



Faith Lutheran Church

1716 SW Gage Blvd
Topeka KS 66604

Weekend Update

Grow in Faith . . . Share Christ's Love

May 4, 2025



Confirmation Class

Elden "Crue" Decker - Phil. 4:13

Alyssa Marie Decker - Prov. 3:5-6

Jaden Robert Decker - Jer. 29:11

Logan Martin Decker - Psalm 23:4

Maddox Anthony Decker - Joshua 1:9

Avary Grace Domme - Psalm 46:5

Archer Max Greene - Isaiah 43:1

Kaeliann Louise Hale - Prov. 31:17

Adison Grace Houghtaling - Phil. 4:13

Morgan Michelle Munson - Psalm 28:7

Connor Eldrick Obdyke - John 16:33

Happening today at Faith

Education Hour at 9:30:

- **Children:** PS-K: Rm 205. 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** *Wired Word* Ann Mah - Rm 206
- **Adults** *Flying with the Eagle* - FH
- **Adults** *Promised Hope* Kent Biel - Rm 100A
- **Adults** *Promised Hope* Rebecca Robinson - 100B/C

Altar Flowers are given today by Cliff & Patty Hanser in honor of their 35th wedding anniversary.

Coffee Fellowship & baked goods offered today in the lobby and Fellowship Hall by Junior Youth in honor of our confirmands.

Rite of Confirmation today at the 10:45am service. Join us in praying for the confirmand students as they continue their faith journey.

Baptism: We joyfully welcome **Harrison McCallister** into the family of God at our 12:15 service. Son of Jordan & Ashley McCallister; his sponsors are Austin McCallister & Amanda Coleman.

Mite Box The large LWML mite box is out this morning. Please consider placing your loose change in the box as donations for the next mission grant: *Northeast Kansas Lutheran Early Response Team.*



May Messenger hard copies are available in the lobby behind the coffee stand.

Upcoming Events



Annual Garage Sale is coming up

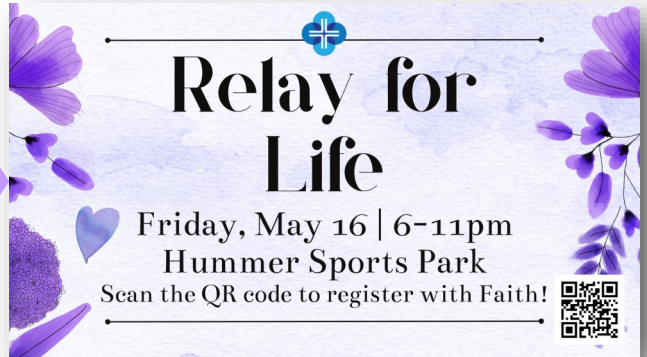
The Senior Youth will be working hard to make the sale a success. All proceeds go toward the Youth Gathering trip this summer. We strongly encourage drop-offs on the following set up nights:

- * **Thursday, May 15 | 5-9pm**
- * **Tuesday, May 20 | 5-9pm**
- * **Thursday, May 22 | 5-9pm**
- * **Tuesday, May 27 | 5-9pm**

Location: South Campus, 1732 SW Gage

Congregation Preview Night: Tue, May 27, 6-8pm

Faith will once again have a **Relay for Life** team at the Shawnee County Relay. Join us in walking towards a cure. Come and go as you please. Sign up to join Faith's team in the church lobby or scan the QR code.



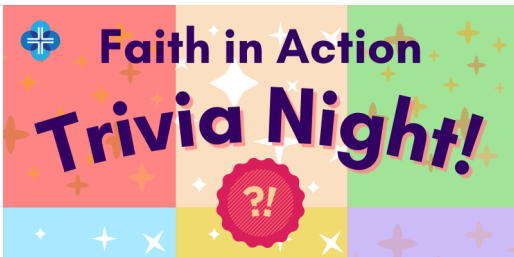
Faith In Action kick-off event is Trivia Night, **Sunday, June 1**. Join us at 6pm for snacks, drinks, and team formation before trivia begins at 6:30.

