

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

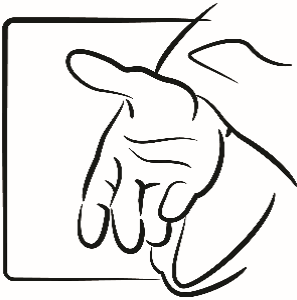
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*A Christ Caring People Who Gather Around Word and Sacrament,
Yoked Together, In Personal Service to Christ in World Wide Missions*

As they were going along the road, someone said to Him, “I will follow You wherever you go.” And Jesus said to him, “Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay His head.” To another He said, “Follow Me.” But he said, “Lord, let me first go and bury my father.” And Jesus said to him, “Leave the dead to bury their own dead. But as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.” Yet another said, “I will follow You, Lord, but let me first say farewell to those at my home.” Jesus said to him, “No one who puts his hand to the plow and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.” *Luke 9:57–62*



AS WE GATHER Many of us were brought up being told, “Don’t be a follower!” There is wise truth to that in regards to choices we make, especially as youth. But the Lord turns that idea upside down for all people of all ages. He tell us to be a follower! Yet not following out of peer pressure or compulsion, but following where we know we are led to life, hope, and promise.

In a time of great need, the Lord would call Elijah to keep on following Him and would give assurance that in his following, the Lord would be present. In freedom from sin, we are able to follow the Lord in all confidence and in the joy of serving others.

Jesus also gives the urgent call to follow Him. Even as it can bring change to a lifestyle, it is a following filled with lasting promise and eternal blessings. As we follow, we know that He leads us beside quiet waters and restores our soul; He leads us in paths of righteousness for His name’s sake.

THE WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND OPENING PRAYER

If there are prayer concerns for you, your family, your friends, or your neighbors, please put them on the blue information card. Our Board of Elders are prayerful with our pastors about these joys and struggles of our earthly journey.
“The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective.” James 5:16b

DIVINE SERVICE-SETTING ONE

THE OPENING HYMN *“Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me” LSB 722*
(All who are able, please stand)

THE INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Matthew 28:19b; [18:20]

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION *Galatians 3:27–28; Galatians 5:1, 24*

P Jesus says, “Follow Me.”

C Often we are not quick to follow, or we choose to go our own way.

P Jesus looks at a lost world in need of witnesses and says, “Follow Me.”

C We look at this lost world in need of the Gospel, and we hesitate and shy away.

P Jesus knows the temptations and the decisions we face, and He says, “Follow Me.”

C We falter on the way, we follow the ways of this world, and we fail to keep God’s Law and make ourselves slaves to sin.

P Let us pray and silently confess our sins to God.

(Silence for reflection.)

P Lord God, You have called us to follow Your only-begotten Son, to learn from Him, to live and grow in Him, to tell others of Him, and to be faithful to Him.

C We sin against You and one another in thought, word, and deed. We have become enslaved to those things around us and have failed to live in the freedom You have won for us. For the sake of Jesus Christ, forgive us, and grant us the clear vision of following Him through all the confusion of this world, and bring us by faith to the promise of everlasting life in Your presence. Amen.

P Jesus says, “Follow Me,” and we follow Him as forgiven people with grace to do His will. “For freedom Christ has set us free; . . . those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.” In the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you all your sins, in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit. May He who began this good work in you bring it to completion on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.

C Amen.

THE HYMN OF PRAISE “*Glory to God in the Highest*”

Luke 2:14; John 1:29

A Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His peo - ple on earth.

B Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:
We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry.
Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:
You take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.
You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-ceive our prayer.
For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord,
You a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,
in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

THE COLLECT

Lord of all power and might, author and giver of all good things, graft into our hearts the love of Your name and nourish us with all goodness, that we may love and serve our neighbor; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

THE OLD TESTAMENT *1 Kings 19:9b–21 (Elijah reassured and the call of Elisha)*

THE SPECIAL MUSIC *“As the Deer/How Great Thou Art”...Nystrom/Hine*
Simon Hill, guitar

THE EPISTLE LESSON *Galatians 5:1, 13–25 (Freedom in Christ and a response of faith and love toward others by the Spirit)*



Al-le-lu-ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e-ter-nal life. Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.

THE HOLY GOSPEL *St. Luke 9:51–62 (The challenge of Jesus’ call to follow)*

THE SERMON HYMN *“Seek Ye First” LSB 712*

THE SERMON *“Never Quite Perfect”*
St. Luke 9:51-62
Pastor Daniel Barbey

THE CREED 8:20 *Apostles’ Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book*
11:00 *Nicene Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book*

THE OFFERING *We gather our tithes, gifts of love, and our “Building Together in Faith” gifts.*

THE OFFERTORY *“Take My Life and Let It Be” LSB 783*

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P Let us lift up our hearts and look to our heavenly Father for His help



as we hear and heed His call to follow.

