

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

February 18, 2024

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.”

Your paths, O *Lord*, are steadfast love and faithfulness. (Ps. 25:10)

**Indicates to please stand as you are able*

PRELUDE

BELL

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

OPENING HYMN ~ “Bless Now, O God, the Journey” #326

GREETING

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***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

SPECIAL MUSIC ~ “This Lonesome Valley” Senior Choir

FIRST READING: Genesis 9:8-17

PSALM 25:1-10

SECOND READING ~ 1 Peter 3:18-22

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

GOSPEL: Mark 1:9-15

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY~ “Lord, Keep Us Steadfast” #517

APOSTLES CREED

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY “We Give Thee But Thine Own” #686 Vs. 1

OFFERING PRAYER

GREAT THANKSGIVING

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

***LORD'S PRAYER**

SONGS OF DISTRIBUTION

“I Want Jesus to Walk With Me” #325

“Thy Holy Wings” #613

“PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

***BLESSING**

SENDING SONG ~ “Jesus, Still Lead On” #624

DISMISSAL

BELL

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: Jennifer Warnock

Video/Audio: Tech. Team

Usher Team: Team 6

Acolyte: Teagan Conroy & Griffin Kranz

Communion: Bob Hiepler & Becky Shelstad

Greeters: Jennifer Warnock, Dave & Judy Kriese

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, Phyllis Hauck, Patty Thompson, Margaret Klefsaas, Arnie Streich, Ramona Niven, Ken Beyer, Lillian Lyng, Adele Miller, Margaret Davis, Verona Berg and Eva Zahrbock

PRAYER CONCERNS: Susie Nelson, Tom Daline, Arielle Neimeyer, Sammi Summerland, Julie Bergh, Angie Arndt, Mike Deyo, Jerry Osteraas, Rolf Olson, Grant Trygestad, Dana Carmody and Skip Blahosky



Readings for February 25

Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16

Psalms 22:23-31

Romans 4:13-25

Mark 8:31-38

ANNOUNCEMENTS 2/18

- ♦ 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. Live streamed at 9:00am on Sundays.
- ♦ MYSTERY MISSIONS giving runs now through Easter Sunday. What is this? It's Faith Lutheran being missional in OUR community! Galatians 6:9 says "Let us NEVER grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap if we do not give up". If you have someone in mind that could use a boost of support, please let Global Missions committee or office know. More info. coming weeks! Checks can be written to FLC with Mystery Missions on the memo line or bring cash to office or place in offering plate designated to Mystery Missions. Questions? Talk to Ruth G., Betty T., Stan O., Jody D., Curt S., Jennifer W. or Kris H. Thank you all for your support with this new mission here at Faith Lutheran Church!
- ♦ Volunteers are needed at 3:30pm on Thursday this week to help take down tables and chairs in the fellowship hall. Mark & Fran will be cleaning the floor.
- ♦ Lenten partners please check your mailbox.
- ♦ Communion cards need to be filled out twice a year.
- ♦ Do Day workers are looking for monetary donations, clean full, queen or king FLAT sheets or fabric to use for their quilt making.
- ♦ Kiwanis will have a Post-Valentine brunch on Sunday, February 25 from 10:30am to 12:30pm at the Madison VFW. French toast, sausage, fruit and beverage will be served Free will donation.
- ♦ Please wear a name tag to help Bishop Craig and Lizbeth learn your name.
- ♦ There are puzzles in the library for anyone to take home to put together. Please return them when finished.
- ♦ 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-\$53.50 bulletins -\$25.00 flowers - \$50.00

All three-\$128.50

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

Monday, February 19

7pm AA / AL Anon

Wednesday, February 21

9:00 Hot Muffins

3:30pm Joyful Noise

5:30-6:30pm Lenten Supper

6pm Faith Ringers

7pm Lenten Service

Thursday, February 22

8:30-12pm Do Day

11:30-12:30pm Second Harvest/Meal

Sunday, February 25

9am Worship

10am Sunday School

Prayer Concerns - Prayers for our OQP Family Service agency that the employees are cared for as they are assisting all of the families in need.

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 line.

LENTEN SUPPERS

Lenten suppers will be served from 5:30-6:30pm before Lenten services. Every week there will be the main dish served with bars/cookies, milk, coffee, water and choice of fruit/veggie.

Dates and main meals are as follows:

February 21 - Tatertot Hot Dish

February 28 - Tacos with toppings

March 6 - BBQ's with chips

March 13 - Chili with toppings

March 20 - Spaghetti Hot Dish

Free will donation will be taken to help support our youth.