

THE NINTH 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*



T DIVINE SERVICE T

OPENING HYMN

"The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want"

(LSB 710)

INVOCATION

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

C Amen.

HOLY BAPTISM OF QUINN LAYN ARBACH 11:00

(LSB 268)

EXHORTATION

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.**

P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, and receive the gifts of our Lord Jesus Christ through Word and Sacrament, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

C **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

T WORD T

Psalm 34:8-10 (antiphon: Ps.145:16)

INTROIT

- P You open your hand;
You satisfy the desire of every living thing.
- C **Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good!**
Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!
- P Oh, fear the LORD, you his saints,
For those who fear him have no lack!
- C **The young lions suffer want and hunger;**
But those who seek the LORD lack no good thing.
- C **Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;**
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.
- P You open your hand;
You satisfy the desire of every living thing.

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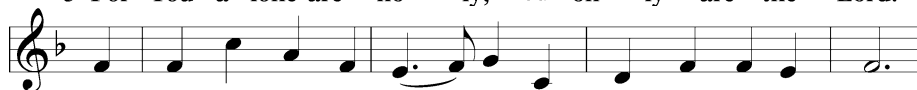


☐ Lord, have mer - cy; Christ, have mer-cy; Lord, have mer - cy.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS



☐ 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;
2 To You, O sole-be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro- claimed at Je-sus' birth!
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor-shiped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,
You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n-ly King.
 Where You in pow'r are seat-ed At God's right hand on high—
 In God the Fa-ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray. Gracious Father, Your blessed Son came down from heaven to be the true bread that gives life to the world. Grand that Christ, the bread of life, may live in us and we in Him, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

(Please be seated)

OLD TESTAMENT *Genesis 15:1–6* (God tells Abram he will have a large family and, through one offspring, countless inheritors of His promises.)

After the reading:

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM "King Jesus Is A-Listenin'" *(Traditional spiritual, arr. Funderburk)*
Andrew Wulf, bassoon soloist

EPISTLE *Hebrews 11:1–16* (People of faith before us are examples for us.)

After the reading:

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

(Please stand)

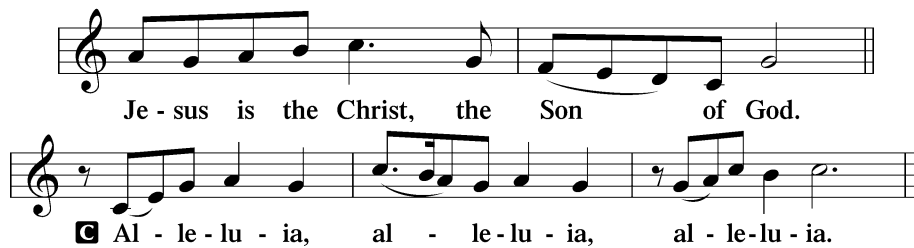
ALLELUIA and VERSE



☐ Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



☐ These things are writ-ten that you may be - lieve that



HOLY GOSPEL *Luke 12:22–34 (35–40)* (Jesus encourages us to not fear, for God knows what we truly need.)

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the twelfth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

After the reading:

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

(Please be seated)

BIBLE LESSON

SERMON HYMN "Have No Fear, Little Flock" (LSB 735)

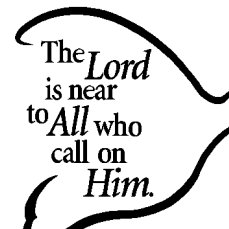
SERMON "Fear Not" (St. Luke 12:32)
Pastor Brad Urbach

POST SERMON HYMN "I Am Jesus' Little Lamb" (LSB740)

CREED 8:30am Nicene *Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book*
 11:00am Apostles' *Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book*

SHARING GOD'S PEACE

(Please stand)



PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

Brief silence

P Almighty God, increase our faith in Your wise ways and Your gracious will. Preserve us from reliance on our own plans and natural powers, that we would ever trust in You and be counted righteous in Your Son, Jesus Christ. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P Merciful Lord, You have raised up children for Abraham from all the nations through faith in Your Word and promise. So bless Your Church on earth by the seed of father Abraham, our Lord, Jesus Christ, that Your people would be defended against the assaults and temptations of the adversary. By Your Holy Spirit, grant them to live unto righteousness in Christ and to shine like the stars in the heavens forever and ever. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P Holy Father, You promised great and abundant blessings to Abram, which he believed by faith. Bless the hearts of Christian fathers to prize the gift of their children and to work in their lives for the good of generations yet unseen. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P God Almighty, teach the rulers of the nations how small and fleeting their reigns are. Shepherd them by the preaching of Your Church into the ways of peace, and fix their eyes on the better country that is to come, that they would rule in loving service to those in their charge. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P Gracious Lord, You call us to cast our anxieties upon You because You care for us. In the midst of their tribulation, bless Your people with Your peace [*especially* _____]. As they consider Your care of flower and field, remind them of Your eternal care for them in Christ. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P O Lord, our God, grant Your Holy Spirit unto Your servants who recline at Your table this day. Enlighten them by Your Word as a lamp unto their feet, that they would be dressed in readiness for the coming of the Son of Man, both now and at the end of days, even as He girds Himself to serve them with His body and blood. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

P Heavenly Father, You accomplished Your divine will through the lives and deaths of Your saints throughout the ages. Comfort all who mourn in our day, [*especially* _____,] and inspire faith in us through the godly example of those who have gone before us and are with Christ. Lord, in Your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

- P Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend ourselves and all for whom we pray, knowing that You will hear the prayers of Your people and answer us with Your mercy, providing all things needful and beneficial to us through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C **Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

- 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.**

The 11:00 am service continues on page 10 with the Benedicamus and Benediction.

IN REGARD TO HOLY COMMUNION: According to Scripture, Holy Communion should be celebrated by those who are: **United in a common faith** (1 Cor. 10:16-17, 21-22; Rom. 16:17); **Repentant of sins** (1 Cor. 5:11, Matt. 18:17-18); **Able to examine their lives** (1 Cor. 11:27-29); and believe that in this precious meal they **receive the true body and blood of Jesus** given and shed for the forgiveness of their sins (Luke 22:19-22).

Since Scripture teaches that those people who do not fully understand the meaning of this meal eat and drink to their own harm (1Cor. 11:27-29), and because the Lord's Supper is the supreme act of stating our unity in faith and doctrine, we would ask those people who are visiting with us to **please speak with our pastor**, before communing, in order that we might fulfill our responsibility of properly instructing people in the right use of the precious Sacrament.

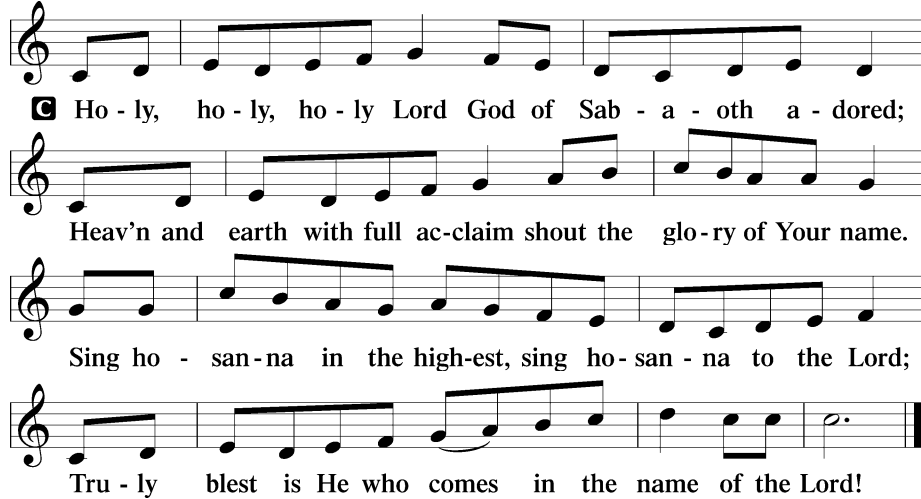
T SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT T **8:30 am Service**

