Congratulations to our graduating seriors!

- Samantha Behne
- Logan Doty
- Rebecca Gaasterland
- Delaney Hanson
- Sam Hanson
- Ava Hauer
- Lauren Hunt
- Ian Kastner
- Sofia Lien
- Lilly Prentice
- Claire Rolighed
- Lucas Swenson

FAITH, FOOD, & FELLOWSHIP June, July & August, 2024

Sign up for a summer dining experience with other Faith adults! There will be 7-8 adults per gathering (both couples and singles welcome). You will host 6-7 people once, altogether meeting 4 times between June - August with a different host each time. The meal can be breakfast, brunch, lunch, dinner, a picnic, a pontoon ride, eating out at a restaurant - it's up to each host to decide!

After we receive your registration (forms available online or at the Welcome Center), you'll be sent 6-7 names with contact information to schedule your dining experience.

Questions? Text/call Marti Carlson: 320-894-1168.

Registration is due by May 23.

<u>In Our Thoughts & Prayers</u>

- Lila Burmeister
- Arlys Ousman
- Dave Eliason
- Janae Rambow for upcoming surgery
- Jack Kuppich (Thursday Morning Bible Study member)
- Kylee Nash (great granddaughter of Sharon Fostervold)
- Lynda Manselle as she recovers from surgery
- The family & loved ones of Betty Norby on her death
- Linda Mickelson & family on the death of her brother, Donald Behm
- Kellie Prentice

<u>From Kellie:</u> On May 16, I fly out to Kenya, for my exploratory personal mission and volunteering at Youth for Christ Girls Camp. I will be there 10 days. I will be working and supporting the house mothers at the camp...supporting, teaching, caring for teenage girls that are pregnant and have been shunned from their family and society. The girls receive medical care at hospital in Nairobi and stay at the camp until 2 months or so after baby delivery. I am bringing care items to the camp and will assist teaching the house moms first aid skills and teaching girls skills for independent living as well as baby care.

I ask for prayers for that God uses me to serve and be a light and love to all I encounter in my travels and time in Kenya. I ask for prayers of my own health and safety and open heart and spiritual journey to serve. I ask for prayers to those serving at the camp and for the girls there to be open and to God's salvation and love.



Altar flowers given by Katherine Ragan in honor of her piano students and Les & Pastor Katherine Rood in honor of their 52nd Anniversary!

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

Sunday, May 19, 2024 Day of Pentecost





THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

Blessed be the holy Trinity, # one God, the wellspring of grace, our Easter and our joy. Amen.

Look, here is water! Here is our water of life! Alleluia!

Immersed in the promises of baptism, let us give thanks for what God has done for us.

We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your voice thundered over the deep and water became the essence of life. Adam and Eve beheld Eden's verdant rivers. The ark carried your creation through the flood into a new day. Miriam led the dancing as your people passed through the sea into freedom's land. In a desert pool the Ethiopian official entered your boundless baptismal life.

Look, here is water! Here is our water of life! Alleluia!

At the river your beloved Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By the baptism of Jesus' death and resurrection you opened the floodgates of your reconciling love, freeing us to live as Easter people. We rejoice with glad hearts, giving all honor and praise to you, through the risen Christ, our source of living water, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

Look, here is water! Here is our water of life! Alleluia!

GATHERING SONG

O Holy Spirit, Root of Life

ELW 399

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. Mighty God, you breathe life into our bones, and your Spirit brings truth to the world. Send us this Spirit, transform us by your truth, and give us language to proclaim your gospel, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER RECOGNITION

FIRST READING: Acts 2:1-21

PSALM (read responsively): Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

SECOND READING: Romans 8:22-27 The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia...

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GOSPEL READING: John 15:26-27; 16:4b-15

The holy gospel according to John. Glory to you, O Lord.

The gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY

Every Time I Feel the Spirit

APOSTLE'S CREED

Together we confess our faith...

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THANKFULNESS FOR SERVICE - Rae Peterson

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

God of grace, hear our prayer.

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always. And also with you.

OFFERING

RECEIVING OF INTENTION CARDS

Scan QR code to give online.

OFFERTORY

Oh God Beyond all Praising, WOV 797 vs.1

OFFERING PRAYER

Risen One, you call us to believe and bear fruit. May the gifts that we offer here be signs of your abiding love. Form us to be your witnesses in the world, through Jesus Christ, our true vine. Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

COMMUNION

The risen Christ is made known to us in the breaking of the bread. Come and eat at God's table.

(Gluten free wafers & grape juice are available - simply ask your server)

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

ACS 942

Lamb of God Be Not Afraid Let Us Break Bread Together Come to the Table

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Shepherding God, you have prepared a table before us and nourished us with your love. Send us forth from this banquet to proclaim your goodness and share the abundant mercy of Jesus, our redeemer and friend. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

Alleluia! Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

The God of resurrection power, the Christ of unending joy, and the Spirit of Easter hope # bless you now and always. Amen.

SENIOR RECOGNITION AND RECEIVING OF THE OUILTS



SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE



Sunday Worship

- 8:30am at the Stave Chapel
- 10:00am at Faith Lutheran Church
 - this service will be live-streamed

Evangelical Lutheran Worship - Holy Communion Setting One

"O Holy Spirit, Root of Life", text: Jean Janzen; based on Hildegard of Bingen, music: European tune; adapt. Michael Praetorius; arr. hymnal version, text © 1991 Jean Janzen, admin. Augsburg Fortress, Arr. © 2006 Augsburg Fortress "Every Time I Feel the Spirit", text: African American spiritual, music: African American spiritual; arr. Melva W. Costen, Arr

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"Let Us Break Bread Together", text and music: African American spiritual

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