



FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ
Augustana District

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Sunday, November 6, 2022



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.



**SPECIAL
MISSION SUNDAY
DIGGING DEEPER**
*Today, November 13,
at 9:15 a.m.*

Abdul Messiah, son of K.K. Alavi, will lead a special Digging Deeper today in the Faith Center. He will share with us the joys and challenges of preparing witnesses to Jesus Christ who can go out to the people in India, especially to those of the Muslim faith. Come and hear about this amazing mission that Faith supports.

Worship Attendance Matters!

Worship Attendance From Last Week

First Word - 126
Sanctuary - 111
Foundation - 180



The radio broadcast today was sponsored by Dennis and Sandy Langehaug.



Faith Serves High School Free Lunch



One way that you can serve locally is to lend a hand serving the high school free lunch this coming **Thursday, November 17, 10 a.m.—1 p.m.** Kristen needs help with prep and set-up, serving, and clean-up. If you are not available the full three hours, you are encouraged to help for whatever part of that time you are available. Call the church office to plug in.



Baptized Today Sunday, November 13, 2022

Fallon Jane Albrecht
daughter of Aaron Albrecht
and Kelly Rauch
Sponsors: Brad & Jessica
Bening, Joe Rauch and
Leah Mullenburg

November Is Mission / Hunger Appeal Month at FLC

Our goal for the year is to pass well beyond our minimum annual goal of \$5,000. We are trusting that, moved by the Spirit, we can **double that amount**. The funds raised will be used to support three FLC Missions. The first 45% will be shared locally through Common Cup Ministries. Bev Bonte, the long time director, recently shared the challenges they face meeting increasing needs. International partners will receive 55% of the offerings: 35% to the Bishara Center in India through New Hope Mission Society and 20% through Friends Of Madagascar Mission.

Gifts for the *Hunger Appeal* can be given through offering envelopes marked *Hunger Appeal*, on Mission Sunday, Thanksgiving, or any time in November. You can also make an online donation through the FLC website.



FLCW Announcements

- 1) **Board meeting** this Monday, Nov. 14, at 4:30 p.m. in the office conference room.
- 2) **Annual Meeting (ALL WOMEN OF FAITH ARE INVITED)** on Sunday, Nov. 20, at 11:30 a.m. Join other women for appetizers, hot cider, a short annual meeting to disperse funds and a fun craft project.
- 3) Invite your family and friends to the **Christmas Lunch** on Saturday, Dec. 10, from 11 a.m.—1 p.m. This event will include beautifully decorated tables, a delicious lunch, door prizes and a parade of prayer shawls. Sign up forms are in the bulletin to decorate a table. Tickets are \$10 each and go on sale at the annual meeting.



Book Club

Meeting this Monday,
Nov. 14 at 3 p.m. in the
office conference room.

Thanksgiving Worship Opportunities

**Thanksgiving Eve: Wednesday,
Nov. 23 at 6:30 p.m.** come for
worship and stay for pie and coffee
afterwards. (Sign-up to bring your
favorite pie today.)

**Thanksgiving Day: Thursday,
Nov. 24 at 10 a.m.**

***Both services will include Holy
Communion.***

Church offices will be closed
on Thursday.

Ministry Teams: Meet this Tuesday,
Nov. 15, beginning at 6 p.m. (come a
half-hour early to help pack welcome
baskets for HOMES). **Church Council**
meeting will follow at 7:30 p.m.

Faith Financials

For the first time in several years, offerings given to Faith Lutheran have fallen well short of our budgeted expenses. The difference was especially wide in August and September. Since then, giving has risen again, but the church still faces a large deficit in the General Fund.

Between now and the end of the 2022, Faith needs to receive *a little more than \$200,000* in offerings to break even on the year. That is a very large amount, to be sure, but it is similar to the deficits the church faced back in 2018 and before. Please pray about how God has blessed you to be a blessing and give as you are able to do so in these last weeks of the year to maintain the financial health of our church.
Thank You!

Tuesday Lectionary Study

You are invited to participate in this study on Tuesdays at 12 noon in the office conference room or via Zoom. The texts for next week, Christ the King Sunday, are: Malachi 3:13-18, Colossians 1:13-20 and Luke 23:27-43.

Coming Together in Song

This annual Common Cup Ministry concert/fundraiser will be held next Sunday, November 20, 4 p.m. at Christ the King. Come out and hear a number of talented local choirs.



Operation Christmas Child Thank you!

WOW! We set a new record for the number of boxes packed for OCC this year ~ 333 total boxes, about a hundred more than ever before. WOW!

Snow Birds: If it is time for you to head south for the winter, don't forget to update the church with your winter address.

Weather Cancellation Texts: Would you like to receive a text message when there is a weather or other necessary cancellation of events at Faith? If so, please call 587-2093 or e-mail the church office at office@faithlc.com with the phone number at which you would like to receive the texts.

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)

Gerald Kaddatz (National Guard, southern boarder of the United States, son of Darlene Horrmann)

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

LT Brett Stadskev (Navy, Yokosuka, Japan, son-in-law of Judy and Tom Felber)

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



Please contact the church office to make any changes or editions to this list.

Pastors and Staff

Pastor Scott Grorud
Pastor Dave Wollan
Pastor Paul Knudson
Pastor Paulus Pilgrim, Visitation Pastor
Pastoral Intern Jeff Amundson
Rev. K.K. Alavi and Abdul Messiah ~ Missionaries in India
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
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Meet the
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TV Broadcast

Live: Channel 7 Sundays at 8 a.m.
Pre-Recorded:
Nuvera Ch. 10 and Mediacom Ch. 8
Sundays at 10 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Tuesdays at 5 p.m.
Thursdays at 10 p.m.

Radio Broadcast

Pre-Recorded:
KDUZ 1260 AM
Sundays at 8 a.m.

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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 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.

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Holy Communion

Holy Communion is served at the First Word and Sanctuary services on the first and second Sunday and at 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.



