

Faith Lutheran Church 2335 S. Webster Ave. Green Bay, WI 54301

WEEKLY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday worship at 8:00 am, 9:30 am, & 11:00 am Monday worship at 6:30 pm

Temporary Church Office Hours: Monday-Thursday | 8:00 am—12:00 pm

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

"Blessed Lord, who has caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning, grant that we may in such wise hear them, read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them, that by patience and comfort of Your Holy Word we may embrace, and ever hold fast, the blessed hope of everlasting life, which You has given us in our Savior, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. Amen."

I love the phrase, "hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them," that appears in this prayer. It is a reminder to us of how we should interact with and utilize the Word of God. When God spoke, first through the prophets and then through his Son, he did not speak frivolously or carelessly. He gave us his Word and he promised it would be effective- it would do something. The something it does is makes you his child, forgives your sins, and keeps you steadfast in your faith. For it to do this, however, you must encounter his Word. If you refuse to hear it, refuse to read it, refuse to interact with it, you also refuse any of the benefits it might give. So we are called, as his children to have God's Word be a part of our lives so that it make shape us and make us his.

While this is an ongoing activity that happens over the course of a lifetime- you will never learn all there is to know- during the Sundays in March, we will be highlighting some of the ways Faith supports Christian Education and the interaction with God's Word for some of our younger members. On March 7, we will welcome representatives of Camp Luther who will be with us to share about the work of our partners in outdoor ministry and how they share God's Word with those who attend Camp each year.

On March 14, we will focus on Christian Education within our schools. During services on this Sunday, we will welcome the North East Wisconsin Lutheran School Association to share with us about the work of Trinity Lutheran School and NEW Lutheran High School. These two institutions, working alongside Faith Christian Preschool, are devoted to helping families prepare Christian leaders and are one of the ways that Faith is able to help families encourage their children to engage with God's Word and inwardly digest all he has to say.

Finally, on March 21, we will have Examination Sunday. This is the culmination of Sunday School and Catechism Class as our Eighth Grade Confirmands publicly answer questions about the Christian faith, practice speaking to others about what we confess, and demonstrate what they have learned thus far in their Christian Education journey. Please keep these students in your prayers as they prepare for this day.

Christian Education should always be a priority for the Christian. After Christian worship, it is the most important part of deepening your relationship with your Heavenly Father. We come to worship to receive his gifts and we participate in Christian education to learn how to "embrace and hold fast the blessed hope of eternal life."

God Bless, Pastor Errer

Easter Lily Sign-up

If you would like to purchase an Easter Lily to help beautify the Sanctuary on Easter, there is a sign up available on the Welcome Center counter, or contact the Church Office. Lilies are \$22 each. Last day to sign up is: Sunday, February 28, 2021



"In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth ...
And God saw everything that He had made, and behold, it was very good."
Like a potter shaping and molding clay, God formed and fashioned the world we all live in today. The land, waters, sky, plants, animals, and first humans were designed and placed perfectly, until that day when sin entered the world and cracked God's masterful creation. God however, was not content with letting His masterpiece sit in ruins. Join us this Lent as we explore how Christ has worked to recreate our broken, sinful world into a marvelous New Creation for us all to enjoy.

-Vicar Eric Souer

Lent and Holy Week 2021

Here are a few details about our Lenten Midweek Services:

† Midweek Service Sign Up will be available on the Church Website after February 7. This image will be on our home page for you to click and sign up for worship.



- † While we will have two Midweek Services each week, we will not be having our Lenten Dinners in between services. We will also not have our Easter Breakfast this year.
- † The 4 pm Service will be LiveStreamed each week



<u>Lent Midweek (Wed.) Services at 4:00 pm & 6:30 pm</u> *Midweek Services follow Evening Prayer (LSB pg. 243)*

March 3	Midweek Worship Service
March 10	Midweek Worship Service
March 17	Midweek Worship Service
March 24	Midweek Worship Service

Holy Week Services

Sun.	March 28	Palm Sunday 8:00 am, 9:30 am, & 11:00 am	
Mon.	March 29	Holy Week Service 6:30 pm	
Thur.	April 1	Maundy Thursday 4:00 pm & 6:30 pm	
	•	(1st Communion for 8th grade Catechism)	
Fri.	April 2	Good Friday Tre Ore Service 12:00 - 3:00 pm	
	•	(7 small services all approximately 25 minutes long)	
		Good Friday Tenebrae Service 6:30 pm	
Sat.	April 3	Easter Vigil 8:00 pm	
Sun.	April 4	Easter Sunday 6:30 am, 8:00 am, 9:30 am, & 11:00 am	
Mon.	April 5	No Monday Evening Service	

CATECHISM DURING LENT

Students are expected to attend midweek services

CLASS begins at 5:15 pm on Wednesdays Youth Group will begin after service until 7:45 pm High School Youth will continue from 7:45pm—8:30 pm Handbells will meet on Wednesdays at 4:45 pm





Why not get some Scrip to go with this event?

