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March 5, 2023

This Week at Faith 03/06—03/12/2023

Mon.	10:00 am	Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Zoom Bible Study
Tues.	3:15 pm	Student Strings
Wed.	8:30 am	Chapel
	9:00 am	Prayer Vigil
	2:15 pm	Children’s Choir
	5:00 pm	Confirmation
	5:30 pm	Lent Meal
	6:30 pm	Lent Worship
	7:15 pm	Bells & Choir
Sat.	5:00 pm	Celebration Worship
	6:00 pm	High School Youth
Sun.	2:00 am	Daylight Savings Time Begins
	8:45 am	Sun. School / Bible Study
	10:00 am	Worship w/Communion
	11:30 am	GodConnects



Thank you for joining us. Worshipers are asked to fill out our friendship form during the offering. The friendship forms are in a black vinyl case located at one end of the pew. Please fill out the form, and then pass it to the next person in your pew.

For the hearing impaired we have receiver units to enable you to better hear the service. *Ask an usher for such a unit if you desire one.*

Meet the Pastor – Our Pastor is available by the doors as you leave the service today. Feel free to ask any question you have about Faith or the ministries we offer here.

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.

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 – Social Hall

Sunday Morning—11:30 AM *starts March 5*
GodConnects (New Members) – Social Hall

Monday Morning Bible Study – 10:00 AM

Adults – 1st & 2nd Samuel – Social Hall

Monday Evening Zoom Bible Study – 7:00 PM

Adult – *Longer Look at the Lessons*

Daily Readings

March 5: Gen. 16:1–9, 15–17:22; Mark 6:1–13; **6:** Gen. 18:1–15; Mark 6:14–34; **7:** Gen. 21:1–21; Mark 6:35–56; **8:** Gen. 22:1–19; Mark 7:1–23; **9:** Gen. 24:1–31; Mark 7:24–37; **10:** Gen. 24:32–52, 61–67; Mark 8:1–21; **11:** Gen. 27:1–29; Mark 8:22–38.

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:

Lynn Alexander, Jason Reisman (Eustis Roofing), Geoff (Neal Van Valkenburg's brother in law), Jim (friend of the Van Valkenburgs), Barbara Van Valkenburg, Wanda Clary, Deb Leech, Jerry & Karen Barnes, Andrew Shuster (Cal & Lesley's son), Charlene Kolterman, Ken Wilkins, Tori Brunhold (Lydia Walker's mom).

Anniversaries & Birthdays

- 3/04 Victor Olsen
- 3/05 Loki Hayward
- 3/06 Matthew & Nicole Fretwell, Marian Barvinski
- 3/07 Robert & Sharon Higginson (59 years), Becky Little
- 3/11 Abby Schmidt
- 3/12 Timothy & Tara Schmidt, Jordan & Lydia Walker, Jennifer Hayward, Phyllis Nagel

Others

A prayer of protection for those serving our country: 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) and Gregory Gillinger.

Prayers for the Wasmund family, missionaries in Korea.

Stewardship

John 3:16 – “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.” This is perhaps the most well-known and beloved verse in the New Testament, for good reason. This simple Gospel message is the foundation for our whole life, including our new life in Christ. This new life is characterized by thankfulness and devotion to our Father who has provided for us so lavishly in Christ.

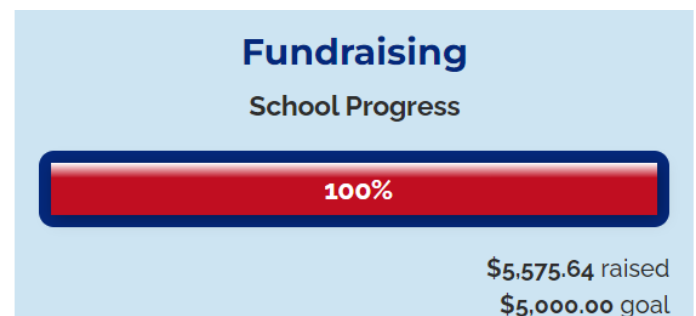


Your gifts and offerings are crucial for our congregation to fulfill God's calling in our community. We thank all those who have continued to give during these trying times. We

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!

FLS Students Jump Rope for Heart

Way to Go, Faith!!!! We surpassed our Kid's Heart Challenge goal!!!!



