



Lutheran Congregations in Mission for
Christ ~ Augustana District

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Sunday, April 30, 2023
Fourth 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.



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

Worship Attendance Matters!
Worship Attendance From Last Week
First Word ~ 124
Sanctuary ~ 139
Foundation ~ 143

“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.



The radio broadcast today is sponsored by Sue Graff in memory of her husband, Steve.



Welcome New Members

Please join the staff in welcoming new members as they are received into membership during the 10:10 sanctuary service today. You can see their pictures and names on the insert.

New members are invited to meet the church staff during a light lunch in the Faith Center following worship.



FLOWERS

We are blessed to have flowers on the altar today from an anonymous donor.

Bless the Years Sunday

Next week, Sunday, May 7, we are excited to celebrate Bless the Years Sunday at all three services. Many of our seniors are looking forward to seeing all of you there.

Handel's
MESSIAH

Sunday, May 7, 2023 @ 3 p.m.

PERFORMED AT CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH

CONCERT PRESENTED BY CHRIST THE KING
AND FAITH LUTHERAN CHORAL ENSEMBLES



Sip n' Shine Day

You are invited to come help shine up the church on Tuesday, May 2, beginning at 9 a.m. Volunteers are needed to help dust and with other small projects, inside and out.

Stay for coffee and fellowship after the work is done. Contact Virginia Brodd at 320-587-5943 with questions. Thank you!



Opportunities to Serve

- 1) Thursday, May 4, is Faith's last turn for this school year to serve the High School Free Lunch at Crosspoint. Please contact Kristen at kristenm@faithlc.com if you have an hour or two to lend a hand.
- 2) A group (Bible study, family, friends, etc.) is needed to prepare and serve the May 7 Free Community Meal at Faith. Funding is available for groceries. Please contact the church office at 587-2093 if you have a group willing to provide this meal.

**Summer Camp
SCHOLARSHIPS**

Bible Camp Scholarships

Faith has 13 students attending Bible Camp this summer during the week of July 16—21 at Ingham Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camps.

We love to help lower the cost for our campers. If you would like to support our campers, please contact Laura Stowman to donate to the camperships. Thank you!



Faith Quilters

Join the gang on Wednesday, May 3, beginning at 9 a.m. on the third floor.



Confirmation Mentor Meeting

This coming Wednesday, May 3, at 5:30 p.m. Please let Kristen know if you are meeting at a different time or place.

Common Cup Ministry ~ Winter Coat Collection

Common Cup Ministry is 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

The Augustana District Council invites you, and all district congregations, to join in prayer for specific sister congregations and their leaders each month. Please add to your prayer list this week: Hazel Run Lutheran in Hazel Run, MN and Heritage Lutheran in Brandon, SD.

This week you are also invited to pray for the District Convention that will be held on May 6, at Mount Carmel in Alexandria, MN.

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, Bless the Year's Sunday, are: Psalm 71, II Corinthians 4:16-18, and John 14:1-6.

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



Staff can be reached by calling the office at 320-587-2093 or by e-mailing office@faithlc.com.

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.

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.

