



FAITH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS AUGUST 9 and 10
Divine Services: *Sundays — 8 am & 9:30 am; Mondays — 6:30 pm*
Website: *www.flcgb.com*



Thanks from Vicar Nathaniel Hall

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I thank our God for the wonderful generosity that you have shown me and my family as we arrived in Green Bay. Rachel, Zechariah, Simeon and I arrived to a new city and a new house to a warm welcome and many hands to help us set up and organize the house, along with a counter full of food! Having the food from the pantry drive was a great blessing and took the stress out of the first several days of the transition so we didn't have to worry about getting to the grocery store right away. My main job as a vicar is to learn, and you are already teaching me the virtue of the 7th commandment: generosity!

I pray that I can be at least half the blessing to you in my service here at Faith as you all are to me and my family.

In Christ's Name,
Vicar Hall

FAITH FIREBALLS

Good Game last week! Faith Fireballs won their game with a score of 23-17. Their next game is Aug 9th at 4:15 pm. A potluck will be held after the 9:30 am service on August 16th to celebrate their season.



BLOOD DRIVE SEPT. 15

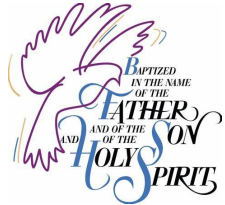
The Red Cross Blood Drive is September 15th from 12:30 pm—5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. *There are still openings to fill.* Please visit redcrossblood.org to schedule an appointment today!



DEADLINE FOR ANNOUNCEMENT
SUBMISSION IS WEDNESDAYS BY 9 AM

WELCOME TO GOD'S FAMILY

We welcome Josephine Lynn Pearce who has joined God's family through Holy Baptism at the 8:00 am service. She is the daughter of Joshua and Kerry Pearce and the sister to William.



ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN SCHOOL KITS

LWML will again be collecting school supplies with the goal of filling 96 kits. If you are out and doing "back to school" shopping and see items on sale, please consider getting a few extra for the school kits. A complete list is available by the church office. Items especially needed include:
crayons (12 pack), pens (blue or black ink), scissors, glue sticks (regular size) erasers (large pink).

CHRISTIAN GROWTH 2026 - 2027

We are looking forward to the upcoming education year for Christian Growth! We need teachers (new or returning) to help with the classes during the education hour on Sunday mornings. Teachers are needed for 3k/4k Kindergarten/1st, 2nd/3rd, 4th/5th, and 6th/7th/8th grade classes. Teachers are in charge of attendance, helping maintain discipline, and facilitating the prepared activity for the morning. If you have questions or are interested in being a teacher for Christian Growth, please contact DCE Alex Wright at dce@flcgb.com

Upcoming Dates for Christian Growth:

Aug 23 - Christian Growth Teacher Meeting (after 2nd service)

Sep 13 - First Day of Christian Growth





We pray for:

Timothy Kinne
Lois Piontek
Jim Peters
Connie Lenz

**FAITH'S ACTIVE
MILITARY MEMBERS:**

Thomas Brod &
Carter Barlament

Long-term prayer needs:

Joy Anderson
Leroy Barber
Kaylene Delvaux
Arlene Doepeke
Sandi Engebose
Erica Errer
Ethan Garner
Scott Hanna
Bonita Hoffman
Glenn Hoppe
Eleanore Juza
Donna Koehler
Fredrick Meinel
Toni Nelson

Dale Raby
Lori Reynolds
Paul Reynolds
Robert Ruggles
Kurt Steiner
Vern Tamura
Barbara Tuttle
Jeff Walch
Jean Zimmerman
Rick Zimmerman
Faith's Inactive
Members

Also pray for our extended family and friends of Faith:

Jonathan Peters (nephew to Jim and Janet Peters)
Lorraine Frank (mother of Carolyn Boeck)
Ralphie (friend of Pam Heiser)
Jessica Pluim (friend of Brian & Martha Patrycia)
Dan and Vicky Finco (friends of Marilyn and Rick Toninato)
Kay Daley (sister of Connie Lenz)
Lisa VanStraten (sister of Jenni Cherney and Angie Smet)
Steinfeldt family (friends of Gregg and Julie Marweg)
Melissa Raupp (daughter of Dave and Carol Riebe)
Sydney Miracle (friend of Dick & Kathy Rupiper)
Luvine Mielke (mother of Todd Mielke)
JJ Safranski (nephew of Todd & Karen Mielke)
Justice (grandson of Kappie Murray)
Pamela Moore (friend of Patrick Smith)
Cate Steiner (grand-daughter of Kurt and Judy Steiner)
Charles Bagneski (brother-in-law of Kelly Bagneski)
Laura Logsdon (friend of Lori Reynolds)
Kent Hillery (brother of Connie Lenz)

