
GATHERING SONGS

*River of Life
Chain Breaker*

STATEMENT OF FAITH

by Dietrich Bonhoeffer

I believe that God both can and will bring good out of evil. For that purpose, God needs men and women who will make the best use of everything.

I believe that God is willing to provide us in any emergency with all the powers of resilience that will be necessary for us. But God does not give in advance, lest we should rely upon ourselves and not on God alone. It is such a faith that will overcome all anxiety and fear of the future.

I believe that God is not a timeless fate, but the One who is attending and responding to sincere prayers as well as to responsible action.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PARISH NEWS

TEMPLE TALK *What Generosity Can Do For Our Church*

Steve Dean, Council President

GOSPEL **Matthew 12:35-37** *pew Bible page 891*

Jesus encourages us to bear good fruit, especially since we will be acceptable when we are judged.

"The good person brings good things out of a good treasure, and the evil person brings evil things out of an evil treasure. ³⁶I tell you, on the day of judgment you will have to give an account for every careless word you utter; ³⁷for by your words you will be justified, and by your words you will be condemned."

Pastor: The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: Praise to you, O Christ!

SUMMER SERMON SERIES

"ONE WORD SERMON TITLES" Today: *Judgment*

Pastor Bob Stelter

A manuscript of this sermon is available on our website: www.faithloves.org/sermonmanuscripts

SERMON SONG *How He Loves Us*

SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE

OUR VISION

To be an inspired body of Christ.



OUR MISSION

Love God. Love Others. Serve.

OFFERINGS FOR MISSION & MINISTRY

OFFERING SONG

BLESSING OF THE OFFERING

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.

COMMUNION SONG

COMMUNION BLESSING

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

Congregation: Amen.

BENEDICTION

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

Congregation: Amen.

SENDING SONG *Revival (Children are invited to the altar.)*

SENDING

Praise Band: Christ is alive! Let us love God, love others, serve.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

ALTAR GUILD Connie Rist

GREETER Christina Landau

USHERS Earl Kripas, Eric Johnson

COMMUNION MINISTERS Lisa Stelter, Sarah & Matt Wright,
Richard Lehner, Katie Lehner

PROJECTION & LIGHTS Tara Taylor

*The flowers on the altar are given by **Barbara & Dave Birkholz**
in memory of **Leo Savilisky**.*

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Sunday Worship

9am traditional with organ & choir

11:11am contemporary with praise band
in person and on our YouTube livestream

225 Jamestowne Blvd • Farragut, TN 37934

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Welcome!

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

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, Serve.

The Knoxville Civil War Roundtable presents:
An Evening with Sparky & Rhonda Rucker

folk stories and songs

<https://sparkyandrhonda.com/>

hosted at Faith Lutheran Church

Tuesday, July 15, 7pm

\$15 tickets at the door



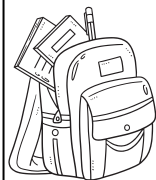
**Sunday
July 27
10:15am**

Inquirers

FOR THE CURIOUS NEWCOMER

**Learn about Faith Lutheran Church, meet
other new folks, and consider membership!**

To sign up or for more info, email greg@faithloves.org



Blessing of the Backpacks

and Sunday School Teacher Recognition

Students and Educators bring a
backpack or item from school.

Sun, August 3 at Both Services



SALVATION ARMY SHELTER VISIT

Tues, July 21, depart from Faith 5pm

Contact Debbie Ragucci, 865-567-1945
or Michael Lee, 865-406-6585

SHEPHERD OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY

Open Mon, July 21, 3-6pm

Current Needs: Jelly (no glass jars)

Boxed Mashed Potato Flakes

Spaghetti Pasta, Ketchup 20-38 oz

Deodorants - male & female



Flood Relief

You may give to Lutheran Disaster Response

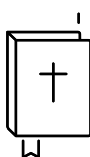
directly at elca.org/disaster

**or give to Faith Lutheran Church
and mark your gift "flood relief"**



One-Word Sermon Titles Preaching Series

This summer's topical
preaching allows us to
explore a different topic
each week as suggested
by the Scripture lessons
of the day.



Upcoming topics:

July 13, Judgment
July 20, Intimacy,
Dependency,
Obedience
July 27, Talents

SUMMERISING CONTINUES

We'll begin each traditional worship service this
summer with Summerising! Summerising includes
members of the congregation suggesting their
favorite hymns. We'll sing a few verses of each one
before we begin the liturgy of the service. Be thinking
of your favorites!



Knox-Area Youth Gathering Kick-off Pool Party & Cookout

Saturday Aug 9, 4-7pm

6th-12th Grades

Parents stay and mingle!

