



February 6, 2011

*To Follow Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior,
Be Filled with His Love and
Share His Abundant Grace with our Communities.*

Welcome Visitors & Friends!

We are glad you are here and hope you have met God and some new friends. Stop by the Welcome Center for information about the ministries and opportunities for you here at Faith! Be sure to check out our website at www.faithpres.org.

Attendance Pads: Please sign and pass the attendance pads during Life of the Church. This information is important to indicate trends in attendance and inform us if there are visitors to our Faith Community, so we may welcome them.

Hearing devices are available to be borrowed for use during the service. A special system is set up in the sanctuary that amplifies the sound through the ear piece. You can even use it if you have a hearing aid – it fits right over it. You can pick one up at the Information Desk and return it after the service.

Usher Volunteers are Captain Dave Hurrell, Jeanne and Roger Pojorny, Lynn Miller, Steve and Carmen Moy.

Greeter Volunteers for February are Laura Kintigh (front door), Stan Kintigh (Atrium door), Linda Kubes (visitor cart) and Kathy Melchert (info desk).

Today at Faith

Worship time 10:00 am in the Sanctuary

Today! Education hour from 9:00-9:45 am, Sunday School, Confirmation and Java 'n Jesus, followed by 10:00 am Celebration Worship service. We encourage and welcome families to worship with their children. A nursery is available for children 5 years old and younger for those who need that option.

Confirmation Class: We would like to acknowledge our Confirmation students this week for serving as Ushers and as they continue to learn and grow in our confirmation class. Please feel free to introduce yourself and get to know all of our amazing confirmation students. Confirmation class and prayer partners will meet in the Youth Room today after worship for a Pizza party.

Palette Club will sell valentines today and next week. Proceeds will go to the ICA.



Scout Sunday is celebrated today in churches across the country. Our Girl Scout Faith members are selling GS Cookies after worship in the Atrium. Cookies are \$3.50/ box and available to take home with you. A portion of the proceeds will be donated to ICA Food Shelf.



Faith Prays



- **Tillie Dolejsi** at Beacon Hill with Hospice care
- **Dan Olson** at U of MN Hospital
- **Maxine Rieman** at Chapel View
- **Rosalie Buska** at Spring Park
- **Jane Hansen** at Summer Wood, Chanhassen
- **Marjorie Kadue** at Hillcrest
- **Pastoral Hospitalizations or Visits:** Margaret, Church Office 952-935-4481 x 10
- **Prayer Requests:** Please fill out a blue prayer request card or contact Carol Shanholtzer at 952-545-4303 shanh@mac.com.

(Information for **Faith Prays** is current through Tuesday mornings at the time of publication.)

Remember in prayer those ill or recovering: Dorothy Bren, Brett Dale, Mary Gjerstad, Bob Miller, Sherry Neiberger, Francis Pavelka, Mary Prechel, Daisy Peterson, Alan Stewart, Dan Svoboda.

The safety and care of all who currently serve in the armed forces: Jackie Branscome*, Chris Beyl, Jodie Brueske, Joel Campbell, Adam Dowd, Brian Knutson, Nate Koenig, Mike MacDonald*, Amanda McGregor, David O'Keefe, Callea Pavelka, Ross Pavelka, Gary Slater, Gordon Sloan*, Joe Tourand, Stephen Varverakis, Christopher Wilmot, Nicholas Worthly, Tim Young.

**serving in Iraq, Afghanistan or Africa*



Events & Announcements

February Senior Breakfast is Friday, February 11!

Sign up now. After a delicious, warm breakfast, we will be delighted by the music of the **Richfield SilverNotes**, directed by Jim Anderson. Check in and fellowship begins at 9:00 am with breakfast following at 9:30. Cost is \$5 at the door. **Invite a friend who would like something fun to do on a cold winter morning! Last day to sign up is today.**



Social Dance Instruction sign-ups continue for the February 13 class. Roger Miller 952-933-2710.

Get Acquainted Event: February 13, 11:15-12:00

pm in room 114. Join us after worship.

