

"The earth
is the
LORD'S
and the
fullness
thereof,
the world
and those
who dwell
therein..."

Psalms 24:1



Service Times:

Sundays at 8 am & 10:30 am

(Christian Growth Hour at 9:15 am)

Mondays at 6:30 pm

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ at Faith Lutheran Church,

My favorite chapter transition in Scripture is from Psalm 23 to Psalm 24. Quite often, especially in Psalms, we read the Psalms as independent units and consider them as such. Last summer, however, as I was reading a devotion from Psalms, I had read Psalm 23 and it was fresh in my mind as I started reading Psalm 24, and the beauty of what was revealed not only caught me off guard, but took my breath away.

Psalm 23 ends with the promise that you will “dwell in the house of the Lord forever.” It is a wonderful promise that is the fulfillment of what the Good Shepherd offers his sheep; good pasture, still waters, rest, comfort, safety, healing, goodness, and mercy. It is a promise that we rejoice in at every funeral and are reminded of during the Easter season on Good Shepherd Sunday. What caught me off guard was not his promise, but what comes immediately after in Psalm 24:1, “The earth is the Lord’s and the fullness thereof.” Consider the implications of what this teaches. You do not need to wait until death to be in the house of the Lord, *you are already there!* The whole earth, every last part of it, belongs to the Lord. There is no place that we can be that does not belong to God. Yes, when we die and go to our Father’s house where there are many rooms, we will experience something different and far greater than we currently know in this life, however, what we have now is also God’s. He is not distant, waiting for us to arrive at his house for a visit. We live in the creation he made, dwell in the creation belongs to him, and we are reminded that he is Immanuel, God with us because he came to earth to dwell and call it his home. Yes, we will dwell in the house of the Lord, but where we dwell now is also his.

As you reflect on 2025 and begin looking to 2026, there are undoubtedly blessings to count and sorrows to mourn. Good things and bad. For as long as we live on this earth, both realities will be true. Both will be a part of our experience. But his also is true- God is there for all of it. He is not distant. He is not dis-interested. We live in his creation because we are his creation. So, like a Good Shepherd, he gives you rest, comfort, safety, binds your wounds, and follows you with goodness and mercy. He is present with you because “all the earth is the Lords and the fullness thereof.” As you look to the new year, rejoice in knowing that God has promised one day you will see him face to face in his heavenly home. A home where he has a room for you. But in the meantime, where you live now also belongs to God. He knows your name. He has seen your face. He has called you his child. He has promised you shall dwell in his house forever.

May God grant you a blessed and wonderful new year.

Pastor Error

Let your Faith Grow!

Bible Studies offered at Faith Lutheran Church

Sundays:



**Christian Growth
Sunday School**
Sun. | 9:15 am | Downstairs

Christian Growth Hour has lessons for all age groups. Our Sunday School classes are open to kids from 3K-8th grade. Venture downstairs *Me2! Class is available for children birth-3 (with Parents)



Adult Bible Study
Sun. | 9:15 am
Fellowship Hall

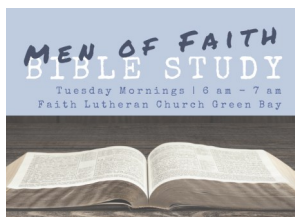
Christian Growth Hour has lessons for all age groups. Our Adult Bible Study dives deeper and aligns with the lessons that the children are learning at Sunday School. This encourages conversation within the household to discuss what was learned on Sunday. **High Schoolers are encouraged to attend this Bible Study*



**Protestant Reformation
Adult Bible Study**
Sun. | 9:15 am | Lounge

Class led by Rev. Ed Maniscalco, Ph.D. in the Lounge between services. Classes will concentrate on key personalities, events and theological developments from the pre-Reformation Periods (ca. 35 to 1517 AD) through the Roman Catholic Council of Trent (1563). This study seeks to enhance, clarify and stimulate our knowledge of the Lutheran doctrinal tradition through the many factors that led Luther and his fellow reformers to reimagine Roman Catholicism.

