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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.

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 on the clipboards as they are passed around 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



During the program year, Holy Communion is served at the 8:00 a.m. First Word and 10:10 a.m. Sanctuary services on the first and second Sunday of each month and in the Foundation the third and fourth Sunday of each month.

We welcome to the Lord's Table all baptized Christians who trust 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 by request.

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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.

Digging DEEPER

Digging Deeper Opportunities
Sundays at 9:15 a.m.

Martin Luther and the Specter of Islam
The rise of Islam, especially in the Western world, raises some troubling questions and concerns. A similar situation existed in Martin Luther's day, and he addressed the topic of Islam several times. This class will explore Luther's writings about Islam along with a new book on the topic by Adam Francisco, The Turk at the Door. Meeting in the Faith Center through December 20.

How to make Advent and Christmas more meaningful for you and your family. Meet in the main floor conference room to look ahead at the upcoming Gospel readings, explore what the readings and themes mean in our lives, color (yes, there is a matching coloring poster!), and take an activity home for you and your family, through December 13 (not meeting November 29).

Nursery is open from 9-11:30 a.m.

Sunday, Nov. 1, 2026
Worship Attendance
Last Week
First Word ~ 149
Sanctuary ~175
Foundation ~ 98
Confirmation ~ 233

Radio Broadcast
The radio broadcast today is sponsored by the FLC Seniors in honor of All Saints' Day.

New Member Class
A three-week New Member Class begins today, November 1, at 9 a.m. Meeting in the third-floor multi-use room.

Operation Christmas Child

You may have noticed the OCC displays around the church. Plans are underway for this amazing ministry. You can participate by taking a brochure and box home to pack, or you can donate items listed on the brochures to be packed at Faith by Nov. 9. The **56er's will pack on Nov. 11, Senior Potluck members will pack boxes on Nov. 12.** The greatest need is items for older children. Cash donations for postage can be brought to the office. **Boxes packed at home** should be **returned to Faith by Nov. 15** so boxes can be shipped out on Nov. 16.



8:00 First Word
Acolytes: Nolan Carter and Bennet Schumaci
Camera: Brett Johnson
Computer: Kayleen Jensen
Greeter: Scott Gandrud
Music: Ronda Eckhart
Reader: Jeff Amundson
Sound: John Olsen
Ushers: Roger & Ryan Wersal, Lenny Rutledge, and Patti Lenz

10:10 Sanctuary
Acolytes: Kylynn Koehler and Briley Killian
Computer: Jolene Mielke
Greeter: Niki Pokornowski
Music: Ronda Eckhart
Reader: Mona Hjerpe
Sound: Mark Guggemos
Ushers: Pat & Joy May, Josh Bryngelson, and Jalen Leikas

10:10 Foundation
A/V: Jeff Krueger
Computer: Nathan Stowman
Music: Tabetha Dawkins, Evan Boike, Hudson Maiers, Kaylee Entinger, and Justin Beck
Reader: Peyton Schumacher
Ushers/Greeters: Kellner family

A Hymn Festival Celebrating the Song of the Saints
TODAY / *3:00 p.m.*

Through beloved hymns, Scripture, prayer, and reflection, we will celebrate the songs of faith that unite the Church across generations on All Saints' Sunday. We will give thanks for the saints who have gone before us, for those who faithfully witness to Christ among us today, and for the promise that one day we will all be gathered together in God's eternal kingdom. Bring your neighbor or friend, and celebrate the enduring gift of the Church's song as we sing together in the communion of saints.

Aftershock

The November Aftershock will be held this Wednesday afternoon. Adult volunteers are vital to this program, so if you have some time that afternoon, please reach out to Laura.

Confirmation Mentor Meeting

This Wednesday, November 4, at 5:30 p.m., all confirmands and their mentors should plan to meet. If you are meeting at a different time or place, make sure you let Kristen know ahead of time!

FLCW Annual Meeting

The FLCW Annual Meeting will be held in the Faith Center next Sunday, November 8, following the 10:10 worship services. All women of Faith are welcome and encouraged to come for treats, conversation, and the exciting job of deciding where the 2026 funds will be distributed.

EARLY Seniors' Potluck- November 12 at 12 Noon

The November Seniors' Potluck is very early this month, so that you can participate in Operation Christmas Child box packing. Donations can be brought in ahead of time and put in Pr. Paulus' office. Meghan's Place participants will join us in packing again this year. See you November 12!

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 week are Amos 5:18-24, 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11, and Matthew 25:1-13. Come when you can and feel free to bring your lunch with you.

Upcoming Events:

All Saints' Sunday, November 1
8 a.m. First Word Service
9 a.m. Sunday School
9:15 a.m. Digging Deeper and New Member Class
10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service
10:10 a.m. Foundation Service
3 p.m. Hymn Festival
6 p.m. Crossways Year 3

Monday, November 2
10:30 a.m. Making of a Monarchy Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Crossways Year 1

Tuesday, November 3
9 a.m. Matins
9:15 a.m. Exercise
11 a.m. Prayer Team
12 p.m. Lectionary
5:30 p.m. Ringers of Faith

Wednesday, November 4
7 a.m. Morning Prayer
9 a.m. Matins
1:30 p.m. Aftershock
5:30 p.m. Confirmation Mentor Mtg.
5:30 p.m. Faith Singers
7 p.m. FLY Youth Night

Thursday, November 5
6:30 a.m. Men's Bible study
9 a.m. Matins
4:30 p.m. Crossways Year 2

Friday, November 6
7 a.m. Women's Bible study
9 a.m. Women's Bible study
12:30 p.m. Bulletin assembly

Saturday, November 7
Church offices are closed

Sunday, November 8
8 a.m. First Word Service
9 a.m. Sunday School
9:15 a.m. Digging Deeper and New Member Class
10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service
10:10 a.m. Foundation Service
11:30 a.m. FLCW Annual Mtg.
4 p.m. Free Community Meal
6 p.m. Crossways Year 3

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



FBPFA Holden Anderson (Border Patrol at the Northern MN/ND Border - son of Shawn and Beth Anderson)
SMSgt. Jeff Benson (Air Force, Jordan - son-in-law of Delgene and Pat Boll)
Spc. Jones R. Reid (Space Force, Patrick, FL- son of Melissa Straka, grandson of Sherry Schuetz)
LtCdr. Brett Stadsklev (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.



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Please let Wendy or Sara know by Nov. 15: 1) Which trip you would prefer; 2) How many in your family would be interested in going on the trip if we proceeded?

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