

# Family Notes

## SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

During Lent we journey with all those around the world who will be baptized at Easter. In today's Gospel Jesus tells Nicodemus that he must be born of water and Spirit. At the font we are given a new birth as daughters and sons of God. As God made a covenant with Abraham, in baptism God promises to raise us up with Christ to new life. From worship we are sent forth to proclaim God's love for all the world.

In his sermon, "Born Again!" Pastor Jim takes us back to our baptismal beginnings to discover our purpose in God's mission and our shared future in God's love.

As we continue this penitential season, please note:

- our Baptismal Font moves from the door towards the altar as we move toward Jerusalem
- a Lenten Center is at the foot of the cross
- there are no flowers on our altar
- we move to setting 4 of our liturgy
- we omit the Hymn of Praise
- we sing a psalm response between our first and second lesson
- our Lenten Sentence replaces the Alleluia
- a guided meditation in Family Notes gives direction to our reflection during communion
- there are no communion hymns
- our cross (made out of Christmas trees, to remind us that the baby at Bethlehem is the Christ of the Cross) is draped in purple, a penitential color
- an additional cross is in our sanctuary, draped aisle torches highlight this season
- there is no postlude

The Sacrament today will be administered by intinction. If you are visiting with us and believe as we do that in the Sacrament we receive God's gift of life and forgiveness, if you are a baptized member of the Christian Church, we hope you will join us at the Lord's table. Gluten free wafers are available at both stations

**GUIDED MEDITATION:** In baptism, ... every Christian has enough to study and practice all his or her life. Christians always have enough to do to believe firmly what baptism promises and brings -- victory over death and the devil, forgiveness of sin, God's grace, the entire Christ, the Holy Spirit with his gifts. In short, the blessings of baptism are so boundless that if our timid nature considers them, it may well doubt whether they could all be true. Suppose there were a physician who had so much skill that people would not die, or even though they died would afterward live eternally. Just think how the world would snow and rain money on such a person! Because of the throng of rich people crowding around, no one else would be able to get near. Now, here in baptism there brought, free of charge, to every person's door just such a treasure and medicine that swallows up death and keeps people alive. Thus, we must regard baptism and put it to use in such a way that we may draw strength and comfort from it ... -- Martin Luther, Large Catechism

### Our Lessons:

Genesis 12:1-4a. God's call of Abram and Sarai has a clear purpose--that through them all the families of the earth would gain a blessing. As they set out on their journey they are accompanied by promises of land, nation, and a great reputation.

Romans 4:1-5, 13-17. In the person and example of Abraham we discover that a right relationship with God does not involve earning a reward from God but entails trusting God's promises. Abraham is the forebear and model for both Jews and Gentiles, because we too trust that ours is a God who gives life to the dead.

John 3:1-17. A curious Pharisee visits Jesus by night to learn from the teacher his friends reject. Jesus speaks to him about life in the Spirit and the kingdom of God.

### TYING IT ALL TOGETHER:

God calls Abram and Sarai to leave behind the life they knew and to go where God was leading them. In that new birth God gives a promise and a purpose -- through them, God will bless all people. They go. St. Paul calls that faith, the miraculous work of God's grace that comes in the form of a call to new life. Jesus is God's call to new life. In baptism, we leave behind the life we formerly knew and go where God is leading. United to each other and to Jesus in His death and resurrection, we receive the free gift of a new life, a life with promise and purpose.

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## WELCOME

If you are visiting, we welcome you and hope you'll soon return to Faith, and that you'll feel free to share in all that is ours in Christ. Please sign our guest book and a visitor's card which you'll find in the pew. If you are interested in learning more about our community, please speak to Pastor Jim or Pastor Mac, or leave a note in the offering. Please stop by the Information Table in the narthex and pick up materials about our Family of Faith. While we encourage children's attendance and participation in our worship hour, we do provide nursery care for those needing this service. Our ushers will be happy to direct you to our downstairs Nursery.

## MISSION STATEMENT

The Family of Faith is a Christ-centered servant community that strives to be loving, forgiving, healing and affirming, as it continues to seek new opportunities to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ to the world.

Sustained by the Holy Spirit, we worship, serve, learn and grow together by sharing God's gifts of our time, talents and treasures.

