

FAITH

LUTHERAN CHURCH

- CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE -
February 11, 2024 • Transfiguration Sunday

GATHERING SONGS

Joyful Rhythm K. McChesney
Deep End
God So Loved

Faith Bells

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

ANNOUNCEMENTS & PARISH NEWS

BIBLE READING **Mark 9:2-9** Pew Bible pg. #921

²Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, ³and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. ⁴And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. ⁵Then Peter said to Jesus, "Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." ⁶He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. ⁷Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, "This is my Son, the Beloved listen to him!" ⁸Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them anymore, but only Jesus.

⁹As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

SERMON

Seeing Jesus, Seeing God

Pastor Bob Stelter

SERMON SONG

Transfiguration

SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE

OFFERINGS FOR MISSION & MINISTRY

OFFERING SONG

BLESSING OF THE OFFERING

OUR VISION
To be an inspired body of Christ.



OUR MISSION
Love God. Love Others. Serve.

CREED FOR THE EPIPHANY SEASON

All: *We believe that the radiance of all people and all creation is Everlasting God. We believe God revealed Jesus to the nations by the leading of a star and Jesus is the full vision of the glory of God.*

We believe that He is the Light of the World and we have His illuminating presence in our lives.

We believe we have been drawn together as the church in the brightness of Christ to love, serve and strive for reconciliation between all people.

We believe in boldly naming the sin in our lives, seeking unity in the promise of forgiveness and mercy.

We believe we can offer our lives to God in praise and gratitude. Praise God for light and life and love. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

WORDS OF INSTITUTION / LORD'S PRAYER / HOLY COMMUNION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

DISTRIBUTION SONG

COMMUNION BLESSING

Pastor: May the body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, strengthen you
and keep you in His grace.

Congregation: Amen.

SENDING OF THE DEACONS

Debbie Pinchok, *February 11 - 24, 2024*

BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless and keep you. The Lord's face shine upon you and
be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

Congregation: Amen.

SENDING SONG

Glorious Day

DISMISSAL

Praise Band: Our mission calls us to love God, love others, serve!

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

*The flowers on the altar are given by
Lois Simmons in memory of her husband, Glenn Simmons.*


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Welcome!

As followers of Jesus, we rejoice in God's plan for a just, loving and peaceful world. We commit ourselves to making it a reality for all people everywhere. Just as all are welcome at the Lord's table during holy communion, all are welcome to this family of faith. People of all races, ages, social status, sexual orientations and gender identities are united here in our mission to love God, love others and serve.

**Please sign a
Worship Card
and place it in
offering plate.**




Inquirers
FOR THE CURIOUS NEWCOMER

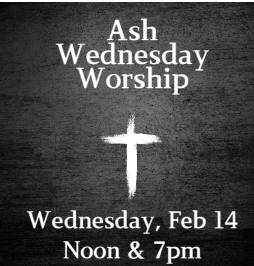
Sun Feb 25, 10:15am, to learn about Faith Lutheran Church and the process of church membership. For more info or to RSVP, talk to Greg Bohlken, greg@faithloves.org

*Shrove Tuesday
Pancake Dinner*

**Tues, Feb 13
6pm**
RSVP
faithloves.org/pancakes2024

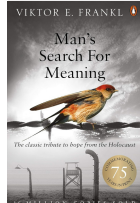


**Ash
Wednesday
Worship**




**Wednesday, Feb 14
Noon & 7pm**

Lenten Book Study



**Book available
at Church**

**Book Group
Begins Feb 21
6:30-7:30pm**




SHEPHERD OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY
Open February 19 3-6pm
Current Needs: Dish soap
Boxed potatoes ▪ Syrup (plastic bottles)
Jelly (plastic bottles) ▪ Soup (large cans)
Contact Renee Stone, 865-599-7424.

