

Welcome to Faith Lutheran Church!

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

September 11, 2022

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome! On this Rally Sunday, we pray that you will experience the joy of our community of faith as we do God's Work with Our Hands!

Pastor: Yolanda Denson-Byers

Vicar: Molly Wills

Partners in Ministry: People of Faith

Music & Worship Coordinator: Nathan Oliver

Service of Word & Prayer

Prelude	Apostles' Creed
Welcome and Announcements	Confession
Blessing of Teachers	Peace
Gathering Song – ELW 834	Mission Moment – Minda Anderson
Greeting	Offering
Hymn of Praise – <i>Glory to You</i>	Special Music
Prayer of the Day	Offering Prayer
Children's Time: Blessing of Backpacks	Canticle of Thanksgiving
Psalms 51:1-10	Prayers of the People
Gospel Acclamation – <i>Word of Life</i>	The Lord's Prayer
Good News Reading – Luke 16:1-10	Blessing
Sermon – Pastor Yolanda	Sending Song – ACS 1000
Hymn of the Day – ELW #807	Dismissal

Prayer Requests... Please keep the following people and their families in your prayers: *Those battling cancer:* Charlene Hubbard Doorn, Diane Hubbard, Lori Gaulrapp, Alice Morgan, Char, Courtney McDowell Rogers, Sue, Eric, and Brenda. *Healing:* Betty Knutson, Evelyn Cox, Fiona Hope, Paul Gaulrapp, and Pat Gedatus. *Health issues:* Andrew Schmidt, Matthew, and Ashley Denzer. *FLC's Elders:* Dennis Carlson, Evelyn Cox, Jim Cox, Bill Erickson, Jack Knothe, Betty Knutson, Joyce Matuska, Allen McCann, Marilyn Myrlie, and Muriel Schaapveld. *Blessing and comfort for family and friends of:* Wanda McMichael who passed last week.

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 September 11, 2022

(Church services also broadcast via Facebook live, and YouTube)

Sunday 9-11

9:30 Worship – Sanctuary
9:50 Sunday school – Education Wing
10:30 GWOH/Refreshments – Fellowship Center

Monday 9-12

Tuesday 9-13

9:00 Bible Study – Disciple room
10:00 Women of Faith – Disciple room
10:00 Staff meeting – Ed. Commons
1:30 Worship planning – Ed. Commons
7:00 Bell Rehearsal

Wednesday 9-14

6:00 Wed Worship Experience – Sanctuary
6:30 Confirmation – Ed. Commons

Thursday 9-15 [Church Anniversary]

10:00 Tiny Tot's – Nursery
5:30 Church Council – Disciple Room

Friday 9-16

Saturday 9-17

6:00 MN Axe Throwing, Monticello

Sunday 9-18 FLC Reunion/Picnic/89th Anniversary

9:30 Worship – Sanctuary
9:50 Sunday school – Education Wing
10:30 Refreshments – Fellowship Center



Faith Lutheran is in need of volunteers to teach Sunday School. You do not need to be a parent to volunteer to teach or help.

Fall Registration

Sunday School and Confirmation/Senior High registration is open. Please sign up your children today... registrations are located in the narthex next to the office door. Fill it out and hand into the office along with the registration fee. Thank you!

Gearing up for Family & Friends Day/89th Anniversary (Sept. 18) ...

We are looking for awesome volunteers to help with the day! Area's include before, during, and after the event... setup, serving, and cleanup. If you love to bake, please bring bars and/or cookies. Please contact our wonderful contact person, Joyce Sowers at 763-262-2879.

Women of Faith

The women of faith (WELCA) will be meeting on Tuesday, September 13 at 10am in the Disciple room. If you have the joy of serving, this is a wonderful group of people to share your gifts and talents with. All are welcome!

EXPANDING MUSICAL TALENT

Attention Musicians: If you have any musical talents that you would like to share with FLC, we are looking for you! Please email nathan.oliver@faithlutheran-becker.org or call 763-261-5751. You do not need to be a member of FLC to serve.

Bells Resume – Tuesday, September 13

If you would like to join the FLC Bell Choir, please join us from 7-8pm. We are always looking for more joyous ringers! For more information, please see Nathan Oliver.

Adult Bible Study

Mark your calendars – Bible study is back! Plan to meet in the Disciple room on Tuesdays, at 9am. We are looking forward to seeing everyone!

Confirmation/Senior High

Teens' Ministry has begun! Join us for confirmation (Gr 7-10) every Wed from 6-7:30pm. Join us for Senior High Ministry (Gr 9-12) on 1st/3rd Wed from 6-7:30pm. It is *never* too late to register to join us as we study, socialize, and serve to the glory of God!

Wed Worship Experience (WWE)

On Wednesdays from 6-6:30pm, FLC hosts the Wednesday Worship Experience. This is a contemporary worship service geared for teens and their families. However, all are welcome, with no exceptions at all!

Tiny Tots Thursdays!

On Thursday mornings, **from 10-12pm**, parents/guardians and their children, ages 0-4 years old, are invited to meet in the FLC nursery for play, stories, snack, fun and fellowship. For children *and* adults, this will be an opportunity to socialize with others during your week. You do not need to be a member of FLC to participate.

FLC is celebrating our 89th Church Anniversary!

In honor of this auspicious occasion, WE WILL BE THROWING AXES!! [not at each other - giggles] **Plan to meet at MN Axe on Saturday, Sept 17, from 6-8 pm.** To register, please call the church office with your name and number of folks who will be in attendance by Tuesday, Sept 13. MN Axe offers food, drinks, and axe throwing. Even if you do not wish to throw axes, we hope all adult members will come out for the fellowship. It is going to be a blast! Please, take this leap of faith with us! For more information, please visit, <https://www.mnaxe.com/axe-throwing-monticello-mn>

FLC Family & Friends Day AND 89th Anniversary – Sunday, September 18, 2022, at 9:30am

We are excited to welcome everyone back to worship in the FLC sanctuary! It has been a long time since we “packed the pews” and we are **excited to see family and friends in person as we worship God together.** It is going to be a grand reunion as we celebrate FLC's 89th Anniversary, with fellowship immediately after service, so that we can catch up with one another. You won't want to miss an “Ole Fashioned Picnic” featuring Judy's famous corn dogs! See you soon!

Sunday Refreshment Hour - If you would like to host the Fellowship Hour after worship on a Sunday – please sign up! To sign up for this wonderful opportunity to meet people, see the signup sheet located on the kiosk in the narthex.

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 one of the 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!**