PREFACE

- P The Lord be with you.
- C **And also with you.**
- P Lift up your hearts.
- C **We lift them to the Lord.**
- P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**
- P It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God, for the countless blessings You so freely bestow on us and all creation. Above all, we give thanks for Your boundless love

shown to us when You sent Your only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ, into our flesh and laid on Him our sin, giving Him into death that we might not die eternally. Because He is now risen from the dead and lives and reigns to all eternity, all who believe in Him will overcome sin and death and will rise again to new life. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth a - dored;
Heav'n and earth with full ac-claim shout the glo-ry of Your name.
Sing ho - san-na in the high-est, sing ho-san - na to the Lord;
Tru - ly blest is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

P Blessed are You, O Lord our God, king of all creation, for You have had mercy on us and given Your only-begotten Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

In Your righteous judgment You condemned the sin of Adam and Eve, who ate the forbidden fruit, and You justly barred them and all their children from the tree of life. Yet, in Your great mercy, You promised salvation by a second Adam, Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, and made His cross a life-giving tree for all who trust in Him.

We give You thanks for the redemption You have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Grant us Your Holy Spirit that we may faithfully eat and drink of the fruits of His cross and receive the blessings of forgiveness, life, and salvation that come to us in His body and blood.

C Amen.

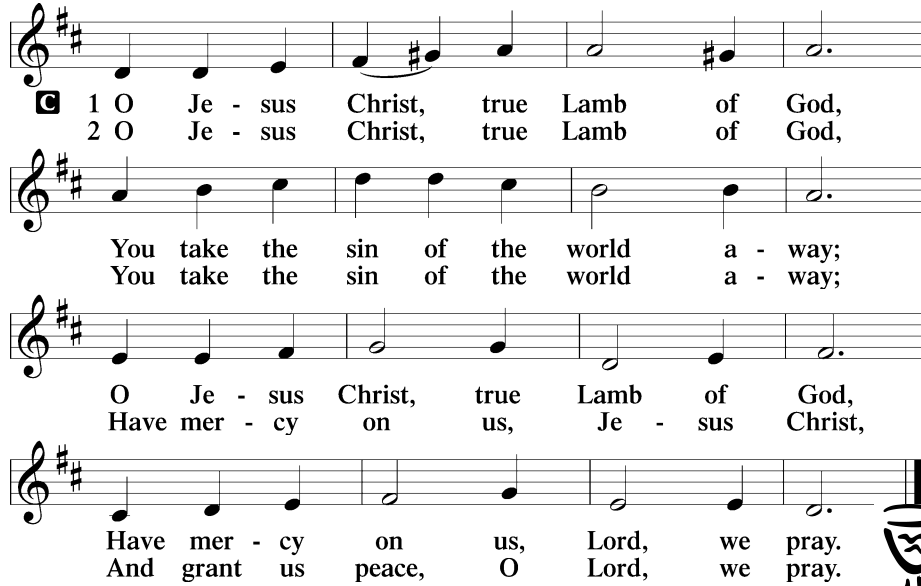
WORDS OF OUR LORD

Matt 26:26-28; Mk 14:22-24; Lk 22:19-20; 1 Cor 11:23-25

PAX DOMINI

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.
 C Amen.

AGNUS DEI



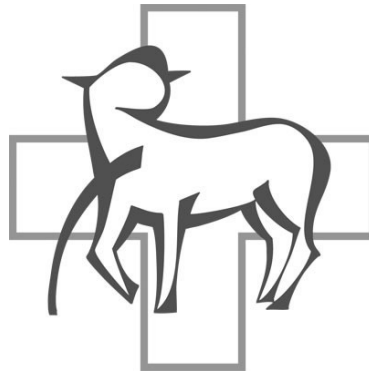
1 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
 2 O Je - sus Christ, true Lamb of God,
 You take the sin of the world a - way;
 You take the sin of the world a - way;
 O Je - sus Christ, true us, Lamb of God,
 Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus Christ,
 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, we pray.
 And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.



(Please be seated)

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

- "The Lamb" (LSB 547)
- "Amazing Grace" (LSB 744)
- "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less" (LSB 575)



(Please stand)

NUNC DIMITTIS

1 O Lord, now let Your ser - vant De -
2 All glo - ry to the Fa - ther, All
part in heav'n - ly peace, For I have seen the
glo - ry to the Son, All glo - ry to the
glo - ry Of Your re - deem - ing grace:
Spir - it, For - ev - er Three - in - One;
A light to lead the Gen - tiles Un -
For as in the be - gin - ning, Is
to Your ho - ly hill, The glo - ry of Your
now, shall ev - er be, God's tri - une name re -
peo - ple, Your cho - sen Is - ra - el.
sound - ing Through all e - ter - ni - ty.

POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

P Let us pray. Gracious God, our heavenly Father, You have given us a foretaste of the feast to come in the Holy Supper of Your Son's body and blood. Keep us firm in the true faith throughout our days of pilgrimage that, on the day of His coming, we may, together with all Your saints, celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom which has no end; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

BENEDICAMUS and BENEDICTION

Numbers 6:24-26

P Let us bless the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

P The Lord bless you and keep
The Lord make His face shine
The Lord look upon you with



you.
on you and be gracious to you.
favor and T give you peace.

C **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN

(LSB 550)

"Lamb of God"

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ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Fear Not

AS WE GATHER "Fear not little flock..." St. Luke 12:32
It seems like there is a lot of fear in our hearts. "There are wars and rumors of wars." In some of our nation's school systems we wonder

what happened to “In the beginning He made male and female.” The debacle at our southern border causes fear for many people across our country. Subway crime, riots, what has happened to our great and mighty nation? What has happened to our one nation under God?

To all of this Jesus says, “Fear not little flock.” All three of our lessons today remind us to look beyond the moment, to look beyond ourselves to the Heavenly City and to see we have a heavenly hope. Find hope this morning in the words of Jesus. “Fear not little flock.”

By faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in reverent fear constructed an ark for the saving of his household. By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith. Hebrews 11:7

If there are prayer concerns for you, your family, your friends, or your neighbors, please put them on the yellow prayer request 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

Welcome to Faith Evangelical Lutheran on this Ninth 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.

Preaching today is Reverend Brad Urbach, our Visitation Pastor. Reverend Sam Handschke is our Lector.

Holy Communion is celebrated at our 8:30 service this Sunday. In this Sacrament, our Lord gives His true body and blood for our forgiveness. Those who confess the faith declared at this altar and who desire to receive communion today are asked to read our communion statement found in the bulletin. Thank you.



This morning Quinn Layn Arbach becomes a daughter of God by God’s extraordinary Word and with ordinary water. Quinn is the daughter of Rachel & Tyler Arbach and joins older sister Laney in the Arbach household. Sponsors for Quinn are Rebekah Hlavacek and Trent Arbach. May God continue to bless Quinn and her family.

First Sunday Fellowship We thank the women of Mary/Martha Circle for the goodies this morning. Please stay and join us for fellowship.

Want to listen to our worship service via livestream? Go to: www.faithluth.com. Click on livestream and it will take you to the service or if you have missed the service it will take you to

the archived services. We livestream our 8:30 service each Sunday.

If you have envelope number 312 please contact Helen in the office at 605-224-2216.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Wed. July 27, Att. Not recorded; Offering \$0.00; **Sun., July 31, Att. 196;** General Fund \$6,556.23; Building Fund \$100.00; Love Fund \$100.00; Contingency Fund \$100.00; Mexico Mission \$950.00; Endowment Fund (Future of Faith) \$50.00.

Endowment Fund When giving to the Endowment Fund **PLEASE** make it a **SEPARATE CHECK**. Must be a **CHECK** as the account doesn't accept cash for the deposit. It is not always easy to find a check for the correct amount to substitute for cash or for a check made out for multiple purposes that includes an Endowment donation. The counters would greatly appreciate your help in this matter. Thank you.

Altar Flowers The flowers on the Altar this morning are from Char Russell in memory of her husband Jim. Thanks Char, for blessing our worship with beautiful flowers as you remember Jim.



