

WELCOME to FAITH

Jesus loved the church and knew it was more than a place you go, but it was about people...people like you! Here at Faith—no matter what your spiritual background or past—we would like to meet you and help you become all God intended you to be.

Here is what you'll find: Friendly people to help you find your way around, a message that is relevant to your life, a blend of music that is both traditional & contemporary, services begin @ 10:00AM and last about 75 minutes, and a range of programs from nursery to adult. We desire individuals and families to join with us as we journey to become fully devoted followers of Christ.

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ORDER OF SERVICE

February 17, 2019

PRELUDE

Donalee Aden

WELCOME & THE WORD

“To God Be the Glory”

No. 66

“The Old Rugged Cross”

No. 186

WE WORSHIP WITH OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

PRAISE

Worship Team

MESSAGE, “The Church That Was Dead” Rev. 3:1-6

Pastor Niles

BLESSING

GRACE AND PEACE to you in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ! We are honored and strengthened by your presence. If you are visiting us today, please fill out the connection card in the pew and put it in the offering plate. If anyone has a need, please contact one of the Pastors.

NEXT STEPS: Have you recently started or renewed your relationship with Jesus? We want to help you take the next steps on your Faith journey. Do you own a good Study Bible? Are you getting plugged in to some of the great classes we offer? Our Pastors would love to connect with you to help you keep growing in your relationship with Christ.

PASTORAL VISITATIONS: here at Faith, our Pastors want to be intentional about being present for people who are in the hospital or having surgeries. In our desire to walk with you, please let our Pastoral Staff know how they can walk with you (i.e. – I'd appreciate a visit / I'd appreciated just a phone call / Be in prayer with me / etc.)

CHILDREN'S BULLETINS are available from the ushers or at the Welcome Desk for ages 3-6 and 7-12.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Don Gerdes, Ruth Smothers; Mark Phillips; Monte Cunningham; Gordon Jacobson; Gloria Beekman; Bette Brinkman; Cassandra Janssen; Bruce Maley; Michelle Dornath; Mitzi Ford; Mindy Skow; Linda Rohlf; Matt Nickles; Mary Seehusen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETERS TODAY: Welcome Desk: Judy Weller; Greeters: Sharyl Keil, Charles Gunderson, Gary Thurston. **Next week:** Welcome Desk: Debbie Long, Denny & Ruth Smothers, Larry & Dee Wuebker

MARCH NEWSLETTER ARTICLES are due to the office by Wednesday noon. Thank you.

NEW BIBLE READING INITIATIVE has begun with the book of Psalms! Here's a look at the chapters this week, and feel free to jump in on the Sunday School class (led by Pastor Russ) that is walking through the Psalms along the way! (Feb. 17- Psalm 43, Feb. 18- Psalm 44, Feb. 19- Psalm 45, Feb. 20- Psalm 46, Feb. 21- Psalm 47, Feb. 22- Psalm 48, Feb. 23- Psalm 49)

BIBLE CAMP FUNDRAISER will be held next Sunday, Feb. 24th. Anyone who would like to donate ground beef, bars, or cookies, please sign-up at the Welcome Desk or you can e-mail Dawn at drjanssen@landolakes.com or text or call at 515-314-3704.

THE 2019 CHURCH DIRECTORY is in your mailboxes today. Please check your mailbox regularly.

NEW CLASSES (Family Night): In addition to Moms Connect, we now have a **Men's Study facilitated by Tyler Bindel called The Book of Titus by Chip Ingram and Pastor Niles is leading a Bible Study called "Faith 101: Bible Basics"**. Everyone welcome.

A WOMEN'S STUDY is being held on Wed. evenings at 6:30 (when there is NOT Family Night) entitled Women of the Word, *How to Study the bible with Both Our Hearts and Our Minds*. For further information contact Jenny Abens.

NEW MEMBERS CLASSES will be March 3, 10, 17 with New Members Sunday, March 24. We will meet Sundays, 8:45-9:45AM. In the class we will cover importance of membership, church history, and opportunities for involvement. Please contact Pastor Russ if interested.

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 17, Today, 8:45 a.m. - Sunday School for all ages

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service w/Kid's Church

5:00 p.m. - IGNITE

Feb. 18, Mon., 7:00 p.m. - Church Council Meeting

Feb. 19 Tues., 7:30 p.m. - Worship Team Practice

Feb. 20, Wed., 6:30 p.m. -High School Bible Study,

Middle School Puppet Practice; Women's Bible Study,
TEAM TIME

6:45 p.m. - Foundations Class

7:30 p.m. - High School Puppet Practice

Feb. 24, Sun. 8:45 a.m. - Sunday School for all ages

10:00 a.m. Worship Service w/Kids' Church

11:30 a.m. - Maidrite Meal (Bible Camp Fundraiser)

5:00 p.m. - IGNITE

TEAM TIME! For EVERYONE serving in our Children's Ministry. Our next Team Time HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED FOR Wednesday, MARCH 20th, 6:30-8:00. Snacks and fellowship from 5:30-6:30 for those who can come early. Child care provided. (RSVP please) It's going to be a full and wonderful evening!

Topics and speakers include:

- "Making a Good Lesson Great" by Tracy Thurm
- "Who, Where, & What Does That Mean?" by Candace Brinkman, Paula Ahlrich, & Donna Seehusen
- "Attendance, Why It Matters And How We Can Use It To Build Relationships" by Pastor Russ

THANK YOU to everyone who remembered me with birthday and Valentine cards this month and to Pastor Paul for his encouraging visits. I appreciate your thoughtfulness.

Gloria Beekman

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February 17, 2019



Faith Community Church Mission:

"Helping people grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ."

"Faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see."
Hebrews 11:1