

Welcome to Faith Lutheran Church!

11755 Sherburne Ave, Becker MN – 763-261-5751

On the sabbath, Paul and his companions worshiped with Lydia and the other women (Acts 16:13-14),
May God open our hearts today as he did theirs.

Pastor: Yolanda Denson-Byers
Vicar: Molly Wills

Partners in Ministry: People of Faith
Music & Worship Coordinator: Nathan Oliver

Sixth Sunday of Easter – Service of Word

Prelude – Joyous Ringers	Hymn of the Day – ELW #448 v. 1,3,4
Welcome and Announcements	Confession and Forgiveness
Baptism – Ashton, Barrett, & Casen Stalpes	Mission Moment – Recognition of Educators
Welcome	Offering
Gathering Song – ELW #456	Special Music – Joyous Ringers
Greeting	Offering Prayer
Hymn of Praise – Glory to You God	Canticle of Thanksgiving – Salvation Belongs to Our God
Prayer of the Day	The Prayers
Recognition of Seniors/Scholarship Recipients	The Lord's Prayer
Psalm 67	Easter Blessing
Good News Acclamation – Word of Life	Sending Song – ELW #660 v. 1,3,4
Good News Reading – Acts 16:9-15	Dismissal
Sermon – Pastor Yolanda	

Prayer Requests... Please keep the following people and their families in your prayers: *Those battling cancer:* Charlene Hubbard Doorn, Diane Hubbard, Lori Gaulrapp, Junior McDowall, Laurie, Terry, Alice Morgan, Paul Gaulrapp, Char, Courtney McDowell Rogers, and Sue. *For healing:* Ross Gabrielson, and Stanley Blidgen, Sr., and Hank Bjerga. *Health issues:* Andrew Schmidt. *Hospitalized:* Don Jensen, Larry Nelson, and ReNita Henderson. *Life Struggles:* Lance Moseley. *Caregivers:* Jennifer Johnson.

Did you know... If you are caring for a child, you are always welcome to take advantage of our church nursery! Whether you need to nurse, change a diaper, or just spend time gazing at your infant, we have a space prepared for you. A rocking chair, pack-n-play, diapers, wipes, and more are waiting. Here at FLC, we love our kids!

Pastoral Care... Pastor Yolanda is available for pastoral care via phone, text, or video meeting. She is generally available for pastoral care and counseling Tues (9-4), Wed (12-5), Thursday (9-4) and at other times, by appointment, as needed. If she can assist you, please email her at: pastor.yolanda@faithlutheran-becker.org

Stay Connected! Please check our Facebook page and our website faithlutheran-becker.org on a regular basis for the latest news and volunteer opportunities as they arise.

Sanctuary Flowers – If you would like to sponsor flowers in the sanctuary on Sunday, pick out the Sunday you would like on the flower chart located on the kiosk in the narthex. Make your payment of \$20 and put it in an envelope marked “Flowers” with your name and what Sunday you sponsored. Place the envelope in the offering plate or drop it off at the church office. Thank you!

Faith Activities & Events – Week of May 22, 2022

(Church services also broadcast via Facebook live, and You Tube)

Sunday 5-22 Appreciation/Graduation Sunday

8:30 Sunday School/Grapple – Education Wing
9:30 Worship with Holy Baptism – Sanctuary
10:30 Refreshments – Fellowship Center
10:30 Gospel Gossip – Fellowship Center

Monday 5-23

Tuesday 5-24

10:00 Worship Planning – Disciple room
11:00 Staff meeting – Disciple room
12:00 Bible Study – Face Book Live
6:00 Cub Scouts – Ed. Wing

Wednesday 5-25

1:00 Supervisory meeting – Pastor's office

Gospel Gossip

Gospel Gossip begins every Sunday @ 10:30am in the Fellowship Center. Plan to join on Sundays following worship to discuss Sunday's gospel lesson and sermon.

5:30 Intern mtg. – Disciple room

5:30 Pizza Party – Fellowship Center

6:00 Last night of S³ – everyone welcome!

6:00 Cub Scout parents – Commons area

Thursday 5-26

Friday 5-27

– Office Closed to observe Memorial Day –

Saturday 5-28

Sunday 5-29

9:30 Healing Service – Sanctuary

10:30 Refreshments – Fellowship Center

10:30 Gospel Gossip – Fellowship Center

Holy Baptism

Today, we welcome into God's family through Baptism the children of Ben & Kendra Stalpes: Ashton Philip Stalpes, sponsors are Jennifer Gosch and Connor Meers; Barrett Benjamin Stalpes, sponsors are Tyler and Amanda Roles; Casen Kyler Stalpes, sponsors are Kyja Malone and Andrew Stalpes.

Flowers in the Sanctuary this morning...

Are given to the Glory of God by Mike & Darlene Saccoman in celebration of their 41st wedding anniversary.

Congratulations to our graduating seniors!