Youth Groups



Are you interested in learning about the book of James? Our high school youth are going

through the book of James in our Saturday night youth nights! We have a game or two, bring some dippable foods to share, and snack while studying one this epistle. We also bring back our Trivia Night for some knowledgeable fun! Check out our blurb on that for more information!



Dates to Remember:

- ◆ March 4- Trivia Night doors open 6:30pm, trivia starts at 7pm
- ◆ March 8- Confirmation 5-6:30pm
- ◆ March 9-10 Parent Teacher Conferences
- ◆ March 22- Middle School Youth 5-6:30pm
- ◆ March 25- High School Youth 6-8pm
- ◆ March 29- Confirmation
- ◆ March 31- Upper King's Kids

Save the Date for VBS!

VBS and the summer are starting to loom around the corner, and we want you here! June 5-9 from 9AM to 12PM each day we will be hosting our STELLAR VBS! Come check out our space themed VBS this year! We are always looking for volunteers, so if you might be interested, please see DCE Mike Yurk!



FREE from a Member

Elaine Campbell has the following available for free to any who want them. Please contact her at 352-357-4213 if you are interested:

18,000 BTU Window A/C unit
Stationary bicycle

GODCONNECTS

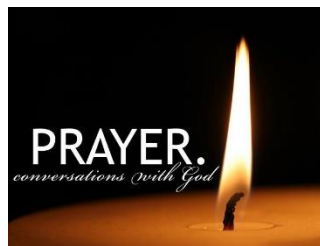
A COURSE IN CHRISTIANITY

GodConnects starts **THIS SUNDAY**, at 11:30 in the Christian Life Center. If you have not already registered, come anyway -- we have plenty of space and materials for everyone. Grab a flyer in the narthex for a list of future class dates and topics. For Future Faith Members, the first step on the pathway to membership. For current members of the Faith Family, a great refresher to help you grow deeper in your faith.

Undies Sundays

Women's Guild is collecting underwear and socks for our local children in need. Please help by bringing in new underwear and socks in sizes to fit school-aged boys and girls. A collection basket is placed in the church narthex. Undies will continue to be collected until **April 3** when all items will be given to Lake County Schools. Distribution to needy students will be facilitated by Student Services. Thank you for your kindness to our community of needy kids!

Lenten Prayer Vigil



Every Wednesday in Lent, Faith Lutheran Church is holding a Prayer Vigil. On Wednesdays, from 9am until the evening Lenten service begins, the

church will be open for anyone to come in and pray. You may come alone or bring friends or family to pray as a group. Someone will be there to welcome you, hand out helpful prayer tips and to answer any questions you may have. You are also welcome to attend the school's chapel service starting at 8:30am.

“Approach the throne of grace with confidence that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.” Hebrews 4:16

We are also looking for volunteers to assist and welcome people. Contact Lois Ford at loisjford@gmail.com or 352-989-2188.

Stephen Ministers: The After People

People often ask, “What exactly is a Stephen Minister?” One way to put it is that Stephen Ministers are the After People.

Stephen Ministers are there: after the phone call you hoped you’d never get...after the funeral, when everyone has left and the emotions you’ve held at bay come crashing in on you. . . after the relationship falls apart and the bottom falls out of your life. . . after the doctor says, “I’m sorry, but there’s nothing more we can do. . . after the nursing home director shakes your hand and says, “Welcome to your new home.” . . . after the last child honks the horn, waves, and drives away—and the house suddenly seems empty. . . after the gavel comes down, the handcuffs go on, and your loved one is led away. . . after the baby arrives, demanding more of you than you ever dreamed possible. . . after you find a pink slip with your final paycheck. . . after your family and friends have heard your story one too many times, but you still need to talk it out.

Please contact Barbara Van Valkenburg 352.406.2580 or Neal Van Valkenburg 352.406.2497 for information on our Stephen Ministry Training Class starting April 15th!

Join Us for A Mid-Week Jolt of Food, Fellowship & Faith

Wednesday Lenten Meals
Serving from 5:30PM – 6:25PM

March 8th – Youth Group – Potato Bar, Dessert & Beverages

March 15th – Women’s Guild – Soup Supper, Dessert & Beverages

March 22nd – Board of Trustees – Chili, Dessert & Beverages

March 29th – Social Ministry – Spaghetti, Dessert & Beverages

Please look for menu updates in upcoming announcements. We look forward to seeing you all for dinner!

