



**Sunday, June 19, 2022**

**Second Sunday after Pentecost**

*Serving us in worship today: Pastor: David Mayer;*

*Lay Reader: Kim Kauitzsch; Music: Judy Smith, Brad Bettis; Children's Church: Kim Kauitzsch; Ushers: Mike Andrews, Brandon Westerholm, Paul Kalkwarf, Robert Raetzsch, Ronnie Glenewinkel; AV: Matthew Fransen, Tim Bogisch*

### **Welcome to Worship!**

Welcome to Faith Lutheran Church, a people who love and follow Jesus Christ, our Lord! We are blessed and honored that you chose to be with us today! Our guests are encouraged to sign the red guestbook located at the Welcome Table in the entry hall. First time visitors, be sure to pick up a red welcome bag in the narthex.

We ask everyone to please complete the attendance sheet in the black folder and then pass it down the pew.

Children are invited to come forward for a special blessing before meeting for Children's Church. (Ages Pre-K through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade)

### **Prayer Cards**

You will find prayer request cards on the back of the pew in front of you. We ask that anyone needing special prayer please fill them out and place cards in the box located on the Welcome Table in the Narthex.

### **WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND OPENING PRAYER**

*Please Stand*

**OPENING HYMN: "O Day Full of Grace" LBW #161**

1) O day full of grace that now we see appearing on earth's horizon,  
Bring light from our God that we may be replete in his joy this season.  
God, shine for us now in this dark place; your name on our hearts emblazon.

2) O day full of grace, O blessed time, Our Lord on the earth arriving;  
Then came to the world that light sublime, Great joy for us all retrieving;  
For Jesus all mortals did embrace, All darkness and shame removing.

3) For Christ bore our sins, and not his own, when he on the cross was hanging;  
And then he arose and moved the stone, that we, unto him belonging,  
Might join with angelic host to raise our voices in endless singing.

4) God came to us then at Pentecost, his Spirit new life revealing,  
That we might no more from him be lost, all darkness for us dispelling.  
His flame will the mark of sin efface and bring to us all his healing.

5) When we on that final journey go that Christ is for us preparing,  
We'll gather in song, our hearts aglow, all joy of the heavens sharing,  
And walk in the light of God's own place, with angels his name adoring.

### **BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS:**

*The sign of the cross may be made in remembrance of your Baptism.*

**P:** In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C:** Amen.

**P:** Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C:** Amen.

**P:** *If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. (1 John 1: 8-9, ESV)*

*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

**P:** Most Merciful God,

**C:** We confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

**P:** In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all of our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ, he gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

**C:** Amen.

**HYMN OF PRAISE:** *"This is the Feast.."* Pg. 60 LBW

**P:** Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.

♪ This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain,  
Whose blood set us free to people of God.

This is the feast of victory of our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Power, riches, wisdom, and strength,  
and honor, blessing, and glory are his.

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Sing with all the people of God,  
And join in the hymn of all creation:  
Blessing, honor, glory, and might  
be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia alleluia, alleluia.

For the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia.

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. ♪

*You may be seated.*

**FIRST READING: Isaiah 65:1-9** (NIV)

"I revealed myself to those who did not ask for me;

I was found by those who did not seek me.

To a nation that did not call on my name,

I said, 'Here am I, here am I.'

<sup>2</sup>All day long I have held out my hands

to an obstinate people,

who walk in ways not good,

pursuing their own imaginations—

<sup>3</sup>a people who continually provoke me

to my very face,

offering sacrifices in gardens

and burning incense on altars of brick;

<sup>4</sup>who sit among the graves

and spend their nights keeping secret vigil;

who eat the flesh of pigs,  
and whose pots hold broth of impure meat;  
<sup>5</sup> who say, 'Keep away; don't come near me,  
for I am too sacred for you!'

Such people are smoke in my nostrils,  
a fire that keeps burning all day.

<sup>6</sup> "See, it stands written before me:  
I will not keep silent but will pay back in full;  
I will pay it back into their laps—

<sup>7</sup> both your sins and the sins of your ancestors,"  
says the LORD.

"Because they burned sacrifices on the mountains  
and defied me on the hills,

I will measure into their laps  
the full payment for their former deeds."

<sup>8</sup> This is what the LORD says:

"As when juice is still found in a cluster of grapes  
and people say, 'Don't destroy it,  
there is still a blessing in it,'

so will I do in behalf of my servants;  
I will not destroy them all.

