

20TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 15, 2023

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

106 8TH STREET, MADISON, MINNESOTA

Bishop Craig Anderson Ph.D. Interim Pastor

Church (320) 598-3630 www.faithlutheranmadison.org

“Moving forward in faith by providing spiritual and physical nourishment to all God’s people.”

You prepare a table before me, and my cup is running over. (Ps. 23:5)

**Indicates to please stand as you are able*

PRELUDE

BELLS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS**

OPENING HYMN ~ “Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven” #865 Vs. 1,2,4

GREETING

KYRIE ~ Page 147

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

SPECIAL MUSIC ~ “Again, I Say Rejoice” & “Rejoice in the Lord Always” Joyful Noise Singers

FIRST READING: Isaiah 25:1-9

PSALM 23

SECOND READING: Philippians 4:1-9

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

GOSPEL: Matthew 22:1-14

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ "As We Gather at Your Table" #522

HOLY BAPTISM OF AXEL CRAIG LUDVIGSON

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING

***OFFERTORY** ~ "We Give Thee But Thine Own" #686 Vs.1

OFFERING PRAYER

GREAT THANKSGIVING ~ Page 152

"HOLY, HOLY, HOLY" ~ Page 153

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

***LORD'S PRAYER**

COMMUNION ~ DISTRIBUTION SONGS

"The Lord's My Shepherd" #778

"We Come to the Hungry Feast" #479

"O God, Our Help in Ages Past" #632

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

***BLESSING**

SENDING SONG ~ "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" #547

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

Today's Worship Assistants

Worship Leader: Bishop Craig Anderson
Ph.D. Interim Pastor

Music Director: Linda Anderson

Office Manager: Sharon Ronglien

Financial Secretary: Lorrie Ehrenberg

Financial Treasurer: Kristin Ludvigson

Education Coordinator: Darcy Daline

Helper: Lisa Strand

Reader: Sherry Deyo

Video/Audio: Tech. Team

Usher Team: Team 6

Acolyte: Teagan Conroy & Ryan Bjerke

Communion: Mike Deyo & Angie Arndt

Greeters: Tyler & Brittany Engesmoe family, Todd & DeeDee Erp family

Please also hold these concerns in your prayers, today and throughout the week. Contact the church office at 598-3630 to add or remove a person.

CARE CENTER & HOMEBOUND RESIDENTS: Helen Haverberg, Carol Olson, Patty Thompson, Margaret Klefsaas, Arnie Streich, Ramona Niven, Ken Beyer, Betty Schulz, Lillian Lyng, Adele Miller, Margaret Davis, Verona Berg and Eva Zahrbock

PRAYER CONCERNS: Mike Deyo, Steve Helgemo, Curtis Shelstad, Phyllis Hauck, Jerry Osteraas, Rolf Olson, Grant Trygestad, Dana Carmody and Skip Blahosky



Readings for October 22

Isaiah 45:1-7

Psalms 96:1-9

1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Matthew 22:15-22

ANNOUNCEMENTS 10/15

- ♦ Don't forget that you can listen to the Sunday service on KLQP 92.1 @ 11:30AM or watch it on Channel 8 @ 3:30PM. You may also view ALL past and present services on our website: www.faithlutheranmadison.org and our Facebook page.
- ♦ Today's flowers are sponsored in honor of Art Tostenson's 88th birthday by Maxine and family.
- ♦ Received into Holy Baptism today is Axel Craig Ludvigson, son of Travis and Jenna Ludvigson. His sponsors are Brandon and Alexis Weber and Russell and Jennifer Anderson. Welcome to the Lord's family at Faith Lutheran.
- ♦ Our sympathies are extended to the families of Pastor Kirk Meseck and Jim Helgemo.
- ♦ Reminder: Charge slips for Faith Lutheran Church need to be signed and turned into the office to be paid.
- ♦ Applications for "Gifts for LqP County Kids" sponsored by Madison Kiwanis Club are on the table by the church office. Deadline for applications is November 10 to KLQP radio station.
- ♦ The LqP WELCA Fall Gathering will be at Granite Falls Lutheran church on October 17th with coffee, socializing and registration beginning at 8:30am. Program runs from 9:00 and on your way home by 11:00. Send \$5.00 to Bernice Oellien or register that morning. All are welcome.
- ♦ The globe is back in front of church for kids to bring their offering up and put in while ushers are collecting the offering.
- ♦ There are puzzles in the library for anyone to take home to put together. Please return them to the library when finished.
- ♦ Volunteers are needed to serve treats at coffee on Sundays. Please consider donating treats (8-9 dz.) or the funds to purchase treats (\$30-\$45 est. cost). Two or more people could join together for a Sunday. The sign-up sheet is on the coffee table each Sunday or call the office. Donations should be designated on the check memo.

****THIS WEEK AT FAITH****

Monday, October 16

7pm AA / AL Anon

Wednesday, October 18

9am Hot Muffins

7pm Church Council

Sunday, October 22

9am Worship/Baptism

**Prayer Concerns - Prayers for missionaries that are out in the world boldly preaching and teaching others about Jesus and his gift of everlasting life to all believers.
P.S.-we can be missionaries in our own community!**

Coffee Fundraiser

The Education Committee is having a coffee fundraiser to raise money for youth group missions, sending children to camp and other youth activities. The "table of goodies" (coffee) is located near the fellowship hall.

We THANK YOU for your support!

Ground Coffee-\$14 K-Cups-\$14 One Pot Pouches-\$3