- Informal conversation with Pastor Buck
- First step toward membership at Faith
- Q & A discussion
- Childcare provided

Circles United Missions Breakfast! Attention all women of Faith Church! You are cordially invited to a complimentary breakfast on February 26 at 10:00 am in Faith Hall. The program will feature Donna Moores, Director of Planning and Giving for the Ronald McDonald Corporation. Please come and bring a friend! Lorna Kintigh 952-935-1920.



Attention Second Halfers! Our next event is a "**Czech Heritage Tour**" to New Prague on **Wednesday, March 30**. This includes lunch at the Schumacher Grill 212 Restaurant, a stop at a Czech bakery, a tour of St. Wenceslaus Church and more. Cost is \$49 per person. Details and sign up today in the Information Center! Annette Greer 952-938-8382.

Food, Fun, Fellowship: Try the new 6*8. It begins with six people from Faith Church who get together three times for a meal in February and March. Sign up at the table on Sunday mornings. The commitment is to join a group for Food, Fun, Fellowship and Friends during February and March. Contact Roger Miller at 952-933-2710 if you have questions.

Adult Discipleship

Wednesday Nights from 7:00-8:00 pm

Let's Pray with Pastor Buck! We will gather every Wednesday in the sanctuary to pray together; to pray for our church, our ministries, for each other.

Christian Ethics Men's Study: Men's Bible study from 7:00-8:00 pm. Room 114.

Sunday Mornings from 9:00-9:45 am

How to Eat Your Bible: Buck Day. Cost \$10. Room 114.

Twisting the Truth - Learning to Discern in a Culture of Deception: Carol Shanholtzer. Book cost \$10. Room 120/121.

Ministry Needs & Opportunities

Men's Ministry: It is time to assemble the Welcome Home bags for Midwest Challenge. Please join the men of Faith and Midwest Challenge in this rewarding project. Breakfast is at 8:00 am on Saturday, February 12. Please sign up on the bulletin board or online. Gary Hemphill.



Royce, Lauren and Pat in Africa: Follow their activities in Kenya and Daystar on their blog: <http://daystarjoh.blogspot.com/>. Lauren will be posting regularly. Keep praying for a successful and safe trip.

Stephen Ministry is one on one, confidential, Christ-Centered care available for anyone who is going through a difficult time. Linda Elliott 952-938-4791 or Craig Gustafson 952-933-1844.

Feed My Starving Children: Our next session is tomorrow night, **February 7 at 6:00 pm**. For more details and to sign up, check out the clip board at the Information Desk. You can also find the link and "join code" on the Home page of the church website at www.faithpres.org for on-line registration.



Urban Homeworks: Join us **Saturday, February 12** for a work day with **Urban Homeworks**. We meet at the church at 8:00 am and go to our assigned site. Sign up on the clip board in the Information Hallway or call Todd Bjerke 952-935-4686, or leave a message for Margaret or Pastor Buck in the office.

Loaves & Fishes: Our next date is Monday, February 28. Sign up for all types of work. Please join others from Faith in providing a meal for those in need. The sign up board is in the Narthex.



Family Ministries

"Faith Fun Notes!" February is "Faith Loves Its Kids Month," so look for our wall of "Faith Fun Bags." Each child will have a bag displayed on this wall. As you feel led, take a piece of paper and jot a quick note of encouragement and drop it in the bag of the young person of your choosing. Notes can come from anyone. The bags will be located in the Nursery Hallway and will remain up through February. Let's make sure all of our kids know that they are valued members of Faith!



Children's Musical L.O.S.T. is next Sunday. You will not want to miss this. The children have been working very hard all year. Joanna Bachmann.



PNO (Parent's Night Out) is February 11 from 5:30-9:30 pm. Any child 8 months through grade 4 may come. The evening will include crafts, story time, free play, gym/games and dinnertime. You provide the dinner (Nut-Free!), we provide a fun and safe area for them to play. Cost: \$20 for first child; \$15 for second child from the same family. Cap of \$50 per family. **Payment is due February 9** with the registration forms available at www.faithpres.org. Kathy at 952-935-4481 ext.14 or Kathy@faithpres.org.

