

Life @ Faith

The Sixteenth Sunday
after Pentecost
September 25, 2022

PRAYERS REQUESTED

I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people.

—1 Timothy 2:1

- Connie (Phillips)
- Cyndi H. (Waltz)
- Darren Moore
- Deacon S. (Weddle)
- Esther R. (Driver)
- Ed B. (Jacobus)
- Graham F. (Murphy)
- Jackson M. (Barnhill)
- Jacob T. (Murphy)
- Jerry W. (Wischmeier)
- Jim R. (Schnackel)
- John J. (Weddle)
- Judy L. (Clipp)
- Lisa M. (Clipp)
- Marc W. (Riordan)
- Rachel W. (White)
- Sarah G. (Hayes)
- Sue Ellen (Driver)
- Tessa M. (Barnhill)
- Walter W. (White)

- Michael & Danielle Smith (Missionaries)
- Bob Jeffrey (Mission Trip)
- Danette M. Staff Member
- Brantlee W. (Student)
- Bren W. (Student)
- University Lutheran Church-Bloomington
(Circuit Congregation)

Requests for prayers may be sent to the church at office@faithontheweb.org or by phone 812/342-3587



Preschool News

The Letter E,e made its way to school this week. The 3's learned the song- "Eddie Loves His Teddy and Eddie Loves the Letter E." The 4's learned the sounds of the Letter E and F this week. Our weekly Chapel "Fire Up For Jesus" taught us that there are many signs we see daily that tell us what to do. The stop sign tells us to stop and look both ways. The exit sign tells us the way to exit a room or building. Some other signs we saw were: Restroom- boy's or girl's, Drinking Fountain, Yield Sign, and others. God put a sign up in the sky, a big beautiful rainbow after the rain came down and the sun came out. Just like the signs we see as we drive remind us what we are to do, God's rainbow reminds us that He remains faithful to us at all times no matter what we are going through. Thanks be to God!

—Beckie Eckelman, Preschool Director

60th Anniversary Project-Donations Continue

Love Chapel has housing units to support homeless people in Bartholomew County called Brighter Days. People are able to stay 10 days and receive a variety of aid while they are there. Upon leaving, each is provided a back pack filled with essential items of both hygiene and food. Faith Lutheran will be providing back packs and hygiene kits for 60 of these people. The Sunday school students will be assembling little prayer books to put in each pack.

A collection container will be in front lobby beginning Sept 4! We will be assembling the hygiene kits and backpacks after church on Nov. 13.

Each week we will collect a different item with a goal to collect 60 of each item! You can also collect any of the items and bring whenever you choose. (Monetary donations are also welcome!)

Oct 2: Nail Clippers and Individual Kleenex package

Oct 9: Hand Lotion

Oct 16: Soap in plastic soap containers

Oct 23: Deodorant

Oct 30: Band-aids

Nov 6: Small pad of paper and pen

—Debbi White

New Bible Study Series

Hosea: God's Relentless Love

We will be meeting on Wednesday evenings from 7³⁰p-8³⁰p at church continuing each week for 10 weeks. Each meeting will begin with a group prayer, then we will separate into a men's group and a women's group. Please sign up for this study. Sign up form on the church website: faithontheweb.org.

ABOUT HOSEA:

If the Book of Hosea were a movie, it would be a love story with a circular plot: The prophet Hosea marries the prostitute Gomer. She is unfaithful to him and leaves him for another—time and time again. Hosea relentlessly pursues her, rescues her, and restores her as many times as it takes. Hosea loves Gomer, but we wonder if he will eventually lost heart and give up.

But the book of Hosea is our story. As this in-depth study shows, it is a metaphor of God's love for us—His persistent, faithful and continual pursuit of His sinful people. We wander; God pursues. We fail; God rescues. We sin; God restores us to Him in the perfect love of His Son, Jesus.

This study will include historical information, contemporary stories, in-depth questions, and theological insights, God's Relentless Love shows how God never gives up on us, how He loves us freely, and how He makes us His very own.

—Pastor Riordan, Carla White, Lori Vogt, Krista Riordan

Faith is On the Move Update

Everything is on track to have the building complete by the middle of October. The project will not be complete until the end of the year when the new electrical switch gear is installed, and final electrical connections are made to the new heating/cooling units. We direct your attention to the easel in the entry with the floor plan for the current building project.

