



FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Lutheran Congregations in Mission for
Christ - Augustana District

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Sunday, April 16, 2023
Second Sunday
Of Easter

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.



The Digging Deeper classes resume today at 9:15 a.m.

“Dusting Off Theology” featuring Dr. Jim Nestingen Meeting in the Faith Center.

Answering God—The Psalms as Tools for Prayer Meeting in the third-floor conference room.

new MEMBERS CLASS

New Members orientation session will begin today in the third-floor multi-purpose room. If you would still like to join this group, please contact Marsha at marshas@faithlc.com or call 587-2093. Thank



Baptized Today
Sunday, April 16, 2023

Charlotte Joy Boike
daughter of Evan and Jessica Boike
Sponsors: Jon & Erin Spies and Selena Olson

Walker Dean Schmidt
Son of Mathew Schmidt and Taylor Best
Sponsors: Brittany Geib and Breanna Buboltz

Worship Attendance Matters!

Worship Attendance From Last Week

Maundy Thursday—340, 190
Good Friday—336
Easter Sunday—132, 240, 337, and 145



The radio broadcast today is sponsored by Kurt and Mona Hjerpe in memory of Howard Hjerpe.



B23, for children birth to 3 years old and their parents, will meet today at 9:10 a.m. in the church nursery.

FLOWERS

Thank you for all of the beautiful donated Easter flowers. Those who donated them may now take the one they purchased home. They are labeled with your names.



Faith Quilters

You will see a number of beautiful handmade quilts around the church today. Faith has a dedicated group of ladies that meet each month to make quilts that are donated around the world.

They meet at 9 a.m. the first Wednesday of every month and always welcome newcomers of any skill level.

The Quilters are looking for someone who has a van or enclosed pick-up that would be willing to haul quilts to Global Health Ministries in Fridley two or three times a year. If you are willing to support this ministry in this way, please contact Wendy in the church office.



McLeod County Food Shelf Donation Thank You!

You donated 613 pounds of food and \$225 to the food shelf this year.



Ministry Team and Church Council Retreat

A reminder to all ministry team and council members that the April meeting is on Tuesday, April 18. It will begin a half hour early, at 5:30 p.m. After a light supper, everyone will work together until around 8 p.m.



Rummage Sale Week is Almost Here!

The event will begin with table set-up next Sunday, April 23, right after worship.

Donations will be accepted and organized Mon., April, 24—Wed., April 26, each day from 8 a.m.—5 p.m. Help is needed each day for these tasks.

The sale will run Thursday from 8 a.m. — 8 p.m. and Friday from 8 a.m.—6 p.m. More hands are needed those two days.

Volunteers are also needed for clean-up on Saturday from 9 a.m.—12 noon.

We encourage you prayerfully to consider how you may be able to help with the sale this year. Please contact Bobbi Knudson at 587-2227 to let her know how and when you can lend a hand.

Needed for Sunday School

Empty egg cartons
(need by 4-19-23)

Clear 2 Liter Bottles
(need by 6-19-23)

Please bring all donations
to the church office.
Thank you!

Needed for Newborn and Hospice Kits

Another round of newborn and hospice kits
will be assembled soon. Items still needed to
assemble a goal of 60 kits are:

- 30 bath towels
- 8 bars of soap – either Ivory or Dove
- 17 toothbrushes
- 18 pick style combs
- 15 nail clippers
- 24 small jars or tubes of Vaseline
- 29 pairs of household gloves

Donations can be dropped off in the church
office in the bin marked *Newborn and Hospice
Kits*.



Common Cup Ministry ~ Winter Coat Collection

Common Cup Ministry is now collecting warm coats, snow pants, and boots until the end of May. There is a collection box right outside the church office. These will be distributed at the fall Warm Coat Distribution event.



Please Pray

In 2023, the Augustana District Council is inviting its congregations to join in prayer for specific congregations and their leaders each month. Please add to your prayer list this week: Grace Lutheran in Erhard, MN and Grace Lutheran in McGregor, MN.

Faith Book Club

The Faith Book Club will meet on Monday evening at 7 p.m. in the main floor conference room. Our current book is *Dovetails in Tall Grass* by Samantha Specks.



Tuesday Lectionary Study

You are invited to participate in this study on Tuesdays at 12 noon in the office conference room. The texts for next week are: Acts 2:14a, 36-41, I Peter 1:17-25, and Luke 24:13-35.

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)
Mason Rutledge (Navy, New Orleans, LA - son of Lenny Rutledge and Patti Rutledge)
Pat Scharn (Air Force Reserves, Africa - husband of Elizabeth and son of Allen and Nicki Scharn)
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 additions 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
Owen Weikle, Custodial Services Coordinator
Erika Smith, Nursery Attendant



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Live: Channel 7 Sundays at 8 a.m.
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Sundays at 10 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Tuesdays at 5 p.m.
Thursdays at 10 p.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.