Scrip can be purchased throughout the week (call ahead),

via email, or in person on Sunday mornings!

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AND REGISTRATIONS

Please keep in mind that School Registrations for the 2021-2022 school year are in full effect right now.



Faith Christian Preschool

www.faithpreschoolgb.com (920)965-0795 ext. 216



Trinity Lutheran School www.greenbaytrinity.org

(920)655-4673



NEW Lutheran High School www.newlhs.com

(920)469-6810

Please consider Christian Education!



SAVE THE DATES!!!!!

VBS registration opens on April 1st!
Our Vacation Bible School will be held June 14-18.
More details will be shared soon!

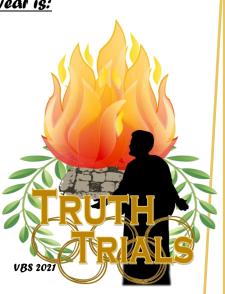
Our theme this year is:

During tough trials,
Elijah remained faithful to God when
others turned away from the Truth.
We try not to give up and strive to remain
faithful to God, but we are not strong
enough to do this on our own.

With God's help, we can focus on Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith. Through Jesus, we are crowned victorious

and given the ultimate prize:

Eternal Life in Heaven!



Bible Study Opportunities at Faith

~ Tuesday Mornings at 9:30 am in the Sanctuary ~



Meet in the Sanctuary on Tuesday Mornings at Pastor Errer guides a Bible Study on the Gospel of Matthew.

\sim Wednesdays at 12 pm via LiveStream \sim

Livestreamed Bible Study hosted by Vicar Souer and Director of Parish Music - Paul Heiser. This is available on our Church Website (flcgb.com) and on our Facebook Page.



Three new books have been added to the church library that deal with challenging and sensitive subjects. Each book provides reflection questions and the opportunity to engage God's Word as you struggle with the subjects they pursue.

- "He Remembers the Barren," by Katie Schuermann. Schuermann takes up the challenge of addressing the topic of childlessness in marriage. Addressing questions raised by those who struggle with infertility, she has created a devotional that helps women anchor their identity in Christ while considering the longing they feel to be a mother of their own children. In doing this, Schuermann has "given voice to those who are barren but not broken," and who often struggle to fit in a world designed to celebrate the gift of children.
- "Never Forsaken," by Kathryn Ziegler Weber. Weber has collected the stories of loss and grief and allowed women to share their journey through miscarriage in this compelling devotional. Each chapter can stand on its own and does not need to be read in sequence. For anyone who has ever asked the question of, "Why?" when confronting the loss of their unborn child, Weber helps show love and hope to those in the darkness of grief.
- "How Long, O Lord?" by Kristin Vargas. Written to address the hurt and trauma that often follows the return home of a war veteran, Vargas expands on this topic to include the devastation that a broken world brings into the lives of those who are first responders, survivors of abuse, and those ravaged by natural disasters. Through her devotional work, she seeks to provide hope to those deeply hurt in ways many others are not able to understand.



Faith Lutheran Church's Book Group has officially resumed!

While they traditionally meet the first Wednesday of the month at 6:30 pm, March's meeting will be held on **Thursday, March 4 at 6:30 pm** in the Church Lobby area.

March 4, 2021 – "News of the World" by Paulette Jiles

April 7, 2021 – "Searching for Sylvie Lee" by Jean Kwok

"By this we know love, that He laid down His life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers. But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him? Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth."

1 John 3:16-18

THIS LENT DON'T JUST GIVE SOMETHING UP, INSTEAD TAKE UP A STANCE ON LIFE BECOME A VOICE FOR THE UNBORN.

Join Area Lutherans as we peacefully protest the taking of innocent life, and we pray for an end to abortion and the love of Christ to be made known.

JOIN AREA LUTHERANS WEEKLY AS WE PRAY FOR AN END TO ABORTION.

