



Volunteer at Faith

Faith Foundation Trustee: There are two vacancies for trustees to serve on the Board of Faith Foundation, which receives, manages and distributes monies consisting of memorial gifts, bequests, and any other types of special gifts received by Faith Church. This group has regular monthly meetings to review financial statements, assess status of investments, and to discuss and evaluate/approve funding requests. Current Faith Foundation Trustees are Bob Blakesley, Bob Carlson, Roxie Carlson, John Parks, and Eric Swanson. If you would like to find out more about serving in this way, please sign up at the Volunteer at Faith table or talk to Bob Blakesley.

Church Office

Weekly Bulletin Announcements: Deadline for the bulletin is Tuesday at 12 noon. Please e-mail your announcements to rick@faithpres.org

Please schedule all meetings & events with Rick Reed in the church office. 952-935-4481 ext. 20 or rick@faithpres.org

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm.

The 2012 Per Capita for our denomination is \$31.63. If you choose to pay Per Capita, please write a separate check, payable to Faith Church, with "Per Capita" written in the memo line.



	Faith		Offering	
	Received	Budget	Over(Short)	
Last Week	\$ 19,678	\$ 12,624	\$ 7,054	
YTD 2012	\$ 419,017	\$ 398,061	\$ 20,956	



Worship
Discipleship
Service

January 29, 2012

*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 meet 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.

We Gather & Worship in God's Name

Prelude

Call to Worship

Greeting

Life of the Church

Praise and Worship

Pastoral Prayer

Offering

The Amazing Grace Race

Closing Song

Benediction

Postlude

Heaven is in My Heart

Father I Adore You

Deep and Wide

Heaven is in My Heart

Sunday, January 29 9:00 am Confirmation 9:00 am Sunday School 9:00 am Stories of Saints Adult Class 9:00 am Stimulate 10:15 am Celebration Worship - Children's Musical 11:15 am Annual Meeting 12:30 pm Death of a Doornail Rehearsal 7:00 pm Focus Monday, January 30 6:30 pm AHG Social Event
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Tuesday, January 31 11:00 am Staff Meeting 6:00 pm Faith Church Rec Volleyball Wednesday, February 1 9:15 am Parent Morning Out 9:30 am Palette Club 5:45 pm Amazing Grace Race Cast Party 6:30 pm Kidz of Faith 6:30 pm Lighthouse 7:00 pm Men's Study Group 7:00 pm Choir Thursday, February 2 6:15 pm TOPS
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Friday, February 3 10:00 am Senior Breakfast Planning 7:00 pm Bridge Club Saturday, February 4 8:00 am Men's Ministry Breakfast Sunday, February 5 9:00 am Confirmation 9:00 am Sunday School 9:00 am Fellowship of Presbyterians Discussion 9:00 am Stimulate 10:15 am Celebration Worship 12:30 pm Death of a Doornail Rehearsal 7:00 pm Focus

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Worshipping with children? We are glad to have your family with us today!
Did you know the nursery is available during the worship service for children under 5 years old?
We also offer children's bulletins and activity bags for children ages 3 to 9 who are attending church with their families. We know adults and children worship differently, so if you need to take a break or get a drink please feel free to come and go as necessary.

Faith Prays

Please pray for:

- Those recovering from recent hospitalization: Glenn Baillie, Marjorie Kadue, Iris St. Lawrence.
- To the family of Leonard Granzow, who passed away on Tuesday, January 24. The funeral is Monday, January 30 at 11:00 am at Faith Church.

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



* serving in Iraq, Afghanistan or Africa

Pray for Faith: Become a prayer warrior! Join others in praying for Faith by checking out our website, www.faithpres.org. Pastor Buck has put some of his prayers there for Faith.



To inform us of a hospitalization or to request a hospital or home visit, please call the church office at 952-935-4481.

For Prayer Requests please fill out a prayer request card or contact Carol (952-545-4303, shanh@mac.com).

Today at Faith

Hearing devices are available at the Welcome Desk.

Usher Volunteers are Bill Smetana, Captain; Dave and Jan Dale, Gene Almond, Shirley Greenfield, Eric Swanson; Gary Hemphill, Co-Chairman, Usher Scheduling.

Greeter Volunteers are John and Kay Parks, Main Door; Lorna Kintigh, Activity Center Door; Jo Ellen Radermacher, Visitor Cart; Carol Hemphill, Information Desk.

Children and Student Programming:

- 9:00 am: Stimulate (for grades 6-8)
- 9:00 am: Confirmation (for grades 8-9)
- 9:00 am: Sunday School (for age 3 - 5th grade)
- 7:00 pm: Focus (for grades 9-12)

The Annual Meeting of the congregation of Faith Presbyterian Church will take place following worship today.

Family Ministries

Children and Student Programming:

Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:00 pm:
Kidz of Faith (K-5th grade) and Lighthouse (grades 6-8); childcare will be available.