Musical Ministry Thoughts for March

As we have now ended epiphany, the season of “light”, we are mindful musically of the somber and reflective season of lent that is here. The music being prepared for this solemn season is, I hope reflective, but not too “dark”. Music by the choirs, handbells and instruments would feature music such as “Wondrous Love”, “Ah, Holy Jesus”, but, it is our effort to offer music throughout this upcoming season that is most appropriate and in keeping with the scriptural themes. This effort certainly includes choosing the hymns and songs that also follow these themes.

And, please know that our Adult Choir, Faith Ringers – all of our musical groups are always open to anyone. If someone would like to sing just for the Lenten and Easter seasons...that’s great!! Please join us.

Last, I would mention specific groups’ activities: the Students’ String Group meets Tuesdays after school, and is open to our church members as well as Faith school students. The Children’s Choir continues on Wednesdays. This choir has sung at Sunday worship and our school chapel. And, the choir – along with the string group - will be performing a program on Wednesday, May 3rd at 6:30, the choir is offering a full-length children’s musical, “*Table for....5000*”. It’s the story of Christ feeding the multitude from so little. The strings will perform several pieces. More about this as the weeks continue. And thanks to the adults who help out with the choir group and the violins!!

Thanks to all who come and participate!! There is always room for more!!

Michael Neas,
Director of Church Music





“Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight”. Proverbs 3: 5 and 6 [NIV]

Greater Orlando Spring Rally

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church

1515 South Semoran Blvd. Orlando, FL 32807

April 15, 2023

The women of Prince of Peace welcome all ladies from the churches in the Greater Orlando Zone and all guests to the LWML Spring Rally for a day of fellowship, Bible study and song. **Registration is \$10.00.** Checks should be made out to **Greater Orlando Zone LWML.**

Our Theme for this event will be **“TRUST and OBEY”**

Registration will be from 8:00 – 8:45 am with coffee, juice, and pastries available.

Our **Gifts from the Heart** will be for the Prince of Peace Compassion Project. We are collecting **new or used rolling** suitcases, backpacks, men’s sneakers (any size), and travel size toiletries. Flashlights with batteries are also needed, along with AA and AAA batteries, men’s knit brief underwear, (medium, large, or x-large). Additional items needed are also listed at www.poporlando.com. For a monetary donation, checks should be made out to Prince of Peace, Compassion Project.

We will have:

- a) Mission Service Project
- b) Bible Study (bring your Bible)
- c) Worship Service and Holy Communion with Pastor Ken Green and Pastor Ron Scheer
- d) Lunch provided


Please send your reservation of how many will be attending by **Monday, April 3rd** to kathymccartin@gmail.com or call 407-286-7288 (home). **Please advise if childcare services will be needed.**

Stop Strokes

Strokes are very serious medical emergencies and are a major cause of death. Strokes occur when blood flow to the brain is blocked and can be simply explained as “brain attacks”. Stroke can be caused by a clot or obstruction to blood flow in the brain (most common cause) or bleeding into the brain (as when a brain blood vessel leaks or breaks; less common). Risk factors include having cardiovascular disease, diabetes, atrial fibrillation, obesity, high blood pressure, being 55 or older, black, female, or a smoker. People should also be aware of a family history of stroke.






Strokes are responsible for much disability in survivors, including paralysis, loss of sight, loss of the ability to think, speak, or understand speech, loss of bowel or bladder control, loss of independence, and depression. Prevention and quick intervention are key to surviving a stroke and minimizing disability. It is most important for individuals with risk factors to actively manage all modifiable factors including obesity, high blood pressure, cardiovascular disease, high cholesterol, cardiac dysrhythmias such as atrial fibrillation. Quitting smoking, exercising regularly, eating a heart healthy diet, losing weight, and following suggestions and medication orders from health care providers are essential to preventing stroke and devastating disability.


All people should be aware of the signs of stroke in themselves, family members, friends and co-workers in order to save lives of people experiencing stroke. If any of the following signs appear, 9-1-1 should be called immediately. Any delay can mean severe disability or death for the stroke victim: treatment must be started immediately and emergency services personnel can quickly arrive, assess the patient, and begin essential treatment. Seconds count when dealing with an individual experiencing a stroke.