### *Please Remember in Your Prayers:*

Diantha Pearson	Vivian Mossberg
Thomas Lange	Ernie Andersen
Ron Waltemyer	John Glass
Sherry Peterson	Nancy Kordistas
Ben Santore	Ruth Bentley
Jan Siberine	Paul Lutz
Lucas Reiling	Constance Burde
Katie Anderson	Curtis D. Kelly
Annie Scherba	Eric Brodbeck
Jim Connaughton	Todd Shell
Kruger Family	Hildy Vallevand
Julie Floch	Heidi Santore
Joe Auchter	Bob Bell
Chuck Thomas	Eileen Sergent
Carolyn & Art Engelken	PJ Sneeringer
Minet Merritt	Gretchen Dziedzic
Hank Reinbold III	Heather Knapp
Ted Moody	Anne Rogers
Ollie McKnight	Andrew Stofa
Loren Zachau	Debbie Shulkowski
Cecil Douglas	Sonny Durrant
Darnville Riley	Rose Ondich
Pam Colandrea	Pat Sheldon
Phyllis Semegran	Oliver King
Carol MacPherson	Karen Blomquist
Aaron Shinn	Otto Picard
Cory Christensen	Aiden Bedi
Ann Bueschel	Harold Johnson
Kim Wood	Jeanne Jenkins
Kerry Michaels	Mike Sergent
Pastor Carol Lindsay	Wei Che Hu
Bob McQuaid	Margaret D'Oliveira
Donna Swanson	Jim Mastakas
Chris Bowman	Anna Mae Glassman
Nina Sudor	Marlys Christiansen
Nancy Wiles	Judy Lonm
Sven Mossberg	Luca Tortorella
Nancy	Shan & Wayne Felts

Carl Seastedt

The Family of Vicky Ostermeyer  
The Family of Charles Auchter  
The Family of Valarie Auchter  
The Family of Charles Staley  
The Family of Frederick Zak

To add to or remove a name from the prayer list, please call the church office. Unless we hear otherwise, names are removed after three months.

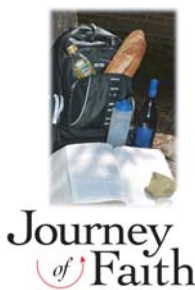
## THE MINISTRY CENTER

New life surrounds us as our Ministry Center rises in our midst to equip this Family of Faith for ministry for years to come. Our new kitchen and heating system are completed, most of our parking lot is finished and now the major work on the worship end of our Ministry Center is underway. All of this has been made possible by the over \$2 million pledged during the capital campaign of 2005 and our renewed Capital Campaign these last few months. Thanks to all who made special, sacrificial gifts for the Ministry Center at year end and to all whose faithful stewardship is equipping ministry for the future. Follow progress of the work being done at the website: [www.flc-](http://www.flc-)

[mc.blogspot.com](http://mc.blogspot.com).

## Music Notes

Our Sanctuary Choir is in preparation for music for our next special services, "Lenten Journey in Music" and also for the seasons of Lent and Easter...you may join them for rehearsals on Wednesday nights from 7:30 till 9 PM in Franklin Nelson Hall...FaithKIDS (grades K-5<sup>th</sup>, Wednesdays from 4-5 PM) will provide music at worship during Lent...There are various alterations to our service, as we journey through Lent... We sing portions of Setting Four (which was Setting Two in the previous hymnal), which was the most used setting in that hymnal... Check out our new page on Facebook, ( search for Faith Lutheran Church, New Providence).



Our theme this year reminds us that as God's people we are pilgrim people. As we follow Jesus, being formed into his image, we are people on a move, people with a mission. As a worshiping and serving community of disciples we journey wherever our Lord leads us to share the good news of Jesus Christ confident that God has provided all that we need to be his servants: water and word, bread and wine and healing oil. Join us this year and be part of our Journey of Faith.

### A Servant's Prayer

"Lord God, you have called your servants to ventures of which we cannot see the ending, by paths as yet untrodden, through challenges unknown. Give us faith to go out with good courage, not knowing where we go, but only that your hand is leading us and your love supporting us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

### PLAN AHEAD

To help us better prepare for worship each week and to provide guidance for daily Bible reading, we publish the following Sunday's lessons each week. Take a few minutes each day to read over these Bible passages in anticipation of our sharing of the Word together. Next Sunday's lessons are:

#### Third Sunday in Lent

Exodus 17:1-7  
Romans 5:1-11  
John 4:5-42

### AA

The gift of healing is shared through our AA ministry each Monday through Saturday morning at 6:30 a.m. We give thanks to God for this healing ministry. Our Youth AA group meets each Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

