

January 21, 2024

This Week at Faith 1/22/2024 — 1/28/2024

Mon.	STRAWBERRY MONEY DUE	
	10:00 am	Bible Study
	12:30 pm	Personal Safety Presentation (Sponsored by Widows/Widowers)
	6:00 pm	Christian Ed
	7:00 pm	Young People's Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Zoom Bible Study
Tues.	NOON	FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER ITEMS DUE
	3:15 pm	Student Strings
	6:00 pm	Elders
Wed.	8:30 am	Chapel
	2:15 pm	Faith Singers
	6:00 pm	Confirmation
Thurs.	6:00 pm	Young People's Bible Study
Fri.	3:00 pm	Kings Kids Upper
Sat.	10:00 am	BYOBBS
	5:00 pm	Worship
	6:00 pm	High School Youth
Sun.	8:45 am	S.S./Bible Study
	10:00 am	Worship/Communion
	11:30 pm	GodConnects

Daily Readings

Jan 22: Joel 2:1–17; Rom. 11:1–24; **Jan 23:** Joel 2:18–32; Rom. 11:25–12:13; **Jan 24:** Joel 3:1–21; Rom. 12:14–13:14; **Jan 25:** Zech. 1:1–21; Rom. 14:1–23; **Jan 26:** Zech. 2:1–3:10; Rom. 15:1–13; **Jan 27:** Zech. 4:1–5:11; Rom. 15:14–33; **Jan 28:** Zech. 6:1–7:14; Rom. 16:17–27.

Attend a Bible Class – Small Group Bible Study is where you can meet friends that become family as you learn and grow together in your faith in Christ. We have groups for every age in your family.

Sunday Morning Bible Study

Join us for continental breakfast at 8:15 am followed by Bible Study 8:45 to 9:45. Learning and activities for all ages.

Bible Study / Sunday School 8:45 – 9:30 AM

Pre-K – Kindergarten – CLC Youth
Room 1st – 2nd grades – CLC 5th Grade
Classroom 3rd – 4th grades – CLC 7th
Grade Classroom 5th – 12th grade – CLC
6th Grade Classroom

Adults – Pastor's Forum (*Revelation*) – Social Hall

Monday Morning Bible Study – 10:00 AM

Adults – *Hosea, Joel, Amos* – Meeting in the Fellowship Hall.

Monday Evening Zoom Bible Study – 7:00 PM

Adult – *Longer Look at the Lessons*

YOUNG PEOPLE'S GROUP & BIBLE STUDY

Meeting Mondays at 7:00 pm and Thursdays at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall lead by Pastor Moore. The group is a special focus on young people. Join us and bring your friends!

BYOBBS SATURDAYS

Bring Your Own Bible and Brown Bag Weekly Bible Study meets in the Fellowship Hall on Saturdays, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm.



Our mission is to proclaim the Gospel to all people so they may know and trust in Jesus as their Savior for eternal life, grow in knowledge and faith, and show this faith in their daily lives.

PRAYERS

Each week during worship we remember people in our prayers. Please use this list to minister, send a card or note, make a personal visit, and remember these people in your prayers. Please let the church office know of any changes in the ongoing prayer list.

Those ill, hospitalized or struggling:

Jerry Barnes, Amy (Karen Conrad's daughter-in-law), Robert Truitt, Jean (friend of Harolyn Maynard), Danny Constable (brother of Dottie Weis), Virginia Leffew, Cindy Thomas, Stephen Repass, Ken Peeler's parents, Neal Van Valkenburg, Charlene Kolterman, Don Smith, Lisa Truitt, Lillian (Pam Smith's aunt), Debbie Miller, Chizuko Akamine (mother-in-law of Pastor Spaeth's son), Bobby Ward (Rich and Angie Teschendorf's son-in-law), Mildred (sister of Margaret Pearsall), Gerrie Haferman, Lois Overn, Brenda (friend of Marie Nowak)

Anniversaries & Birthdays

1/23 John Singelsether

1/27 Steve Johnson, Amanda Yurk

1/28 Dan Curtiss, Barbara Hildreth

Others

A prayer of protection for those serving our country and those who have been deployed: Dillon Tate (Bill Stone grandson), Cody Bandur (Dawn Beiner's cousin), Kyle Stark (Paul Stark's son – Our Savior, Orlando), Matthew Leech (Bill & Deb Leech's son), Terrance Demps II (Fritz's neighbor), Gage Lee (FLS Alum), Wesley Van Gotum (Lisa Miller Truitt's cousin), Anna Cruz (Pastor Gary Held's daughter), Douglas Jensen (FLS Alum), Jack Rotar (Jeremy Fritz's nephew), Jesse Thurman (Brian & Pat Brugger's grandson), Gregory Gillinger.

Prayers of comfort and strength for the Ellingson family on the death of Richard's brother, Robert.

Prayers of comfort and strength for Sharon Maxwell on the deaths of family members.

Prayers for the Wasmund family, missionaries in Korea.

Prayers for our Church and School Staff and School students and families.



Are You Stressed? Discouraged? Feeling Down?

You don't have to go through difficult times alone. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to provide you with confidential, one-to-one, Christian care and support to help you get through a tough time. So don't keep it all inside and struggle alone through the holiday season. Our Stephen Ministers are there to care.

To find out more about Stephen Ministry, talk with [Stephen Leaders Barbara or Neal Van Valkenburg].