WEDNESDAYS FROM 1:00 PM TO 2:00 PM OUR FIRST WEEK IS WEDNESDAY, FEB. 17"

Join us on Wednesday either in person or via prayer as we peacefully pray for an end to the senseless act of violence committed against the most innocent.



We pray weekly for the dates listed above outside the Green Bay Planned Parenthood located next to Red Robin on South Oneida Street.

BECOME A VOICE FOR THE VOICELESS -TODAY!

Sun	Mon	Tue		
	1 Service 6:30 pm	Tuesday Morning Bible Study 9:30 am Banner Group 10:45 am Culver's Fundraiser for Faith Christian Preschool 4-8 pm		
7 Welcome Camp Luther! Service *Livestreamed* 8:00 am Service 9:30 am Service 11:00 am Help for the Homeless Drive ends	8 Service 6:30 pm	Tuesday Morning Bible Study 9:30 am Banner Group 10:45 am Blood Drive Red Cross Blood Drive 12:30-5:30 pm Board Meeting 6:30 pm Council Meeting 7:45 pm		
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Green Bay Trinity LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEW Lutheran HIGH SCHOOL	No School for FCP, Trinity, or NEWLHS —Spring Break—			
21 Service *Livestreamed* 8:00 am Service 9:30 am Service 11:00 am (Catechism Examination during the 11:00 am service)	Service 6:30 pm	Tuesday Morning Bible Study 9:30 am Banner Group 10:45 am		
28 Palm Sunday Service *Livestreamed* 8:00 am Service 9:30 am Service 11:00 am	Service 6:30 pm	Banner Group 10:45 am		

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CALL (920) 965-0795 EXT 216 faithpreschoolgb@gmail.com

While the month of February brought cold temperatures and snow outdoors, indoors we had so much fun learning about groundhogs, Space, and Dr. Seuss. We even spent Valentine's week learning about the letter L, all things LOVE, and had a Valentine party celebration! Not only did we focus on the social/emotional, physical, and intellectual learning within the classroom, we also focused on our spiritual learning. We learned about Jesus' love for us through miraculous Bible stories such as: 10 lepers, Jesus fed 5,000, Jesus blessed the children, and the Good Samaritan! Praise be to God for the ability and support to continue our ministry in the classroom!

Faith Christian Preschool is pleased to announce our upcoming fundraisers. Thank you to all who donated, assisted, and plan to shop our annual rummage sale on February 27, 2021 from 8-12 p.m. ***Please note, COVID-19 protocols will be in place to ensure the health and safety of our volunteers and shoppers.

Can't shop the sale? You can still support Faith Christian Preschool at dine to donate Culver's fundraiser on March 2, 2021. Simply visit the Culver's location at 909 Hansen Rd between 4-8 p.m. and our organization will collect 10% of all dine in and drive through sales. Please be sure to tell your friends and share the Facebook event as the proceeds collected will be from ALL food sales. Thank you for supporting our program!

As we are more than half way through the school year, we are in full swing with enrollment for the 2021-2022 school year. We believe in offering a quality, play based, fun experience that will build a solid foundation in the child's Social, Intellectual, Emotional, Physical, and Spiritual areas. Please email faithpreschoolgb@gmail.com or call (920) 965-0795 ext. 216 for more information about our program or to schedule a tour.





TUESDAY, MARCH 2ND | 4PM - 8PM

Culver's of Green Bay | 909 Hansen Rd | Green Bay, WI 54304 | (920) 405-0735

Join us in supporting Faith Christian Preschool as 10% of all sales will be donated.

Phone: (920)965-0795 ext. 216 Email: faithpreschoolgb@gmail.com
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Facebook: www.faithpreschoolgb@gmail.com

From Principal Andrew Strickland of Green Bay Trinity Lutheran School:



I love reading Psalm 127, especially verses 1-5.

"Unless the Lord builds the house, those who build it labor in vain. Unless the Lord watches over the city, the watchman stays awake in vain. It is in vain that you rise up early and go late to rest, eating the bread of anxious toil; for he gives to his beloved sleep. Behold, children are a heritage from the Lord, the fruit of the womb a reward. Like arrows in the hand of a warrior are the children of one's youth. Blessed is the man who fills his quiver with them! He shall not be put to shame when he speaks with his enemies in the gate."