Thank you for your continued prayers for the contractor and subcontractors and for your generous financial support for this incredible project.

—The Long Range Team/The Trustees

🎂 Happy Birthday! 🎂

Take a moment to wish Susan Waltz a Happy Birthday today!

—Church Elders

M 26

- 7a Devotion & Prayer on Facebook
- 9¹⁰a All Preschool Chapel
- 12p Staff Meetings
- 5³⁰p 60th Anniversary Committee Meeting

T 27

- 7a Devotion & Prayer on Facebook

W 28

- 7a Devotion & Prayer on Facebook
- 6³⁰p Midweek Worship
- 7³⁰p Fall Bible Study
- ♥ Troy & Kim Buchanan

R 29

- 7a Devotion & Prayer on Facebook
- 1p Board of Education Meeting

F 30

S 1

Su 2

- 9a Divine Service of Holy Communion
- 10a Snacks
- 10:15-11a Adult Bible Study/Sunday School

Food Pantry and Weekend Backpack Donations

There is a need for non-perishable food items for Love Chapel, Salvation Army and the Homeless shelters in both Brown County and Columbus. The Brown County Weekend Backpack program has started again, and we will be collecting individual fruit cups again this year. There will be a bin in the foyer for donations, or you can drop off items at Regina Allman's home, 2629 17th Street. Thank you for your giving spirit and helping those in need!

—Mercy Ministry

Need Some Firewood?

We are planning on felling the dead ash trees along the south parking lot some time during September. Once the trees are on the ground, we invite those of you with chainsaws to assist in clearing the tree tops and helping cut the remainder of the trees into firewood. Details will be forthcoming.

—Church Trustees

Diaper Changing Stations

There are signs in each bathroom indicating where there is a diaper changing station. There is a station in each of the main hallway bathrooms, and also one in the bathroom across from the nursery. Please make note of this, in case you or someone else needs to use this service.

—Church Trustees

Lakeview Job Opportunity

Lakeview Ministries (Seymour, IN) is looking for our next Villages Program Director. This year-round salaried role is primarily responsible for planning, developing, and leading our middle/high school summer camp programs. Do you have experience leading college-aged individuals and young people? Do you want to live out your faith in outdoor ministry? Do you know how to intentionally lead groups in community and fun? Then this might be the job for you. If not for you, do you know someone that fits this description, then help us spread the word about this important open position at camp! For a full job description and to submit a resume, go to lakeview.camp/work.

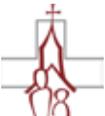
—David Vandercar, Camp Director

Trinity Lutheran High School

Trinity Lutheran High School has established itself as a beacon of light, providing an excellent Christian education and student experience since 2001, and Trinity has consistently grown in enrollment and programming over the last 20 years. Trinity proudly represents at least 7 counties within its student body and welcomes all families who desire a high quality, private, Christian education for their children. We hold in highest regard our relationship with families and students and it's our commitment to walk this walk with you and provide the best for your student at all times. The mission of Trinity Lutheran High School is to educate, develop, and prepare Christian servants and leaders. If you are interested in more information contact Principal Darlage at cdarlage@trinitycougars.org or (812) 524-8547 or www.trinitycougars.org.

—C. Darlage, Trinity Lutheran HS Principal

Save the Dates



60th Anniversary Celebration Service
Sunday, November 6



Preschool Christmas Program
Friday, December 16

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Church Calendar

Did you know that Faith maintains a google calendar that you may subscribe to.



Scan the qr code to follow the official church calendar.

—Pastor Riordan



Serving @ Faith

Sundays	Elder	Greeters	Organ	Usher	Acolyte	Lector	Child Talk	Snacks	Sound	Wed	Elder	Organ	Lector
Oct 2	Mike W.	Burlew		Regina A., Bob P., Kyle S.	Needed	Christina R.	Pastor	Riordans	Bill S.	Sept 28	John D.		Drebus
Oct 9	Mike M.	Waltz		David V., Dana V., C. O. We	Needed	Larry C.	Pastor	Needed	Terry B.	Oct 5	Michael C.		Drebus
Oct 16	Bob P.	Hill		Terry B., Ardis S.	Needed	Ardis S.	Pastor	Needed	Larry C.	Oct 12	David V.		Drebus

Altar Guild September—Dana & Lori V.

Altar Guild October—Bill & Guna S.