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

Weekend Update

Grow in Faith . . . Share Christ's Love

October 25, 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*** *Who Do You Say HE is? - FH*
- ***Adults*** *Wired Word* Ann Mah - Rm 206
- ***Adults*** *Forgiveness Kent Biel - Parlor*

Baptism (10:45am) We welcome through the waters of Holy Baptism in our 10:45 service today, **Ruby Elaine and Josephine Charmaine Smith**, daughters of Tyson Smith and Niobe Mota-Garcia. Ruby's sponsors are Lexi Smith, Mya Smith and Christian Renteria. Josephine's sponsors are Jesus Ibarra Mota and Judith Yazmin Ibarra-Mota.

Altar Flowers are given today by Wayne and Karen Peterson in honor of their 32nd wedding anniversary! Congratulations!

Coffee Fellowship rolls and scones provided downstairs in the Fellowship Hall today. Free will donations go toward all upcoming youth events.

WOW Wednesday (10/28) continues this week with dinner beginning at 5:15pm. Menu: baked chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, dinner rolls and apple crisp. Classes for all ages run 6-7:30pm.

LWML Quilt Raffle Chances are $1 each or 6 for $5. See the ladies at the table in the lobby for more information.



Reformation Sunday

OCTOBER 25

DID YOU KNOW...?

- Martin Luther was a German monk.
- He wrote the 95 Theses (1517) criticizing indulgences and church abuses.
- His followers became known as Lutherans.



It's that time of year...

Help decorate our sanctuary for the Advent season.

We are offering two sizes, both in traditional red:

- **$15 for 6.5-inch pot**
- **$28 for 8-inch pot**

Order Deadline
Sunday, Nov 8

Grab an order form off the Usher's Table to place your order today! Return to church office.



LWML Quilt Update

We had **153 quilts** displayed on the pews for LWML Sunday. We distributed as follows:

16 to Sleep in Heavenly Peace

16 to Center for Safety and Empowerment

26 to Topeka Rescue Mission

28 to Doorstep

67 to Orphan Grain Train



Voter's Meeting

Join us **Sunday, Nov 8** at the beginning of education hour **(9:30am)** in the **Fellowship Hall** for a special Voter's Meeting approving the Targets and Goals.





We had a great turnout for our first ASL class this past week. Join us **every Tuesday through November 17 at 5:30pm** in the Fellowship Hall. No sign up required.



ADVENT IS UPON US

As we prepare our hearts for the Advent season, we look forward with hope and joy to the coming of the Christ Child. Advent is a time of waiting, watching, and preparing as we remember God's promises and celebrate the gift of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

This year, we are excited to introduce a **new Advent schedule** with opportunities to worship, share a meal, and grow in faith and fellowship together:

- **12:00pm** — Advent Worship Service
- **5-6:45pm** — Advent Meal Served
- **5:30pm** — Evening Advent Worship Service
- **6:30-7:30pm** — WOW Classes











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.**

Fill and return a box and be entered into a raffle to win FREE TICKETS for your family to Silver Dollar City, located in Branson, MO. One entry per family, not per box. Questions? Talk to DCE Heather.

members . prayers

Janet Zima, *upcoming gastric tests/potential surgery at Mayo*

Gary Dick, recovering

family & friends . prayers

Kerri, sister of Kim Savage, recovering from surgery

Chelsey, co-worker of Gary Robinson, health concerns

members . cancer or long-term health issues

Allen Corzine
Willard Welch
Linda Laird
Pam Bass
Barb Bowers
Mark Brewer
Dottie Pinter
Mary Shaw
Ernie Gerhardt
Joan Reynolds
Rudy Reynolds
Jan Williams
Norm Wilms
Clarene Wilms
Don Signor
Gen Cater
Donna Hass
Darlene Miller
Pastor Norb Wodtke
Norma Williams
Tom Pufahl
Sandra Dickison
Mickey Holloway
Delmer Kruse
Joe Zima
Delane Brunken
Bev Sparks
Shirley Martin



this week at Faith

TODAY	***Reformation Sunday***	
	8:00am	Traditional Worship
	9:30am	Education Hour
	10:45am	Modern Worship
	12:15pm	Traditional Worship
	4-6pm	Trunk-or-Treat
MON	9:00am	Quilting
	5:00pm	LWML Exec Mtg
	6:00pm	Cub Scouts
	7:00pm	Scouts
TUE	10:00am	Bible Study
	5:30pm	ASL
WED	5:15pm	WOW Meal
	6:00pm	WOW Classes
	7:30pm	Praise Team Rehearsal
THU	6:00pm	Bell Rehearsal
	7:15pm	Choir Rehearsal
SAT	8:00am	Men's Bible Study
	9:00am	Breakfast Club

Next Sunday: Noodle Dinner 10:45am-12:45pm

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