Call or Text: Barbara – 352.406.2580
Neal – 352.406.2497

Altar Flowers

Altar Flower Chart for 2024 is located on the bulletin board above the ushers' table in the church narthex. There are still plenty of days available for the new year. Please consider signing up! Cost is \$36 for the weekend.

ACOLYTES

If you are interested and would like to serve as an acolyte, please contact the church office. No experience necessary. We will train you!

Portals of Prayer Reused

Please consider saving your gently used Portals of Prayer devotion books and giving them to Michael Repass. They are being saved for use through the Agape Ministry Food Pantry.

Stewardship

Growing in Faith through Stewardship

Acts 4:32-35 – **“Now the full number of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one said that any of the things that belonged to him was his own, but they had everything in common (emphasis mine). And with great power the apostles were giving their testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was upon them all. There was not a needy person among them, for as many as were owners of lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold and laid it at the apostles’ feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need.”**

In the context of this passage the disciples had just received the Holy Spirit as a prelude to Pentecost and were in the process of testifying to the crowd of the events of the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus the Christ. As a result, many believed and acknowledged all their possessions were gifts from God and didn't really belong to them but were provided by a merciful and gracious God. As a result, they demonstrated great faith in the pooling of their assets to support the spreading of the Gospel

If only all Christians and in particular members of Faith Lutheran church had such faith, a goal well worth striving to achieve.



Our Stewardship Theme for 2024.

“GROWING THE FUTURE” IN Faith, AT Faith.

Based on the Bible Verse:
Proverbs 3:9

“Honor the LORD with your wealth, with the first fruits of all your crops.”

Watch for more to come as we launch this Theme in February. Your Stewardship Team



Your gifts and offerings are crucial for our congregation to fulfill God's calling in our community. We thank all those who have continued to give during these trying times. We have many ways for you to

provide offering to your church during this time away from the campus. You can mail them to the church or make bill pay arrangements through your bank, but did you know that you can now make your tithes and offerings safely and securely online? Just go to bit.ly/FaithEustisGiving to provide your offerings & gifts today!

OUTREACH

This Weekend:

BYOB BB – Saturday, January 13 th -- Outreach roles and opportunities – both individually and as a Faith Family. The book “The Great Sending” is the outline we follow. Copies are free for the asking. You can join the study any Saturday – even if you’ve not yet attended. We meet Saturday from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

GodConnects continues on Sunday, January 14 th with a discussion on Baptism -- Through Baptism God makes amazing promises to you - just to you - that your sins are forgiven and you have become His child. And God always keeps this His promises. We meet after worship in the Social Hall and adjourn by 1:00 pm.

Strawberry Fundraiser!

Don't forget to help the Faith Youth out by purchasing a \$20 box of strawberries freshly picked from Plant Farms. Money/orders are due by January 22. Contact DCE Mike Yurk for more info. (Use QR code below for ordering strawberries.)



JANUARY YOUTH ACTIVITIES

- 22- Strawberry Money Due
- 24- Confirmation- 6-8pm
- 26- Upper King's Kids- 3-5pm
- 28- High School Youth- 6-8pm
- 31- 7-8 Grades Middle School Youth- 6-8pm

Contact DCE Mike Yurk for more information.

OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS OF FAITH LUTHERAN

Monday, January 22, 2024

from 12:30 – 2:30 pm

TOPIC: SAFE AT HOME – ISSUES IN PERSONAL SAFETY

Featuring members of the Eustis Police and Fire Departments

Sponsored by Widow/Widowers Group

Beginning in February, scheduled meetings for the **Widows/Widowers Group** are the third Monday of each month. Future events, topics and activities include: Personal finance, nutrition and meal planning, Medicare open enrollment Q&A, Theatre and Lunch trip, ceramic shop, "Painting with a Twist", Ice Cream Social & much more.

For additional information, contact: Marie Nowak or Timm Leikip

Agape House collection for January
Peanut Butter
Jelly
Tuna fish

PIANO FOR SALE



A member family of Faith has a piano for sale.

Upright Wurlitzer Piano with Bench that has storage - \$125.00

If you are interested, please contact the church office.

Faith Crusaders Need Your Help!

The week of February 5th, your gym will be packed full of teams from other local schools participating in the Tri-County Christian Boys Basketball Tournament. We can use your help in two of the following ways:

Donate bottled water, gatorade, or powerade and candy bars. (Drop off on campus by February 5th)

The proceeds of tournaments go right back into Faith athletics and PE class equipment.

This is an excellent way to show your orange & blue spirit by supporting your Crusaders!!!!



Kids Heart Challenge is kicking off 1/26,
Faith Lutheran School!

AHA SCHOOLS APP



2 EASY WAYS TO REGISTER:

HEART.ORG/SCHOOLS



Download the App or visit heart.org/schools

- Register online and complete Finn's Mission to know Hands-Only CPR® and the warning signs of a stroke. Plus, your student will receive Finn's Lifesaver Award once Finn's Mission is completed!
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Thank you
Ms. Fritz

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families knowing
Hands-Only CPR!



GOD IS GREAT! CONCERT

By Christian Recording Artist

JENNIE WILLIAMSON

An exciting music ministry impacting the hearts and lives of youth and families around the world! Jennie Williamson brings an energy and excitement for Jesus that is contagious! The music and live events are filled with incredible messages of love and hope that reaches the hearts of every audience.



FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 2024

FAITH LUTHERAN SCHOOL, EUSTIS

FOR ALL AGES! INVITE YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

5:30pm Dinner and 6:30pm Concert
for Families and the Community