Sharon Samarziya (sister-in-law of Nancy Hauswirth)
Rotraud Alverson (sister of Christa Batiansila)
Jerry Mann (brother-in-law to Jim and Janet Peters)
Holly Morales (cousin of Alyssa Garner)
Christina Lange (niece of Paul & Lori Reynolds)
Sophia Meinel (grand-daughter of Fredrick & Diane Meinel)
Jean Reynolds (mother of Paul Reynolds)
Nancy Kolar (sister of Judy Steiner)
Susan Yakel (mother of Deborah Welnetz)
Roger Dart (cousin/friend of Paul & Lori Reynolds)
Judy Kostreva (sister in law of Debra Crozier)
Mike Walschinski (grandson of Angie Dobratz)
Rose Walschinski (grand-daughter of Angie Dobratz)
Charlie Cheslock (grandson of Keith & Jolene Cheslock)
Kevin Klover (brother of Kathy Ebert)
Amy Kellerman (cousin of Linda Just)
Pastor Jeff Dobratz (son of Angela Dobratz)
Andrea Laroque (friend of Toni Nelson)

If you would like to add (or remove) someone to (or from) the prayer list, please email office@flcgb.com.



Altar Flowers

Altar Bouquet 1	Altar Bouquet 2	Center Bouquet
In celebration of Joel and Kathy Cornell's anniversary	In memory of Edith Barth's birthday	In celebration of Simeon Hall's 1st birthday



Altar Flowers



Our Condolences



To the family of Bob Olson as they mourn his passing on
August 2nd. Cards may be sent to:
Sandy Olson, 1613 Louise Street, Green Bay, WI 54302

ALTAR FLOWERS:

The flower sign up is available at the
Welcome Center. The cost is \$25.00 per
bouquet.

The flowers are available for you to take
home after Monday service or they will
be at the Welcome Center Tuesday
morning.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FAITH THIS WEEK

Sun. 08/09 8:00 am Service
(Livestreamed)
9:30 am Service
10:45 am "Today's News and
the Bible" class
11:30 am Catechism Leaves
for Camp Luther

Mon. 08/10 6:30 pm Service

Tues 08/11 6:00 am Men's Bible Study
9:00 am Matins
9:30 am Bible Study

Fri. 08/14 9:30 am Faithful Friends
Playdate @
Jim Martin Park

Sun. 08/16 8:00 am Service
(Livestreamed)
9:30 am Service

SERVING OUR LORD THIS WEEK AT FAITH

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS:

Sun. 8:00 am	Sun. 9:30 am	Mon. 6:30 pm
Ted Genske	Terry Krieser	Bruce Zittlow

ALTAR GUILD:

Jane Molzahn | Kathy Cornell
Marilyn Toninato

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 9-11—Catechism Camp
August 16—Fireballs Potluck
August 23—Blessing of the Backpacks
October 10— Lutherans Witness Differently
speaker event: Reverend Droege Mueller

Bible Studies, Groups & Classes

WEEKLY(Summer)

TODAY'S NEWS & THE BIBLE

Sunday | 10:45 am | Fellowship Hall |
Led by Rev. Ed Maniscalco Ph.D.
August 9, 23, 30

Tuesday Men's Bible Study

6:00 am | Lounge | Book of Acts

TUESDAY MATINS PRAYER

9:00 am | Sanctuary

TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

9:30 am | Lounge

The Congregation at Prayer:

Daily Devotion and Prayer

Available on our website (flcgb.com)
under 'Home Devotion Resources' tab

MONTHLY

THE FAITHFULS | WOMEN'S LUNCHEON

Monday, August 24, 11:30 am

Applebee's/IHOP | 2420 E. Mason
(By the East Town Mall)

RSVP: Betty Spear 920-562-1208

THE FEAST BIBLE STUDY

First & Third Tuesday of the Month

August 18th | 6:30 pm | Lounge

Young Adult Bible Study

Led by Alex Wright



BOOK GROUP

First Wednesday of the Month

Sep. 2nd | 6:30 pm | Lounge

"A Prayer for Owen Meany"