As we are no longer slaves to sin, in our freedom, fill us with spiritual gifts: love toward You and for one another; joy and peace; patience, kindness, and goodness in our dealings; and faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control in all our conduct. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P Help us not to let past, forgiven sins exercise any power or control over or between us, and enable us to live in peace and freedom in Your name and in the forgiveness of our sins. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P Give to leaders of all nations the desire and will to promote justice and peace in the world. Bless the Word of Your kingdom as it is spread through every land. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P We thank you for doctors, nurses, health-care workers, and first responders. We pray for those in the midst of life's joys and struggles... Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy through Your Son, Jesus Christ, who taught us to pray...

C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

(Matthew 6:9-13)

The 8:20 service continues on page 7 with The Benediction.

THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT 11:00

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:19-20; 1 Corinthians 11:23-25

AGNUS DEI

☐ Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world; have
 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the
 world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the
 sin of the world; grant us peace.

Crossed Hands – The Board of Elders would find it helpful that when you desire to receive the communion wafer in your hand that you extend your hands in front of you. It is a nice tradition that you cross your hands simply placing your top hand crossed in the palm of the lower hand.

THE COMMUNION HYMNS

- “Earth and All Stars” LSB 817 verses 5-7
- “Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness” LSB 636 verses 5-8
- “God Loves the World So That He Gave” LSB 571



THE POST COMMUNION CANTICLE “Nunc Dimittis”

Luke 2:29-32

☐ Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac-
 cord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,

which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,
 a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy
 peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and
 to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,
 is now, and ev - er shall be, world without end. A - men.

THE BENEDICTION (*With Sung Amens*)

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

Numbers 6:24–26

C A - men, a - men, a - men.

THE CLOSING HYMN “*Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways*” *LSB 707*

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Welcome to Faith Evangelical Lutheran on this Sixth Sunday after Pentecost. We are delighted to have you in worship with us. If you are visiting from out of town, we bid you

welcome and God-speed on your journey. Should you be from our community, and have no church home, we invite you to make Faith your church home. Greeting you this morning:

Before Early Service

James & Phyllis Douglas
Mary Hiller

After Early Service

Paul & Mary Banuat, Pacen
Tyler & Lynn Spomer



Before Late Service

Dan & Jolynn Haberling

After Late Service

Vern Lenz

Preaching this morning is Reverend Daniel Barbey, our Intentional Interim Senior Pastor. Reverend Joshua Baumann, our Associate Pastor is taking some of our youth to Camp Minneboji.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at our 11:00 service this Sunday. In this Sacrament, our Lord brings us strength and forgiveness to be about His vision and mission. Those confirmed Lutherans who come to the Sacrament of the Altar today are asked to read the communion side of our information card found in the pew rack and to sign the bottom of the reverse side so that our communion records might be complete.



Adult Bible Study Will meet in the Christian Family Life Center. We will be starting to know Samuel.

Sunday School Sunday School is done for the summer. Sunday School resumes September 11. Sunday School is for all children age 3 by September 1, 2016.

Nursery Nursery is available during the 11:00 service. Nursery is located in the **F/G Room downstairs**. It is for children ages infant through 5 year olds.

Nursing Moms can find a comfortable rocker in the Daycare. This is NOT a Nursery for young children, just a quiet, private place for nursing moms.

God Be With You!

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Our Broadcasts Our Sunrise and Cable Broadcasts are made possible this week by our Faith congregation.

Did you know that "Sunrise" is streamed on KCCR live? If you are away, log on to www.TodaysKCCR.com. The Broadcast schedules are on the traveling Bulletin board, which is in the Narthex. Our Cable Broadcast is also on our Website. Take a look at www.faihluth.com.

COST: You may sponsor the radio broadcast of Sunrise for \$30.00. This radio broadcast is on 1240 AM KCCR at 6:40 a.m. on Sunday morning. The cost of sponsoring the cable broadcast of our worship service is \$35.00. This cable access broadcast is televised on Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. on Channel 8. If you choose to sponsor both, the cost is \$60.00.

Sun., June 19 Att. 298; General Fund \$7,027.45; Building Fund \$508.00 (Debt Retirement \$408.00, Building \$100.00); Love Fund \$100.00; Contingency Fund \$100.00; Thrivent Automatic Withdrawal \$3,568.00 (General \$3,283.00, Debt Retirement \$95.00, Building \$180.00, Love Fund \$10.00); Broadcasts \$60.00; Thrivent Insurance \$363.10.00; LWML Facility Use Donation \$200.00; Hughes Co. Facility Use Donation \$100.00; LYF Youth Gathering Trip \$100.00; Forever Young \$25.00; VBS \$724.94.