It is in my mind every morning when I am greeting our students. It talks about our houses and the family within them as being empty without the Lord. Your teaching of the Lord in your homes and by extension sending your children to Trinity to learn about Jesus and the world God has created helps build our homes in faith. That is the mission of Trinity: "Helping families nurture children in Christ and the knowledge of His world." The things we do here at school only reinforces what you are doing at home nurturing your children in the love of Christ.

Registration is open now for grade 5K-8. Visit us at <u>greenbaytrinity.org</u> to learn more about the benefits of Lutheran education.

News from NEWLHS

A Night For Kids is quickly approaching. Tickets are available for this great, in person event on March 6th at the Rock Garden. To purchase your tickets, please contact the school office at 920-469-6810 or visit www.newlhs.com to purchase online. If you can't make it but would still like to help support the school in reaching it's goal, you can donate online to the matching challenge. Thanks for supporting Christian secondary education in our community - a growing demand for all families in the greater Green Bay area.





Camp Luther will be here Sunday, March 7!

Camp Luther has taken precautions to ensure a safe, yet meaningful time at Camp this Summer. There are a few of their adjustments listed below, or to find out more about how they are going about Summer Camp, go to: https://campluther.com/summer2021#plan



Decreased Capacity

We're limiting our on-site capacity to 60% to give campers room to spread out in housing areas and shared spaces.



Separate Cohorts

Cohorts consisting of two camper groups (maximum of 24 campers) will be preassigned and used throughout the week for any shared activities as required. (Swim times, athletic field games, rainy day indoor locations, etc.)



Face Coverings

Campers and staff will be asked to wear face coverings in any indoor locations shared by different groups.



Enhanced Cleaning

Enhanced cleaning protocols will be used for shared spaces and commonly touched surfaces.



ൣ Small Groups

Camper groups will be limited in size to a maximum of 12 campers and small groups will remain separate throughout the camper week.



Health Screenings

All campers will be asked to complete a pre-camp health screening process.



Separate Bathrooms

Each small group will either be assigned their own bathroom area, or will be assigned morning and evening bathroom times at a shared showerhouse to limit mixing between groups during these times.



Group Separation

Any large group activities will be restricted to outdoor activities where adequate separation between different groups can be maintained.



Contactless Check-In

Camper check-in and pick-up will be a contactless process conducted entirely in the Camp Luther parking lot.

One big change is that they are limiting the number of on-site campers each week to 60% of our normal capacity. This change, combined with restrictions in camper group sizes, means that we'll be limiting the number of specialty programs we offer this summer. So this means that spots will fill up fast, so register for Camp today!

Enter to Win!!!!!!

If your child (grade 3 or older) has never had the opportunity to experience Camp Luther, contact DCE Alex Wright at flcgb.dce@gmail.com to have their name placed in a drawing for a free week to camp!

Name must be submitted by Thursday, March 4.

Winners will be announced on Sunday, March 7.



We pray that you and your family are enjoying the lessons and learning more together.

How Virtual Sunday School Works:

Every Sunday the new lesson is activated on our website in the education tab: flcqb.com. Families will have the option of visiting the site together whenever and as often as they would like all week long since the lessons stay up for about 2 weeks.

Our next Craft kit pickup will be: March 7, 2021

IMPORTANT INFO FOR CATECHISM:

Catechism Classes have switched to 5:15 pm during Lent!

Catechism Examination for our 8th Grade Class will take place during the 11:00 am service on Sunday, March 21!

Families, be sure to sign up for service ahead of time.

WEDNESDAYS FOR YOUTH:

During Lent

4:45 pm Youth Handbells 5:15 Catechism Classes 6:30 pm Midweek Service (after service) Jr. High Youth 7:45 pm High School Youth





Scrip is once again open on Sunday's, between services, for order and pick-up! Thank you to all who helped support the program last year with your "hand's free" orders via email. That option is still available if you prefer to use it. The address and form can be found on the church website under the "About" tab.

Also, be sure to check out our "Scrip Tips" ad on Sundays for what special businesses are being highlighted this month!

Pocket Prayer Shawls are back! If you (or someone you know) are in need of a pocket prayer shawl to provide a little comfort and reminder that God is always with you, they are available next to the Magazine Rack in the Church Lobby Area.





Help for the Homeless

Donate Personal Care Items for the Help for the Homeless Hygiene Drive. The Drive is taking place from Feb 14-March 7. Drop off donations in the boxes around church.

