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Faith CONNECTIONS

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Faith Lutheran Church, Marshfield, WI

A Season of Change, A Future of Hope

FROM PASTOR HEATHER BROWN



Revelation 21:5

And the one who was seated on the throne said, "Behold, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true."

On the morning of Monday, November 10, the process began to remove the Faith Lutheran Church parsonage. After lunch that day, I stopped by the church to take photos. Nothing that remained of the old building had been hauled away yet. So I took photos of large piles of wall board, wood flooring, bricks, roofing, etc.

As I clicked away on my cell phone camera, a neighbor woman walked by and stopped to ask questions. She asked me what our church planned to do with the empty lot. I told her that we were in the very early stages of thinking about creating a "green space" – perhaps with a garden area of some sort and maybe even a bench. Her next question was, "Can the neighbors use it, too?" I thought for a second and told her I didn't know for sure, but would find out. Her next question was, "Do you need help fundraising for it?"

At this point, I really didn't know what to say. Then she asked if she could have 5-6 leftover bricks to use as "pavers." I asked for her phone number so I could call her and let her know. The next morning she stopped by the church again and picked up some bricks that had been retrieved especially for her.

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Friends, there’s an old saying that, “When God closes a door, he opens a window.” Bidding farewell to the Faith Lutheran parsonage has not been easy. People hold precious memories of pastors who lived there with their families, Christian education classes and youth activities that were held there, not to mention social service programs like the Better Way Club.

With the razing of the parsonage, however, we can envision new opportunities for mission and outreach. For example, FLC plans to hold Vacation Bible School at our church this summer and we look forward to utilizing the new green space for outdoor activities.

It’s also going to be very important to listen to voices from our neighborhood about what they would like to see happen with our new green space. We are grateful to these folks for allowing us to use local streets for parking during church services and other events. In addition, we give thanks for their patience as they experienced four days of noise and dust as our parsonage was razed.

Who knows what God has in store for Faith Lutheran Church in 2026 and beyond? We can be confident that the future of Faith Lutheran and our mission together is secure in God’s hand as we venture onward.

Loved by God. Living for Others.
Pastor Heather



SERVICE TIME

IN-PERSON 9:00 AM

WAYS TO WATCH

1. Live-streaming on our APP, Facebook & YouTube.
2. Cable Access 989
Broadcast Times:
 - Sunday at 12 Noon
 - Monday at 11:30 AM
 - Friday at 11 AM
3. Always access on App, Facebook & YouTube.



PRAYER LIST

Please keep the following people in your prayers: (Names will remain on the prayer list for three weeks unless otherwise requested.)

Diane Mueller;
Ardith Hendrickson; Darlene Krake; Mike Voss;
Jeanette Oswald.

Sympathies to the family of Alice Abbott on her passing on Nov. 21st. Funeral at Noon at Rembs on Dec. 6th.



The President's Corner

FROM COUNCIL PRESIDENT DIANE HERRON

Greetings Everyone!

As we gear up for the busy holiday season, let us take a minute to give thanks to our Lord for all the blessings he has given to us. Have you noticed that during this time of year we find ourselves doing things we don't necessarily do other times of the year? That is the Holy Spirit working within us, showing us how to love one another during this season of Hope, Peace, Joy, and Love.

Have you ever wondered why the Holy Spirit leads you in different the directions it does? Sometimes even on unfamiliar paths? How do you respond? Isaiah 42:16 "I will lead Israel down a new path, guiding them along an unfamiliar way. I will brighten the darkness before them and smooth out the road ahead of them. Yes, I will indeed do these things; I will not forsake them."

Wow! Leading me down a new path! What do you have in store for me, Lord? With patience, each of us will know where He will lead us.

John 13:34 "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another."

What is the last thing someone did for you that made you feel loved? Chances are it wasn't some extravagant gesture with a five-star restaurant. Maybe it was a note from a friend, a task completed without being asked by your child or husband, or a compliment on a day you didn't feel so beautiful.

When Jesus gave us the command to love one another, he wasn't expecting extravagance. Instead, he wanted us to use what we have in our hands and hearts. It may be the smallest gesture, but it can truly bless someone. So, what is in your hand today? What small thing can you do to demonstrate the love of Jesus? Offer it into the life of someone and watch Jesus multiply it like the loaves and fishes. This is a wonderful time of year! May God bless you all during this season with the Spirit of Christmas.