7421 Bellingham Dr, Knoxville
bring sides and drinks to share

Service of Healing

Anointing • Reconciliation • Communion
Wed. July 16, Noon

and continues 3rd Wednesday
of every month.
Invite a friend!





WORSHIP THEMES.

† July 13 - One Word Sermon Series: *Judgment*.

Jesus encourages us to view all things as spiritual matters, even our successes.

DIG IN, GROW DEEP, LEARN WITH OTHERS

- † Adult Bible Class: *The Holy Land Revealed* - on summer break until Sept 7 Rally Day
- † Teen Sunday School for 6th-12th graders - on summer break until Sept 7 Rally Day
- † Childrens Sunday School Class for 5th grade and younger - on summer break until Sept 7 Rally Day
- † Tuesday Bible Study open to all - on summer break until Sept 7 Rally Day

ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

- † Sat, Aug 13, 1pm: Ardell Dietzler Memorial Service at Faith Lutheran Church, reception to follow.
Sat, Aug 30, 11am: Dieter Manthey Memorial Service at Faith Lutheran Church, reception to follow.
- † English Language Learning Classes are offered at Faith Lutheran Church. You can help as encouragers and assistants. Contact Mildred Fenske, gomer2@hotmail.com
- † Father Bruce Corrigan is certified & available for individual Spiritual Direction at Faith Lutheran Church - helping you discern God's direction for you - at no-cost. Email bcorrigan99@gmail.com
- † 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, Wed, 5:30pm † Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Wed, 6:30pm
† Praise Band Rehearsal, Thurs 6pm & Sun 10am

Members of Faith Lutheran Church — Ministers

Rev. Dr. Bob Stelter — Pastor	Mary Boring — Office Manager
Greg Bohlken — Ministry Associate	Renée Stone - Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry Coordinator
Lynn Rognsvoog — Organist	Dan Primka — Communication Specialist
Collin Kasefang — Choir Director	Barbara Birkholz — Financial Secretary
Sandra Bohlken — Contemporary Worship Leader	Mildred Fenske — Prayer Chain Coordinator
Alicia & David Brondos — Missionaries	Trace Taylor — Sound Technician
Father Bruce Corrigan — Priest in Residence	Tiffany Bryson — Nursery Caregiver
Rev. Wyn Bryant — Pastor in Residence	Kim Frasch — Quiet Music Ministry

PRAYER CONCERNS

Members: Dave Birkholz, Jan Bishop, Mary Blackburn, Rob Blackburn, Nancy & Leon Cole, Myles Cooper, Nancy Dean, Nancy Dickinson, Patsy Elmore, John Elmore, Jonas Greenman, Chip Hester, Paul Jurkoic, Bonnie Legako, Irene Manthey, Lin & Mike McKinley, Harold Peters, Joe Poole, Dr. Ted Primka, the Saylor family, Pamela Spaar, Bill Steele, Kali Sullins, Jean Witte, John Woods.

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

Friends: App family, Bill Birkholz, Sheila Birkholz, Emily Buck, Ginger Cameron, Michael Carfi, Steve Case, the Damico family, Irma DeBord, Shayna DeBord, Dennis family, Brandy & Brian Duke, Dan Edmunds, Alanna & Arnie Fenske, Kathi Fenske-Hong, Franklin family, Phylis Garrison, Gary Gouzy, Karen Gray, Gutelius family, Brandi Henrickson, Joy Hymer, Juniper Johnson, Anne Key, Donna Knick, Barb Korsmo, Dick Korsmo, Anita & Steve Latham, Loyacano family, Jeff Matthews, Chris Patrick, Rose & Steve Penney, Jennifer Polliette, Pike Powers, Shannon Remington, Salles families, Marilyn Savilisky, Scaglione family, Ken Schwall, Richard Sena & family, Jim Shea, Lynn Siegfried & family, Donna Smith, Audra Tyler Moore, Frank Tyler, Paul Warren, Carla Welch, Barb Weldon, Mya, Ro & Haven Wolfe, Susan Wymer, Zehner family, Angel, Ben, Cheri, Don, George, Darcy, Jodi, Judy & Joe, Nadia *and those we name to You.*

Love as we celebrate the wedding of Sandy & Rich Wellner, married on July 11.

Comfort in the midst of death for the family and friends of: Ardell Dietzler, Jim Mullins, Kimberley Trezise, Mary Curtis, Dick Leiker, Alden Baxter, John Land, Dick Fletcher, Brenda Hensley.

