



Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ  
Augustana District

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Sunday,  
March 9, 2025

Worship Attendance  
Last Sunday

First Word - 143  
Sanctuary - 116  
Foundation - 163  
Ash Wednesday - 78 & 178

### 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.



These Digging Deeper sessions are held Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m.

### New Digging Deeper Opportunities Begin Today!

#### Jesus' Closing Argument: *Final Disputes During Holy Week*

Matthew, Mark and Luke all record a similar series of controversies that Jesus addressed in the week before his crucifixion. Join Pastor Scott in the Faith Center to explore these key texts during Lent.

#### **Imperfect Parents:**

#### *Building Relationships and Teaching Values To Teens*

Join Pastor Dave and other parents in the office conference room as we confess our struggles as parents of teens and look at how we can intentionally strive to connect with our kids.



#### Lenten Services

These special services will be held for the next five weeks on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. with a rotation of pastors

from other area LCMC congregations.

Confirmation small groups will meet each week after these worship services.



The radio broadcast today was sponsored by Lynn and Margaret Splittgerber in honor of their wedding anniversary this week.

FREE  
**community**  
MEAL

#### Free Community Meal

Today from 4:30-6 p.m. today.

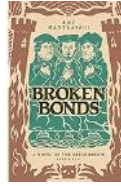


#### **Stewardship Corner**

Like to organize craft supplies? Laura is looking for a few helpers to organize the upstairs and downstairs curriculum closets, along with the cabinets in the kitchenette. Please let Laura know you can help lauras@faithlc.com or 587-2093.

*Did you know that we all have a need to give whether by doing or giving what God has first given us?*

## March Opportunities for Adults



- 1) **Theo Thursday is back!** Theo Thursday is an adult book study that meets with Pastor Dave in the Faith Center at noon on Thursdays, beginning on March 13. Join in this study of *Broken Bonds* by Amy Mantravadi, which imaginatively explores the pivotal events and figures of the Reformation! Order the book, pack your lunch, and we will see you there.
- 2) **Date Night:** Friday, March 28, at 6:30 p.m. Come for a night of marriage encouragement, enrichment and fun! The night will feature a catered dinner and a couple's "check-in," as we look at some key areas of our relationships. We'll enjoy conversations with other couples, as well as some time for individual couples to connect. This event is free for all married and pre-married couples, but please RSVP to 320-587-2093 or office@faithlc.com by March 23.

## Mission Trip Pizza Fundraiser

Order an Unhinged Pizza from any of the FLY youth before March 23 to support the summer mission trip. All purchases will directly benefit the student you order from. Pizza delivery day is March 30.

## "Help the Food Garden Grow"

Through the end of March, the Congregational Life team invites you to bring in non-perishable food and other items listed below to support the McLeod County food shelf. Please place your donations in the garden box by door #2.

**Most Needed Items:** canned fruits and vegetables, whole grain cereals and pasta, nuts, canned meats, baking items, personal care and household items. Cash can also be donated by bringing those gifts to the church office rather than placing them in the box.

Thank you to everyone who has turned in your **Leap of Faith pledge card**. If you have not turned yours in yet, you can do so in the office or by mail. If you need another card, one is available in the church office.



## Lenten Picnic

The Faith Lutheran Annual Lenten Picnic will be on Wed., March 26, from 5:00 – 6:15 p.m. in the Faith Center. Come for a picnic supper and to spend some time in fellowship with the Faith family before the 6:30 p.m. worship service.

**A New Member Orientation Class** will begin on March 23. Please contact Marsha at



587-2093 if you are interested in participating.

### 8:00 First Word

**Acolytes:** Maddox Varpness and Adalyn Mayer

**Computer:** Kayleen Jensen

**Music:** Sharon Barton

**Reader:** Pastor Paulus Pilgrim

**Sound:** Dave Skaar

**Ushers:** Carlie Karg, Dave Lennon, and Scott & Austin Vacek

**Video:** Brett Johnson

### 10:10 Sanctuary

**Acolytes:** Sam Schumann and Caleb Duering

**Computer:** Lynn Lange

**Music:** Sharon Barton

**Reader:** Dorothy Desens

**Sound:** Joel Sheggeby

**Ushers:** Roger Wersal and John Muske

### Foundation

**AV:** Jeff Krueger

**Music:** Tabettha Dawkins, Leah Kamrath, and Kristen Durst

**Reader:** Richard Settergren

Heartfelt  
**THANKS**  
TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!

*This week's events*

**Sunday, March 9**

*Daylight Savings Time Begins*

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

9 a.m. Sunday School and Confirmation

9:15 a.m. Digging Deeper Opportunities

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

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

4 p.m. Free Community Meal

6 p.m. Crossways year 1

**Monday, March 10**

10:30 a.m. Exodus Bible Study

3:30 p.m. FLCW Board Meeting

6:30 p.m. Crossways

6:30 p.m. Book Club

**Tuesday, March 11**

6 a.m. AP Theology

**9 a.m. Matins**

11 a.m. Prayer Group

12 p.m. Lectionary

5:30 p.m. Ringers of Faith

**Wednesday, March 12**

**7 a.m. Morning Prayer**

**9 a.m. Matins**

**Wednesday, March 12 (Continued)**

9 a.m. Faith Quilters

5:30 p.m. Messiah Rehearsal

**6:30 p.m. Lenten Worship Service**

7 p.m. FLY Youth Night

**Thursday, March 13**

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

**9 a.m. Matins**

10 a.m. FAcE Group meeting

12 p.m. Theo Thursday

1:30 p.m. Communion at the Oaks

2 p.m. Communion at the Pines

**Friday, March 14**

7 a.m. Women's Bible study

9 a.m. Women's Bible study

12:30 p.m. Bulletin Assembly

**Saturday, March 15**

Church offices are closed

**Sunday, March 16**

**8 a.m. First Word Service**

9 a.m. Sunday School, Confirmation, and First Communion Class

9:15 a.m. Digging Deeper Opportunities

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

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

6 p.m. Crossways year 1

**Tuesday Lectionary Study**

Lectionary study is a weekly discussion of the upcoming sermon texts that is open to everyone. It meets on Tuesdays from 12-1 p.m. in the office conference room. The readings for next week are Jeremiah 26:8-15, Philippians 3:17-4:1 and Luke 13:31-35. These texts are also used for the weekly Matins services.



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

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

Spc. Jones R. Reid (Space Force, Patrick, FL- son of Melissa Straka, grandson of Sherry Schuetz)

**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  
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  
Monica Schiller, Nursery Supervisor



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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 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 for more information.
- ◆ Thank you for turning off your **cell phones** during worship.

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## **Holy Communion**

Holy Communion is served at the First Word and Sanctuary Services on the first and second Sunday of each month and at the Foundation Service 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.