

Life at Faith

Today—Aug 14

The Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

9a Divine Service of Holy Communion

10a Snacks

10:15-11a Adult Bible Study (Nave)

♥ Bill & Guna Schnackel

Monday 15

Preschool Teacher Meet and Greet

Tuesday 16

☰ Karen Meyer

9a Columbus Circuit Pastors' Conference

9a First Day of Preschool

Wednesday 17

☰ David VonFange

6³⁰p Midweek Worship

Thursday 18

Friday 19

Saturday 20

Next Sunday 21

9a Divine Service of Holy Communion

10a Snacks

10:15-11a Adult Bible Study (Nave)

Daily Prayers

By day the LORD commands his steadfast love, and at night his song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life.—Psalm 42:8

MONDAY *For faith to live in the promises of Holy Baptism; for one's calling and daily work; for the unemployed; for the salvation and well-being of our neighbors; for preschools & schools; for good government and for peace.*

TUESDAY *For deliverance against temptation and evil; for the addicted and despairing, the tortured and oppressed; for those struggling with sin.*

WEDNESDAY *For marriage and family, that husbands and wives, parents and children live in ordered harmony according to the Word of God; for parents who must raise children alone; for our communities and neighborhoods.*

THURSDAY *For the Church and her pastors; for teachers, deaconesses, and other church workers; for missionaries and for all who serve the Church; for fruitful and salutary use of the blessed Sacrament of Christ's body and blood.*

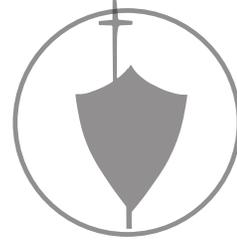
FRIDAY *For the preaching of the holy cross of our Lord Jesus Christ and for the spread of His knowledge throughout the whole world; for the persecuted and oppressed; for the sick and dying.*

SATURDAY *For faithfulness to the end; for the renewal of those who are withering in the faith or have fallen away; for receptive hearts and minds to God's Word on the Lord's Day; for pastors and people as they prepare to administer and receive Christ's holy gifts.*

PREPARE FOR WORSHIP SUNDAY

Isaiah 66:18-23 | Psalm 50:1-15

Hebrews 12:4-24 | Luke 13:22-30



PRAYERS REQUESTED

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

—1 Timothy 2:1

Anne K. (Weddle)
Carol Barnhill
Carolyn (Phillips)
Connie (Phillips)
Cyndi H. (Waltz)
Darren Moore
Deacon S. (Weddle)
Esther R. (Driver)
Graham F. (Murphy)
Grant I. (Weddle)
Irene Raes
Jackson M. (Barnhill)
Jacob T. (Murphy)
Jenny S. (Weddle)
Jerry W. (Wischmeier)
Jim R. (Schnackel)
John J. (Weddle)
Judy L. (Clipp)
Julie S. (Waltz)
Lisa M. (Clipp)
Marc W. (Riordan)
Martha H. (Moore)
Michael & Danielle Smith (Missionaries)
Rachel W. (White)
Sarah H. (Hayes)
Sue Ellen (Driver)
Tessa M. (Barnhill)
Tim Z. (Riordan)
In celebration of the baptism of Raelynn Barbara Higgins (Radtko)
Family and friends of +Theodora+ Fermin (Shanks)
Requests for prayers may be sent to the church at office@faithontheweb.org or by phone 812/342-3587



News and Notes

A note of Gratitude

The child education staff would like to extend our gratitude to the congregation for all their time, effort, and financial contributions. We are so very thankful for the amazing expansion and improvement to the school. We are excited for the growth that will come as a result.

—*Kimberly Bean, teacher on behalf of the staff*

Construction Update

Thank you to all the Faith family who volunteered their time on August 6 as we moved things from the rooms used for preschool so the new school year can begin on August 16.

Phase 1 of Phase 1 is complete as the bathrooms are finished and ready for the new school year. (Wooden Doors won't appear until sometime after August 24), and the new flooring in the west wing of our building has been installed.

A lot will now be taking place in the area south of the plywood partition – the new fellowship hall floor is being poured, walls and trusses going up, windows going in, etc.

Thanks to all the Faith family for your prayers and for your gifts of time and treasure. There's much for us to look forward to as we approach the Phase 1 completion by sometime in mid- October. A couple of major items will likely take place even after mid-October. These include bringing in the new electrical service to the facility and the final connection of the heating/cooling units for the building addition.

We will keep you posted as the project continues.

—*The Long Range Team The Trustees*

Last Week to pick up Quarterly Statements

Your second quarter giving statements are on the table at the back of the sanctuary. Please stop on your way out and pick up your statement and save the office a stamp!

