



Faith Lutheran Church  
Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ  
Augustana District

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Sunday,  
April 14, 2024

Worship Attendance  
From Last Week

First Word - 120  
Sanctuary - 98  
Foundation - 171

### 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 radio broadcast today was sponsored by Allan and Linda Nyman.



### WHY is Faith Lutheran Considering a Building Project?

We invite you—no, highly encourage you—in fact, we’re begging you to join us in the sanctuary for a **Building Faith Presentation** at 9:10 a.m. today.

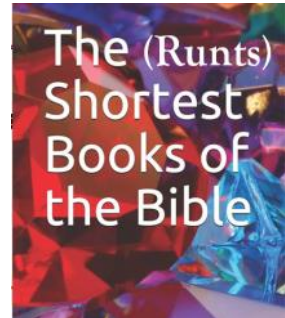
This is an opportunity to come and hear why we need this new space, what the vision for it is, and what God might do with it. In the meantime, there are three displays around the church with the architect’s plans and examples of what Phase II might look like. Take a few minutes and look them over, then come to the presentation to hear more. Let’s look at the future and how we can Build Faith together!



Adult Education Option  
Beginning Today

### The Runts: The Shortest Books of the Bible

It’s easy to overlook the little guys. The Bible is full of wonderful writing and compelling subject matter. From Romans to Isaiah, Genesis to Luke, Psalms to Galatians, the educational possibilities are endless! And because of that, brief books like Haggai, Obadiah, Philemon, II and III John, and Jude often get passed by for something lengthier. Most of those books are only one chapter long! This class will give these short books the attention they’re due. We’ll examine one book each session and explore the general circumstances and message of each. Join us in the Faith Center at 9:15 a.m. beginning today.





### **Baptized Today**

*Sunday, April 14, 2024*



#### **Watson Louis Schloeder**

son of Nicholas and Lauren Schloeder

Sponsors: Zak & Brittney Swenson  
and Anah Lee

#### **Laketon Dean Trout**

son of Alex and Jessica Trout

Sponsors: Trenten Hanson  
and Alia Meyer



### **Lost and Found**

Please take a moment and check the items on the **Lost and Found** table in the office gathering space. There are a

lot of clothing items, drink cups, and so much more. Any items left after worship today will be donated to the rummage sale.



### **Easter Flower Pick-Up**

Thank you to all of you who ordered Easter flowers. You are welcome to pick up your ordered flower (there are name tags on all but the lilies) and take them home today.



### **April Free Community Meal**

The Faith Quilters will serve the free community meal today from 4-5:30 p.m. They will be serving pulled pork sandwiches with chips, pickles, dessert and drinks. Take a night off from cooking and come let them serve you supper.



### **Rummage Sale Week is Here!**

Today help is needed to carry tables, and items from the crawl space and garage, such as clothes racks, shoe racks, benches, etc. up to the third-floor. Please stay and lend a hand for just a little while after the 10:10 a.m. services.

You can bring your donations for the sale on Monday and Tuesday from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. and Wednesday from 8 a.m. - 12 noon.

*Please do not bring: TV's, computers, large appliances or exercise equipment.*

Please consider coming in on Saturday from 9-11 a.m. to load items into the DAV truck, help put tables away, and to get the Sunday school rooms put back in order.



### **Reminder for Church Council and Ministry Team Members**

Remember that you will all meet in the Faith Center at 5:30 p.m. (1/2 hour early) for the annual retreat this Tuesday, April 16.



### Pool Party!

You are invited to join the Children Youth and Family ministry team for a pool party next Sunday, April 21, from 2-4 p.m. at the Middle School Pool.

This event is open to all ages and there is no charge, however, a free will offering will be accepted to help cover expenses.

### Seniors' Potluck

The April potluck will be held on Thursday, April 25, beginning with potluck dinner at 12:00 noon. Linda McGraw will be with us to speak about "Spring Gardening." Bring a friend.  
*"See you at Seniors' Potluck."*



**May Day Baskets and Mother's Day Cards:** Come to Faith on Saturday, April 27, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and join the FLCW in making May Day Baskets and Mother's Day cards. Everything needed to make a basket, card or both, will be supplied. Registration is required for this intergenerational event to ensure we have enough supplies for everyone. We will meet on the third-floor in the kitchenette. Please bring a snack to share and your own beverage. There is a sign-up sheet in the church office or you may register by leaving a message on the Faith Lutheran Church Women Hutchinson MN group on Facebook. A free will offering will be accepted to help with supply costs.

### **Summer Registrations Open!**

**Vacation Bible School** is for children who have completed Preschool—4th grade. This year it will be held at Faith Lutheran Church on June 24 –27 from 9 a.m.—noon.

You can register via this QR code.

