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Congregational Budget Meeting is Monday, May 22, at 6:30pm in the Commons. Budget packets are available in the Narthex.

Widows & Widowers Fellowship Group will meet at Sunset on the Water, N7364 Winnebago Dr, on Tuesday, May 23, at 11:30am. As usual, we will be ordering off the menu (individual responsibility). Our speaker will be Dr. Rhoda Wolle, VP of Organizational Development with Kingdom Workers. Rhoda travels all over the world training Christians in ways to serve their neighbors out of love for their Savior. Please RSVP to Dave Seibel at 920-948-9475 (call or text) or dseibelz56@gmail.com **Looking Ahead** We are having a potluck meal on Tuesday, June 27, at 4:30pm at the Optimist Park Shelter in NFDL. There will be a sign-up sheet at the May meeting for those able to bring food. *Remember – Be a friend, Bring a friend!*

Mrs. Poch is Retiring! Since 2003, Mrs. Diane Poch has faithfully served as our Hot Lunch Coordinator. She has fed hundreds of Faith students over her 20 years of service. We are grateful for her attention to detail and commitment to our hot lunch program. As we come to the end of the school year, please congratulate Mrs. Poch on her retirement! A card box is in the Narthex until May 25 for notes of appreciation. After our closing service on May 25, Mrs. Poch will be recognized for her 20 years of service and given a retirement gift on behalf of the school.

Retirement Celebration Mr. Paul Thiesfeldt and Mr. Riley Westphal will be retiring from the public teaching ministry at the end of this school year. Both of these servants of the gospel ministry are currently serving at Winnebago Lutheran Academy and are members of Faith Lutheran Church. We are inviting all the members and friends of Faith Lutheran Church and School to join us in thanking the Lord of the Church for the faithful service of these servants. Their retirement celebration is Sunday, May 21, at 9:00am in the Commons. A card box is in the Narthex. *"Well done, good and faithful servant" (Matthew 25:11).*

WLA Graduation is Saturday, May 27, at 10:00am in the WLA gym. Class verse: *"I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my loving eye on you."* Psalm 32:8 Class hymn: *He Will Hold Me Fast*

WELS Youth Night — Save the Date WELS youth in grades 7-12 are invited to *Stronger Than You Think* youth night presented by Koine and Pastor John Boggs on Sunday, July 16, 2:00-5:00pm at Soldiers and Sailors Park, Markesan. The event will include live music, devotion, food, swimming, basketball, and more. Please sign up by June 30 — text or email Cody McLean, mcleancode@markesan.k12.wi.us 608-669-4537.

Emergency Response Team We are looking for nurses who would be willing to give assistance in the event of a medical emergency during our church services. The time commitment would be minimal. Current CPR certification and assessment skills are necessary. If interested, please contact Linda Faris at 920-979-2274 or lfaris434@gmail.com

Summer Worship & Summer Office Hours

Beginning Sunday, May 28, the late service will move to 9:30am.

Office hours will be 8:00am to noon Monday through Friday beginning Tuesday, May 30. The office will be closed May 26 & 29.

WORSHIP

- Thursdays 6:30pm
- Saturdays 5:30pm
- Sundays 7:45* & 10:30am

**Livestream Service*

ONLINE WORSHIP

Faith's Website:
flcfdl.org
Faith YouTube Channel

Weekly Worship Attendance

Thursday	- 23
Saturday	- 77
Sunday 7:45	- 130
Sunday 9:00	- 496
Sunday 10:30	- 97
Weekend Total	- 823

If you need to reach a pastor after hours, call 920-922-3530, then select option 4.

Letter Received

Dear Members of Faith,

Your continued support for me and my brothers at the Seminary has increased our confidence in our vocation tenfold. I am in your debt and thank God for all of you. I cannot wait to venture out into God's creation and serve him and people like you in my vicar year!

Jon Alden Pedersen

Faith Lutheran School & Preschool

Congratulations to our Graduating Class of 2023! We pray that Christ will remain the center of your lives as you live in his grace and forgiveness each day: *Evan Cole, Bella Dowland, Joshua Eckert, Tegan Evraets, Tyler Faris, Mara Gesell, Aidan Hodgden, Ethan Hodgden, Bryce Jahnke, Lillian Johnson, Benjamin LeBlanc, Phoenix Monroe, Eli Muche, Ava Musack, Hannah Niemann-Kallander, Adah Niemeier, Thomas Pauly, Noah Pierquet, Zoe Pitzen, Ava Sabish, Joseph Schrieber, Cooper Schwalbe, Ebrielle Thomas-Loehrke, Abigail Walta.*

Congratulations to our eighth grade valedictorian, Evan Cole, and salutatorian, Tegan Evraets. These students have demonstrated academic excellence and will be delivering speeches during our school closing/graduation service on May 25.

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LUTHERAN SCHOOL

⇒ Big K Graduation is Tuesday, May 23, at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary

⇒ Preschool End of Year Celebration is Wednesday, May 24, at 6:00pm in the Sanctuary

⇒ Faith School Closing/Graduation service is Thursday, May 25, at 6:30pm. Students in PreK-8 will sing in the service, so please make plans for your family to attend. Following the service, all school families are invited to the parking lot on the eastside of the building to enjoy fellowship and purchases from food trucks. Bottled water will be provided for free. Families are responsible for food truck purchases. A photo booth will also be setup in the school entrance near door #4.

Summer Scrip – Beginning June 5, scrip orders will only be placed every other week. Orders will be due on Sundays and available for pick up the following Thursday. NOTE: No scrip order will be placed May 29. For the complete order schedule for the summer, see the sign on the scrip order box in the hall. Scrip-to-Go will continue to be offered at the office during business hours (summer office hours are Monday-Friday, 8:00-noon).

In Our Prayers

- Prayers of thanks for mothers in honor of Mother's Day.
- Prayers for the victims of shootings and that the hearts of those who commit those crimes would be changed.
- Prayers that God's Word would continue to be preached in its truth and purity, as well as protection for those who preach and teach.

In Memory of: Sandy Schmitz
Fund: Sanctuary Lighting
Donor: Bob & Phyllis Giese

In Memory of: Don Muche
Fund: Various Funds
Donors: Dennis & Deb Boelk, Bill & Sharon Finn, Joan Johnson, Jay & Sarah Selle, Robert & Darlene Krueger, Mike & Jan Krug, John & Beth Hettwer, John & Diane Calkins, Ken & Linda Wochos, Marge Hewitt, Tom & Jane Niedfeldt, Jason & Sandra Karst, Sylvia Immel, Milt & Pat Ohlinger