

Faith Lutheran (LCMC)
Hutchinson, MN
10:10 Foundation Service
(in the Sanctuary on FLIP Sunday)
December 21, 2025
Fourth Sunday of Advent



***Faith Seeds:** 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 1st grade may join Sprouts for an age-appropriate learning activity during the sermon. They will return to their parents shortly after the sermon ends.

***Nursery:** The main floor nursery is 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.

- Gathering Music
- Welcome/Announcements
- Opening Songs
- Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness
- Nicene Creed
- Lighting of the Advent Candle
- Offering
- Offertory Response
- Prayers of the Church
- Lord’s Prayer
- Sunday School Children Sing
- Faith Seeds* Kids’ Music Club
Following Faith Seeds, Sunday School children in pre-school - first-grade are invited to go to Sprouts for an age appropriate activity during the sermon.
- Song
- Readings Isaiah 7:10-17 and Romans 1:1-7
- Gospel Matthew 1:18-25
- Sermon “Wonderfully Weird” Pastor Scott Grorud
- Benediction
- Sending Song

What Does This Mean?

- 1. Why might it be important to “keep Christianity weird”?
- 2. What was seriously weird about God’s call to Joseph?
- 3. How is the Christmas Gospel inherently weird?
- 4. What makes the weirdness of Christianity truly wonderful?

Thank you to those who helped with the children for this special service, Tabettha Dawkins, Leah Kamrath, Sunday School teachers and Sprouts leaders.

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