

October 18, 2026

The Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

W E L C O M E

We are grateful you are with us this morning
and pray for God's blessings on you this day.

We are Christ's family, rooted in faith,
guided by God's Word,
and called to share Jesus' love.

Weekly Meetings & Services

Traditional 8:00am // Contemporary 10:30am

MONDAY

Titus 2 Bible Study // 1st & 3rd week at 9:30am

THURSDAY

Thursday Bible Study // 10:00am
GriefShare // 2:00pm

TUESDAY

Quilters // 2nd & 4th week at 9:00am
Men of Faith // 1st & 3rd week at 6:00pm

SATURDAY

Women in Action Ministry // 1st week at 9:30am

SUNDAY

Adult Bible Study // 9:15am
Kids of Faith // Confirmation // High School Bible Study // 9:15am
Prayer Group // 2:00pm

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This Week at Church

Today:

**Adult Bible Study, Kids of Faith,
HS Bible Study, Confirmation:**

9:15am

Prayer Group: 2:00pm

Monday, October 19

Titus 2 Bible Study: 9:30am

Tuesday, October 20

Men of Faith: 6:00pm

Thursday, October 22

Thursday Bible Study: 10:00am

GriefShare: 2:00pm

Pastor's Book Club: 6:00pm

Saturday, October 24

Fall Caroling: 2:00pm

Trunk or Treat: 4:00pm

In Our Prayers

Health & Recovery: Eddie and Sandra Rueda, Gayle Hosier, Kira Johnston, Doris, Diana Brunette, Debbie U., Castillo Family, Colleen, Amy Marlette, Lisa Zoric, Lee Young, Joan G.

Comfort & Special Intentions: Judy Jamison, Elliott Runge, Anders & Bennett Hardin

Expectant Moms: Savannah Ertel

Homebound Members: Helen Farren, Billie Jean Malloy, Carol Petersen, Don Cooper

Serving the Armed Forces: Michael Gill, Harrison Grady, George Hinton, Jacob Lezon, Billy Pelger, Alex Smith, Caroline Pinto.

Confirmands: Bella Andrews, Sienna Bok, Maddie Jarrell, Harper Knautz, Eddie Sulzer, Jane Tober, Bennett Tucker, Noelani Williams, Scarlett Jones, Sophia Kasinecz, Vinny Petrella

Please submit prayer requests via Faith App or email: secretaryatfaith@gmail.com



Titus 2 Women's Bible Study

Titus 2 Ladies Bible Study will be read and enjoying Psalms 11 - 17. Join us tomorrow at 9:30. Study together with these wonderful women of God and grow stronger in your faith.

Pastor's Book Club

Join us again this Thursday, 10/22 at 6:00pm in the fellowship hall for the conclusion of The Screwtape Letters. on October 22. we will meet in the fellowship hall. Our second book will be ***A Christmas Carol***, by Charles Dickens held November 5 & 19, sign-up and please start reading on your own.

Counters

We're counting on you! We need a few more volunteers to help count offerings after worship. This is an important behind the scene way to serve our church family. No experience necessary, training is provided. Contact the church office or request to join the Counting Ministry in the App!

Altar Guild

There will be an Altar Guild Meeting on Sunday, November 1 at 9:15am in the Cry Room to plan for the 2027 calendar year. Please consider helping to strengthen the Worship Pillar at Faith! Training is provided. We could really use some help after the second service with cleaning up! Please contact Debi Pelger for more information.

Upcoming Events

Joint Reformation Service @ St. Thomas RR
Sunday, October 25, 3:00pm

Quilters

Tuesday, October 27, 9:00am

Hymn Sing

Sunday, November 1, 7:45am

General Election held at Faith

Tuesday, November 3

Pastor's Book Club

Thursday, November 5, 5:00pm

Youth Event—Friendsgiving

Sunday, November 8, 6:00pm

Readings for the Week

Isaiah 45:1-7
1 Thessalonians 1
Matthew 22:15-22



Faith Birthday Blessings

Bob Cuthbert	October 18
Audrey Morris	October 19
Patty Baltz	October 21
Julian Poruban	October 24

Happy Anniversary

Chris & Deborah Corpus **25th** October 20

Attendance/Stewardship

Attendance: In-person: 183	Online: 40
Envelope: \$7,200.00	Plate: \$190.00
E-giving: \$2,358.37	Build. Fund: \$5,040.00
Love INC.: \$20.00	

The flowers on the altar given by

Deb Pelger

in celebration of her grandsons birth,

Anders and Bennett Hardin,

& her daughter, **Sarah Hardin's** birthday

Trunk or Treat

See you this Saturday, October 24 for Trunk or Treat beginning at 4pm. We have half of the cars needed to pass out treats, please consider hosting a car! If you would like to donate a bag of candy, please drop off to the church office by Tuesday, October 20. Goody bags, donuts, cider for our trunk or treaters. Bring your family, host a car, stay for the chili bar for our car hosts! Sign up in the app. or narthex!

Joint Reformation Service

Please join Faith along with our neighboring churches at St. Thomas Lutheran Church in Rocky River on Sunday, October 25 at 3:00pm for a Reformation Service. A German Sausage Supper will follow. St. Thomas is looking for a few more volunteers to bring a crockpot of sausage and sauerkraut. Desserts are welcome as well!

GriefShare ~ Surviving the Holidays

Grieving a Loss? Do you know someone who is? Consider joining us for the GriefShare, Surviving the Holidays Video seminar Saturday, Nov. 7th. Doors will open at 1pm. This is a video-based support event, designed to equip you with practical, biblical tools to navigate the holiday season. You'll have the opportunity for discussion and encouragement in a safe group setting. Contact Trish High: pahigh@att.net for more information or to register.

Faith Lutheran Church

Ways to Give:



Online

Visit **faithavon.com** and click **Give** to set up a one-time or recurring donation, or to make a payment.



QR CODE FOR THE FAITH APP

Scan the QR code to download our Faith App. From here you can set up your giving and stay in touch with what is happening at your church.



In Person

Whether it's cash or check, we appreciate your kindness. Please place your donations in the offering box in the narthex.

Kids Corner

Visit the Kid's Corner in the Narthex for Preschool and Preteen Christian Activities!

Traditional Service

Today:

Ushers: Dave Bowers & Bob Robertson

Lector: Julian High

Next Week: (10/25)

Ushers: Marc & Elizabeth Shick

Lector: Elizabeth Shick

Comm. Asst: Marc Shick

Comm. Helpers:

Music Leader: Anthony Fuoco

Tech Team:

House Audio: Kathleen Alexander

House Lyric Operator: MaLinda Johnson

Broadcast Sound Engineer: Dimaris Woolsey

Broadcast Operator:

Altar Guild: Mary Robertson, Jennifer Tucker

Counters: Deb Poruban & Bea Marlette

Kids Corner: Holly Mihok

Contemporary Service

Today:

Ushers: Elmer & John Andrews

Lector: Deb Poruban

Acolyte/Offering Asst: Bennett T./Thomas K.

Next Week: (10/25)

Ushers: Lauren Andrews & Joe Sears

Lector: Lauren Andrews

Comm. Asst.: Joe Sears

Common Cup: Jose Ocasio

Acolyte/Offering Asst: Sophia K./Emily K.

Praise Band: Brian Schuster ~ Leader

Brooklynn Tucker, MaLinda Johnson,
Stephanie Byneveldt, Bella Andrews, Karel
Castillo, Gabby Castillo

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