### YOUR PRAYERS/YOUR GIFTS

We continue to pray for all the people of Japan and those in the Pacific affected by the earthquake and tsunami. We are thankful that all of our ELCA missionaries and their communities are safe, even as we realize the catastrophic disaster that has forever changed so many lives. We invite your gifts for **Lutheran World Relief** which is in the midst of the recovery and relief efforts there. **LWR** has an outstanding record of getting gifts to the people for whom they are intended with minimal overhead. To share in this care of our sisters and brothers, simply make your check

payable to "Faith" and mark it "Japan." Gifts after one week total \$1435.

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### ADULT FORUM

Adult Forum continues its educational ministry today at 9:40 a.m. Join us in Franklin Nelson Hall for coffee and conversation and then a chance to grow in your faith and why not "go green" by bringing your own cup to forum.

**Today - April 17 - LENTEN LEARNINGS** - Join us for our Lenten Bible Study of each week's lessons.

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### FAITH NURSERY SCHOOL Registration Begins

Faith Nursery School begins registration for the 2011-2012 School Year. Three different morning classes are offered: a class for 2 ½ year olds that meets on Mondays and Wednesdays; a class for three year olds that meets on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; and a Pre-K class that meets Monday through Friday. If you are interested in more information or are ready to register your child, please call Susan Nord, Director, at (908) 542-1252.

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### BROADWAY HOUSE more than a house...a home

Our next visit to Broadway House, our AIDS ministry, will be on Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup>. We will meet at church at 9:30 a.m. and return by noon. All are welcome to join us for a visit.

In May, we will be heading over for our annual Spring Sing at Broadway House. Look for the date soon in Family Notes. In addition, if you have any new or gently used men or women's spring clothing that you no longer need, please feel free to donate that as well. The Broadway House box is down the hall from the church office.

Opportunities for all ages, both on-site and off-site, are available. If you have any questions or for more information on ways you can help at Broadway House, contact Vicar Jane McCreedy at 908-233-8935 or [jane@mccreedy.com](mailto:jane@mccreedy.com).

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*To the Pastors, Church Council and Members of the Family of Faith,*

*Thank you for your generous financial gift as I continue my studies at the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Philadelphia.*

*This semester I'm excited to be taking Liturgy and Lutheran Confessions both of which are integral to our faith and practical in their application of how we worship. In addition, I am taking an introductory Pastoral Care class and will have the opportunity for hands on application this summer when I'm working at Overlook Hospital in their Chaplaincy program. And, there is no doubt that the New Testament class I have will be useful in sermons and bible studies down the road.*

*I am truly blessed to be surrounded by brothers and sisters in Christ who gather to hear the message proclaimed in the gospel each week and who live the mission of the servant ministry that is our Family of Faith. I thank you again with warmth and affection for your continued support and encouragement.*

*With God's love and blessings,  
Vicar Jane*

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**Central Cluster Lutheran Youth Event  
Calling All Youth Grades 6-12**

**This Friday, March 25, 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.**  
**Faith Lutheran Church**  
**Bring \$2 for snacks!**  
**Rejoice With Us**

**Interested in Information about our upcoming Membership Exploration Group? Please speak with one of the Pastors today.**

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### COFFEE TIME

Our Coffee time continues this morning at 9:40. If you can host one of our upcoming dates, please sign the sheet outside the Office. Thanks to today's hosts: Beth Bertolini & Susan Nord.

Upcoming:

March 27 - Donna & Walter Wlodarski

April 3 - Open

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### APPALACHIAN MINISTRY TEAM

If you were on last year's Team or if you are a Peer Leader, please email Pastor Mac asap to let him know if you want to be part of this summer's Team. If you aren't in either of these groups and wish to be on the wait list for the 2011 Team or if you have questions about this Tennessee ministry, please email Pastor Mac.

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### OOPS

Last Sunday there were no new visitors at worship. This means we've now had at least one new visitor at worship for 1255 out of the last 1275 Sundays. Make this week the time to invite a relative or friend to join us for our worship gathering. Share the Family! Share the Faith!