Let us pray: Come Holy Spirit, fill our hearts with love. Guide our thoughts, our words, and our actions so that everything we do reflects Your light. Help us to love others as you love us. May our words bring hope during this holiday season and our actions reflect you. In Jesus name we pray, Amen

Many Blessings to you all during this Holiday Season 😊
Diane Herron



Council

SNIPPETS

NEXT MEETING DEC. 21ST,
2025 AT 10:15 AM

Quick Recap

- The Council reviewed and approved several personnel updates, including revised job descriptions, position changes, and upcoming hiring needs.
- Financial reports prompted discussion about stewardship, year-end giving, and long-term budget planning.
- The group heard updates on ongoing ministries, administrative items, and communications procedures, including mission team responsibilities and what needs to be approved by Council.
- The Council continued discussion around the RIC program, including educational opportunities and next steps for exploration in 2026.

Next Steps

- Diane & Pastor Heather: Form the custodian interview team and begin interviews.
- Diane: Follow up with the Synod regarding how Faith Lutheran's benevolence giving compares to similar congregations.
- Pastor Heather: Email Council for approval of new members joining on December 14.
- Social Concerns: Bring the RIC exploration motion back to the December meeting after voting clarification.
- Kent: Send the year-end giving letter before Giving Tuesday.
- All Mission Teams:
 - Submit team photos by the December meeting.
 - Mission team highlights due December 18
 - Annual reports due December 20
 - Annual Report Financial statements due January 14
- Facilities & Parsonage Committee: Plan a Spring 2026 congregational survey about possible uses for the new green space.

If you have thoughts, ideas, or concerns, reach out to a Mission Team—or drop a note in the President's Box on the Welcome Table. Your voice matters!

Would You Like to Represent Faith Lutheran?

The Nominating Committee has begun putting together a ballot for the congregation to consider at the 2026 Annual Meeting.

There are two elected positions for representatives to the 2026 Synod Assembly on April 25, 2026 in Rice Lake.

There are five open positions on Church Council. The term is for two years.

If you would like to learn more about what it might entail, get in touch with Pastor Heather or the Nominating Committee.

- Cheryl Ashbeck
- Nicki Quarne
- Brenda Fellenz
- Janeen Dietsche

GLOW

Thankful and Grateful

FROM CO-DIRECTORS
JUSTIN POLZIN & BRIANNE THOMPSON

Hard to believe another month has already passed this year. Thanksgiving has come and gone, and we want to pause and offer our deepest thanks to all who support our Education & Family Ministry programs. There's no way to name everyone who has contributed in some way, but our greatest thanks go to our students, the children and youth who show up each week and remind us of the very meaning of life. Their energy, curiosity, and joy are truly beyond words.

Over the past month, we've welcomed new families into our programs. Our kids have opened their minds, their hearts, and—some of them—their arms, making sure every new student felt at home. This is a beautiful reflection of the caring, kind-hearted young people growing within our Faith Lutheran family, and a reminder that God is doing incredible things through them.

To every student: thank you. To every parent, volunteer, teacher, mentor, and supporter who help nurture their faith: thank you.

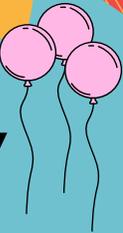
We are celebrating remarkable participation this fall:

- Sunday classes have held an impressive 82% attendance rate.
- Confirmation classes have reached 100% attendance.

These numbers speak volumes about how much our students want to be here—and how meaningful these ministries are in their lives. We are grateful to each one of you.



Happy
BIRTHDAY



BIRTHDAYS:

ALEXIS – 12/05
BREELEIGH – 12/22
CHARLOTTE – 12/30

BAPTISMAL BIRTHDAYS:

NONE

NOVEMBER

OVERVIEW

In November, we hosted a combined GLOW/RISE Night, where students helped decorate ornaments that will be delivered to our shut-ins by our confirmation youth. It was a wonderful evening of creativity, service, and fellowship—a chance for our students to share God’s love in a simple but meaningful way.

