



**January 30, 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](http://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 Bill Smetana, Shirley Greenfield, John Cawhorn, Eric Swanson, Barb Barth, Kathy Melchert, Joyce and Gene Rowen.

**Greeter Volunteers** are Bob Bloden (front door), Jean Bloden (Atrium door), JoEllen Radermacher (visitor cart) and Tom Radermacher (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.

**Please join us for the Annual Meeting of the Congregation today in the sanctuary after worship at 11:00 am.**

**2011 Presbytery Per Capita is \$30.46.**

## Faith Prays



- **Maxine Rieman** at Chapel View
- **Rosalie Buska** at Spring Park
- **Jane Hansen** at Summerwood, 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, Tillie Dolejsi, 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 Anderson\*, 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 Worthy, Tim Young.



\*serving in Iraq, Afghanistan or Africa

## Events & Announcements

**Palette Club** will have their hand created valentines for sale again this year after services on February 6 and 13. All proceeds will go to the ICA Food Shelf.



**Girl Scout Faith members** will be selling GS Cookies on February 6 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.



**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 Sunday, Feb. 6.**



**Social Dance Instruction** sign-ups continue for the February 13 class and for the 6-8 Dinner event beginning in February. Roger Miller 952-933-2710.

**Get Acquainted Gathering: February 13, 11:15-12:00 pm** in room 114. Join us after worship.

- Informal conversation with the pastor
- 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! If you have questions, call Lorna Kintigh 952-935-1920.

**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**  
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 for 6 lessons**  
Start January 9 at 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. Also, consider attending the Midwest



Challenge benefit concert on February 11. Tickets are available through Gary Hemphill.

### Missions- Did You Know?



- ◆ The **Beyond Us Team**, formerly the Mission Committee, has scheduled two adult mission trips for this summer. We are partnering with Urban Homeworks for a local opportunity from July 19 – 22. The second opportunity is July 30 – August 6 in Paintsville, KY. Watch for more details.
- ◆ Anyone can be a part of this team. If you have a heart for missions, either locally or internationally, please consider how you might help. We are looking for people with varied skills to join our team. See any *Beyond Us Team* member for information. Members are Tom Rademacher, Sue Studenski, Pat Nolan, Royce Pavelka, Pat Mahin, Dave Nodine, Joanna Bachmann and Buck Day.

**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 **Monday 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](http://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.

## 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.** We need ushers, tech people, help with props, set design and more. If you have an interest in helping out in any way, grab a friend and attend this meeting. You don't even need to have kids in the musical to participate. See Joanna if you have any questions.

**"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.

**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](http://www.faithpres.org). Kathy at 952-935-4481 ext.14 or [Kathy@faithpres.org](mailto:Kathy@faithpres.org).

**Confirmation at Faith:** Sundays until April from 9:00-9:45 am in the Youth Center. [denny@faithpres.org](mailto:denny@faithpres.org).

**family@faith/454** A youth group experience just for our 4-5 graders. 454 will meet 2/20, 4/17 & 5/15 at 4:54 pm.

**family@faith/AdQuest** Children in kindergarten through grade 5 are welcome to join us for AdQuest on Wednesday nights from 6:30-8:00 pm.

**family@faith/Lighthouse** Lighthouse is for students in 6-8 grade on Wednesday from 6:30-8:00 pm.

**family@faith/Focus** Focus is for Senior High students in 9-12 grade on Wednesday from 7:00-8:30 pm.

**Java n Jesus!** Sundays 9:00-9:45 am for students 6-12 grades in the Teen Lounge.

## Church Office

**Weekly Bulletin Announcements:** Deadline for the bulletin is Monday at 5:00 pm. [margaret@faithpres.org](mailto:margaret@faithpres.org). If an article is received after the deadline, it will appear in the next week's bulletin.

**Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00-4:00 pm, Friday 8:00-12:00 noon.**

 **March 2011 Faith in Action Deadline is FEBRUARY 1, 2011 for any news. Email articles to Margaret. Thank you! [margaret@faithpres.org](mailto:margaret@faithpres.org)**

### Faith Offering

	Received	Budget	Over(Short)
Last Week	\$ 14,310	\$ 13,036	\$ 1,274
YTD 2011	\$ 66,367	\$ 74,494	\$ (8,127)



Upcoming Events			
1/30	Annual Meeting	2/13	Children's Musical L.O.S.T. Get Acquainted Gathering Social Dance Instruction
2/5	UEC Potluck	2/15	Hopkins Women's Luncheon Deacons
2/6	Communion Sunday	2/20	Discovery Series begins "454"
2/7	Feed My Starving Children	2/22	Session
2/11	Senior Breakfast Parent's Night Out	2/26	Circles United Mission Breakfast
2/12	Urban Homeworks Men's Ministry Breakfast	2/28	Loaves & Fishes

<p><b>Sunday, January 30</b>            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 Annual Meeting            12:00 pm New Resident Welcome Meeting            12:00 pm Mystery Theater Rehearsal</p> <p><b>Monday, January 31</b>            ISLA            6:30 pm AHG            7:00 pm Stephen Ministry</p> <p><b>Tuesday, February 1</b>            ISLA            11:00 am Staff Meeting            1:00 pm Circle's United BOD</p>	<p>3:00 pm Communications Meeting            4:30 pm B&amp;G Meeting            7:00 pm Stephen Ministry Leaders            7:00 pm Missions Meeting</p> <p><b>Wednesday, February 2</b>            ISLA            9:15 am PMO            9:30 am Prayer Fellowship            9:30 am Palette Club            6:30 pm AQ, LH, Focus            6:30 pm Families World Issue Night            7:00 pm Christian Men's Study            7:00 pm Let's Pray with Pastor Buck            7:00 pm Adult Choir</p> <p><b>Thursday, February 3</b>            ISLA            10:00 am Dorcas Circle            6:15 pm TOPS            7:00 pm ISLA New Family Meeting</p>	<p><b>Friday, February 4</b>            ISLA            10:00 am Senior Breakfast Planning            4:00 pm GS Troop Meeting            7:00 pm Bridge Club</p> <p><b>Saturday, February 5</b>            9:00 am Children's Music Rehearsal            5:00 pm UEC Potluck</p> <p><b>Sunday, February 6</b>            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</p>
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