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### Celebrate our Mission Partnership TODAY



**For years, the Family of Faith and our sisters and brothers at St. Stephan Grace Community in Newark have been partners in mission. Today at 4 p.m. we're going to celebrate that partnership by worshipping together as one body at St. Stephan Grace where Pastor Mac will preach. Meet at Faith at 3 p.m. if you would like to be part of a car pool. Sign up on the table outside the church office, please let us know if you are willing to drive. See Chris Melhuish and Dan Seidel for more information.**

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### Somerset Patriots Baseball Game and Picnic

A night of Fun and Fellowship between Advent and Faith Lutheran

**Friday, May 20, 2011**

**This is also a FIRE WORKS NIGHT**

(Picnic area opens about 6 p.m., and fireworks usually run through 11:15 p.m.)

The picnic includes all you can eat hot dogs, hamburgers, BBQ Chicken, Potato Salad, Fred baked cookies, chips and soft drinks. (Beer and wine can be purchased separately.)

\$25 per person  
(30 person minimum to book area)  
A sign up sheet is on the table outside the Office.

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## DID YOU KNOW...

...Today is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent...Transfiguration, the Last Sunday after Epiphany, was celebrated 2 weeks ago with Jazz liturgies...our First Communion Retreat was yesterday...Ash Wednesday was marked with 3 liturgies here and one at Broadway House, our AIDS Ministry...Daytime Bible Study concludes this week...a new day time study begins after Easter...registration is underway for our Lenten Evening Bible Study which has just begun...Coffee hosts are needed for Forum...AA meets Monday through Saturday mornings and Thursday evenings ...Faith Nursery School is now registering for the 2011-2012 school year...we've had at least 1 new visitor 1255 out of the last 1275 weeks...a special welcome to all who are visiting with our Family today...check next week's lessons...we continue to have a host of new visitors - welcome...why not bring a friend to Worship next Sunday...2010-2011 calendars are now available at cost in the narthex ...see you in church next week!

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## Family Prayers

We continue to pray for ALL those whose lives have been forever affected by the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan, especially the over 6400 service personnel who have been killed. Today we pray by name for the families of allied service personnel who have died in both wars. Please pray for the families of the following, all of whom died recently:

Sgt. Justin Culbreth, 26, USA, Colorado  
Guardsman Christopher Davies, Irish Guards,  
England  
Pfc. David Finch, 24, USA, Tennessee  
Staff Sgt. Sean Flannery, 29, USA, Pennsylvania  
Pfc. Kyle Holder, 18, USA, Texas  
Lt. Col. Gwendolyn Loch, 46, USAF, Florida  
Sgt. David Luff, Jr., 29, USA, Ohio  
Cpl. William Middleton, 26, USA, Virginia  
Staff Sgt. Kevin Pape, 30, USA, Indiana  
Staff Sgt. Javier Rivera, 26, USMC, New York  
Sgt. David Robinson, 25, USA, Arkansas  
Sgt. Jason Smith, 28, USMC, Colorado

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### IRAQ/AFGHANISTAN –Joy for Joe

We continue to pray for all the people affected by the war in Iraq and Afghanistan. Our website offers prayers for these folks and affords the opportunity to list service personnel serving there. To include a name, please see Pastor Mac. Today we pray for SPC Joe Ellis, a member of our Family, who returned to Camp Drum Monday after a year in Afghanistan. We also remember Lt. Christopher Wilk, a friend of the Daniels.

We remember Scott Farrell in our prayers. Scott is a relative of the Novaks, who is recuperating at Walter Reed Army Hospital after being wounded in Afghanistan.

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### YOU CAN HELP

Through The Foundation for International Medical Relief for Children ((FIMRC) I had the opportunity to spend a week in January volunteering in hospitals and orphanages in Huancayo, Peru. As they near the end of their summer break and anticipate the beginning of another school year in March, the orphanages and school for children with special needs are in desperate need of school supplies. With this in mind, I am organizing a collection through my college for basic school supplies and would appreciate any and all donations. School supplies needed include: pens, pencils, notebooks, lined paper, construction paper, scissors, glue, crayons, markers, coloring books, folders, tape, etc. In addition, they are always in need of basic toiletries including soap, toothbrushes, and toothpaste. Thank you and please contact me with any questions at 908-249-3908 or [delatou2@tcnj.edu](mailto:delatou2@tcnj.edu)

Thanks, Laurie Delatour  
(Laurie and Alex Ebeling will be sharing their Medical Mission work at our Forum on June 6.)