RISE – Confirmation

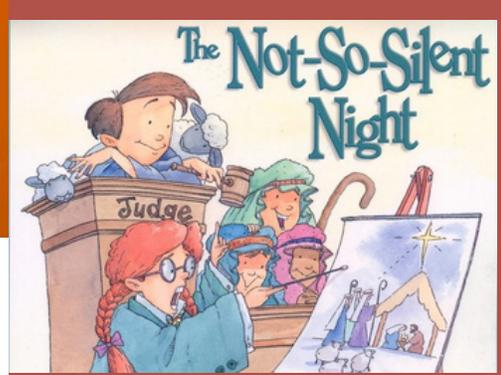
Our RISE confirmation students recently wrapped up their study of the Sacraments and have now begun exploring the Apostles’ Creed. Their engagement, thoughtful questions, and curiosity inspire us every week.

TORCH – Confirmation Mentors

Our confirmation students and their mentors have begun serving during Sunday worship, and you may see them periodically as they step into these new leadership roles.

FLAME – Adult Education

Our FLAME adult group recently finished their study on The Life of Esther and has now begun Unit 2 of No Experience Necessary. Sunday sessions have averaged around eight participants, and while this is a wonderful core group, there is always room for more!



Christmas Program

a Comical Bethlehem Courtroom
Saturday, December 20th | 4:00 PM

Our GLOW students are taking their Christmas program practices very seriously, working hard to put on an amazing show for everyone. We hope you’ll join us and support their efforts! If you’re unable to attend in person, we invite you to tune in from home and celebrate with us.

GLOW UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec. 7 | 11:00 AM – Confirmation Shut-In Deliveries

Dec. 20 | 4:00 PM – GLOW Christmas Program

Potluck to follow in the Fellowship Hall — a time for photos, fellowship, and celebrating the joy of the season together. It’s going to be a night to remember!

Dec. 21 | 10:00 AM – GLOW/RISE Christmas Celebration

Faith Lutheran Youth November Update

FROM YOUTH DIRECTOR JUSTIN POLZIN

✨ FLY Youth Ministry – November Update ✨

As the seasons shift and we settle into the heart of fall, our FLY (Faith Lutheran Youth) group has been growing in energy, friendship, and purpose. November marked the beginning of our new youth advisor team, the arrival of a fresh group of 7th graders, and a renewed excitement from our returning youth. I couldn't be more grateful—or more hopeful—for where this group is headed.

🌱 Growing in Faith & Friendship

Our FLY gatherings on the 1st and 3rd Sundays have been a wonderful time of connection, with about 6–7 youth joining us each week. While numbers aren't everything, these young people are becoming the foundation of something truly meaningful. Together we've been sharing highs and lows, talking through upcoming events, dreaming about our mission trip, and brainstorming fundraising ideas. We are learning one another's stories and building a space where everyone can feel known and valued.

🙌 Service & Leadership

Our youth continue to find ways to serve both our congregation and our wider community. In the months ahead, they'll be taking on additional roles within our Sunday services, something they are genuinely excited about. I am incredibly proud of their willingness to lead with open hearts. When you see our youth lending a hand, offering a smile, or stepping into service, please take a moment to thank them. Your encouragement helps them see that what they are doing truly matters.

🔥 Building Community

This month we also held our first youth night at Faith Lutheran; a fun evening filled with ping pong, challenge games, laughter, and meaningful conversation. Together we created a list of activities we hope to explore this year, as well as ways we can serve our church, support our congregation, and engage with our community. Fellowship is at the heart of FLY, because growing in faith is even better when we grow together.

FAITH
Lutheran Youth
**UPCOMING
EVENTS**

- 🔥 DEC. 7TH | COOKIE DOUGH PICK-UP
- 🔥 DEC. 7TH | FLY GROUP MEETING 10:00 AM
- 🔥 DEC. 10TH | ADVISORY TEAM MEETING 5:30 PM
- 🔥 DEC. 29TH | HOLIDAY GATHERING 5:00 PM

FLY Continued...

Looking Ahead

As we wrap up November, we are gearing up for our first fundraiser, “Dough for Dough,” to support FLY activities and our mission work. On December 7, we’ll be preparing 2-lb and 3-lb batches of cutout cookie dough for those who ordered; just in time for holiday baking!

We are also looking forward to our annual Christmas Gathering on December 29th. All 7th–12th graders—and friends—are always welcome. Whether you’ve been here from the start or are brand new, there is always room at the table.

