

**SIXTH SUNDAY IN EASTER**

**May 14, 2023**

**FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH**

**106 8TH STREET, MADISON, MINNESOTA**

**Pastor Ron Nichols**

Church (320) 598-3630 [www.faithlutheranmadison.org](http://www.faithlutheranmadison.org)

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

**Bless our God, you peoples; let the sound of praise be heard. (Ps. 66:8)**

*\*Indicates to please stand as you are able*

**PRELUDE**

**GATHERING SONGS**

“Let Us Go to the House of the Lord”

“The King of Glory”

“Surely the Presence” (2X)

**BELLS**

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS**

**OPENING HYMN** ~ “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” #858

**GREETING**

**\*PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**FIRST READING:** Acts 17:22-31

**PSALM** ~ “Come All You People” #819

**SECOND READING:** 1 Peter 3:13-22

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** ~ “Your Word is a Lamp”

**GOSPEL:** John 14:15-21

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

**SERMON**

**HYMN OF THE DAY** ~ “Will You Come and Follow Me” #798 Vs.  
1,2,5

**APOSTLES CREED**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**SHARING OF THE PEACE**

**OFFERTORY** ~ “We Give Thanks”

**OFFERING PRAYER**

**GREAT THANKSGIVING** ~ Page 152

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**\*LORD’S PRAYER** ~ Sung

**COMMUNION ~ DISTRIBUTION SONGS**

“Lamb of God”

“I Love to Tell the Story” 3262

“Thy Holy Wings” #613

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

**BLESSING**

**SENDING SONG** ~ “Peace Be Yours”

**DISMISSAL**

**BELL**

**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:** Contemporary Group

**Video/Audio:** Tech. Team

**Usher Team:** Team 7

**Acolyte:** Jace Daline & Brycen Danzeisen

**Communion:** Bob Glomstad & Eileen Trelstad



**Readings for May 21**

Acts 1:6-14

Psalms 104:24-34, 35b

1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11

John 17:1-11

***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, Peggy Lund, Arnie Streich, Ramona Niven, Don Husby, Betty Peterson, Ken Beyer, Betty Schulz, Lillian Lyng, Adele Miller, Margaret Davis, Verona Berg and Eva Zahrbock

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Jerry Osteraas, Dave Kriese, Jan Lindquist, Curtis Shelstad, Betty Johnson, Rolf Olson, Grant Trygestad, Dana Carmody and Skip Blahosky

## MOTHER

If I could give you diamonds  
for each tear you cried for me.

if I could five you sapphires  
for each truth you've helped me see.

If I could give you rubies  
for the heartache that you've known

If I could give you pearls  
for the wisdom that you've shown.

Then you'll have a treasure, mother,  
that would mount up to the skies

That would almost match  
the sparkle in your kind and loving eyes.

But I have no pearls, no diamonds,

As I'm sure you're well aware

So I'll give you gifts more precious

My devotion, love and care.

~Author Unknown~|

## ANNOUNCEMENTS 5/14

- ♦ 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](http://www.faithlutheranmadison.org) and our Facebook page.
- ♦ Happy Mother's Day to all mothers. "A mother is your first friend, your best friend, your forever friend" Unknown
- ♦ 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.
- ♦ 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.

### **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**

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

**Monday, May 15**

7pm AA / AL Anon

**Wednesday, May 17**

9am Hot Muffins

6pm Faith Ringers

**Thursday, May 18**

Last Day for Little Blessings

**Sunday, May 21**

9am Worship/Baptism/Senior Recognition

**Prayer Concerns - Prayers for families that they would first and foremost pass on their faith to their kids and pray without ceasing for their kids to have a personal relationship with God.**