This Week at Faith Lutheran

Today: June 26

Campers leave for Camp Minneboji

8:20 am Worship

11:00 am Worship

1:00-3:00 pm Freda Peters Birthday Open

House in CFLC

7:00 pm Board of Stewardship

Mon: June 27

Camp Minneboji

11:00 am Circuit Bible Campers meet at

Faith

6:30-8:00 Tae Kwon Do

7:00-8:00 pm Pierre Capitoliens Practice

Tues: June 28

Camp Minneboji

Circuit Bible Camp

8:25 am Staff Devotions

Lutheran Communion

1:30 pm Maryhouse

2:00 Golden Living Center

7:00-9:00 pm Pickleball

Wed: June 29

Camp Minneboji

Circuit Bible Camp

7:00 pm Church Council

8:00 pm LYF Youth Meeting

Thurs: June 30

Camp Minneboji

Circuit Bible Camp

8:25 am Staff Devotions

6:30-8:00 Tae Kwon Do

Fri: July 1

Camp Minneboji

9:00 pm Men's Softball (Field B)
10:00 pm Men's Softball (Field A)

Sat: July 2

Campers return from Minneboji

Sun: July 3

8:20 am Communion

11:00 am Worship



BUILDING NEWS

Thank you for your continued gifts to our Building Fund – We thank you for your gifts last Sunday to the Building Fund of \$783.00. The gifts were designated as follows:

The Debt Retirement Account: \$503.00

The Building Account: \$280.00

Debt Retirement Thanks to your generosity we were able to send in one additional advance payment along with the June loan payment. That brings us to 162 advance payments which have saved us \$555,951.02 in interest. Our loan balance as of June 1 is \$413,049.77

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The triennial **SYNOD OFFERING** will be taken today, Sunday, June 26th and next Sunday, July 3rd in a continued effort to build up; *Witness, Mercy, and Life Together*. These National Offering contributions will bolster ministry work for non-personnel and non-administration projects or programs in the Synod. Please make checks out to: "*Faith Lutheran Church*", **and in the memo line write: *Synod Offering***. A cash basket will be placed outside the Sanctuary doors. Our representative, David Zuercher, will deliver our congregation's check at the Synodical Convention in Milwaukee in July. You may also use the Synod Offering insert you find in your bulletin this week.



Open House Today, the Children, Grandchildren & Great-grandchildren of Freda Peters invite you to help celebrate Freda's 85th birthday. Open house will be held in the fellowship hall from 1-3 pm. No Gifts.

The **Diaper Derby** has concluded and the Faith Life Team thanks everyone who contributed. The *Birth Right of Pierre, Pierre Area Referral Services (PARS), and Missouri Shores* are all very appreciative of these donations. Our **goal** this year was 3500 diapers and 3500 wipes. We gathered together as a congregation **4176 wipes** and **2293 diapers!**

Deuteronomy 15:11 reminds us: *"There will always be poor people in the land. Therefore I command you to be openhanded toward your fellow Israelites who are poor and needy in your land."* God's blessings on you all! Velda Bartel

Main Street Living Did you know the Main Street Living program is broadcast throughout South Dakota and into bordering states on two TV stations: KDLT in Sioux Falls at 10:00 AM central and KEVN at 8:00 AM mountain in Rapid City? **Did you know** that if you are planning to travel anywhere in South Dakota for a weekend, you can locate a LCMS church close to your destination on the Main Street Living web site? Just go to www.mainstreetliving.com, click on the South Dakota District link, go to "directories", and click on churches. Then scroll down to the town you will be visiting (cities are in alphabetical order).

Life Quotes "Christianity isn't decorative. God is for real life, modeling in Jesus what perfect forgiveness looks like. As long as your relationship doesn't risk your safety or your sanity, it's probably better to dig in right where you are. Some waste a lifetime hunting for contentment, running with resentment from this person to that, searching for the human equivalent of a pot of gold; but quick hitches aren't quick fixes. Rainbows come after storms. So, build up your partner, laugh together, be vulnerable, and let the Spirit sculpt you into a better self for that someone."
Rev. John Nunes commenting on marriage – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life •
www.lutheransforlife.org

Faith Lutheran Youth - F.L.Y.

Here's what happening with the youth of Faith Lutheran....