Congratulations to Camden Aanenson, Zachery Defries, Meagen Haessly, Hayden Harmoning, Trista Holm, Emery Johannes, William Mackendanz, Parker Meyer, Kaidyn Pederson, Tristan Pickwall, Kylie Quast, Eric Seavert, and Gavin Swanson. **Help us celebrate our youth during refreshments after worship in the Fellowship Center!**

FLC is happy to announce the recipients of this year's College Scholarships...

Congratulations to: Camden Aanenson, attending Arizona State; Samuel Hintermeister, attending the University of St. Thomas; Alyssa Krenz, attending the College of Saint Benedict; Kaelyn Lombard, attending Minnesota State University Moorhead; Morgan Schrader, attending Hamline University; and Eric Seavert, attending Minnesota State University Mankato. Each received a \$350 scholarship. Some of the scholarships will be matched dollar for dollar by the colleges. Thank you to FLC for supporting our youth to further their education.

A HUGE thank you to our volunteers!

- **Sunday School Teachers:** Sarah Anderson, Melissa Binnall, HollyAnn Carlson, Becky Elvester, Alex Kanable, Bekah Kanable, Katie Meyer, Melinda Mlenek, Staza Pany, and Amanda Roles
- **S³ Confirmation volunteers:** Katy Aanenson, Wayne Bachler, Kari Bjerga, Julie Brandt, Janeel Denson-Byers, Mike Elvester, Christina Kurhajetz, Karla Lombard, Hope McDowell, Katie Meyer, Melinda Mlenek, Missy Nevala, Amanda Paige, Staza Pany, Amy Schrader, Kirsten Tatge, and Tracey Whaley
- **VBS:** Laura Aho, Sarah Anderson Family, Janeel Denson-Byers, Abby & Nicole Dove, Elvester Family, Grace Gifford, Melissa Karst, Katie Meyer, Kayla Meyer, Mlenek Family, Amanda Paige, Abby & Emma Paige, Pany Family, Reitan Family, and Joyce Sowers
- **Easter Egg Hunt:** Becker Chamber, Becker High School Robotics Team 4607, Becker school staff, Binnall Family, Elvester Family, Katie Meyer, Kayla Meyer, Mlenek Family, and the Pany Family

Annual Garage Sale is coming...

Jot **Thursday, June 9 through Friday, June 10** on your calendars!

- Save your gently used items for FLC's annual garage sale. You may drop your items off at the church Tuesday & Wednesday, June 7 & 8.
- Bakers – Find your favorite recipe and share your baked goods! You may drop off your baked goods beginning Wednesday, June 8.
- Remember to save some time to help for set up prior to the sale, Tuesday & Wednesday, June 7 & 8
- And take down after the sale on Friday. Questions... contact Judy Bowatz.

Save the Date!

For students entering the 10th grade in the fall of 2022, mark your calendars! Join in **#Faithstrong 10th Grade Confirmation Retreat**, September 9 at 6pm to September 11 at 12pm. Parents will be asked to stay for a short meeting before leaving.

Mark your Calendar!

For students entering the 9th through 12th grades in the fall of 2022! Plans are underway for a 'Senior High Retreat' **"Light the Fire"** from August 13 at 6pm to August 14 at 12pm. Parents will be asked to stay for a short meeting before leaving.

Volunteer Opportunity... FLC is looking for a volunteer for a Technology Assistant in the Church office. Time commitment is minimal. If you have this expertise call the church office.

Synod Assembly... We are looking for three people to attend the ELCA Synod Assembly, June 11 on zoom. If you are interested, or would like to know about it, please call the church office at 763-261-5751.

Seeking Volunteers for VBS... FLC is seeking volunteers to lead Bible Stories and games this summer during Vacation Bible School – July 24-28. Please notify the church office if you are willing to serve.

Spirit Art!! FLC has a great Adult education opportunity! Join us every fourth Sunday @ 8:30am. Come experience Scripture in a new way while engaging in a calming, stress-reducing environment!!

Simply Giving Program...The gift of generosity We thank everyone who has supported **Faith Lutheran Church** this past year with their time, talent and financial contributions and look forward to support from all of our members in the year ahead. Simply Giving is a safe and automatic way to give a one time or recurrent offering to Faith Lutheran Church. Simply Giving will allow you to be 100% sure that your donation to the church will be here on Sunday mornings, and your support for our vital ministries continues. Won't you please take a moment to set up a recurrent gift with us? You can do so in the one of following ways:

- 1) www.tinyurl.com/FLCgives
- 2) Use the QR Code to the right. Simply open the camera on your cell phone. Point it at this QR Code. It will ask if you would like to go to the website. Click the link and off you go! You will be taken directly to the Simply Giving registration page.
- 3) Download the Vanco Mobile in the Apple App Store or Google Play Store, and give to FLC directly from your phone or digital device.
- 4) Mail your offering to Faith Lutheran Church, PO Box 368, Becker, MN 55308



If you have questions, please do not hesitate to be in touch with Donna Brown, who stands ready to assist you! We have been blessed, to be a blessing! We look forward to doing great things with our Great God, **TOGETHER!**