February is Faith Loves Its Kids Month! Kickoff of this yearly event begins today with the children's performance of "The Amazing Grace Race" and continues throughout the month. Stop by the Family Ministries bulletin board in the Information Hallway and pull off a 'Prayer Heart' containing the name of a child or youth here at Faith. Take it home and pray for this person daily in February. You can also communicate with your prayer person by dropping them a note in their 'Faith Fun Note' bag located in the hallway by the Nursery. There is a picture of each child on their bag so you can put a face with a name if you are unsure of what they look like. Also look for kids and students to be more visible in the worship service on Sunday mornings. Let's let our young people know that we appreciate and love them all year long by celebrating them this month.

Looking for something to do on Valentines Day?

Come pack food at Feed My Starving Children in Chanhasen from 6:00-7:30 pm and make an impact around the world. Spend an hour and a half sharing God's love with "the very least of these" and still have time to spend with your special someone! Sign-up at the Welcome Desk or online at volunteer.fmssc.org using JOIN CODE 196547.



Saturday Morning Out is February 11 and is open to our church community, PMO, neighbors and friends. Activities include: games, gym, crafts, story and dinner time.

What: Drop you child/children off - you get to go PLAY!

When: Saturday, February 11

Where: Faith Presbyterian Church

Time: 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Ages: 6 months (by Sept. 1) - Grade 4

Cost: \$20 (bring their own bag dinner); 2nd child (same family) \$15, cap of \$50.

Summer Morning Out (SMO) is looking for children from 6 months of age - 4th graders. We are taking registrations at this time. Check us out on our church web site for registration forms, dates and times. SMO Programming runs from June-August.

Check us out at www.faithpres.org for registration forms to download and to find calendar with upcoming dates. Questions or to register, please contact Kathy TerSteeg at 952-935-4481 x14 or kathy@faithpres.org



Events & Announcements

Adult Discipleship Classes:

Wednesdays at 7:00 pm: Men's Study. Join Pastor Buck as we begin a look at Jesus' life in a study of the Book of John. Come and dig in with us.

C.S. Lewis Book Study: Women's small group study of "Mere Christianity" will meet on Thursdays at 6:00 pm for 12 weeks, beginning February 16. Study packets will be provided. Contact Melissa Young at 612-990-4623 for more information and location.

The Palette Club will be selling hand made Valentines again this year, on February 5 and 12, before and after worship. All proceeds will be donated to the ICA Food Shelf.

Fellowship of Presbyterians Follow Up:

Sunday, February 5 at 9:00 am in the Activity Center. Come and hear about what happened in Orlando and to talk about next steps with Pastor Buck.



You are invited to Faith Talk @ Beacon Hill led by Stephanie Friant. Come and enjoy an hour of talking about our faith! 10:00 am on February 1 (the 1st Wednesday of every month) at Beacon Hill Commons Private Dining Room. Questions? 952-470-0230.

Come join us for the February Senior Breakfast! We will gather on Friday, February 10 for our monthly Seniors at Faith Breakfast. Check in and fellowship begins at 9:00 am. Breakfast will be served at 9:30 am. Cost is \$5 at the door. Invite someone to come with you. Everyone is welcome!



"The Richfield SilverNotes" will entertain us after the meal.

Please sign up by February 5 on the Seniors bulletin board (in the Information Hallway near the coffee). Come join us!

Adult Sunday School: New Class - When the Spirit Moves. This six-week class invites us to embrace the life changing Power of the Holy Spirit. The class starts on Sunday, February 12 at 9:00 am in Room #120.

Ministry Needs & Opportunities

If you or someone you know would be interested in the companionship of a Stephen Minister, please contact Linda Elliott at 952-938-4791 or Craig Gustafson at 952-933-1844.



The Beyond Us mission team

would like to thank everyone for their faithful giving. Our Christmas offering totaled \$8997 which will be split between ICA and Feed My Starving Children. Both of these organizations will benefit greatly thanks to your generous giving. It will pay for 18,743 meals at FMSC and according to Shirley at ICA, "The money that you have given will be used to purchase a month's worth of food for our food banks. In a month we are able to give groceries to over 750 families from our two locations." Thank you for shining God's light into our community and beyond!



Men's Ministry: The generosity of Faith Church has, for the seventh year, provided the necessary funds for 75 welcome home bags. These bags will be assembled at the Men's Breakfast on Saturday, February 4 at 8:00 am and delivered to Midwest Challenge/Life Rebuilders the following week. **Thank you Faith Church for your generosity!**



"Finding Hope and Healing" No one but you knows the gaping hole left in your life when someone you know has died. And no one but you can mourn the silence that was once filled with laughter and song. It is the nature of love and death to touch every person in a totally unique way. Comfort comes from knowing that other people have made the same journey. And solace comes from understanding how others have learned to sing again. We meet the 2nd Tuesday of the month in Room #120, 10:00 - 11:30 am. Next meeting is February 14. Contact Kathy terSteeg for more information.