—*Carla White, Assistant Financial Secretary*

Non-Perishable Food & Hygiene Donations

There is a need for non-perishable food and hygiene items for Love Chapel, Brighter Days Shelter, Salvation Army and the Homeless shelter in Brown County. Please take home the shopping list of items for Love Chapel and the Brighter Days Shelter in today's bulletin. Items donated will be split between both County food pantries and homeless shelters. In October we will schedule a time after church to put together hygiene kits. Our goal is to gather enough items in the next two months for 60 kits in honor of our 60th Church Anniversary.

There's a bin 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!

—*Regina Allman and Mercy Ministry*

Greeters Needed

If you are interested in helping to greet church members and visitors on Sunday morning, please let the church office know. You can call the office at (812)342-3587 or send an email to office@faithontheweb.org.

—*Church Office*

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*



Job Opportunity

Faith Preschool and Extended Care are looking for qualified candidates to apply to be part of our team either as a part time, full time, or substitute teacher. Any interested candidates should submit a resume to the Preschool Director Beckie Eckelman, at beckie@faithontheweb.org.

—*Beckie Eckelman*

Adult Bible Study

The Sunday morning adult Bible study will resume today, Sunday, August 14. We will meet in the church nave each Sunday from 10:15-10:45a. The pastor will lead a discussion through the Scripture readings from the Sunday service and will be a discussion format. Please join us as we dig deeper into all that God's Word has to say to us.

—*Pastor Riordan*

Clarity Baby Bottle Campaign Thank You

Thank you to everyone who donated to the Clarity Crisis Pregnancy Baby Bottle Campaign this year. Our congregation has contributed \$403.29 to the ministry of Clarity. Thank you for supporting these vital services. Because of your generosity, we're able to continue to provide the variety and depth of services to those we serve.

—*Tim Bond, Clarity Executive Director*

Preschool Help

The Faith Lutheran Church Preschool Committee would like to give thanks to everyone who has been involved to make sure our preschool can open on August 16. Congregational support of the preschool is so important to our students in learning and in knowing about Jesus and his love. How can you help support the preschool? Do you have a talent you can share with the students? Time you can devote? If so, please let our director, Beckie Eckelman, or a member of the Preschool Committee know. For the first time in several years, we have four scholarship applications and not enough funding to offer them. Would you consider donating to our scholarship fund? We don't want to turn any child away from our program and the opportunities we offer. We're also asking for donations of rolls of paper towels. If you would like to donate, please put your donation in the box at the back of the sanctuary.

—*Many heartfelt thanks!*

Annette Driver, Lori Vogt, Luke Jacobus and Laurel Weddle

Brown County Backpack Program

Starting in September, we will be gathering donations of individual fruit cups for the Brown County Backpack Program. Thank you for your faithful giving to this program, and helping those families in need in Brown County.

—*Regina Allman and Mercy Ministry*

St. John's Lutheran-White Creek Fall Dinner

St. John's Lutheran Church-White Creek, 16270 S. 300 W, Columbus, IN 47201, will have Drive-thru Supper on Saturday, September 10 from 4p-7p. Dinner will include your choice of turkey or ham, a choice from one of their desserts, and any sides, mashed potatoes and gravy, dressing, green beans, corn or homemade noodles. They will accept cash only and the cost is Adults \$15, Children (ages 3-10) \$6, Extra meat \$3, Extra Dessert \$3. For more information call the church at (812) 342-6832.