*****MEMBERS OF FAITH....** We need your help!!!! Each year the Board of Ed is faced with the significant task of securing teachers and subs for both Sunday School and Midweek Classes. As much as they endeavor to help fill those slots, the responsibility ultimately lies with the Faith congregation to help make this goal a reality. The easiest and best solution is to partner and team teach with one or two others. This allows for schedule flexibility, alternating Sundays, and ease of sharing information and ideas etc. **We need 3 more teachers for this year.** One for 1st-2nd grade Sunday school, and one each for 2nd and 4th grade Catechism classes. Please pray the Lord of the Harvest to use all of your gifts and skills to serve children at Faith. The Board of Ed and Pastors partner and journey with you in this process so you are not alone. Thanks for prayerfully considering serving as a teacher for the upcoming 2022/2023 Faith Education Year. Please sign up in the Narthex or contact Helen in the office. Many thanks! Sincerely, the Board of Education.

Teachers Meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 17th at 7:00 pm. Please try to make this meeting a priority so we can all begin the year on the "same page".

"Twisted" Vacation Bible School. Our **third** installment of VBS winds



up today. We will start at 12:00 pm with a meal, then have crafts, games & Bible lessons. This is a family event. Children from 3 years old to 5th grade are welcome without parental supervision, but parents, grandparents, or anyone can participate. Come and get twisted with us.

Sunday School & Midweek Registration Please register your children **TODAY**. We need to order curriculum for each class and would like to have numbers. **Classes start August 21st**. To register your children for the Educational Programs within our congregation, please fill out the registration form located in the Narthex or on the web-site at faithluth.com. **The registration forms should be filled out soon for each child so that we can have the appropriate materials and classroom assignments.** Thank you for your help. Board of Education

What: Faith's Ladies Fun Night!
When: TOMORROW, Monday, August 8th

Time: 6:00 pm

Where: Branding Iron Bistro
Dinner will be served (\$17-\$19)

Guest Speaker: Pastor Brad Urbach

Please join us for Fun, Food & Fellowship with other sisters in Christ!

All women of our congregation are welcome to come.

Bring a friend!

Please sign up in the Narthex as we need a count.

The Kings of Israel and Judah

Fratricide	Good and Bad Kings -- Really!?!	A Queen of Judah?
Intrigue	Polygamy	False gods
Suspense	Lies and Deception	Covenant broken
Adultery	Rebellion	Rape
Murder most foul	Oppression	Incest
Compassion	Vengeance/Revenge	House Arrest?
Slavery	Indecent Exposure?	International Alliances
Dividing a Baby	Blessings	Curses

This study is not for the squeamish. COMING FALL 2022 to Sunday AM Adult Bible Study.

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** you can see the Worship Service and Kid's Crossing on our website at anytime? All programs are streamed on www.mainstreetliving.com, and are available the day before they are broadcast.

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KDLT (NBC) channels 5.1 / 46.1

10:00 AM - "No Laughing Matter" - A woman must learn to deal with her past in order to help someone else in her present.

10:30 AM - Rev. Sam Handschke, pastor at Faith Lutheran Church in Pierre, presents a message titled "Rise and Eat." This sermon is based on John 6:35-51. This program is interpreted and closed captioned for the hearing impaired. For more information visit: www.mainstreetliving.com

Life Quotes "God's Son began His life weak and helpless, laid in a feeding trough. He began His ministry weak and tempted, vulnerable in the desert. In a weakened state from the scourging, Jesus died on the cross, making you right with God, filling you with His strength. And when God supplies your strength, you are strong, indeed." *Marie MacPherson, author – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org*

Faith Lutheran Youth

Sunday School, Midweek & Catechism will be beginning soon! Please get your registrations filled out and turned in as we do not have much time to order supplies and have them received in time for classes. Sunday school begins August 21 for all ages. Midweek & catechism classes begin September 7.

This Week at Faith Lutheran

Today: Aug. 7

8:30 am Communion

9:30 am First Sunday Fellowship

11:00 am Worship

12-3:00 pm VBS

7:00 pm Board of Elders

Mon: Aug. 8

6:00 pm LWML Women's Fun Night at the

Branding Iron Bistro

Tues: Aug. 9

8:00 am Staff Devotions

6:15 pm Board of Property Management

7:00 pm Berea Circle

Wed: Aug. 10

7:00 pm Chapel/Communion

8:00 pm LYF

Thurs: Aug. 11

8:00 am Staff Devotions

Sun: Aug. 14 RALLY DAY

8:30 am Worship

11:00 am Communion

12-2:00 pm Rally Day Activities

7:30 pm Board of Missions

