



Faith Lutheran Church

1716 SW Gage Blvd
Topeka KS 66604

Weekend Update

Grow in Faith . . . Share Christ's Love

As a vibrant family of believers,
Faith Lutheran shares God's saving
grace to equip the next generation.

LWML Sunday—October 4, 2026

Education Hour at 9:30

- **Children:** PS-K: Rm 205/207.
Gr 1-2: Rm 104/106. Gr 3-5: Rm 105/107.
- **Junior Youth** (gr 6-8): Confirmation Rm
- **Senior Youth** (gr 9-12): Sr Youth Rm
- **Adults** Town Hall Meeting - FH
- **Adults** Wired Word Ann Mah - Rm 206

Altar Flowers & Coffee Fellowship both provided today by LWML in honor of Lutheran Women's Missionary League Sunday.

Adult Education Hour Today at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall, join us for our first Town Hall Meeting discussing our Targets, Goals and Tasks. There are two more Town Halls this week Tuesday and Thursday at 6:30pm. Please plan to attend ONE of the three meetings.

WOW Wednesday continues again this week with dinner beginning at 5:15pm. The menu this week is baked ham, cheesy potatoes, applesauce, dinner rolls and pumpkin bars. Classes for all ages run 6-7:30pm.

October Messenger available now behind the Welcome Center in the lobby.

LWML Large Mite Box is out in the lobby today. Please consider placing your loose change in the box to help support Immanuel Community Outreach Association in KC.

Today is LWML Sunday

LWML Mission Statement

As Lutheran Women in Mission, we joyfully proclaim Christ, support missions, and equip women to honor God by serving others.

The quilts displayed today are stitched with love by Faith's Quilters throughout the year. Quilts are donated to local organizations throughout the Topeka area and also sent to Orphan Grain Train.



THIS WEEK!

THE MOMCO
(FORMERLY MOPS)

Tuesday, Oct 6

9-11am at Faith



ALL MOMS WELCOME
(childcare provided)



WHAT'S HAPPENING?

In a world indifferent or even opposed to Christian truth, followers of Christ must be better equipped to communicate the timelessness of the Christian faith. But how do you have a conversation with someone who is intent on proving you wrong and won't accept the Bible as a source of authority?

Join us **Wednesday, Oct 7 at 6pm** and continuing through the month, as we study *Tactics* by Greg Koukl, and learn the game plan for communicating the compelling truth about Christianity with confidence and grace. Led by Scott Leonard.

STARTING THIS WEEK AT WOW

ADULT ED CLASS

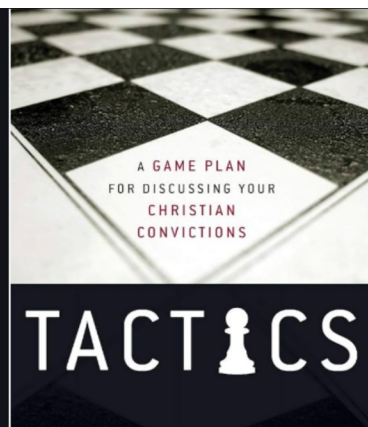
STARTING OCT 7

6-7:30pm

Fellowship Hall



Led by Scott Leonard



LUTHERANISM 101

A REFRESHER OF OUR
LUTHERAN UNDERSTANDINGS

Wednesdays in October
6-7pm
Room 206/208



LLC Nominations

Nominations open Oct 4 – 24.
Go online (members only
PW: FLC) or pick up a paper
form from the church office!

OPEN TODAY!

5 Positions Open for Nominations:

- 3 have termed out
- 2 can run for a 2nd term
 - President, VP, Chair of SLL
 - 2 Members At-Large

Remember to gain permission of the person
you are nominating.



ASL CLASSES

TUESDAYS, OCT 20 – NOV 17 . 5:30-6:30PM
FELLOWSHIP HALL



60 FOR 60 COMMUNITY CHALLENGE

The final diaper count was **71 boxes of
diapers** —11 boxes above our goal!
Thank you for your generous donations
helping Doorstep celebrate 60 years of
serving the Topeka community.