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## UPCOMING –

March 20 – Stewardship Committee  
20 – St. Stephan Grace Worship  
21 – Staff Worship Planning  
21 – FNS Enrichment  
21 – Evening Bible Study  
23 – Spoken Eucharist 6:45 a.m.  
23 – Confirmation Class  
23 – Evening Prayer & Eucharist 7:30 p.m.  
24 – FNS Lunch Party  
25 – Central Cluster Youth Event  
27 – World Hunger Sunday  
28 – Staff Worship Planning  
28 – FNS Enrichment  
28 – Evening Bible Study  
29 – FNS Lunch Party  
30 – Spoken Eucharist 6:45 a.m.  
30 – Confirmation Class  
30 – Evening Prayer & Eucharist 7:30 p.m.

April 3 – Special Lenten Liturgy  
4 – Staff Worship Planning  
4 – FNS Enrichment  
4 – Evening Bible Study  
5 – FNS Lunch Party  
6 – Spoken Eucharist 6:45 a.m.  
6 – Confirmation Class  
6 – Evening Prayer & Eucharist 7:30 p.m.  
7 – FNS Lunch Party  
9 – Soup Kitchen  
10 – Stewardship Committee  
11 – 15 – Faith Nursery School Closed  
11 – Staff Worship Planning  
11 – Finance Committee  
11 – Evening Bible Study  
12 – Cabinet  
12 – Council

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## GREEN TEAM TASK FORCE

*Caring for Creation Now!*

Green Food for Thought

**Modern Christian Thought on God's creation:** "The value of the things is not in themselves autonomously, but that God made them, and thus they deserve to be treated with high respect. The tree in the field is to be treated with respect. ...But while we should not romanticize the tree, we must realize God made it and it deserves respect because He made it *as a tree.*" (from *Pollution and the Death of Man* by Francis A. Schaeffer, American evangelical theologian, philosopher, and Presbyterian pastor, died 1984)

**Green Tip:** Make your cleaning greener, and cheaper, by using simple home-made cleaners. For example, baking soda is an all-purpose cleaner. It cleans, deodorizes, removes stains, and softens fabrics. Set a box in a stale smelling closet or refrigerator. You can even use it to brush your teeth.

**Green Opportunity:** **GreenFaith offers Ground for Hope event**

Greenfaith, NJ's interfaith partners for the environment, is offering *Ground for Hope*, a religious-environmental education and training event, in Philadelphia on April 10 & 11. This event will feature nationally-recognized speakers and will include workshops on "green" sermons, religious education, and worship, an environmental justice tour, a green

building tour, a green jobs training center tour, multi-faith teachings on the environment, training on “green” facility management that will save you money, resources for legislative advocacy, and multi-faith worship. Cost is \$25 for the full two days, or \$15 for one day. To register, or for more information, see: <https://www.z2systems.com/np/clients/greenfaith/event.jsp?event=110>, or send e-mail to [info@greenfaith.org](mailto:info@greenfaith.org) or call 732-565-7740, x301.

## LENTEN EVENING BIBLE STUDY



**FAITH: Confidence and Doubt in Daily Life TOMORROW**

Join Pastor Mac Mondays, now through April 11 from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. for this intriguing look at the gift of faith in each of our lives. At the same time we will be working through *LENTEN JOURNEY Marks of the Christian*. Our Evening Study always has folks new to Bible study as well as veterans who have been with us before. Friends are always welcome and are a regular part of our group. Register by email at [pastor.mac@verizon.net](mailto:pastor.mac@verizon.net) or by calling the Office at 464 5177.

## Stewardship of Time and Talents

Each month, the Stewardship Committee tries to show how our financial pledges, and the volunteering of our time and talent, are contributing to Faith’s many areas of outreach. March is traditionally the month when Faith focuses on hunger outreach, and one of our most important ministries is our support, both in treasure and time, of the St. John’s Soup Kitchen in Newark.

For more than 25 years, Faith Lutheran Church has contributed food, volunteers, and financial support to the St. John’s Soup Kitchen Ministries. Chris Bjornstad and Ellen Rosenkrantz are the coordinators of the Faith mission to St. John’s. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month, they organize nearly 20 bakers and 15 servers to provide meals for approximately 300 to 400 people at St. John’s. In the summer, the number of meals we provide jumps to over 400. We are the only church committed to providing the complete meal one weekend a month at St. John’s, including homemade desserts. Our bakers donate their own ingredients in addition to their time and talent.