Tuesdays:



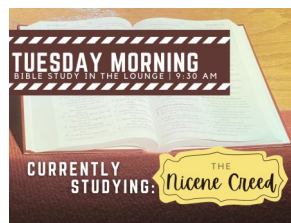
Men's Bible Study
Tuesdays | 6:00 am | Lounge

Tuesday mornings starting promptly at 6 am and ending at 7 am in the Lounge. Coffee and light breakfast will be provided. Currently studying the book of Acts.



Matins
Tuesdays | 9 am | Sanctuary

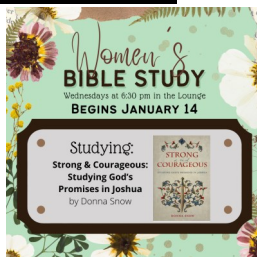
Singing through the Order of Matins is in the Sanctuary on Tuesday Mornings at 9 am. All are welcome.



**Tuesday Morning
Bible Study**
Tuesdays | 9:30 am | Lounge

Come to the Lounge on Tuesday Mornings for a discussion led Bible Study learning more about God's Word and daily life. Pastor Error is currently leading the Bible Study on the Nicene Creed.

Wednesdays:



Women's Bible Study **Wednesdays at 6:30 pm** ****Jan. 14-May 13****

Women's Bible Study will resume Wednesday, January 14, at 6:30 pm in the Lounge. We will be using the book *Strong and Courageous: Studying God's Promises in Joshua* by Donna Snow. Please contact Gina Bents with any questions you may have: gbents@new.rr.com or (920) 327-1979.

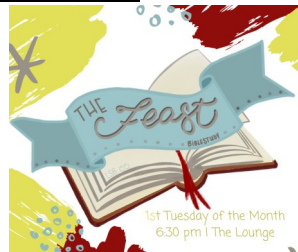
Thursdays:



T.A.L.K. Bible Study **Podcast launched on** **Thursdays** **Available on our website,** **Spotify, and other podcast** **programs**

Each week on Thursdays, a podcast featuring our Director of Parish Music Paul Heiser and the preacher for the upcoming Sunday will give a little more background on the theological and liturgical aspects of the next worship service.

Monthly:



The Feast Bible Study **1st Tues. of the Month** **6:30 pm in the Lounge**

Join together with other young adult members of the congregation for Bible Study, devotions, fellowship, and food. This bible study/discussion is lead by Director of Christian Education, Alex Wright and is held in the Lounge.



CATECHISM CLASSES

Classes resume Wednesday, January 7

CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE



Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Christmas Giving Tree this year! With your help and donations, we were able to support 7 families this Christmas.



Volleyball season is starting for the Faith Fireballs! If you are interested in playing on one of our teams, please contact Katie at faithfireballsgb@gmail.com. Our games are played at Calvary Lutheran Church on Ridge Road on Friday nights. Let's Go Fireballs!

Blood Drive



American
Red Cross

Faith Lutheran Church Community Blood Drive

**Tuesday, January 13, 2026
12:30 pm—5:30 pm**

COUNCIL OPENINGS

Thank you to those who give of their time and energy to support the work of our congregation. Open positions for the upcoming church council are: Treasurer, Assistant Financial Secretary (AFS), and Chair of the Board of Education,. The AFS role is a 2-year commitment with the first year as the AFS and the second as the Financial Secretary. The Treasurer role is also a 2-year commitment. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Brent Roubal (Stewardship Chair), Rod Goldhahn (Council President), or Peter Voss (Vice President).

.....This month at Faith.....

Faith Christian Preschool's Annual

Rummage Sale

Faith

2:35 S. Webster Ave.

Saturday, 1/31/26

8 am - 12 pm






mainly new items!!

