

**Pastors and Staff**

Pastor Scott Grorud  
Pastor Dave Wollan  
Pastor Paul Knudson, Missions  
Pastor Paulus Pilgrim, Visitation Pastor  
Pastoral Associate, Jeff Amundson  
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 Service  
Monica Schiller, Nursery Supervisor

**TV Broadcast**

Live: Ch. 7 Sundays at 8 a.m.  
Pre-Recorded:  
Nuvera Ch. 10 & Mediacom Ch. 8  
Sundays at 10 a.m., & 5 p.m.  
Tuesdays at 5 p.m.  
Thursdays at 10 p.m.

- Please sign the welcome pads located at the end of the pew in the sanctuary or on the clipboards as they are passed around in the foundation. Please include your address and phone number if you are visiting.
- 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.

**Holy Communion**

Holy Communion is served at the First Word and and 10:10 a.m.  
Sanctuary services on the first and second Sunday of each month  
and in the 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.



Staff can be reached by calling the office at 320-587-2093 or by sending an e-mail to [office@faithlc.com](mailto:office@faithlc.com)



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**Welcome to Faith Lutheran Church**

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 come: this church opens wide its doors in the name of Jesus Christ.

**Sunday, December 21, 2025**  
**Worship Attendance**

**Last Sunday**  
First Word - 118  
Sanctuary - 80  
Foundation - 125  
Advent - 100

The Radio Broadcast today  
is sponsored by Dick Lennes in  
memory of Sandy.



**Digging Deeper**  
**Concluding Today**

**I’ll Be Home for Christmas**  
Meeting in the Faith Center.

**Raising Passionate Jesus Followers**  
Meeting in the office  
conference room.

It’s Christmas week! We still need help with ushering and handing out candles at all of the Christmas services. Please let Marsha know which service you plan to attend and if you can help – [marshas@faithlc.com](mailto:marshas@faithlc.com) or 587-2093. Thank you!





**8:00 First Word**

**Acolytes:** Ava Flann and Grady Frykman  
**Camera:** Janet Meier  
**Computer:** Justin Beck  
**Music:** Ronda Eckhart  
**Reader:** Barb Hedin  
**Sound:** John Olsen  
**Ushers:** Gary Bielke, Colton McGlocklin, and Jim & Kathy Stueber

**10:10 Sanctuary**

**Acolytes:** Aubree LaCanne and Trevor Hanson  
**Camera:** Austin Willhite  
**Computer:** Lynn Lange  
**Music:** Tabetha Dawkins, Kaylee Entinger, Leah Kamrath, and Mike McDowell  
**Sound:** Mark Guggemos  
**Ushers:** Piehl family

**10:10 Foundation**

**A/V:** Jeff Kreuger  
**Computer:** Sara Wegner  
**Music:** Ronda Eckhart and Mona Hjerpe  
**Reader:** Barb Hedin

**Aftershock December 23**

This month there is a special Aftershock on Dec. 23. Laura is looking for some adult help with this ministry. Please contact her if you can help.

**Christmas Worship Opportunities**

**Christmas Eve Services Wednesday, Dec. 24**

Family service at 2 p.m.  
Simultaneous Foundation & Sanctuary services at 4 p.m.  
Sanctuary service at 6 p.m.  
Traditional service with Holy Communion at 11 p.m.

**Christmas Day Service Thursday, Dec. 25**

Traditional service with Holy Communion at 10 a.m.



**Joy to the World Offering / End-of-Year Giving**

Joy to the World offering envelopes have been mailed out and are available at the church for end-of-year gifts. The church office will be open on New Year's Eve and we ask that all end-of-year gifts be brought in by 12 noon, Wednesday, December 31.

**Bibleopoly**

How has your Bible reading been going? Have you been marking the boards as you complete a book? It is not too late to get a book or two on the board. We will get a count at the end of the year and are planning to celebrate your reading on Sunday, January 4, during the Digging Deeper hour. This celebration is for ALL AGES and for those who have read one book or the whole Bible.

**New 2026 Sign-up Boards**

The new, 2026 sign-up boards to sponsor radio broadcasts, provide flowers for worship, and free community meal serving opportunities, are now posted in the sanctuary gathering space.



**FLIP Sunday, December 21**

**8 a.m. First Word Service**  
9 a.m. Sunday School and Confirmation  
9:15 a.m. Digging Deeper  
**10:10 a.m. Foundation Service in Sanctuary with Sunday School Children singing Pre K-1<sup>st</sup> grade**  
**10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service in the Foundation**  
**2:00 p.m. Sunday School Children's Christmas Program with 2nd-5th graders**

**Monday, December 22**

**7 p.m. Vespers Service**

**Tuesday, December 23**

**9 a.m. Matins**  
9 a.m. *Faith Matters* assembly  
9:15 a.m. Exercise  
12 p.m. Lectionary Study  
1:30 p.m. Aftershock  
5:30 p.m. Ringers of Faith & Faith Singers Rehearsal

**Wednesday, December 24 (Christmas Eve)**

**2 p.m. Family Christmas Service**  
**4 p.m. Simultaneous Sanctuary and Foundation Services**  
**6 p.m. Traditional Service**  
**11 p.m. Traditional Service with Holy Communion**

**Thursday, December 25 (Christmas Day)**

*Church offices are closed*  
**10 a.m. Christmas Day Worship Service**

**Friday, December 26**

**12:30 p.m. Bulletin Assembly**

**Saturday, December 27**

*Church offices are closed*

**Sunday, December 28**

**8 a.m. First Word Service**  
**10:10 a.m. Combined Foundation/ Sanctuary Service with Holy Communion**

**Lectionary Study**

Lectionary study meets in the office conference room on Tuesdays at 12 noon. It is a great way to dig into the readings for the coming Sunday. The texts for next Sunday are: Isaiah 63:7-14, Galatians 4:4-7, and Matthew 2:13-23. Come when you can and feel free to bring your lunch along.

**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.**