### **NEEDED FOR VBS**

Laura is asking for donations of **toilet paper rolls and egg cartons** (one dozen size, cardboard only). You can drop them off in the church office by June 10.



## Faith Lutheran College Scholarship Applications

### SCHOLARSHIP Application

If you are a high school senior or college student who is a member of FLC or you are the parent of a qualifying student, you can find the scholarship application on the FLC webpage, faithlc.com, under the Youth tab. The application deadline is May 6. Recipients will be notified mid-May.

### Blessing Box



The Blessing Box continues to bless our neighbors every day. The Church in the World ministry team budgets to provide some groceries each month, but by the end of the month the supplies are growing thin. Gifts of non-perishable food items, personal care and paper products are always a blessing. It works best if you bring your donations to the church office, rather than the Blessing Box. Thank you!



### Caregiver Support Group

The next Caregiver Support Group meeting will be this coming Thursday, April 18, at 4 p.m. and will meet in the office conference room.



### 8:00 First Word

**Computer:** Justin Beck

**Music:** Sharon Barton

**Reader:** Paulus Pilgrim

**Sound:** Dave Skaar

**Ushers:** June Dawson, Patti Flemming, Nancy Koelln, and Jeraldine Rohrbach

**Video:** Dick Krueger

### 10:10 Sanctuary

**Acolytes:** Lola and Libby Bradford

**Computer:** Kim Pearson

**Music:** Lara Liepold and Kaylee Scheevel

**Reader:** Virgene Shellenbarger

**Sound:** Mark Guggemos

**Ushers:** Curt & Julie Wendland, and Gordy Reinke

**Video:** Steve Wendland

### 10:10 Foundation

**AV:** Josh Kamrath

**Computer:** Lisa Sanders

**Music:** Andy Dawkins, Kevin Elton, Leah Kamrath, and Austin Willhite

**Reader:** Niki Pokornowski

**Ushers:** Langins family





**Sunday, April 14**

**8 a.m. First Word Service with Holy Communion**

9 a.m. Sunday School, and Confirmation

9:10 a.m. Building Faith Presentation, Digging Deeper and New Member Class

**10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service with Holy Communion**

**10:10 a.m. Foundation Service**

11:30 a.m. Young Men's Bible study

11:30 a.m. Rummage Sale set-up

4 p.m. Free Community Meal

6 p.m. Crossways year 3

**Monday, April 15**

10:30 a.m. The Origins Story  
(The Book of Genesis)

**Tuesday, April 16**

6 a.m. A.P. Theology

8:00 a.m. Middle School Release Time

**9 a.m. Matins**

9 a.m. Exercise

12 p.m. Lectionary

2 p.m. Communion at Harmony River

5:30 p.m. Ministry Team and Church Council Retreat

**Wednesday, April 17**

**7 a.m. Morning Prayer on Facebook**

**9 a.m. Matins**

2:30 p.m. 56ers

3:30 p.m. Kids' Music Club

5:30 p.m. Confirmation Mentor meeting

**Wednesday, April 17 (Continued)**

5:30 p.m. Faith Singers

7 p.m. FLY Youth Unity Night

**Thursday, April 18**

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible study

**9 a.m. Matins**

2 p.m. Bible study at the Pines

4 p.m. Caregiver Support Group

**Friday, April 19**

7 a.m. Women's Bible study

12:30 p.m. Bulletin Assembly

7 p.m. Middle School Powerhouse

**Saturday, April 20**

9 a.m. Rummage Sale Clean-up

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9 a.m. Sunday School, and Confirmation

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**10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service**

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**Weekly Lectionary Study**

Lectionary is a weekly study of the upcoming sermon texts that is open to everyone.

This study meets on Tuesdays from 12-1 p.m. in the office conference room. Texts for this week are Acts 4:1-12, I John 3:16-24, and John 10:11-18. These texts will also be used for morning Matins throughout the week.

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

Mason Rutledge (Navy, New Orleans, LA - son of Lenny Rutledge and Patti Rutledge)

LtCdr. Brett Stadskev (Navy, San Diego, CA - son-in-law of Judy and Tom Felber)



**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, Missions  
Pastor Paulus Pilgrim, Visitation Pastor  
Pastoral Associate Jeff Amundson  
Rev. K.K. Alavi and Abdul Messiah ~ Missionaries in India  
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Kristen Durst, Director of Youth and Family Ministry  
Laura Stowman, Director of Children and Family Ministry  
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Owen Weikle, Custodial Services Coordinator  
Erika Smith, Nursery Attendant



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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.



- ◆ *Please sign the welcome pads* located at the end of the pew in the sanctuary or the clipboards as they are passed around in 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 the first and second Sunday of each month and in the Foundation services on the third and fourth Sundays.

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.