—*Shannon, St. John's Lutheran Church Admin Asst.*

Singing the Faith HYMN #404—JESUS, ONCE WITH SINNERS NUMBERED

Text Background

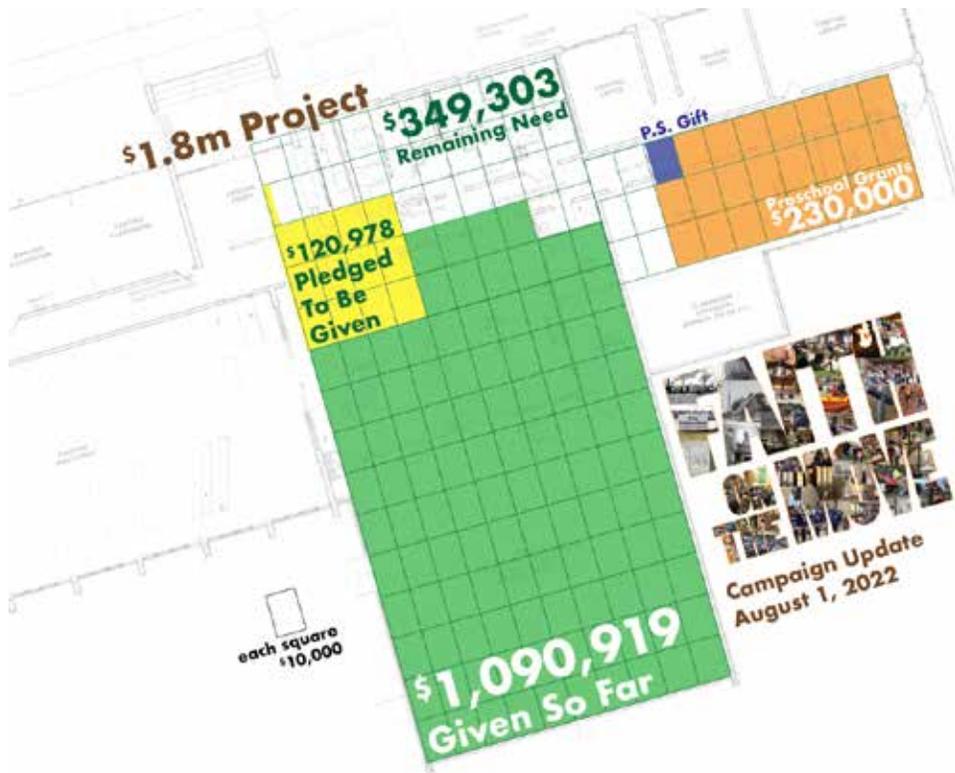
This hymn begins with the Lukan image of Jesus being baptized as one of the people (*Luke 3:21*), moving to John's confession of Jesus as the Lamb of God (*John 1:29*), then to Jesus' death and resurrection (*John 19:34; Romans 6:1-11*). It teaches how Baptism is not a single event with no future consequences, either for Jesus' life or ours, but is rather an event with consequences that are both life changing and eternal.

STANZA 1 says that Jesus was one of those coming to be baptized by John. He is without blemish yet took on the sins of the whole world.

STANZA 2 the hymn continues with John the Baptist's confession of Jesus, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!" (*John 1:29*) It then moves to John's confession that he was not worthy to untie the sandal straps of the coming Messiah (*Matthew 3:11; Mark 1:7; Luke 3:16*). The stanza concludes with an allusion to Isaiah 52:7 and Romans 10:15, identifying Jesus as the preacher of peace and mercy from the cross.

STANZA 3 refers to Christ's death as a kind of baptism (*Luke 12:50*), one that demonstrates the love of God to the world. (*John 3:16; Isaiah 1:18*) It describes Christ's mission to redeem the world: "Messiah," "chosen," "anointed," and "redeem" all draw on the imagery of the exodus and of Jesus, the greater Moses.

STANZA 4 alludes to the great hymn to Christ in Philippians 2:5-11. It then references Luther's Flood Prayer: "Through the Baptism in the Jordan of Your beloved Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, you sanctified and instituted all waters to be a blessed flood and lavish washing away of sin."



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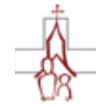


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Save the Dates



Church Picnic at Camp Lakeview
Sunday, September 25
10a Worship Service
11a Picnic Meal



60th Anniversary Celebration Service
Sunday, November 6



Preschool Christmas Program
Friday, December 16

Serving @ Faith

Sundays	Elder	Greeters	Organ	Usher	Acolyte	Lector	Child Talk	Sound	Flowers	Wed	Elder	Organ	Lector
Aug 14	Tom R.	Diane O.	Doreen S.	David V., Dana V., C. O. We	Alayna J.	Christina R.	Pastor	Terry B.	Needed	Aug 17	C. O. We	Doreen S.	Drebus
Aug 21	C. O. We	Burlews	Cathy B.	Terry B., Ardis S.	Noah F.	Ardis S.	Pastor	Larry C.	Needed	Aug 24	David V.	Cathy B.	Drebus
Aug 28	Mike W.	Hills	Doreen S.	David H., Jon H., Mike W.	Needed	Larry C.	Pastor	Darcy H.	Needed	Aug 31	John D.	Doreen S.	Drebus

Coloring Page

For from now on
in one house
there will be five divided,
three against two
and two against three.

—Jesus, Luke 12



Construction Photo Album Online

If you haven't checked the church website lately, you might want to take a look! Each week there will be pictures updated that show the construction and the progress the workers are making. It's an exciting time for Faith, and we want everyone to share in this journey with us! The attached qr code will take you right to the photo album.

—Church Trustees