Item drop off begins 1/25

JANUARY

Sun	Mon	Tue
<p>28</p> <p>Service 9:00 am Christmas Tea 10:15 am</p>	<p>29</p> <p><i>No Monday Service</i></p>	<p>30</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Service 8:00 am Christian Growth Hour 9:15 am Service 10:30 am</p>	<p>5</p> <p><i>No Monday Service</i></p>	<p>6</p> <p><i>Blessed Epiphany</i> Men's Bible Study 6:00 am Matins 9:00 am Tuesday Bible Study 9:30 am Banner Group 10:45 am Epiphany Service 6:30 pm</p> 
<p>11</p> <p>Service 8:00 am Christian Growth Hour 9:15 am Service 10:30 am Un-Deck the Halls 11:30 am</p> 	<p>12</p> <p>Service 6:30 pm</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Men's Bible Study 6:00 am Matins 9:00 am Tuesday Bible Study 9:30 am Banner Group 10:45 am Blood Drive 12:30-5:30 Handbells 5:45 pm All Boards' Mtg 6:00 pm Adult Choir 6:45 pm Council Mtg 7:15 pm</p>
<p>18</p> <p>Service 8:00 am Christian Growth Hour 9:15 am Service 10:30 am Faith Family Potluck 11:45 am</p> 	<p>19</p> <p><i>NEWLHS</i>—no school Service 6:30 pm</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Men's Bible Study 6:00 am Matins 9:00 am Tuesday Bible Study 9:30 am Banner Group 10:45 am Handbells 5:45 pm Adult Choir 6:45 pm</p>
<p>25</p> <p>Service *Livestreamed* 8:00 am Christian Growth Hour 9:15 am Service 10:30 am</p> <p>Drop off for Rummage Sale begins!</p>	<p>26</p> <p>The Faithfuls Lunch 11:30 am Service 6:30 pm</p>	<p>27</p>
National Lutheran Schools Week!		

Epiphany Service is on Tuesday, January 6 at 6:30 pm.

Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31 <i>New Year's Eve</i> <i>Church Office Closed</i> New Year's Eve Service 6:30 pm	1 <i>Happy New Year!</i> <i>Church Office Closed</i>	2	3
7 Catechism Classes 5:30 pm Book Group 6:30 pm Jr. High Youth 6:30 pm Youth Handbells 7 pm High School Youth 7:30 pm 	8 T.A.L.K. Podcast Prayer Shawl Ministry 12:00 pm Daytimers' Bunko  2:00 pm	9  Volleyball at Calvary	10
14 Catechism Classes 5:30 pm Women's Bible Study 6:30 pm Jr. High Youth 6:30 pm Youth Handbells 7 pm High School Youth 7:30 pm 	15 T.A.L.K. Podcast	16 Volleyball at Calvary <div>High School & Jr. Youth Winter Camp Jan. 16-18</div>	17
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28 Rummage Sale sorting 5-8 pm Catechism Classes 5:30 pm Women's Bible Study 6:30 pm Jr. High Youth 6:30 pm Youth Handbells 7 pm High School Youth 7:30 pm <div>National Lutheran Schools Week!</div>	29	30 <i>FCP, Trinity, & NEWLHS—no school</i>	31 <i>FCP Rummage Sale</i> 

Thank You!



Thank you to everyone who supported the Faith Lutheran Church Youth Group's Cookie Walk on December 6!

With your help, we were able to raise \$7,900!

Whether you let us borrow decorations, donated financially, baked cookies, bought cookies, or volunteered, we appreciate your help! This goes towards youth events such as Winter Camp, monthly youth activities & conferences/mission trips.



**Thank you for supporting the
Faith Lutheran Church Youth Group!**



Thank you to the Green Bay Packers for donating a raffle prize this year of a Packers football signed by #63 Rasheed Walker!

We had many people enter the drawing.

Congratulations to our winner Evan B.!



FAITH LUTHERAN YOUTH GROUP
WINTER CAMP
FRI. JAN. 16- SUN. JAN. 18

Winter Camp is 1/16-1/18. Let DCE Alex Wright know if you will be attending

Resuming 1/7:

Wednesday night schedule:

5:30-6:30—Catechism Classes

6:30-7:15—Jr. High Youth

7-7:40—Teen Handbells (open to all Youth)

7:30-8:30—High School Youth

Faith
Youth
Info



DECEMBER PICTURES



WHAT IS HAPPENING IN *Christian Growth*

UPCOMING:

1/4: CHRISTIAN GROWTH HOUR RESUMES

PARENTS

Parents (and congregation members) are always welcome to join their child's class during Christian Growth Hour. We even encourage parents to experience Christian Growth Hour with their child at least once to gain a better understanding of how Sunday mornings work for Sunday School.