- WORSHIP THEMES**
- † Feb 11 Transfiguration Sunday - Christ's presence all around us.
 - † Feb 18 First Sunday in Lent - a time of repentance and renewal for Easter

- DIG IN, GROW DEEP, LEARN WITH OTHERS**
- † Adult Bible Class Sundays, 10:15am in The Cup
 - † Teen Sunday School, 10:15am in the Youth Room
 - † Confirmation, 10:15am in the Library near the Nursery
 - † Children's Sunday School, 10:15am in the classroom near the Nursery
 - † Tuesday Bible Study, 1:30pm in The Cup


- ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS**
- † Congregational Meeting **today** 12:10pm in the Sanctuary. Annual Report and State of the Church Address. Please come!
 - † 2024 Flower Chart is posted by the library. Sign up now to honor or remember loved ones with flowers on our altar.
 - † Columbarium Niches are available for \$1,800 (members) and \$2,500 (non-members). Application forms are found in our *Columbarium Booklet* located in the narthex.
 - † Handbell Rehearsal, Wednesdays 5:30pm
 - † Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Wednesdays 6:30pm
 - † Praise Band Rehearsal, Thursdays 6pm & Sundays 10:15am

First Communion Classes
Wednesdays
Feb 21 & 28
5-6pm
*Sign up on the bulletin
board near the restrooms*



YOUTH EVENTS


Sun Feb 18 Faith Lutheran Church hosts 3rd Sunday of month event with Knox-area Lutheran youth for faith and fun fellowship. 3rd-5th grd, 12:30-2pm | 6-12th grd 2:30-4pm



Sign up for AFFIRM camp!
Incredible youth camp June 9-14 for students grade 6 to college. Use sesyouth.org/AFFIRM to sign up. Questions? greg@faithloves.org

**FIRST WEDNESDAY
MARCH 6**

Join us for dinner, fellowship, and growing in faith with classes, choirs, and groups. There's something for everyone! RSVP for dinner with this QR code or at tinyurl.com/FirstWed030624

SALVATION ARMY SHELTER VISIT
Tues Feb 27, depart from Faith 5pm
Current Needs L-XL men's boxer briefs & women's sizes 8-11 briefs
Contact Debbie Ragucci, 865-567-1945

Dr. Bob Stelter — Pastor
Greg Bohlken — Ministry Associate
Lynn Rognsvoog — Organist
Collin Kasefang — Choir Director

Members of Faith Lutheran Church — Ministers
Sandra Bohlken — Contemporary Worship Leader
Trace Taylor — Sound Technician
Tiffany Bryson — Nursery Caregiver
Kim Frasch — Quiet Music Ministry

Mary Boring — Office Manager
Phylis Garrison — Publications
Barbara Birkholz — Financial Secretary
Mildred Fenske — Prayer Chain Coordinator
Alicia & David Brondos — Missionaries

PRAYER CONCERNS

Members: Shaun Allred, Arlene Aring, Barbara Bird, Mary Blackburn, Leon Cole, Myles Cooper, Mac Curtis, Patsy Elmore, Pat & Nick Gary, Green family, Jonas Greenman, Michael Lee, Bonnie Legako, Kris Lehman, Lin & Mike McKinley, Joe Morelli, Harold Peters, Joe Poole, Randy Schaefer, Lisa Smith, Bobbie Steele, Ann Stelter, Jim Van Deusen, Dave Willis, Maurice and Rebecca.

This column will start anew on the first Sunday of each month.

Friends: Bill Birkholz, Marsha Bode, Dee Bohn, Sharon Brokenshire, Ginger Cameron, Donald Cornet, Bill Crain, Nancy Crain, Errol Dennis, Sr. & family, Brandy & Brian Duke, Vader Ernst, Alanna & Arnie Fenske, Tammy Freeman, Bryan Gansven, Gutelius family, Rita Heavner, Linda Holtz, Joy Hymer, Chris Jenkins, Donna Knick, Liebert family, Loyacano family, Pat Miller, Audra Tyler Moore, Scaglione family, Lynn Siegfried, Lauren Wolfe, Mya, Ro & Haven Wolfe, Martha Woodward, Brooke, Carol, Darcy, Jacob, Jody, Kim & Chris *and those we name to you.*

Joy: First Wednesday gatherings each month!

Comfort in the Midst of Death for Family & Friends of: Olga Kelso, David Joyce, Harold Chapel, Charles Carroll, Alexine Adams, Klaus Meier, Aldene Meland, Roger Madson, Mary Ruth Frazier, Jack Cleave, Lee North.

Salvation Army Friends: Denisha, Carolina, Maggie, Stephanie, Scott, Ty, Brandon, Leo, John, Steve, J. R. , Brad, Colin, Jeffery, Bill, Eddy, Scott, Teddy, Franklin

Prayers, Concern & Assistance: The people of Israel, Palestine, Ukraine, Russia. Mentally & physically challenged. Veterans.