Thank you

Thank you, congregation, for your prayers, support, and encouragement. Your investment in our youth empowers them to grow, lead, and shine. I hope you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving, and I wish you a very merry Christmas.

Communications Team

INTERUM CHAIR ALICIA HEINRICH

The Communications Team gathered on November 5 for a productive evening of planning, reviewing ministry updates, and looking ahead to 2026. Here are the key takeaways:

Budget & Technology Updates

- The communications budget remains on target.
- The Youth Director’s new computer has been purchased. An Endowment request have been submitted to help offset the cost.
- Additional tech updates include:
 - Pastor’s monitor and keyboard are purchased.
 - Google Developer app updates completed; Apple Developer access reset and rebuilt.
 - Push notifications have resumed functioning after recent issues.

Livestream Ministry:

- Audio Architects submitted a \$3,700 proposal to replace outdated sanctuary router/switches. Before moving forward, the team will seek a second opinion from another audio/visual expert.
- Worship metrics show rising in-person attendance and steady online participation.
- A member shared feedback regarding long pre-service slide loops on cable broadcasts. Jeff has been trimming these successfully and updated balcony instructions accordingly.
- The team will continue exploring ways to use metrics more strategically.

Website updates and Branding

- Website updates continue: the Youth page has been refreshed, job postings updated, and additional Finance pages are in draft.
- Work on how the church’s Brand Guide is progressing, including updates to Canva brand kits.



HOMME YOUTH & FAMILY PROGRAMS



Social Concerns & Green Team

CHAIRS JOHN & KATHY CAMPBELL

Operation Christmas Tree

The Giving Tree is in the gathering area with cards listing gift card wishes for children and adults. To participate, simply choose a card from the tree and decide how you will fulfill that gift. Place both the gift card and the tree card together in one of the envelopes provided, mark the recipient's number on the front, and fold the flap inside to close it. All gift cards must be returned by Dec. 14. Thank you for sharing Christmas joy with our neighbors!

Fair Trade Sale - December 14th

Stop by the table in the Gathering Space after worship and check out the Equal Exchange products for sale by the Social Concerns Team. There are several varieties of coffee, tea, cocoa, chocolate bars and baking chocolate. All of the products are organic, too.

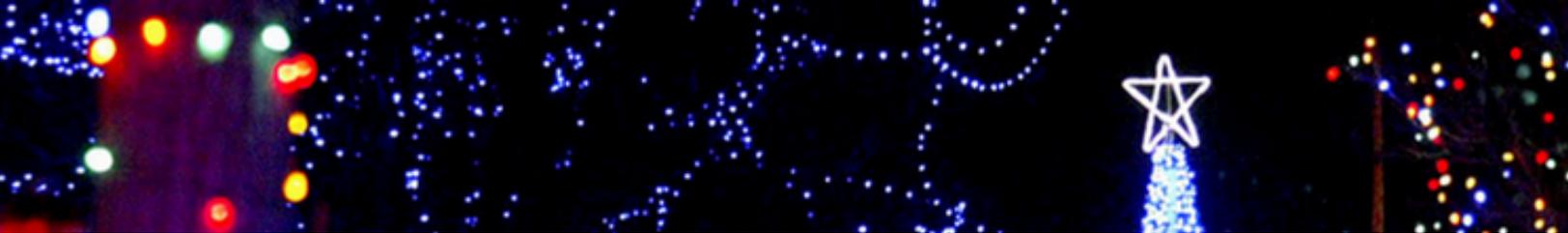


Let's build a better food system, together.

Homme Youth and Family Programs Lutheran Social Services

The Homme Youth and Family Program in Wittenberg provides a court ordered treatment program for boys 10 through 18 years old. They have sent us a letter asking for assistance in providing Christmas gifts to those in the program and included a list of gift suggestions. Items may be dropped off at the church during office hours or on Sundays. December 14th is the final day for drop-off. Gifts should be left unwrapped, but gift bags are welcome. No bathrobes, food or glass items are wanted.