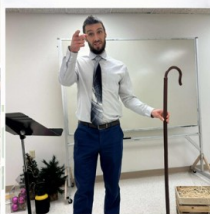
OFFERING:

Our Sunday School Offerings this year are going toward supporting "Christ's Care for Children: Kenya", a program through the LCMS. "Christ's Care for Children: Kenya" is a child sponsorship program that matches individuals, families or groups in the United States with children who are living in one of the Project 24 boarding facilities in Kenya. These facilities are managed by The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod and our partner church, the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Kenya. The children live at one of the Project 24 facilities while attending school and church during the academic year.

We are sponsoring a boy named Moses. Updates from him are posted on the Sunday School info board near the Sunday School Office downstairs.

**Christ's Care
FOR CHILDREN:
KENYA**

EACH "AFRICA" REPRESENTS \$10 RAISED
OUR GOAL IS \$500!





"For God So Loved the World"
Sunday School Christmas Service
Sunday, Dec. 21, 2025 at 10:30 am

"Nurturing Mind & Spirit"

Helping families nurture children in Christ
and the knowledge of His world.



Faith
CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL

Phone: (920) 965-0795 ext. 216

Email: faithpreschoolgb@gmail.com

As we begin the new year, January will be a meaningful and hope-filled month for our students at FCP. Together, we will focus on re-connecting after the holidays, building strong relationships, and setting our hearts on Christ as we step into a new season. Our students will be encouraged to grow in faith, confidence, and community, remembering that God is making all things new (Isaiah 43:19).

Throughout January, we will work on themes like **"Sharing God's Love with Others", Winter Season and Winter Animals/Hibernation**

Upcoming Dates for FCP:

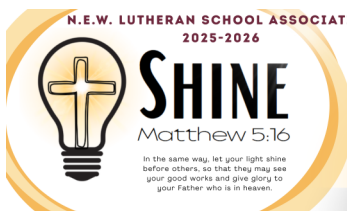
- **January 6th:** School Resumes
- **January 26th:** National Lutheran Schools Week (Theme is: "Let's Make a Joyful Noise" based on Psalm 98:4)
- **January 25-** Accepting Rummage sale Donations
- **January 28:** Set-up and Sort night for FCP Rummage sale
- **January 31:** FCP Annual Rummage Sale 8-12

** In other news, our annual rummage sale will be taking place on Saturday, January 31st from 8-12. If you are looking for a way to support FCP & Clean Out your closets then please consider donating gently used clothing/shoes (no undergarments or swimsuits please), small household items, and other misc. items. Please refrain from donating appliances and large electronic items.



May January be a time of renewal, unity, and growth as we encourage our students to fix their eyes on Jesus and follow Him boldly into the year ahead.

The Preschool Staff
Ellen Petrie (Director/
Teacher), Krissy Barthels
(Teachers Aide),
Angela Stiles (Aide)





UPCOMING DATES FOR TRINITY:

- 1/5: School Resumes
- 1/26-1/30: Lutheran Schools' Week
- 1/30: No School: Teacher Inservice



Green Bay Trinity
LUTHERAN SCHOOL

FAITH'S INVOLVEMENT LAST MONTH

- 19 students from Faith enrolled
- Vicar Scarborough led chapel on 12/3
- Vicar Scarborough taught 7/8th gr. religion classes



ANNUAL TRINITY AUCTION

FEBRUARY 21, 2026

RIVERSIDE BALLROOM
1560 MAIN ST.
GREEN BAY, WI 54302

4:00 PM: REGISTRATION & SILENT AUCTION
5:50 PM: SILENT AUCTION TABLES BEGIN TO CLOSE
6:20 PM: DINNER
8:00 PM: LIVE AUCTION BEGINS



\$40/TICKET

UPCOMING DATES FOR NEWLHS:

- 1/5: School Resumes
- 1/19: No School (MLK Jr. Day)
- 1/26-1/30: Lutheran Schools' Week
- 1/30: No School: Teacher Inservice



NEW Lutheran
HIGH SCHOOL

FAITH'S INVOLVEMENT LAST MONTH

- 3 students from Faith enrolled
- Faith Lutheran Church hosted the NEWLHS Band and Choir concert on Sunday, 12/14.