"Mystery Dinner Theater" Rehearsals: Please join us for rehearsals in the Choir Room or Activity Center on Sundays from 12:00-2:00 pm through March 6. Kevin Boyle 952-935-4481 ext. 22.

Mayhem in Mayville Mystery Theater! is March 11-13. The Mystery Theater is a new twist on the Lighthouse Dinner Theater from previous years. This production is a "who done it" mystery that takes place in a small dinner in the town of Mellville. Tickets will go on sale February 20 and include the show and dinner on the 11th and 12th, and dessert on the 13th. Please support this play by our youth while helping them raise funds to serve Jesus on the summer missions trip to Nashville, TN. Reserve your tables early to get the best seats! It is a fun time had by all. We welcome volunteers willing to help with the set or kitchen crew. Km Banyard 952-988-9654.

Church Office

Weekly Bulletin Announcements: Deadline for the bulletin is Monday at 5:00 pm. margaret@faithpres.org.

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00-4:00 pm, Friday 8:00-12:00 noon. However, with reductions in staffing, there **will** be times during posted office hours that the office is not staffed. Please call ahead and make an appointment if you need assistance.

	Faith Offering		
	Received	Budget	Over(Short)
Last Week	\$ 17,324	\$ 12,536	\$ 4,788
YTD 2011	\$ 83,691	\$ 87,030	\$ (3,339)



Upcoming Events

2/6 Communion Sunday
 2/7 Feed My Starving Children
 2/11 Senior Breakfast
 Parent's Night Out
 2/12 Urban Homeworks
 Men's Ministry Breakfast
 2/13 Children's Musical L.O.S.T.
 Get Acquainted Gathering

2/13 Social Dance Instruction
 2/15 Hopkins Women's Luncheon
 Deacons
 2/20 Discovery Series begins
 2/22 Session
 2/26 Circles United Mission Breakfast
 2/27 "454"
 2/28 Loaves & Fishes

Sunday, February 6

Communion Sunday
 9:00 am Childcare
 9:00 am Sunday School
 9:00 am Java n Jesus, Confirmation
 9:00 am Twisting the Truth
 9:00 am How to Eat Your Bible
 10:00 am Celebration Worship
 11:00 pm Confirmation Pizza Party
 12:00 pm Mystery Theater Rehearsal

Monday, February 7

ISLA
 6:00 pm Feed My Starving Children
 6:30 pm AHG
 7:00 pm Stephen Ministry

Tuesday, February 8

ISLA
 11:00 am Staff Meeting
 6:00 pm GS Troop Meeting

6:30 pm Renewal Group
 6:30 pm OSLA BOD Meeting

Wednesday, February 9

ISLA
 9:15 am PMO
 9:30 am Prayer Fellowship
 9:30 am Palette Club
 6:30 pm AQ, LH, Focus
 7:00 pm Christian Men's Study
 7:00 pm Let's Pray with Pastor Buck
 7:00 pm Adult Choir
 7:30 pm Discovery Meeting

Thursday, February 10

ISLA
 9:30 am Ruth Circle
 2:30 pm Senior Breakfast setup
 6:15 pm TOPS
 7:00 pm Praise & Worship

Friday, February 11

ISLA
 9:30 am Senior Breakfast
 5:30 pm Parents Night Out

Saturday, February 12

8:00 am Men's Ministry Breakfast
 8:00 pm Urban Homeworks

Sunday, February 13

9:00 am Childcare
 9:00 am Sunday School
 9:00 am Java n Jesus, Confirmation
 9:00 am Twisting the Truth
 9:00 am How to Eat Your Bible
 10:00 am Celebration Worship
 11:00 am Pacesetters Meeting
 11:00 am Get Acquainted Event
 11:00 am New Resident Meeting
 12:00 pm Mystery Theater Rehearsal
 4:00 pm Social Dance Instruction

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