

REFORMATION SUNDAY & AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

October 29, 2023

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

106 8TH STREET, MADISON, MINNESOTA

Bishop Craig Anderson Ph.D. Interim Pastor

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

The **Lord** of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our stronghold. (*Ps. 46:7*)

**Indicates to please stand as you are able*

PRELUDE ~ “Here I Am, Lord” Faith Ringers

BELLS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS**

OPENING HYMN ~ “A Mighty Fortress” #504

GREETING

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 31:31-34

PSALM 46

SECOND READING: Romans 3:19-28

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

GOSPEL: John 8:31-36

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ “Built on a Rock” #652 Vs. 1 & 3

AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM 2023

SHARING OF THE PEACE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING ~ “Be Still and Know” Senior Choir

***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

“Lord, Keep Us Steadfast” #517

“Faith of Our Fathers” #812

“I Know That My Redeemer Lives” #619

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

***BLESSING**

SENDING SONG ~ “The Church's One Foundation” #654 Vs. 1 & 5

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: Cheryl Redepenning

Video/Audio: Tech. Team

Usher Team: Team 4

Acolyte: Sadie Zahrbock & Parker Kallhoff



Readings for November 5

Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18

Psalm 1

1 Thessalonians 2:1-8

Matthew 22:34-46

Communion: Cindy Hansen & Cheryl Redepenning

Greeters: Arvid & Diane Gollnick, Brandon & Jordan Bornhorst 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: Cheryl Redepenning, Kendra Goerger, Mike Deyo, Steve Helgemo, Phyllis Hauck, Jerry Osteraas, Rolf Olson, Grant Trygestad, Dana Carmody and Skip Blahosky



ANNOUNCEMENTS 10/29

- ◆ 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 bulletin, flowers and radio broadcast are sponsored in honor of Myron Halvorson's October 30th birthday by Sylvia and family.
- ◆ Ninth grade students that will be confirmed today are: Grant Bjerke, Brianna Borstad, Jace Daline, Greta Fernholz, Marley Ludvigson, Gavin Mortenson, Jax Wells and Vyolette Werner.
- ◆ Voter's Assembly Meeting will be held on Sunday, November 19th immediately following the worship service.
- ◆ Secret Prayer Sisters please check in and below your mailbox.
- ◆ Budget sheets are in board chairperson's mailbox at church. Please fill them out and return to the office before November 7th.
- ◆ 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 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
- ◆ If you would like to sponsor a radio broadcast, bulletins or altar flowers in memory or in honor of someone, please contact the office. Prices are: Radio-\$51.00, Bulletins-\$25.00, Flowers-\$50.00. All three-\$126.00.

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

Monday, October 30

7pm AA / AL Anon

Wednesday, November 1

9am Hot Muffins

3:30pm Joyful Noise & Confirmation

6pm Faith Ringers

Sunday, November 5

9am Worship/All Saints Day

10am Sunday School

Prayer Concerns - Prayers for Israel and for peace in the Holy Land. Prayers for all of the innocent victims of the war.

Thrivent Food Shelf Challenge

Thrivent Financial is again issuing a challenge. Thrivent will donate \$500.00 to the Lac qui Parle County Food Shelf if 500 food items are donated to the food shelf. Please consider helping the Madison Kiwanis Club meet this goal. Donations can be dropped off at Jubilee Foods in Madison, Faith Lutheran Church and at the Lac qui Parle County Food Shelf (Thursdays, from 1 pm to 5 pm) . The goal is to reach the 500 items by November 10, 2023.