Signs of Stroke in Men And Women

If any of the following signs appear suddenly, call 9-1-1 right away.

-  Numbness or weakness in the face, arm, or leg, especially on one side of the body.
-  Confusion or trouble speaking or understanding speech.
-  Trouble seeing in one or both eyes.
-  Trouble walking, dizziness, or problems with balance.
-  Severe headache with no known cause.





LUTHER CLASSICAL COLLEGE
2300 Hickory St.
Casper, WY 82604
T: 307-314-5882

February 16, 2023

Dear Members of Faith Lutheran Church,

Greetings in Christ! I am excited to introduce to you Luther Classical College, a college by Lutherans and for Lutherans that is starting from the ground up through the broad support of Lutheran congregations and individuals all around the country. This mission presents us with a unique opportunity to advance the Gospel of Christ for the benefit of our children and congregations.

God willing, Luther Classical College will enroll its first students in Casper, WY, in the Fall of 2025. Using the traditionally Lutheran model of classical education, students will study the Bible, our Lutheran Confessions, and the best of our Western heritage, including language, music, literature, history, mathematics, and science. The college will be entirely Lutheran and will prepare students with an accredited A.A. and B.A. education for living out their Christian vocations at home, at church, and in the world.

Enclosed with this letter is literature for you to learn more. Our building project is developing well as we work with our architects and grounds committee to move forward with campus design and engineering. And as our curriculum committee works diligently to craft course schedules, they have recently finalized a preparatory pamphlet now available for parents and prospective students. Our goal is to have 200 supporting LCMS congregations by the end of 2023. With **over 100 supporting congregations** as of today and **well over a million dollars raised** by our generous donors so far, we are very excited and optimistic about the work we have ahead of us!

As we move forward, it is encouraging for us and for our donor base to see the broad support this mission receives from faithful congregations. **I humbly ask you to also consider becoming a supporting congregation of this mission**, either through a one-time offering or by bringing us into your planned mission budget. To show our great appreciation, we like to send all supporting congregations ten copies of our quarterly magazine, *Christian Culture*, each quarter. This magazine is also free for anyone who would like to subscribe online at cc.lutherclassical.org/subscribe.

We are deeply thankful for your consideration and also ask that you keep Luther Classical College in your prayers as together we work to make this college a reality. Please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions. May God bless all the work that you are also doing in the Lord for Jesus' sake.

Your brother in Christ,

Mr. Samuel H. Preus, Head of Development
s.preus@lutherclassical.org

DEVELOPMENTS

ACADEMIC STAFF: We have secured the first of our faculty. Our Academic Dean will be brought on in the Fall of 2023 and the President in the Fall of 2024.

CURRICULUM: Our curriculum is in progress and will be published in January, 2024.

ACCREDITATION: LCC is seeking accreditation through a reputable, conservative, Christian agency.

STUDENTS: Students are connecting to LCC early through pre-admissions on our "Apply" tab online. Preparatory materials will be available by the end of 2022. LCC will enroll one incoming class at a time starting in 2025.

BUILDING: LCC is designing plans for a staged building approach that seeks to secure student housing and classroom space on campus by the start of classes in 2025.

PARTNERSHIPS: LCC is partnering with a Project Management Team and Capital Campaign Experts to enhance professional guidance and know-how in the execution of our plans.

HOW TO GIVE

THIS MISSION depends on generous Lutheran individuals and congregations to make this college a reality. We thank God for your support!

ONLINE: Make your Patron Pledge or Special Gift online by visiting www.lutherclassical.org/just-give.

MAIL: Send your Patron Pledge or Special Gift in the mail:

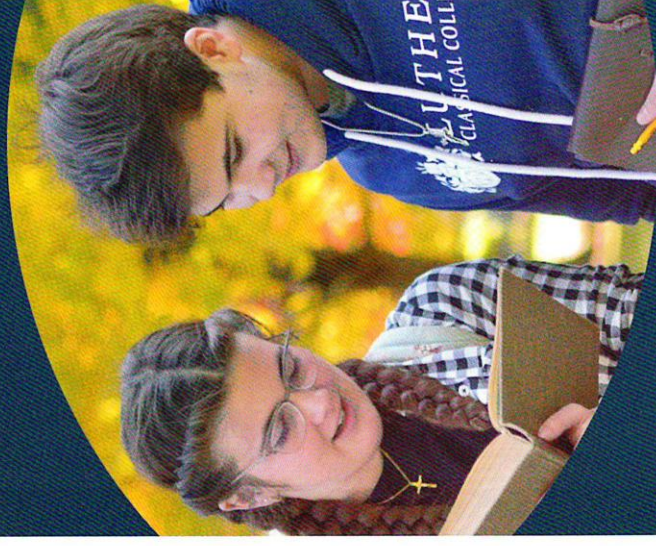
- Fill out the attached insert
- Seal insert in envelope with gift and send to:
Luther Classical College
2300 Hickory St.
Casper, WY 82604

As a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, all donations to Luther Classical College are tax exempt.

For questions contact our Head of Development, Samuel Preus, at 307-314-5882 or s.preus@lutherclassical.org.

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WHY LUTHER CLASSICAL COLLEGE?

NOW MORE THAN EVER, young men and women need a college where they are...

... immersed in confessional Lutheran doctrine and practice without the contamination of worldly theology and teaching;

... taught conservative values as they are prepared for the Christian life at home, in the church, and in the world during the most formative years of their lives;

... prepared for life with an excellent education without burdensome student debt.

WE NEED A COLLEGE WHERE

STUDENTS...

- share a common confession
- build Christian culture
- are prepared for life
- receive an excellent education

HOW DO WE MOVE FORWARD?

BY BUILDING A COLLEGE THAT IS...

LUTHERAN: Luther Classical College will be thoroughly Lutheran. Students will learn to love our Lutheran hymnody, liturgy, and doctrine. All students and professors will be conservative, confessional Lutheran, daily participating in worship at the college's host congregation, Mount Hope Lutheran Church (LCMS).

CONSERVATIVE: Keeping college both Lutheran and conservative is at the heart of this mission. Luther Classical College will remain conservative by teaching students the biblical values and traditions of our fathers that have been so graciously passed down to us by God.

CLASSICAL: Classical Lutheran education is the education of our fathers. It promotes rigorous study of our Christian Western heritage, including Latin, history, theology, literature, logic, rhetoric, music, science, and mathematics, training students to read, think, and speak effectively to the glory of God.

AFFORDABLE: Tuition will always be kept low and truly affordable.

WHAT IS LUTHER CLASSICAL COLLEGE?

MISSION STATEMENT: Luther Classical College educates Lutherans in the classical, Lutheran tradition and prepares them for godly vocations within family, church, and society, fostering Christian culture through study of the best of our Western heritage.

DEGREES: Accredited A.A. & B.A., certified trade partnership

CHURCH VOCATIONS: Specific tracks for future pastors, teachers, musicians

SIZE: 300 students

ANNUAL TUITION: \$8,500

OPENING: Fall, 2025

LOCATION: Casper, WY, on eleven-acre campus of Mount Hope Lutheran Church & School

AFFILIATION: LCC is a mission of Mount Hope Lutheran Church (LCMS) in Casper, Wyoming.

PATRON PLEDGE

Please choose how you would like to donate:

1. PATRON PROGRAM

- Friend: Sign me up for \$10 a month!
- Promoter: Sign me up for \$25 a month!
- Supporter: Sign me up for \$50 a month!
- Advocate: Sign me up for \$100 a month!
- Guardian: Sign me up for \$250 a month!

2. SPECIAL GIFT

I would like to make a donation of \$_____ to Luther Classical College as a...

- monthly annual one-time
- ... contribution in support of its mission!

Please enclose your check made out to Luther Classical College with this pledge or else fill out the Credit Card Authorization Form on the back and send to:

Luther Classical College
2300 Hickory St.
Casper, WY 82604

Thank you for supporting LCC!



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- MASTERCARD VISA DISCOVER
- AMEX OTHER

Card Holder Name: _____
 Card Number: _____
 Expiration Date: ____/____/____
 Security Code: _____

BILLING INFORMATION

Name (Printed): _____
 Street: _____ City: _____
 State: _____ ZIP: _____
 Email: _____
 Phone Number: _____

I hereby authorize Luther Classical College to charge my credit card for the exact amount and frequency indicated on this insert.

Cardholder Signature: _____

Date: ____/____/____

Thank you for supporting LCC!