Shepherd of Hope Pantry Friends: Monna, Austin & Kendra, Cheyanne, Jason, Gary, Rolen, Kayla, Donny, Christy, Ted & Sandra, Kelly & Kristi, Tommy, Carolyn, Jimbo, Bill & Jan, Tom & Rhonda, Sharlene, Daniel, Rich, Dennis & Pattie, Frank, Frank, Janis, Pat, Alexis, Debbie, Chris, Logan, Angie, Adam, Susan & family, Debbie, Mary, Cookie, Tab, Chase, Bruce, Aloecia, Clarence, Tambra & Randal, Dillon, Sharon, Shirley & family, Jose, Shon, Richard & Ann *and those known to God.*

Salvation Army Friends: Derik, Tom, Erick, Ralph, Jordan, John, Gary, Derek, Brandon, Matt, Jared, Erma, Robin, Donetta, Christie, Rebecca, Lacy, Lexy, Tinal, Emma, Lily *and those known to God.*

Concern & Assistance: Those dealing with addiction while incarcerated. Mentally & physically challenged. Veterans. Refugees and those living in fear of deportation. The people of Iran, Israel, Syria, Palestine, Ukraine, Russia. Texas flood recovery.

Partnerships: Bishop Eaton & the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; Bishop Strickland & the Southeastern Synod; Alicia & David Brondos, Missionaries in Mexico; Seminarian Sam Sosebee; Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry; English Language Learning Classes, Quiet Music Ministry; MomCo; Tyson House; Deacon Ministry; Knox Area Rescue Ministry; Via de Cristo Ministry; Salvation Army Women's & Men's Homeless Shelters; Street Hope; 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, Kyleigh Cole, Nick Corrigan, Anthony Hu, HM, Alex Primka, Christine Russ, Sam Thompson, Chris Yonke, Mitchell Yount, Greg Zager.

Church Council Leadership Team

Stephen Dean, President	Laura Beardsley, Secretary	Connie Rist
David Mabry, Vice President	Carrie Parrott, Treasurer	Dawn Titsworth
Mary Bales	Ritchie Case	Pastor Stelter

NURSERY

Jesus welcomed all - we love kids in church. There are coloring pages near the center doors.

A Staffed Nursery is available on Sundays down the hall near restrooms, with diaper changing station. A Cry Room for parents to sit with kids & participate in worship is through glass wall at back of Sanctuary, with nursing area & diaper changing station.

Giving 7/6/25

Offerings last week: \$ 29,134

Offerings Year-to-Date: \$ 468,291



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Daily Lectionary Readings for this Week

For more information, readings, and special days, visit www.elca.org and search for *Lectionary*

Mon: Job 24:1-8, James 2:1-7, Psalm 25:11-20

Tues: Proverbs 19:1-17, 1 John 3:11-17, Psalm 25:11-20

Wed: Ecclesiastes 9:13-18, Matthew 25:31-46, Psalm 25:11-20

Thurs: Genesis 12:10-20, Hebrews 5:1-6, Psalm 15

Fri: Genesis 13:1-18, Ephesians 3:14-21, Psalm 15

Sat: Genesis 14:1-16, Luke 8:4-10, Psalm 15

Sun: Genesis 18:1-10, Psalm 15, Colossians 1:15-28, Luke 10:38-42

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Faith Guest wi-fi password: *beblessed*

Week of July 13 - July 20, 2025

Sunday, July 13 - Season of Pentecost - Sermon: *Judgment*

9am Traditional Worship Service

10:15am Coffee, Donuts, & Fellowship in *The Cup*

10:15am English Language Class

11:11am Contemporary Worship Service

Monday, July 14

Noon Via de Cristo Reunion Group *Library*

6:15-8pm English Language Classes

Tuesday, July 15

7pm Sparky & Rhonda Rucker concert

- see front page for details

7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous

Wednesday, July 16

10am WELCA gathering - open to all women

Noon Service of Healing

5:30pm Handbell rehearsal

6:30pm Chancel Choir rehearsal

Thursday, July 17

9:30am Handy Faithfuls (contact Gary Mount)

6pm Council Executive Team meeting

6:30pm Church Council meeting

7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous

Friday, July 18

9:30am Cole Center Caregiver Community

7pm Narcotics Anonymous

Saturday, July 19

11am AL-ANON meeting

Sunday, July 20 - Season of Pentecost

Sermon: *Intimacy, Dependency, Obedience*

9am Traditional Worship Service

10:15am Coffee, Donuts, & Fellowship in *The Cup*

10:15am English Language Class

11:11am Contemporary Worship Service