FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

March 26, 2023

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

106 8TH STREET, MADISON, MINNESOTA

Pastor Ron Nichols

Church (320) 598-3630 www.faithlutheranmadison.org "Moving forward in faith by providing spiritual and physical nourishment to all God's people."

I wait for you, O Lord; in your word is my hope. (Ps. 130:5)

*Indicates to please stand as you are able

PRELUDE

BELLS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

GATHERING SONG ~ "O, For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

#886 Vs. 1-4

GREETING

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*PRAYER OF THE DAY

FIRST READING: Ezekiel 37:1-14

PSALM 130

SECOND READING: Romans 8:6-11

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GOSPEL: John 11:1-45

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ "What Wondrous Love is This" #666

APOSTLES CREED

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SHARING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING

OFFERTORY: "Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful"

OFFERING PRAYER

GREAT THANKSGIVING ~ Page 152

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY ~ Page 153

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

*LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNION - SONGS OF DISTRIBUTION:

"Rock of Ages" #623

"Lord, Jesus, Think on Me" #599

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

BLESSING

*SENDING SONG ~ "You are the Way" #758 Vs. 1 & 4

*DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

Today's Worship Assistants

Worship Leader: Pastor Ron Nichols 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 3

Acolyte: Gavin Mortenson & Noah Arndt

Communion: Cindy Hansen & Cheryl Redepenning

Readings for April 2
Isaiah 50:4-9a
Psalm 31:9-16
Philippians 2:5-11
Matthew 26:14-27:66

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: Margaret Klefsaas, Barb Feuerhelm, Peggy Lund, Arnie Streich, Ramona Niven, Don Husby, Betty Peterson, Marge McFarland, Ken Beyer, Betty Schulz, Lillian Lyng, Adele Miller, Margaret Davis, Verona Berg and Eva Zahrbock.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Tom Daline, Betty Johnson, Carol Olson, Jodi Kallhoff, Jim Helgemo, Rolf Olson, Tyler Struck, Grant Trygestad, Dana Carmody and Skip Blahosky.

Lenten Suppers

Suppers will be served on Wednesdays during Lent season by the youth in grades 2 through 10. Serving time is from 5:30-6:30pm. Free will donations will be taken and proceeds will go to support our youth activities.

Menu:

March 29 - Chicken Chili

ANNOUNCEMENTS 3/26

- 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, bulletin and radio broadcast are in memory of John Nesvold from Karen Nesvold. It would have been our 63rd wedding anniversary.
- Senior Choir will practice today at 10:30 p.m.
- The last Sunday we will be taking orders for Easter flowers will be Sunday, April 2nd. Reminder to those who ordered flowers, you may take them home after the 10:00 a.m. Easter service.
- A sign-up sheet is in the narthex for the Prayer vigil on Saturday, April 8th. They are half hour slots. You can either come to church for your time to pray or do it from home.
- Operation Starfish donation jars are in the narthex. One jar is for "boys & guys" and one for "girls & gals". Our goal is \$4900. Donations can also be brought to the office or put in the offering plate with Operation Starfish in the memo line. Deadline is Easter Sunday.
- The Living Last Supper, a dramatic Musical Experience for the family during Holy Week, will be held at 7 p.m. on Palm Sunday, April 2 at Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church, 800 10th Street South, Benson, MN. There is no admission fee.
- MISSING 2 sets of green altar flower dishes, please return them to the church.
- Do Day quilters need new or used flat sheets that are clean and in good shape, fleece blankets and flannel sheets.
- WANTED: People to volunteer to help serve communion. Contact Cindy Hansen if you are willing to help with this.

THIS WEEK AT FAITH

Monday, March 27

7pm AA / AL Anon

Wednesday, March 29

9am Hot Muffins

3:30pm Joyful Noise

5:30pm Lenten Supper

6pm Faith Ringers

7pm Lenten Service

Sunday, April 2

9am Worship

10am Sunday School

10:30am Senior Choir

Prayer Concerns - When times are tough, prayers to endure and know in our hearts that Jesus never, ever leaves our side. Talk to Him...

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