Would you be interested in representing Green Bay Lutheran Church at NEWLHS Chili Challenge of the Churches? This is a great opportunity to have you test your chili recipe before Faith's Annual Chili Cookoff in February!
Please contact the church office at media@flcgb.com if you are interested in participating in this friendly competition.

17TH ANNUAL Chili Challenge of the Churches

FRIDAY, January 16th
4:30 - 8:00pm

Benefiting
N.E.W. Lutheran High School

BOWL - \$5 (Bottomless)
Take out Quart - \$10

Our Association Churches are competing for your vote! Then stay to watch the Blazers take on Southern Door!

The Winner will be announced at half time

NEWLHS
1311 S. Robinson Ave
www.newlhs.com



Our previous vicar, Joshua Schiff, serves as a chaplain for the 404th Aviation Support Battalion, 4th Combat Aviation Brigade, 4th Infantry Division, has been deployed to Kuwait. He provides spiritual care for 500 soldiers stationed in Iraq, Syria, Jordan, and the Sinai Peninsula. In this role, he can distribute cards and care items to the soldiers.



To support his ministry, we will be collecting the items listed below from January 11- January 25. You may place your donations near the Church Office. Thank you for your support of our soldiers and Chaplain Schiff's ministry.

Items for Donation:

- cards and letters of thanks and encouragement
- high quality socks
- Soap
- Toothpaste/toothbrush
- lip balm
- foot powder
- sunscreen lotion
- Vicks Vapo Rub
- sewing kits
- lens cleaning cloths
- Playing cards/puzzles
- Baseballs
- Pencils
- 3M hooks
- water flavoring packets.



Happy Birthday!

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|----|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2 | Tony Bauer | Catherine Leitner | 30 | Nancy Briski | |
| | Annika Stafford | Ed Maniscalco | | Susan Kenney | |
| 4 | Liam King | 18 | Jolene Cheslock | 31 | Janet Hansen |
| | Micah King | 19 | Dr. Timothy Freeman | | |
| | Florence McNulty | | Ethan Garner | | |
| 5 | Collette Sinkewicz | | Will Ristow | | |
| 6 | Marv Kovach | 20 | Karen Smet | | |
| 7 | Paul Amenson | | Mary Jo Walch | | |
| | Rachel Doherty | 23 | Mike Buyarski | | |
| | Doug Hanna | | Janice Luhrs | | |
| 8 | Elana Heiser | 24 | Karin Barth | | |
| 10 | Ethan Natzke | | Katie Jo Harrison | | |
| 13 | Kim Jaeger | | Jeannine Stoffer | | |
| | Kelly Kriescher | 25 | Angela Stiles | | |
| | Rick Toninato | 26 | Morgan Gretzinger | | |
| 14 | Aaron Selner | | Ian Holschuh | | |
| | Kayleigh Shea | 28 | Lydia Blackman | | |
| 15 | Xavier Errer | | Jenifer Delebreau | | |
| 16 | Gordon Barkow | 29 | Wes Borchert | | |
| 17 | Curtis Foth | | Bryce Kaufman | | |
| | Debra Kinne | | Jodie Suomi | | |



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| 3 | Stephen & Katie Kaufman |
| 8 | Alex & Karin Wright |
| 16 | Chris & Jane Molzahn |



If you would like to help beautify the Sanctuary with a bouquet, you can sign up at the Welcome Center. Bouquets are only \$25 and you can take it home with you after that Monday service. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Church Office or Sue Schuettelpelz.

GIVE ONLINE

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 donate@flcgb.com



2025 UNIFIED OFFERINGS

YTD— \$583,461.12
(as of December 19, 2025)

SCRIP REBATES:

\$6,744.02
(as of December 16, 2025)