- New clothing sizes S through XL men's
- Remote control cars
- Athletic shoes, snow boots sizes 8-13 men's, slippers
- Winter jackets/snow pants S - XL
- Board Games, Construction Paper
- Watches
- Wallets
- Men's necklaces, hygiene products
- Children and young adult coloring books
- Small Lego sets, Rubik's cubes
- Funny Socks
- DVD's - G or PG rated movies
- Candy for stocking fillers
- Children's/young adult books - age appropriate
- Gift Cards: Subway, McDonalds, Taco Johns, Dollar General
- Car Air Fresheners (for rooms)



Faith In Action Team Updates

CHAIR TREVA TISDELL

December Activities with Faith in Action

December is a season of joy, giving, and sharing God’s love with others. As we celebrate the birth of Christ, Faith in Action invites you to join us in spreading warmth and kindness throughout our community. Whether it’s lifting voices in song or lending a helping hand, there’s something for everyone to be part of this special season!



Christmas Caroling

Sunday, December 7th, 3:00-5:00 pm

It’s that joyful time of year again—let’s share the sounds of Christmas cheer throughout our community!

Faith in Action is planning to visit six locations to spread the spirit of the season through song. We’d love to have everyone, and anyone join us—no experience required, just a joyful heart and a warm smile!

There is a sign-up poster in the gathering area, add your name to let us know you’re going to join us to be part of this wonderful afternoon of music, fellowship, and Christmas joy. We will meet at the church at 2:30 to plan our route and hand out song sheets.

Volunteering at the Rotary Winter Wonderland Friday, December 12th, 6:45–9:00 pm

Let’s keep the holiday spirit glowing by serving together at Rotary Winter Wonderland!

Faith in Action has signed up to volunteer for the evening to greet visitors and collect food donations for those in need. We’ll divide the evening into two shifts, so you can choose a time that works best for you. Times: 6:15-7:45 and 7:45-9:00. This is an outside activity, so please dress appropriately.

GLOW Families, FLY Youth, Mentors & Mentees, this is a great opportunity to join in, have fun, and celebrate the season together!

There is a sign-up poster in the gathering area, add your name to the time that works best for you and help us make the evening bright for everyone who visits.



Game Night & Potluck

Sunday, January 18 • 4:00–7:00 PM

The holidays are over, and if you’re looking for something fun to do, join us for an evening of great food and friendly games! Our team will have cards and board games available, and you’re welcome to bring a favorite game to share.

Schedule:

- 4:00 PM – Gather and start games
- 5:00–6:00 PM – Supper
- 6:00–7:00 PM – More games and fun

A sign-up poster will be available the first week of January. We hope to see you there!



Worship & Music Team

CHAIR LINDA NELSON-SCHREIBER

Culvers Night Recap

Thank you to everyone who came out to the Culver's Night. A few people said it was like having church! We are still waiting to see how much was raised.

Christmas Eve Services December 24th

3:00 Contemporary

Join Faith Fire Praise Band singing Christmas carols in a contemporary style.

5:30 Traditional Service

Join in singing traditional Christmas carols accompanied by the organ.

Looking for Volunteers

Please consider volunteering as an usher, greeter, reader, or communion assistant on Sundays. The sign up sheet is located at the usher table in back of the pews and is also passed around during the service.



Thank you to everyone that donated to the Orenda Center and Shirley's House of Hope in October.

Facilities Management Team

CHAIR PAM JOHNSON

Facility Highlights:

- The custodian job has been posted for two weeks. Interviews will be at the beginning of December.
- The room in the far southwest corner of the Fellowship Hall has had water in it from recent rains. We will keep an eye on it especially starting next Spring.
- Solar lights were installed in and on the garage as electricity will be disconnected when the parsonage is razed.
- Snow removal will be done by Bach Excavating this year.

Christmas Eve SERVICES

3:00 PM - CONTEMPORARY | 5:30 PM - TRADITIONAL

With special music, a puppet show, and annual candle-lighting. Live-stream options available.

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Parsonage Project Updates

SUBMITTED BY PAM JOHNSON

Throughout November, steady progress was made as we brought the parsonage project to completion.

During the first week of the month, the underground oil tank was removed and any contaminated soil was set aside for proper disposal. On the Sunday before the razing began, a small group of members gathered outside with Pastor Heather for a brief decommissioning service. Together, they offered prayer and thanksgiving for the ministry and memories the parsonage held, commending the space to God before its next chapter.

