



FOCUS ON FAITH WEEKLY

✦ FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH ✦ GREENFIELD INDIANA ✦

This Week at Faith Lutheran Church

| Sunday Aug. 6 | Monday Aug. 7 | Tuesday Aug. 8 | Wednesday Aug. 9 | Thursday Aug. 10 | Friday Aug. 11 | Saturday Aug. 12 |
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| <i>Eighth Sunday after Trinity</i> 9:15 am Devine Service 11:00 am Sunday School & Adult Bible Study | Pastor's Family Day | | Jr. Catechesis Parent meeting @ 7:00 p.m. | <i>Preschool Open House/Orientation Meeting 6:00 p.m.</i> Elders 6:30 pm | | Men's Bible Study 8—9:15 am |

Weekly Divine Service: Sunday 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday School and Adult Bible Study: Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Private Confession and Holy Absolution with Pastor is available by appointment

Pastor Wm. Daniel O'Connor email: pastorwdo@faithgreenfield.org

Administrative Assistant e-mail: secretary@faithgreenfield.org Focus on Faith Deadline: 9 am Thursday

ANNOUNCEMENT

Faith Lutheran Church is now a member of Hancock Health Congregational Network. Nicole Roland & Lori Yeager will be sharing more information about this today, Sunday August 6th, during fellowship after church. This program has many great things to offer us & we are excited to be a part of it!!

LWML Treatshop 2017

The SRD committees and District President will be presenting sessions on August 19, 2017, from 9:00 a.m.—4:15 pm at Cornerstone Lutheran, Carmel IN. Registration Fee: \$10— includes a morning snack, bottled water and a packed lunch. There is a sign up sheet for those who want to carpool. See information in the Narthex and on bulletin boards.

FROM LUTHER

“Accuse us today of being quarrelsome, harsh, and intractable, because, as they say, we shatter love and harmony among the churches on account of the single doctrine about the Sacrament. They say that we should not make so much of this little doctrine...To this argument of theirs we reply with Paul: ‘A little yeast leavens the whole lump.’ In philosophy a tiny error in the beginning is very great at the end. Thus in theology a tiny error overthrows the whole teaching. Therefore doctrine and life should be distinguished as sharply as possible. Doctrine belongs to God, not to us; and we are called only as its ministers. Therefore we cannot give up or change even one dot of it [Matthew 5:18].” (from his Galatians Lectures, written in 1535, in Luther’s Works – vol. 27, p.37)

REMEMBERING THE SAINTS

Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr (August 10) – Early in the third century A.D., Lawrence, most likely born in Spain, made his way to Rome. There he was appointed chief of the seven deacons and was given the responsibility to manage church property and finances. The emperor at the time, who thought that the church had valuable things worth confiscating, ordered Lawrence to produce the “treasures of the church.” Lawrence brought before the emperor the poor, whose lives had been touched by Christian charity. He was then jailed and eventually executed in the year 258 by being roasted on a gridiron. His martyrdom left a deep impression on the young church, and almost immediately the date of his death: August 10th, became a permanent fixture on the early commemorative calendar of the Church.

Collect: Almighty God, You called Lawrence to be a deacon in Your Church to serve Your saints with deeds of love, and You gave him the crown of martyrdom. Give us the same charity of heart, that we may fulfill Your love by defending and supporting the poor, that by loving them we may love You with all our hearts.

LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

Part-Time Art Teacher Sought

Lutheran High School is seeking an **art teacher** to serve in a part time position. Individuals with Indiana licensure to teach secondary art should contact Michael Brandt (Head of School) at mbrandt@lhsi.org or Beverly McIntosh (Administrative Assistant) at bmcintosh@lhsi.org for a complete position description.

Opening Worship and Field & Track Dedication – August 10

Please join us as we ask God’s blessing on a new year at Lutheran High School at our **Opening Worship Chapel** on **Thursday, August 10, 9:30 am** in the Ruth Lilly Auditorium. We also will dedicate our recently-completed multi-purpose field and track, and install new members of the faculty. Classes start August 8.

FROM THE PRESCHOOL

Faith Lutheran Preschool has an opening for a Pre-school Teacher Assistant for the 2017/2018 school year. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Thursday - Friday. If interested, please contact Rebecca Shanton at 317-468-0610 for an application, job description and/or further information.

LOVE INC

Love Inc (in the name of Christ) is asking for volunteers from the church’s congregation. We need 5 volunteers to answer the phone and listen to the individual stories of the callers to our Clearinghouse. This role is a specific calling so please pray and ask the Lord if HE is calling you to serve Him through Love In The Name of Christ in this way. Help is needed Monday-Friday, 9:00-1:00 p.m. If you can spare 1 day a week or 1 day every other week we can use you! However God calls you to serve is much appreciated! For more details, please call Michelle at: 317-468-6800.



Love INC will host their first 5K at the Greenfield Courthouse Plaza on September 9, 2017 from 9 a.m. till 12 p.m. More information about registration and race route can be found their website at: loveinc-ghc.org

See information on bulletin boards

NEW DIRECTORY

We are looking for volunteers to help with getting an updated Church Directory put together. Our goal is to put together a directory that can be easily updated. Volunteers are needed for: Calling members to verify contact information & Taking pictures.

