

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT
February 26, 2023
FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
106 8TH STREET, MADISON, MINNESOTA
Pastor Ron Nichols
Church (320) 598-3630
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“Moving forward in faith by providing spiritual and physical nourishment
to all God’s people.”

Mercy embraces those who trust in the LORD. (Ps. 32:10)

**Indicates to please stand as you are able*

PRELUDE

BELLS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

GATHERING SONG ~ “The Glory of These Forty Days” #320

GREETING

KYRIE ~ Page 147

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

FIRST READING: Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7

PSALM 32

SECOND READING: Romans 5:12-19

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ~ Page 151

GOSPEL: Matthew 4:1-11

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ "I Want Jesus to Walk with Me" #325

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:

"When Peace Like a River" #785

"Lord Keep Us Steadfast" #517

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

BLESSING

***SENDING SONG** ~ “Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer” #618 Vs. 1 & 2

***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: Greta Fernholz

Video/Audio: Tech. Team

Usher Team: Team 7

Acolyte: Greta Fernholz & Aidyn Bonn

Communion: Deb Meyer & Fran Siegert

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: 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: Bernice Oellien, Carol Olson, Pam (Zahrbock) Rolf, Jodi Kallhoff, Jim Helgemo, Rolf Olson, Tyler Struck, Gay Dolman, Grant Trygestad, Dana Carmody and Skip Blahosky.



Readings for March 5

Genesis 12:1-4a

Psalms 121

Romans 4:1-5, 13-17

John 3:1-17

ANNOUNCEMENTS 2/26

- ♦ 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.
- ♦ Donations for Operation Starfish will be collected from Ash Wednesday until Easter Sunday. Goal is set at \$4900. There is a large jar in the Narthex to fill to the brim with all of our change. Please write a check to Faith Lutheran Church with Operation Starfish on the memo or bring cash to the office for the cause.
- ♦ WANTED: People to volunteer to help serve communion. Contact Cindy Hansen if you are willing to help with this.
- ♦ Worship Committee is looking for someone to do flowers the month of April. Contact the office or talk to Gail or Tamara.
- ♦ Reminder to "Secret Sisters" to check your church mailbox.
- ♦ 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 signup sheet is on the coffee table each Sunday or call the office. Donations should be designated on the check memo line.

Coffee Fundraiser

The Education Committee is starting a coffee fundraiser to raise money for youth group missions, sending children to camp and other youth activities. The "table of goodness" (coffee) will be 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, February 27

7pm AA / AL Anon

Wednesday, March 1

9am Hot Muffins

3:30pm Joyful Noise

6pm Faith Ringers

7pm Lenten Service

Sunday, March 5

9am Worship

10am Sunday School

10:30am Senior Choir

Prayer Concerns - Safety for our community as we travel through the rest of our winter season.

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