

# THE FOUNDATION

Faith Lutheran (LCMC)

Hutchinson, MN

April 6, 2025

The Fifth Sunday in Lent

Season Color: Purple

*I will send my beloved son;  
perhaps they will respect him.*

Luke 20:13b



## What Does This Mean?

1. Why would the tenants in the parable think that such an absurd strategy would work? And yet, how/why do we often do the same?
2. Why would the owner of the vineyard keep foolishly sending servants and then his own son?
3. How is the reality even more absurd than the fiction?

Gathering Music

Welcome/Announcements

Opening Song

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness

Songs

New Member Reception

Prayers of the Church and Lord's Prayer

Offering

Offertory Response

Readings ..... Isaiah 43:16-21 and Philippians 3:4b-14

Faith Seeds ..... Niki Pokornowski

Faith Seeds is a time for children of all ages to come forward for a lesson geared to them. Afterward, children ages 3-years old through 1<sup>st</sup> grade may join Sprouts for an age-appropriate learning activity during the sermon. They will return to their parents shortly after the sermon ends.

Gospel ..... Luke 20:9-20

Sermon ..... "An Absurd Grace" ..... Pastor Dave Wollan

Service of Holy Baptism: **Briella Maryann Wacek**

daughter of Monte and Meranda Wacek

Sponsor: Andrea Strey

Apostles' Creed and Baptismal Welcome

Benediction

Closing Song

**Nursery:** The main floor nursery is now staffed Sunday mornings from 9-11:30 a.m. to make it easier for parents of very young children to attend Digging Deeper and to have fewer distractions during worship.

**Sprouts Note:** Sprouts may not be offered every week. To continue to offer Sprouts we do need adult volunteers to lead this group. Please contact Laura at lauras@faithlc.com to learn how you can help.

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