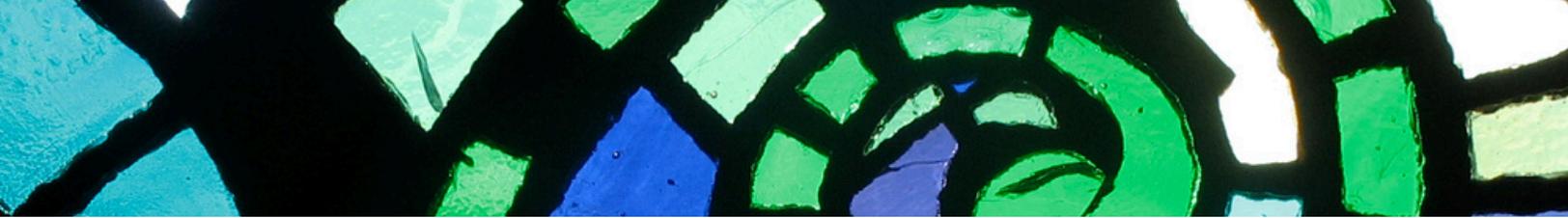
In the second week, Bach Excavating began work early Monday morning, and by Wednesday the parsonage was fully taken down, all debris cleared, and the area leveled and reseeded. As of Thursday, November 13th, the building was completely razed and the site restored.

In the final week of November, the remaining contaminated soil was removed, and the Little Free Library was reinstalled in its new spot—ready to be enjoyed once again by the community.

A heartfelt thank-you to the congregation for your support, patience, and prayers throughout this project. We are especially grateful to our Parsonage Team—Jeff Tisdell, Renee Stafford, Kent Mueller, Marty Yohn, Rich Tarter, and Mike Behling—for their faithful leadership and hands-on dedication.

Thank you for helping bring this chapter to a thoughtful and caring close.





Finance Team Updates

Finance Team

INTERIM CHAIR ALICIA HEINRICH

The Finance Team gathered for its November meeting to review giving trends, fund activity, and upcoming budget needs. Alicia opened the meeting in prayer, and the October minutes were approved. If you are interested in joining the team, please see Pastor Heather Brown.

Budget Planning

- Team budgets for 2026 were sent out and were due November 7. The Finance Team will review submissions in December and consider any possible cost-saving recommendations.
- The team reviewed a proposal for future audio/visual costs. After discussion, it was decided not to include these in the 2026 budget, but instead explore other funding sources. The Communications Team will prepare a life-cycle management plan for sanctuary A/V equipment.

Treasurer & Administrative Updates

- All accounts have now moved to Forward Bank.
- Treva Tisdell has been successfully trained as back-up Treasurer.
- Thrivent giving numbers will be reviewed in December.
- Capital Campaign giving is currently at \$9,452.45.
- Work continues toward updating authorized fund signers on all accounts and organizing an Audit Committee meeting in early December.
- Digital Giving cards were placed in pews for a three-week trial period.

Role changes

- Alicia plans to transition out of her Interim Finance Team Chair role. A new chair will be needed in the new year.
- The Financial Secretary will be officially resigning at the end of December; and new one will come on board.

END OF YEAR CONTRIBUTIONS

A friendly reminder that all donations for 2025 need to be in by Sunday, December 28th. If you are mailing your donations, please have them at the church by Saturday, the 27th. Donations given in church on Sunday the 28th will be included in the 2025 contributions.



Financial Updates Continued...

Care Fund Update

FROM TREASURER ALICIA HEINRICH



In November, we supported a cancer patient and a family in need. A \$200 donation from Faith members was also received this month.

Balance as of 10/31/2025	\$ 8,910.18
Contributions	\$ 200.00
Distributions	-\$ 1000.00
Ending Balance 11/25/2025	<u>\$ 8,110.18</u>

Capital Campaign Progress

FROM CHURCH COUNCIL

We are in our 2nd year of our Multi-year Capital Campaign, here is where we are at for 2025.

\$10,000

\$9,452



- Facilities Soup Supper \$ 392
- Communications Cards \$ 300
- Personnel Brat Fry \$1,122
- Education/FIA Brat Fry \$1,000
- Garage Sale \$1,684
- Plants from Parsonage \$1,105
- Member Donations \$1,240
- No-Bake Bake Sale \$2,610

Total \$9,452 \$0

updated on 11/26/25

Treasurer's Report

FROM TREASURER KENT MUELLER

General giving for October 2025 was \$27,689, compared to \$18,845 for 2024 and \$25,478 for 2022, and was the second highest giving month so far this year. The year-to-date general giving was \$233,406, compared to \$209,000 through October 2024, and is the highest general giving through October since 2019. The October general giving was \$3,027 higher than the breakeven point for general giving. The breakeven point is the amount needed to have a balanced budget for the year. October expenses exceeded income by \$552.