Fall Tea
Oct. 11 at 2pm

All ladies are invited to join us! Come learn more about LWML & hear a presentation from Moburt's!

LWML
Lutheran Women in Mission



LUTHERAN WOMEN IN MISSION INVITE YOU TO THEIR 55TH ANNUAL

Noodle Dinner
with PIE!

Sunday, Nov 1
10:45am - 12:45pm
\$7 for kids 5-12yo
\$13 for adults

chicken or beef noodles
mashed potatoes
green beans
salad & dessert



Narcan Presentation

Recognizing and Reversing Opioid Overdose

Tuesday, Oct 20 | 6:30pm
Fellowship Hall

PARS
Information packets available in the office.



JUNIOR YOUTH WILL BE HOSTING
THE ANNUAL

Harvest Dinner

Sunday, Nov. 8 | 5pm



Annual Gary's Berries Event
Saturday, Oct 17 from 5-9pm

Tickets (\$10 each)
available now from the church office



TRUNK OR TREAT
Sunday, Oct. 25
4-6pm

At Faith! 1716 SW Gage
FREE Hotdog dinner!

Join us for our Annual Trunk or Treat Sunday, Oct 25 from 4-6pm. Want to decorate your trunk & hand out candy? Scan the QR code or talk to DCE Heather



OPERATION Christmas CHILD

Take a shoebox from the lobby, fill & return by Nov. 15!

Join us for **Operation Christmas Child** again this year! Boxes are distributed to children all over the world to shine Jesus' light in their lives at Christmas. Fill a box for a girl or boy, ages 2-4, 5-9 or 10-14. Boxes available TODAY in church lobby—detailed instructions & labels are inside each box. Return filled boxes by **Sunday, Nov 15.**

members . prayers

Shirley Martin, health concerns

Rudy Reynolds, health concerns

Kim Thacker, health concerns

Pr Heine, on Sabbatical



family & friends . prayers

Chelsey, co-worker of Gary Robinson, health concerns

Polly, friend of Jan Williams, cancer

Byrle, Mark Neuer's brother-in-law, health & healing

members . cancer or long-term health issues

Allen Corzine

Joan Reynolds

Norma Williams

Willard Welch

Jan Williams

Tom Pufahl

Linda Laird

Norm Wilms

Sandra Dickison

Pam Bass

Clarene Wilms

Mickey Holloway

Barb Bowers

Don Signor

Delmer Kruse

Mark Brewer

Gen Cater

Gary Dick

Dottie Pinter

Donna Hass

Joe Zima

Mary Shaw

Darlene Miller

Delane Brunken

Ernie Gerhardt

Pastor Norb Wodtke

Bev Sparks

TODAY	8:00am	Traditional Worship
	9:30am	Edu Hour/Town Hall Mtg
	10:45am	Modern Worship
	12:15pm	Traditional Worship
MON	6:00pm	Cub Scouts
	7:00pm	Scouts
TUE	9:00am	MomCo
	10:00am	Bible Study
	6:30pm	Spiritual Life
	6:30pm	Town Hall Mtg
WED	11:00am	Care Card Making
	5:15pm	WOW Meal
	6:00pm	WOW Classes
	7:30pm	Praise Team
THU	6:00pm	Bell Rehearsal
	6:30pm	Town Hall Mtg
	7:15pm	Choir Rehearsal
SAT	8:00am	MOST
	9:00am	Breakfast club

Guided Spiritual Retreat—Oct 9-11



Books are back in stock! Small groups begin meeting this week. If you do not have a small group but are wanting to get connected, talk with Pastor Jeff. Group leaders—remember to take attendance and turn into the church office.

If you or an immediate family member are entering the hospital, call the church office at 785-272-4214 so a staff member may pray with you. If submitting a prayer request for someone else, please get their permission.

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Church office:

Mon-Fri: 8:00am - 4:30pm
[closed over lunch 12-1pm]

Nursery | Quiet Room

A staffed nursery for young children to play in a secure environment is in Rm 201.
A quiet room for babies who need rocking, is in the room off the lobby.

Visual | Hearing Assistance

Hearing headsets, large-print bulletins and newsletters are available.
Please ask an usher for assistance



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