Help from Faith Lutheran made it possible for St. John’s to open their Women and Children’s Center, a separate dining facility within the church. On typical mornings, they will serve 80 breakfasts for these families.

The need at St. John’s is expected to continue growing. With the season of Lent now upon us, St. John’s offers us a wonderful opportunity to use our time and talents toward a ministry with true impact on people’s lives. Further information on volunteer opportunities is available from Chris Bjornstad at 908-771-5527 or Ellen Rosenkrantz at 908-889-0902. Everyone, including children from confirmation age and up, is welcome and encouraged to add their time and talent to Faith’s hunger ministry.

Yours in Christ,  
Stewardship Committee

## CONFIRMATION CLASSES This Week

Attention all 6th, 7th and 8th graders...our next block of Confirmation classes meets this Wednesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> and continues each Wednesday evening from 6:15 to 7:15 through April 13th. Please mark your calendars.

## COUNCIL AT THE DOOR

If you have questions or suggestions for the Church Council, stop and see the Council Representatives at the door.

**Serving today are: 8:30 – Cheryl Bock  
11:00 – David Bronocco**

Cross lapel pins identify our council members. We give thanks to God for these servants who undergird and direct our ministry.

## SUNDAY CHURCH SCHOOL

The Sunday School stewardship project this year is *Food for Today, Seeds for Tomorrow*. This program provides food and seeds for Zimbabwe.

**To date: \$1322.27 has been collected.**

## Youth Forum

Youth Forum continues its educational/fellowship ministry today as they gather downstairs in the Youth lounge. All high school youth are invited to share in this special ministry.

Today – April 17 – The Way of Pilgrimage

## Political Drama, Intrigue & More

### 1 and 2 Samuel

Wednesday-March 23-10a.m.



First and Second Samuel tell the stories of God and God’s people as they make the transition to nationhood and King David rises to power. As we journey through these stories we see how the roles of king and prophet – which remain central throughout the Biblical story – are established and their mutual relationship is outlined, namely that prophets act as correctives to the power of kings. We will also explore King David’s monarchy and the establishment of a unified kingdom, both of which prove enduring images throughout scripture, demonstrating God’s steadfast love and faithfulness to God’s anointed ones, despite their failings and short comings. To take part in our journey through these dramatic stories, call the office at 464 5177 or e-mail Pastor Jim at [PastorJim2006@verizon.net](mailto:PastorJim2006@verizon.net).



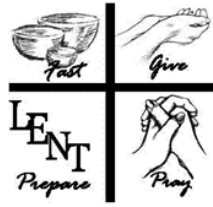
## Faith Lutheran now on Facebook

Get connected and stay connected with the Family at Faith. You can get updates and reminders of upcoming events and occasions, photos & videos, participate in discussions, find links to our ministry partners, blogs, and more!

## NEW BEGINNINGS IN ADVENT

As part of our pastoral care arrangement with Advent Lutheran Church in Warren either Pastor Jim or Pastor Mac will be preaching there once a month and that is where Pastor Mac is today. We ask that you keep the people of Advent in your prayers as they go through this time of transition.

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**Wednesdays in Lent:**

**"POWER WALK"**

**Spoken Eucharist at 6:45 a.m.**

**Evening Prayer & Eucharist at 7:30 p.m.**

<b>March 23</b>	-	<i>The Call of Mercy</i>
<b>March 30 &amp; April 6</b>	-	<i>The Call to Faith</i>
<b>April 13</b>	-	<i>The Call to Justice</i>

**Invite your friends and co-workers to join us for these worship opportunities.**

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**PALM SUNDAY, April 17 - 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. - Palms & Eucharist**  
*"Down the Mountain... Onto the Cross"*

**HOLY THURSDAY, April 21 - 12:15 and 7:30 p.m. - Eucharist**  
(7:30 p.m. - Rite of First Communion)  
*"Food for the Journey"*

**GOOD FRIDAY, April 22 -**  
10:00 a.m. - Children's CROSSWALK  
12:00 noon - Community Ecumenical Service at Faith  
7:30 p.m. - Tenebrae with Stripping of the Altar  
*"Crucifixion at the Crossroads"*

**SATURDAY, April 23 - A Day of Silence and Meditation**

**EASTER, April 24 -**  
7:00 a.m. - Lighting of the Paschal Candle in the Garden  
8:30 & 11:00 a.m. - Easter Procession and Festival Eucharist  
Bells, Brass and Timpani  
*"Jesus Leads the Way"*

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