<sup>9</sup> I will bring forth descendants from Jacob,  
and from Judah those who will possess my mountains;  
my chosen people will inherit them,  
and there will my servants live.

### **PSALM 3**    *To be read responsively*    *(NIV)*

<sup>1</sup> LORD, how many are my foes!  
How many rise up against me!

<sup>2</sup> Many are saying of me,  
"God will not deliver him."

<sup>3</sup> But you, LORD, are a shield around me,  
my glory, the One who lifts my head high.

<sup>4</sup> I call out to the LORD,  
and he answers me from his holy mountain.

<sup>5</sup> I lie down and sleep;  
I wake again, because the LORD sustains me.

<sup>6</sup> I will not fear though tens of thousands  
assail me on every side.

<sup>7</sup> Arise, LORD!

Deliver me, my God!

Strike all my enemies on the jaw;

break the teeth of the wicked.

<sup>8</sup> From the LORD comes deliverance.

May your blessing be on your people.

## **SECOND READING: Galatians 3:23-4:7 (NIV)**

<sup>23</sup> Before the coming of this faith, we were held in custody under the law, locked up until the faith that was to come would be revealed. <sup>24</sup> So the law was our guardian until Christ came that we might be justified by faith. <sup>25</sup> Now that this faith has come, we are no longer under a guardian.

<sup>26</sup> So in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith, <sup>27</sup> for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. <sup>28</sup> There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. <sup>29</sup> If you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.

<sup>4</sup> What I am saying is that as long as an heir is underage, he is no different from a slave, although he owns the whole estate. <sup>2</sup> The heir is subject to guardians and trustees until the time set by his father. <sup>3</sup> So also, when we were underage, we were in slavery under the elemental spiritual forces of the world. <sup>4</sup> But when the set time had fully come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, <sup>5</sup> to redeem those under the law, that we might receive adoption to sonship. <sup>6</sup> Because you are his sons, God sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, the Spirit who calls out, "Abba, Father." <sup>7</sup> So you are no longer a slave, but God's child; and since you are his child, God has made you also an heir.

*Please stand for the Holy Gospel.*

## **GOSPEL: Luke 8:26-39 (NIV)**

<sup>26</sup> They sailed to the region of the Gerasenes, which is across the lake from Galilee. <sup>27</sup> When Jesus stepped ashore, he was met by a demon-possessed man from the town. For a long time this man had not worn clothes or lived in a house, but had lived in the tombs. <sup>28</sup> When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell at his feet, shouting at the top of his voice, "What do you want with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, don't torture me!" <sup>29</sup> For Jesus had commanded the impure spirit to come out of the man. Many times it had seized him, and though he was chained hand and foot and kept under guard, he had broken his chains and had been driven by the demon into solitary places.

<sup>30</sup> Jesus asked him, **“What is your name?”**

“Legion,” he replied, because many demons had gone into him. <sup>31</sup> And they begged Jesus repeatedly not to order them to go into the Abyss.

<sup>32</sup> A large herd of pigs was feeding there on the hillside. The demons begged Jesus to let them go into the pigs, and he gave them permission. <sup>33</sup> When the demons came out of the man, they went into the pigs, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

<sup>34</sup> When those tending the pigs saw what had happened, they ran off and reported this in the town and countryside, <sup>35</sup> and the people went out to see what had happened. When they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone out, sitting at Jesus’ feet, dressed and in his right mind; and they were afraid. <sup>36</sup> Those who had seen it told the people how the demon-possessed man had been cured. <sup>37</sup> Then all the people of the region of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them, because they were overcome with fear. So he got into the boat and left.

<sup>38</sup> The man from whom the demons had gone out begged to go with him, but Jesus sent him away, saying, <sup>39</sup> **“Return home and tell how much God has done for you.”** So the man went away and told all over town how much Jesus had done for him.

A: The gospel of our Lord. C: Thanks be to God.