Join us for more June FIA events . . .

Sun, June 15, 6pm: Mini Golf at Sports Center (Dads Golf FREE)

Sun, June 22, 5:30pm: Circuit Picnic at Lake Shawnee Shelter #1

Sun, June 29, 11:45am: 5th Sunday Potluck at Faith; bring a main dish and a side or dessert.



Friday, May 9, 6-9pm: Incoming 6th graders are invited to help us say "See You Later" to the outgoing 8th grade class. Come for dinner, play games and activities, and fellowship with friends.

JUNIOR YOUTH BBQ



URGENT NEEDS

Doorstep Needs Food Donations!

The following items are needed to stock our shelves and continue feeding our neighbors with complete food orders!

We are out of or low on the following:

Spaghetti	Cream of Mushroom Soup
Pancake Mix	Vegetable Soup
Egg Noodles	Hamburger Helper
Tuna	Scalloped Box Potatoes
Peas	Pork & Beans / Baked Beans
Mixed Beans	Diced Tomatoes

**Bring your donations to Doorstep, 1119 SW 10th Ave,
Monday - Friday, 9am - 2pm, South Door.**

Thank You!



Annual Voter's Meeting

Sunday, June 8

9:30am | Fellowship Hall

ALL WOMEN ARE INVITED!



Forgiveness:
Received
from God,
Extended to
Others



May 31 • 11 AM
Join us in the Fellowship Hall

**Register by
May 15!**

All women are invited to join us for a
presentation from Donna Snow,
followed by lunch.



11TH ANNUAL LUKE SAVAGE MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Benefiting
The Luke Squad Foundation
Saturday, June 7
Shawnee Country Club

To sign up contact Kim Savage:
dkmsavage@yahoo.com
Kim at 785-640-0092

VBS
June 16-20
**Morning &
Evening Sessions**

Register online or
scan the QR code!

MOST All Men Welcome

Come for breakfast &
learn more about MOST.

Saturday | May 10
8:00am

Questions? Contact Pastor Martin

SENIOR YOUTH



CAR WASH

Saturday | May 31 | 8-2pm

members . prayers

Roger Matzke, hospitalized

Dora Lee Berry, in rehab

Edie Snethen, health concerns

family & friends . prayers

Patty J, cousin of Susan Thowe, cancer

Donna, sister of Deb Hale, hospitalized

Daniel, son of Dottie Pinter, surgery

Marlin, uncle of Jessica Atchison, health concerns

members cancer or long-term health issues

Shannon Huesers

Ethel Kufahl

Ron Shelton

Gen Cater

Don Signor

Donna Hass

Darlene Miller

Pastor Norb Wodtke

Gary Dick

Mary Shaw

Pam Bass

Norma Williams

Dean Landman

Tom Pufahl

Sandra Dickison

Mickey Holloway

Delmer Kruse

Jill Quarles

Dottie Pinter

Allen Corzine

Joe Zima

Marita Gabler

Debera Owen



TODAY, MAY 4, IS THE LAST DAY TO TAKE HOME EASTER FLOWERS!

THIS WEEK AT FAITH

SUN	8:00am	Traditional Worship
	9:30am	Education Hour
	10:45am	Modern Worship
	12:15pm	Traditional Worship
MON	5:30-7pm	Hannah Circle
	6:00pm	Cub Scouts
	7:00pm	Boy Scouts
TUES	10:00am	Bible Study
	6:30pm	Spiritual Life
WED	7:00pm	Praise Team Rehearsal
THURS	8:00am	Scrapbooking
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FRI	6-9pm	Jr Youth BBQ
	8:00am	MOST Ministry



If you or an immediate family member are entering the hospital, call the church office at 272-4214 so a staff member may pray with you. If submitting a prayer request for someone else, please get their permission. For this publication, send requests to laceygreene@faithlutherantopeka.com.



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Church office:

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

Nursery | Quiet Room

A staffed nursery (Rm 201) is for young children to play in a secure environment.

A quiet room for baby who needs 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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