If you are interested in helping out, please contact Amanda Houser at 615-788-0007 or adhouser@gmail.com.

**IN THE LORD'S SERVICE SUNDAY
AUGUST 13, 2017**

Organist..... Chris Wilson
 CruciferChristopher O'Connor
 Acolyte.....Grant Shepherd, Joey Roland
 Communion Assistants Mark Jenkins, Jeff Corlew
 Elder on Duty..... Jim Froiland
 Greeters..... Sandy Wilson & Jane Dobbs
 Ushers Richard Curry, Max Gentry, Dave Meyer
 Youth Assistant.....None
 Altar Guild..... Tammy Shultz, Beverly Wilson
 Sound.....Rick Riegle
 Refreshments Schildmier, Sedam, & Kingen

**RECEIVING IN FAITH :
JULY 30, 2017**

Divine Service 110

**RESPONDING IN FAITH:
JULY 30, 2017**

General Fund3,040.00
 Adult Sunday School 10.00
 Building Fund40.00
 Loose Cash 163.10
 Preschool 1,211.58
 L C M S 100.00

Total\$3,578.10

ADULT STUDIES IN GOD'S WORD

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY This class meets every Sunday morning in the fellowship area of the church, immediately following our time of fellowship after the Divine Service. This week we continue a study comparing the beliefs of different Christian denominations. Come join us!

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY This class meets every Tuesday morning at 9:30 in the fellowship area of the church, with refreshments served 15 min. beforehand. Note: We are currently on break for the Summer, but we will resume meeting after labor Day. We just finished studying Matthew. If you think of a topic you want to study next, please let Pastor know.

SATURDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY— This lay led study meets every Saturday at 8:00 am.

KFUO LUTHERAN RADIO

For churches outside the St. Louis area for the week of August 6. Find the full listing at kfuo.org/church-bulletin.

Listen to Worldwide KFUO.org, your radio station for practical Lutheran talk, daily Bible and Confession studies, daily worship opportunities, and current issues from a Lutheran worldview. Programs are archived at KFUO.org for 24/7 on-demand listening. You can also find our programming wherever you get your podcasts! Have a question or comment? Find us at @KFUOradio on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

This week on KFUO.org, we talk about the solar eclipse and natural phenomenon in God's creation (*Faith & Family*), continue in 1 Corinthians for our daily Lectionary study on Sharper Iron (8am CT), and study the propers and lectionary for the upcoming 11th Sunday after Pentecost - Proper 11 on Thy Strong Word (8/16 @ 11am CT). Listen on-demand at kfuo.org or wherever you get your podcasts!

Call 800-730-2727 or email letstalk@kfuo.org to join the conversation on "Let's Talk!"

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Dean Bearman 8/6
 Sheryl Shepherd..... 8/7
 James Baker..... 8/8
 Lisa Archer 8/10

BAPTISMAL BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

Jim Wilson..... 8/7
 James Baker..... 8/8
 Lisa Archer 8/10

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Darrell & Melissa Chew (11 yrs.)8/12

CHURCH LEADERS

Council:

Jeff Dickmader (Chairman)
 Brian Atkins (Vice-Chairman)
 Amanda Houser (Recording Secretary)
 Robert M. Yeager (Treasurer)
 Phyllis Arthur (Parochial Ed. Chair)
 Tom Fitzwater (Evangelism Chair)
 Mike Schildmier (Properties Chair)
 Rebecca Shanton (Parish Ed. Chair)
 Bob G. Yeager (Stewardship Chair)
 Tim Wagner (Elders Chair)

Elders:

Tim Wagner (Chair)
 James Froiland
 Shawn Houser
 Mark Jenkins (Recording Secretary)
 Ken Peterson
 Matthew Surburg

CARDS TO SHUT INS

This week we especially pray for:
 Mrs. Marilyn Kroeger
 Springhurst Legacy
 Greenfield, IN 46140

IN OUR PRAYERS

Note: Prayer requests will be listed for four weeks, unless longer is requested.

Noel Gaff (Nate's brother)
 Sickness
Terry Cook (Debbie Cook's husband)
 Diagnosed with lung cancer
Jeff Brunnemer (Richard Thompson's friend)
 Cancer free
Jim Baker
 Thanksgiving for healing
Bill Gentry
 Blindness
Settergren, Locker, and Stanley families
 Fatal Accident
Donna Kuppler
 Homebound
Marilyn Kroeger
 Nursing home bound
Marjorie Lung
 Nursing home bound
Betty Mattsey
 Homebound
Don Pfaff
 Homebound
Peggy Price
 Homebound (in Ft. Wayne)
Marilyn Rothkopf
 Nursing home bound
Ellie Trautmann
 Nursing home bound
Emily Rogers (LWML National Board)

Serving our Country

Rob Wolfla Rich Thompson Nick Arthur
 James McConnell Noah Heiwig
 Will Harlow (friend of Pastor's)

Please Contact Lori (317) 431-9514, and email address is loriyeager@comcast.net. You may also call or email the office to have it forwarded

Please inform the office if a prayer, baptismal birthday, anniversary or birthday was missed or incorrect this week. Thank you.