

# March 19, 2023 The Fourth Sunday of Lent WELCOME

We are grateful you are with us this morning and pray for God's blessings on you this day.

Faith Lutheran Church, God's Beloved family, loves Him sincerely and others genuinely, so that everyone makes it home to the Father's House.

## Weekly Meetings & Services

### Traditional 8:00am // Contemporary 10:30am

### MONDAY

Titus 2 Bible Study // 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> week at 9:30am

### TUESDAY

Quilters // 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> week at 9:00am The Chosen Bible Study // 6:30 pm

### THURSDAY

### SUNDAY

Thursday Bible Study // 10:00am GriefShare // 2:00 pm

Confirmation // Kids of Faith // Adult Bible Study // 9:15am

### FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH & PRESCHOOL

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\*Hand sanitizer and masks are available at all entrances.

# This Week at Church

#### Today

Kids of Faith, Confirmation, Adult Bible Study: 9:15 am Prayer Team: 2:00 pm

Monday, March 20 Titus 2: 9:30 am

Tuesday, March 21 The Chosen Bible Study:6:30 pm

Wednesday, March 22 Midweek Lenten Service: 12:00 & 7:00 pm

Thursday, March 23 Thursday Bible Study: 10:00am GriefShare: 2:00 pm

### In Our Prayers

**Expectant Families:** Harrison & Tori Grady, Rebecca & Ryan Carpenter

**Comfort, Health, & Recovery:** Bob Jamison, Tim Rader, Eddie Rueda, Christine Thomas, John Teagle, Ruben Rivera, Kira Johnston, Dana Szucs, Ayala Family, Joe Sebastian, Maria Santiago, Sandy, Carol Petersen, Frank Aponte

**Our Homebound Members:** Helen Farren, Ron Fein, John & Ellen Hill, Billie Jean Malloy, Carol Petersen, Tim Rader, Marie Rommel, Donna Wodzak, Don Cooper, Lois Lazor

**Serving the Armed Forces:** Michael Gill, Harrison Grady, Jacob Lezon, Billy Pelger, Alex Smith

Today we welcome in baptism

Kehlani Kashmere Patterson daughter of Janisse Negron and Cashmere Patterson

May God bless and protect Kehlani Kashmere!

### **Easter Flowers**

Help beautify the altar this Easter Season by purchasing tulips, daffodils, or lilies. Flowers are \$10 each. Order forms are in the narthex. Please place them in the offertory box no later than Sunday, March 26th.

### Easter Breakfast

Come join us for our Annual Easter Breakfast on Sunday April 9th at 9:15am. Bring your favorite breakfast dish! Sign up in the Narthex!

### Easter Caroling

Join us on Sunday, April 23rd at 2:00 p.m. as we sing joyous Easter hymns for the residents of St. Mary of the Woods in Avon and to the shut-ins of our church. We will meet at Faith (door by the church itself) at 2 pm, and will carpool to various homes to sing. Everyone is invited to join us for this special afternoon!!! Bring a friend! Questions, contact Shirley Smith at <u>blessinsinchrist4@icloud.com</u>

### **Photo Church Directory**

Save the dates, it's time for a new Photo Church Directory! Photos will be taken May 11-13. Watch the bulletin and look for posters for details! We need volunteers to be part of this project. Please sign up in the Narthex or contact Ellen Steinberg.

### VBŠ 2023

Our theme for this year's VBS is **"God's Living Water – Covered in Jesus' Grace".** Join us at Faith June 12-15 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. For kids in pre-school (potty trained) to 5th Grade. Volunteers are needed!!!! Please contact the church office or Shirley Smith (blessingsinchrist4@icloud.com) if you are willing to help! Invite friends to join us for fun, fellowship, and learning about God's love for us in Christ. Registration will open in early April.

# **Upcoming Events**

LWML Prayer Service Sunday, March 26, 2:00 pm

Midweek Lenten Service Wednesday, March 29, 12:00 & 7:00pm

Holy Week Services Palm Sunday Sunday, April 2, 8:00 & 10:30 am

Maundy Thursday April 6, 12:00 & 7:00pm

Good Friday April 7, 12:00 & 7:00 pm

Easter Sunday April 9, 8:00 & 10:30 am

Easter Breakfast Sunday, April 9, 9:15 am

#### **Birthday Blessings**

Marge Erbe	Mai
Anne Steffen	Mar
Tommy Sear	Ma

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### Attendance/Offerings

Attendance: In-person: 184 Online: 30 Midweek Lent: 78 Envelope: \$6,142.00 Plate: \$107.00 E-giving: \$1,728.96 Build. Fund: \$125.00

Readings for the Week

Isaiah 42:14-21 Ephesians 5:8-14 John 9: 1-7,13-17, 34-39

# Pastoral Care Team

The Pastoral Care Ministry Team is a volunteer group of Faith members that have come forward to assist the Pastor in ministering to our members in need. The Pastor is the primary giver of spiritual care to our Faith family with the Ministry Team assisting.

The Pastoral Care Ministry Team visits and contacts those in hospitals, long term care and rehab facilities, homebound, etc. During these visits, we provide spiritual support in sharing scripture readings, prayers, communion, sending religious cards of caring and for special occasions, etc.

If the Holy Spirit moves you to serve in this meaningful ministry, please contact the church office or Rich Gray for details. cybergray1@sbcglobal.net

You can make a difference in the lives of others here at Faith, especially during their time of need.



### **SERMON NOTES**

#### **Traditional Service**

**Ushers:** Marc & Elizabeth Shick **Lector:** Dave Bowers

#### **Next Week:**

Ushers: Marc & Elizabeth Shick Lector: Lou Nadasdi Comm. Assist.: Marc Shick

Music Leader: Shirley Smith

#### Tech Team:

House Audio Operator: Brian Schuster House Lyric Operator: Kathleen Alexander Broadcast Operator: Joe Gummo

Counters: Cheryl Ohradzansky & Elmer Kress

#### **Contemporary Service**

**Ushers:** Nereida Ocasio & Jenny Vasquez **Lector:** Paul Johnson

Next Week:

Ushers: Paul & Tammy Johnson Lector: Mark Rice Comm. Assist.: Paul Johnson

Music Leader: Megan Kovach Band Members: Megan Kovach, Ryan Saghy, Brian Schuster, Brooklynn Tucker

**Tech Team:** House Audio Operator: Jeff Saghy House Lyric Operator: Elvin Rueda Broadcast Sound Engineer: Dimaris Woolsey Broadcast Operator: Jose Ocasio

Altar Guild: Marilyn Selent, Rhonda Zornes, Betty Gory