
Wednesday Lent - 184



The radio broadcast today is sponsored by Jerry and Pat Hoikka in memory their daughter, Stephanie, whose birthday is on March 24.



Date Night This Friday!

Friday March 25, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Come for an evening of good food, great folks, and friendly encouragement for your marriage. The night will feature dinner and special guest speakers Jonathan and Jana Swenson of *More To This Life Ministries* presenting on relationships and marriage. Couples of all ages are encouraged to attend! A referral list of FLY Youth is available if you need help finding childcare. To register, sign up on the poster by the office before March 23.



The 24th Annual Tim Orth Memorial Foundation Basketball Jamboree will be held at the Glencoe/Silver Lake High School Gym on Sat., April 2, 2022. Doors open at 4 p.m. and games begin at 5:30 p.m. Admission is \$10 for adults and \$6 for students. Proceeds will help defray medical expenses for Amelia Eiden, Hutchinson; Aspen Kern, Hutchinson; Miko Monroe, Hutchinson; Leland Wojcik, Silver Lake; Eeve Buss, Litchfield and Austin Hobert, Cokato. Donations can be sent to TOMF via Ralph Johnson at 558 Juergens Rd. Hutchinson, MN 55350. Questions can be directed to Ralph at 320-587-6733.

Common Cup Ministry Update

CCM annual meeting Monday, March 21, at 12 noon at Hunter's Ridge Community Church. All are welcome to attend. Reports on our outreach programs will be given by director, Bev Bonte and program director, Jen Wicklund.

Support Group Notes

- 1) ***Grief Support*** - A new session will be held April 21, 28, May 12, and 19 at 4 p.m. in the office conference room.
- 2) ***Caregiver Support Group*** - this group will take a break from April - August, resuming Thursday, September 29.
- 3) ***FACe*** - cancer support group will continue at 9 a.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month in the office conference room.



Seniors' Potluck

Potluck will be on Thursday, March 31, beginning at 12 noon. After we eat, Mary Hodson from the Chamber of Commerce will speak to us about Hutchinson industries and businesses present, and those coming soon.



Spring Food Drive

"Watch the Food Garden Grow"

Now through April 11, the Congregational Life Team is inviting you to bring in non-perishable food to help restock the McLeod County Food Shelf. Please check your *Faith Matters* for a list of items most needed, then bring your donations in and place them in the garden box by door #2. Thank you!



8:00 First Word

Computer: Jan Kreie
Music: Ronda Eckhart
Reader: Virgene Shellenbarger
Sound: Dave Skaar
Ushers: Charlie Karg, Dave Lennon, Willy and Trudy Johnson
Video: Janet Meier

10:10 Sanctuary

Computer: Lynn Lange
Music: Ronda Eckhart
Reader: Denise Kruse
Sound: Mark Guggemos
Ushers: Ross and Stacie Jurek
Video: Dick Krueger

10:10 Foundation

Computer: Sara Wegner
Music: Austin Willhite, Leah Kamrath and Shannon Kling
Reader: Niki Pokornowski
Ushers: Eric and Chelsey Schumaci
AV: Jeff Krueger



This week's events

2022

Sunday, March 20

8 a.m. First Word service
9 a.m. Sunday School, B23, & First Communion
9:15 a.m. Digging Deeper
10:10 a.m. Sanctuary service
10:10 a.m. Foundation service with Holy Communion
2:00 p.m. Confirmation Retreat students return (time is approximate)
6 p.m. Crossways year 1

Monday, March 21

10:30 a.m. Majoring in the Minors Bible study

Tuesday, March 22

6 a.m. A. P. Theology
9 a.m. Today's Faith Encouragement
9 a.m. Exercise
12 p.m. Lectionary study - Zoom option
5:15 p.m. Faith Group with dinner

Wednesday, March 23

7 a.m. Morning Prayer on Facebook
9 a.m. Elementary Release Time
9 a.m. FACe Group
2:30 p.m. 56er's
3:30 p.m. First Communion make-up

Wednesday, March 23 (continued)

5 p.m. Ringers of Faith
6:30 p.m. Lenten service
7 p.m. FLYouth Night
7:15 p.m. Confirmation small groups
7:30 p.m. Faith Singers

Thursday, March 24

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible study
9 a.m. Today's Faith Encouragement
12 p.m. Theo Thursday
6:30 p.m. Crossways year 3

Friday, March 25

7 a.m. Women's Bible study
9 a.m. Women's Bible study
1 p.m. Bulletin Assembly
6:30 p.m. Date Night with the Swensons

Sunday, March 27

8 a.m. First Word service
9 a.m. Sunday School, and First Communion
9:15 a.m. Digging Deeper
10:10 a.m. Sanctuary service
10:10 a.m. Foundation service with Holy Communion
6 p.m. Crossways year 1
7 p.m. Nerds of the Rings

Tuesday Lectionary Study

Texts for next week: Isaiah 12:1-6, II Corinthians 5:16-21 and Luke 15:1-3, 11-32.
You can participate in this study in person in the office conference room or via Zoom. Contact the church office for the Zoom link.

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





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

<p><u>Pastors</u> 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</p>	<p>Staff can be reached by calling the office at 320-587-2093 or by e-mailing office@faithlc.com.</p>
<p><u>Staff</u> Marsha Schmit, Director of Pastoral Care and Evangelism Kristen Durst, Director of Youth and Family Ministry Laura Stowman, Director of Children and Family Ministry Austin Willhite, Director of Music and Worship Wendy Magruder, Administrative Assistant Sara Wegner, Finance Coordinator Owen Weikle, Custodial Services Coordinator</p>	

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



- ◆ *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 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.