Acolytes for June/July

June 26

Early: Dillon Axtell, Cassie Axtell
Late: Emily Haberling, Deni Zeeb

July 3

Early: Ladd Kramme, Lane Kramme
Late: Jordan Thompson, Brant Malfero

July 10

Early: Maria Noyes, Adam Forman
Late: Adam Schochenmaier, Natalie Fawcett

July 17

Early: Ethan Hill, Nate Hill
Late: Kenzie Trujillo, Trevor Hayes

July 24

Early: Samantha Axtell, Andrew Axdahl
Late: Tucker Berens, Trevor Penrod

July 31

Early: Hannah Lingle, Adam Forman
Late: Kamden Carter, Kaycee Carter

**If acolytes are not able to be present for their assigned day, it is their responsibility to call someone else to find a replacement and then notify the church office. Thank you so very much!*

A Prayer as You Gather for Worship

Lord Prepare Me
To Be A Sanctuary
Pure And Holy
Tried And True
With Thanksgiving
I'll Be A Living Sanctuary
For You.

Verse(s) of the Week: (NIV)

1 Timothy 4:8 NIV "For physical training is of some value, but godliness has value for all things, holding promise for the present life and the life to come."

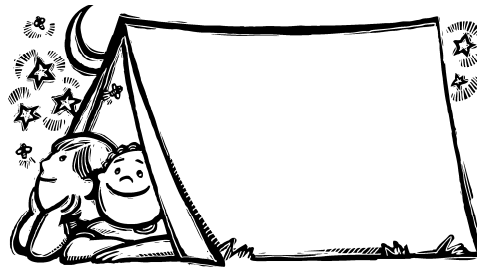
→ PRAYERS of all types and sorts...

We bring before God in prayer: those facing large amounts of stress in their home life. That God would be a shelter and a refuge in time of trial and need and that He would teach how to safely flee into His Word and into prayer as a way to cope and heal.

Lord in Your mercy...Hear our prayer.

→ Interested in helping with J.Y.M.

Circuit Bible Camp? If not for this year, then how about for next year? Come with, prepare meals, go shopping with Pastor on the front side of camp, help prepare things, make posters, help organize camp equipment, donate items and more! Please speak with Pastor Baumann if you have interest in helping with Circuit Bible camp in *any* way this year or next year, whether here in Pierre beforehand, or on site wherever we camp. Thanks so much for considering how the Good Lord might use you to bless the children of our circuit.





Thank you to everyone who came out to the Jacob Shoup concert at Faith last Friday. Great turnout for both the potluck and concert. We beat the heat and stayed fully indoors! We praise God for the opportunity to share in this unique ministry.

→**High School Seniors** — Feel free to continue in L.Y.F. activities through the summer as you are able to!

→**J.Y.M. Sky Zone Trip!** J.Y.M. (along with any families), will be taking a trip to Sky Zone in Sioux Falls on Friday, July 8th. *Sky Zone* is an indoor trampoline park in Sioux Falls. We will meet at the church at 7:45 a.m. and return in the afternoon/evening. Cost for the trip will be the cost of food and snacks for the day. Please consider coming by signing up on the back table in the Narthex.



→ **THANK YOU to everyone that supported our efforts to attend the National Youth Gathering!** What an amazing life-building opportunity this will be for our youth!

→ **N.Y.G. Commissioning July 10th!** Pastor Barbey and Pastor Baumann will commission our 23 youth and 6 other adult chaperones that are going to New Orleans for the National Youth Gathering. There will be commissioning at the 11 o'clock service for the group. Please join us in praying for this exciting faith building opportunity.

→**Got something to share in the youth announcement section?** Please e-mail it to: baumannj@csl.edu Thanks!

→ **Need to talk?** Need prayers and encouragement? Pastor Baumann would love to pray for you, and if possible even with you for anything big or small that may be on your heart or mind. Find him after worship, or in the office for a special opportunity for prayer and conversation.

Upcoming Youth Dates to Keep In Mind:

June 27-June 30th → Circuit Bible Camp

June 26-July 2nd → Camp Minneboji

July 8th→ J.Y.M. Sky Zone Trip meet at the church at 7:45 a.m. Families Welcome! Back around supper time.

July 10th→ N.Y.G. Commissioning at the 11 o'clock service

July 15th -22nd → LC-MS National Youth Gathering in New Orleans, LA

On the Lighter Side:

Q: What do lawyers wear to court?

A: Lawsuits!

Q: What did the lawyer name his daughter?

A: Sue

Circuit Bible Camp Begins Tomorrow

“Who is My Neighbor?”

June 27-30, 2016 A.D.

Leaving Faith at 10:30 a.m. on June 27th, arriving back to Faith at 11 a.m. on the 30th.

Where: Oahe Downstream Campground #3

What is the cost? The cost is \$90.00 Faith will scholarship \$30 to any Faith Youth that wants to go leaving \$60 to be remitted. Payable to Pierre Circuit Bible Camp

Who? Those going into 5th grade through those going into 9th grade as of next school year.

Youth with last names beginning with A-H please bring 2 dozen cookies
Youth with last names beginning with I-Z please bring one bag of chips