Partnerships: Bishop Pro-Tem Michael Burk & the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; Bishop Strickland & the Southeastern Synod; Alicia & David Brondos, Missionaries in Mexico; Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry; Quiet Music Ministry; Tyson House; Deacon Ministry; Knox Area Rescue Ministry; Via de Cristo Ministry; Salvation Army Women's & Men's Homeless Shelters; Community Coalition Against Human Trafficking; Cole Center Caregivers and Parkinson Band, Mercy Ships, Lutheran Church & School in Guatemala, AL-ANON, Narcotics Anonymous.

Peace: Protection for all armed forces, especially: Jacob Cole, Tyler Hitter, Anthony Hu, Chase Linell, HM, Alex Primka, Christine Russ, Alex Serrano, Sam Thompson, Mitchell Yount, Greg Zager.

Week of February 11 - February 17, 2024

Sunday, February 11 - Transfiguration Sunday

- 9:00am Traditional Worship Service
- 10:00am Fellowship *The Cup*
- 10:15am Adult Sunday School
- Children's Sunday School
- Confirmation
- Teen Sunday School
- 11:11am Contemporary Worship Service
- 12:10pm Congregational Meeting *The Sanctuary*

Monday, February 12

- 9:00am *The Cup* reserved by member
- 10am Mom's Club of Northshore
- Noon Via de Cristo Reunion Group Library

Tuesday, February 13

- 1:30pm Bible Study Small Group The Cup
- 6:00pm Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner
- 6:00pm MOPS *Nursery*
- 7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous *The Cup*

Wednesday, February 14

- Noon Ash Wednesday Service
- 4:15pm Staff Meeting
- 5:30pm Bell Choir Rehearsal
- 6:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00pm Ash Wednesday Service

Thursday, February 15

- 9:30am Handy Faithfuls
- 6:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal
- 6:00pm Executive Committee Meeting
- 6:30pm Council Meeting

Friday, February 16


- 9:30am UT Cole Center Parkinson Band
- 7:00pm Narcotics Anonymous Group *The Cup*

Saturday, February 17

- 11:00am AL-ANON meeting

Sunday, February 18 - First Sunday of Lent

- 9:00am Traditional Worship Service
- 10:00am Fellowship *The Cup*
- 10:15am Adult Sunday School
- Childrens Sunday School
- Confirmation
- Teen Sunday School
- 11:11am Contemporary Worship Service
- 12:30pm 3rd-5th grade Knox Area Lutheran Youth @ Faith
- 2:30pm 6th-12th grade Knox Area Lutheran Youth @ Faith



Giving 2/04/24

Offerings last Sunday: \$ 25,717
Offerings Year-to-Date: \$ 87,631

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- WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY - 9am Traditional**

 - Altar Guild: Nancy Dean
 - Assisting Minister: Kathy Thompson
 - Lector: Mary Beth Hallahan
 - Communion Ministers: Allison Pressley, Danny Pressley
Mary Bales, Doug Bales
 - Greeter: Darla Berdal
 - Ushers: Jim Hallahan, Alan Berdal
 - Projection & Lights: Mary Bales
 - Offering Stewards: Gary Dakolios, George Herbold

- WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY - 11:11am Contemporary**

 - Altar Guild: Debbie Pinchok
 - Communion Ministers: Carrie Parrott, Scarlett Parrott, Jack Parrott
Jamie Daut, Ava Daut
 - Greeter: Joanne Sills
 - Ushers: Matt & Ethan Daut, Brad & Christian Berry
 - Projection & Lights: Jennifer Berry
 - Offering Stewards: Gary Dakolios, George Herbold

Preparing for Next Week

Monday: Exodus 19:7-25, Hebrews 2:1-4, Hebrews 2:1-4 • **Tuesday:** Job 19:23-27, 1 Timothy 3:14-16, Psalm 110:1-4
Wednesday: Psalm 51:1-17, 2 Corinthians 5:20-6:10, Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21 • **Thursday:** Daniel 9:1-14, 1 John 1:3-10, Psalm 25:1-10
Friday: Daniel 9:15-25, 2 Timothy 4:1-5, Psalm 25:1-10 • **Saturday:** Psalm 32, Matthew 9:2-13, Psalm 25:1-10
Sunday: Genesis 9:8-17, Psalm 25:1-10, 1 Peter 3:18-22, Mark 1:9-15