Memorial and Other Funds Report

FROM TREASURER CINDY PRUST

For more details or any questions, please contact Cindy Prust. Here are the totals as of 11/05/25

Undesignated Memorial	\$16,576.17
Flowers & Altar	\$ 2,603.35
Piece Corp	\$ 422.87
Music Ministry	\$ 4,273.24
Churkey Ed. Fund	\$ 2,697.24
God's Work, Our Hands	\$ 984.20
Property Improvement	\$ 857.58
Kitchen Remodel	\$ 2,570.95
Faith In Action	\$ 987.27
Fresh Expressions	\$ 573.47

ROOM LEGEND/KEY

- CH = Choir Room, Basement
- CR = Community Room, Basement
- ED1 = Education Confirmation Room 1, Education Wing Upper Level
- FH = Fellowship Hall, Basement
- GA = Gathering Area
- MD = Mission Team Volunteer Office, Main Level Sanctuary Hallway
- SA = Sanctuary
- UR = Upper Room

December 2025



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<i>1</i> 6:30 Social Concerns/ Green Zoom Mtg 6:30 Facility Team Mtg 7:00 AI-Anon	<i>2</i> 10:00 Staff Meeting 7:00 Boy Scouts #382	<i>3</i> 1:00 Faith Alive BS in UR 5:00 Faith Alive BS in CR 5:30 Confirmation Class 6:00 Communications Mtg 6:00 NA Meeting in CR 6:30 Choir	<i>4</i> 8:00 Piece Corps 6:30 Ed & Fam Team Mtg	<i>5</i> Office & Building CLOSED 12:00 Audit Committee Meeting in UR	<i>6</i> 11:00 Visitation for Alice Abbott at Rembs 12:00 Funeral at Rembs
<i>7 2nd Day of Advent</i> 9:00 WORSHIP 10:00 GLOW/RISE/FLY/FLAME 10:15 W&M Meeting in CR 11:00 RISE Shut-in Deliveries 3:00 FIA Christmas Caroling 6:00 Exec. Council Meeting 6:00 GLOW Xmas Practice	<i>8</i> Office Closed 7:00 AI-Anon	<i>9</i> 10:00 Staff Meeting 7:00 Boy Scouts #382	<i>10</i> 10:00 Miriam Circle 11:30 Ladies Luncheon (offsite) 5:30 FLY Advisory Mtg in UR 6:00 NA Meeting in CR 6:30 Choir 7:30 Scout Troop 345	<i>11</i> 8:00 Piece Corps 8:30 Finance Team Mtg	<i>12</i> Office & Building CLOSED 6:45-9:00 Rotary Winter Wonderland Event	<i>13</i>
<i>14 3rd Day of Advent</i> 9:00 WORSHIP 10:00 GLOW/RISE/FLAME 10:00 Refresh in God's Word 6:00 GLOW Xmas Practice	<i>15</i> Office Closed NEWSLETTER DEADLINE 7:00 AI-Anon	<i>16</i> 10:00 Staff Christmas 1:00 Altruism 1:00 Personnel Mtg 7:00 Boy Scouts #382	<i>17</i> 9:00 Elizabeth Circle 5:30 Confirmation Class 6:00 NA Meeting in CR 6:30 Choir	<i>18</i> 8:00 Piece Corps 9:00 Conference Pastors Meeting in UR	<i>19</i> Office CLOSED	<i>20</i> 10:00 GLOW Christmas Rehearsal 4:00 PM GLOW Christmas Program Potluck to follow
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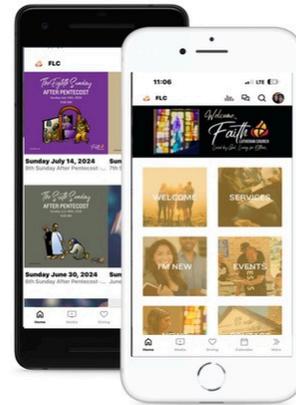
Service Time:
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