Faith Lutheran Church Community Blood Drive

American Red Cross

Tuesday, March 9, 2021 12:30 pm—5:30 pm



For an appointment call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



- 1 Bob Olson
- 2 Debbie Barber
- 3 Myra Frank Jacquelyn Jordan Enzo Matic
- 4 Pamela Heiser
- 5 Terry Krieser Tristan Mansfield Rachel Zimonick
- 6 Gary Anderson Jordan Bindas Erin Foth
- 8 Mary Veldkamp
- 9 Evan Barkow Dave Dahlke Mary DeMoulin Juanita Marweg
- 10 Jill Janssen
- 11 Kassandre Blaha Riley Dryer
- 12 Andrew Mansfield Micah Mueller Brandi Nguyen Dale Rudzinski Lisa Zimonick

- 13 James Anderson Rick Huebner
 - Wendy Marach Joy Martin
- 14 Adam LaPlante
- 15 Ian Mayo
- 16 Caroline Kaufman Dustin Lamal Barb Whitford
- 17 Rory Cravillion Zoey Moureau Alivia Wilke
- 18 Michael Bukowski Jennifer Cherney Mark Ebert Amanda Strickland Marilyn Toninato
- 19 Lauren Janssen Connie Krueger Karen Potts Jeff Walch
- 20 Brett Krueger Jordan Silva
- 21 Kelley Gossage Jovie Prell

- 22 Victoria Mansfield Kathy Patzke
- 23 Tom Thompson Jackie VanDeHey
- 24 Zak Barlament Amanda Helpap
- 25 Gary Engebose Kamry Kupsh Allison Potts
- 26 Dan Fels Betty Jenkel
- 27 Tim Blasier Carolyn Boeck
- 28 Mike Brennenstuhl Cassie Bushkie
- 30 Kayden Delvaux Robert Drabes Derek Thomson
- 31 Darlene Dahlke Patrick Kenney Quinn Nissen Robert Ruggles



- 1 Ron & Pat Falkenhagen
- 4 Tom & Marsha Quatsoe
- 5 Brent & Jodi Watzka
- 16 Bob & Sandy Olson
- 21 Don & Elaine Hendricks

GIVE ONLINE



During this time, online giving is a very simple and effective way to support Faith Lutheran Church. It is available through our website (flcgb.com) and click this button on the home page.

If you have any questions, please email flcgb.donations@gmail.com

2021 Unified Offerings

YTD—\$65,613*
* YTD as of February 23, 2021

SCRIP

\$1,431.85 (as of February 23, 2021)

CHURCH MORTAGE

\$86,866.92

(as of February 11, 2021)





SUNDAY, MARCH 21, 2021
PICK UP REGINS AFTER THE 8 AM SERVICE

YOU CAN PURCHASE QUARTS OF CHILI
FOR YOU TO TAKE HOME.
AS WELL AS SOME TO DONATE TO
ST. JOHN'S HOMELESS SHELTER
&/OR FREEDOM HOUSE.

PREORDERS DUE BY MONDAY, MARCH 15, 2021

Simply detach the order form on the next page and bring to Church with payment.

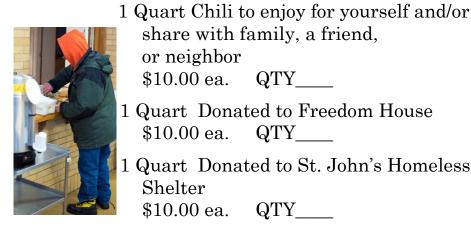
Instead of our traditional competition for the best chili, we will be working together by making the traditional batch of chili from Drift Inn.

If you are interested in helping out by making chili, packaging, and/or selling the chili, Please sign up at the Welcome Center or contact Paul Reynolds at 920-655-8651.

Chili Pre-Purchase

Order and Payment due by Monday, March 15





Total \$:_____ Total QTY_____

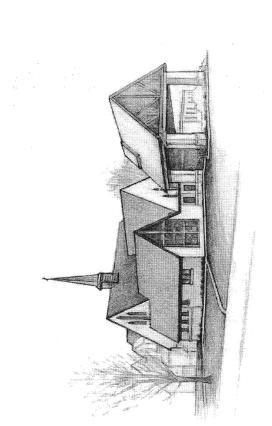
Make Checks Payable to: Faith Lutheran Church In Memo Line: Chili Purchase

Name: ______Phone Number:

Pick-up: Sunday, March 21 from 9 am-noon. Questions? Please contact Paul Reynolds at 920-655-8651.



Electronic Service Requested



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