By John Irving

FAITH'S DAYTIME BUNGO

TBD | Lounge



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

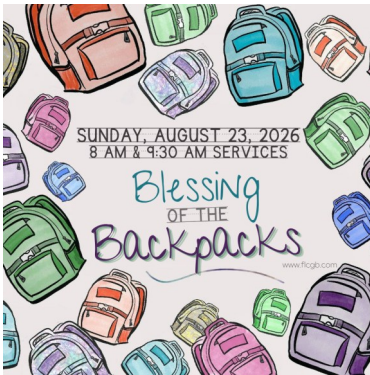
Sept 2nd | 12:00 pm | Lounge

Anyone who knits or crochets is
welcome to come and learn about this
ministry. For more information contact
Cheryl Roohr at eroohr@new.rr.com



BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

Blessing of the Backpacks is Sunday, August 23rd at the 8 & 9:30 services. We will pray for a happy, successful, & healthy school year. Each blessed backpack will receive a special key chain as a memento! *2nd graders will also be receiving their Faith Alive Student Bible. The Bible is used during Sunday School and Catechism Class here at Faith Lutheran Church.



If you would like to make a donation towards the purchasing of the Bibles for our youth, you can do this via the offering plate or to the church office. Please note it is for "Youth Bibles". you may also donate through online giving selecting "Beginner Bibles".

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY—THURSDAY
8:00 AM—12:00 PM

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TRINITY MENASHA SUPPORT

The Alumni of Trinity Lutheran Church and School of Menasha are asking sister congregations and schools in supporting the students and families affected by the tornado on July 27, 2026. Trinity is three blocks away from the major destruction and 18 of their students were in the path of the Tornado that went through Menasha. Let us help them out as they prepare for school to begin at the end of August. Items can be ordered through this online registry and will automatically ship to Trinity, Menasha. Please scan the QR code below to access the registry.



DISASTER RELIEF

Following the extreme weather and Tornadoes in the Appleton area on 7/27/26, we are asking for prayers for the families that have been impacted. If you wish to make a monetary donation to assist in relief services, please send money marked "**Disaster Response**" to: North Wisconsin District
3103 Seymour Lane
Wausau, WI 54401

Hearing Devices are available in the back of the Narthex. Please ask an usher for assistance.

A Large Print Hymnal is available in the back of the Narthex for your use.

Low-Gluten Wafers Due to the special dietary needs of those diagnosed with **Celiac Disease**, low-gluten wafers are available during communion. If you would like to receive a low-gluten wafer, speak to Pastor Errorr or an elder prior to the service.

Come and See: Invitation into the Presence of God

We want to evangelize. We want to see our family and friends come to faith in Christ Jesus. What do we do? What do we say? Consider the divine service. We gather, and our sins are absolved, sinners are baptized and adopted as God's children, Christ is present with us and we truly eat his body and drink his blood. All of this by the command and promise of God; by his word. Where Christ is, there is the forgiveness of sins also. Where the Word is, grace and faith abound. Consider this sizeable excerpt from Reverend Will Weedon's wonderful book entitled "Thank, Praise, Serve, and Obey," which I highly recommend.

"The Spirit prompted the writing of these Scriptures and carried them along, but the One whom the Spirit never tires of pointing us to is the Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. Now, we don't try to prove this to those who are outside the faith. That would be a hopeless venture, if ever there was one! Instead, we invite those who don't believe to come and join us as we hear God speak to us from the Scriptures and see for themselves. Only after they taste firsthand that "the Lord is good" will they be persuaded that "blessed is the man who takes refuge in him." (Psalm 34:8)"

"You see, the Church's experience, and the conviction that has always taken hold of her because of that experience, is that her faith comes to her as a gift through the Word that she hears. St. Paul stated this clearly when he wrote to the Romans, "So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ" (Romans 10:17). The "word of Christ" here means above all "the Word about Christ, the Word in which we meet Christ" and that word is indeed the Sacred Scriptures."

As we evangelize then, what do we do? We invite. "The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me" ... Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the Law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." (John 1:43-46).

We, undeserving, have been called by Christ, who has said "Follow me." We then turn to our neighbor, and like Philip proclaim this amazing news! The response we may receive is cynical, just like Nathanael; "This sounds ridiculous. This can't be true." How do we respond? Again, just like Philip, we invite: "Come and see." Be hospitable, keep the invitation open to bring others to worship, and continue in prayer and the love of Christ.

God's peace be with you,

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