*You may be seated.*

## CHILDREN’S CHURCH

### MESSAGE

Pastor David Mayer

### HYMN OF THE DAY: **“Good, Good Father”**

1) I've heard a thousand stories  
Of what they think You're like  
But I've heard the tender whisper  
Of love in the dead of night  
You tell me that You're pleased  
And that I'm never alone

*Chorus*

You're a Good Good Father  
It's who You are  
It's who You are  
It's who You are  
And I'm loved by You  
It's who I am

It's who I am  
It's who I am

2) I've seen many searching for answers  
Far and wide  
But I know we're all searching for answers  
Only You provide  
'cause You know just what we need  
Before we say a word *(Chorus)*

*Bridge*

You are perfect in all of Your ways  
You are perfect in all of Your ways  
You are perfect in all of Your ways to us

3) Love so undeniable I can hardly speak  
Peace so unexplainable I can hardly think  
As You call me deeper still  
As You call me deeper still  
As You call me deeper still  
Into love love love *(Chorus)*

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## OFFERING

*(The offering plate will be passed down each pew with the help of our ushers.)*

*Please stand when offertory has begun.*

**OFFERTORY:** *"Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord..."* Pg. 66 LBW

**C:**     ♪ Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord,  
          and fill to the brim our cup of blessing.  
Gather a harvest from the seeds that were sown,  
          that we may be fed with the bread of life.  
          Gather the hopes and dreams of all;  
          unite them with the prayers we offer now.  
          Grace our table with your presence,  
          and give us a foretaste of the feast to come. ♪

**P:**     Let us pray. Most merciful God,

**C:**     We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us: ourselves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **APOSTLE'S CREED**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Please be seated.*

## **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

### **WORDS OF INSTITUTION and THE LORD'S PRAYER**

### **CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

*If you feel comfortable, you are invited to come to the altar rail for Holy Communion. Our ushers will direct you. Please bring your communion kit with you. If you would prefer to remain in your seats, you are welcome to celebrate Holy Communion in place.*

**COMMUNION HYMNS:** *"As the Grains of Wheat"* WOV #705

*"I Love Tell the Story"* LBW #390

## **POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

C: We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us, through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

*Please stand.*

**CLOSING HYMN:**    *"Crown Him with Many Crowns"*    LBW #170



1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;  
2 Crown him the vir - gin's Son, the God in - car - nate born,  
3 Crown him the Lord of love— be - hold his hands and side,  
4 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave



hark, how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own.  
whose arm those crim-son tro - phies won which now his brow a - dorn;  
rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied.  
and rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save.



A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,  
fruit of the mys - tic rose, yet of that rose the stem,  
No an - gels in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,  
His glo - ries now we sing, who died and rose on high,



and hail him as thy match-less king through all e - ter - ni - ty.  
the root whence mer - cy ev - er flows, the babe of Beth - le - hem.  
but down - ward bend their burn - ing eyes at mys - ter - ies so bright.  
who died, e - ter - nal life to bring, and lives that death may die.

5) Crown him the Lord of peace,  
Whose pow'r a scepter sways  
From pole to pole, that wars may cease,  
Absorbed in prayer and praise.  
His reign shall know no end  
And round his pierced feet  
Fair flow'rs of paradise extend Their  
fragrance ever sweet.

6) Crown him the Lord of years,  
The potentate of time,  
Creator of the rolling spheres,  
Ineffably sublime.  
All hail, Redeemer, hail!  
For thou hast died for me;  
They praise and glory shall not fail  
Throughout eternity.

**BENEDICTION**

**DISMISSAL**

A: Go In Peace To Love And Serve The Lord!

C: Thanks be to God!

## **SUNDAY MORNINGS AT FAITH**

Worship Service – 9:00 AM

*Fellowship on patio following worship*

Sunday School – 10:15-11:15 AM

- Pre K-5<sup>th</sup> Grade in Educational Wing
- Adult Sunday School- \* Old Testament Class in Activity Center  
\* New Testament Class in Sanctuary
- Lifebridge (Young Adult) meets in the Life Enrichment Center.

## **“WORDS OF FAITH” BROADCAST SUNDAYS AT 8 AM ON KWED 1580 AM RADIO**

Has been sponsored to the glory of God today by Faith Lutheran Church.

## **FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR**

Have been given to the glory of God by Mike and Candi Andrews in celebration of their 39<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

## **WEEKLY ATTENDANCE AND OFFERINGS:**

Attendance on June 12 was 128; Month to Date (June): **\$22,248.00**; YTD Offerings and Misc. **\$209,049.28** (2022 budgeted offerings is **\$488,775.00**)

## **THIS WEEK AT FAITH**

Monday, June 20	Prayer Group	10:15 AM
Monday, June 20	Charity Circle	7:00 PM
Tuesday, June 21	Men’s Bible Study	7:30 AM
Tuesday, June 21	Staff Mtg.	9:00 AM
Tuesday, June 21	Love Circle	9:30 AM
Wednesday, June 22	Quilters	9:00 AM (AC)
Wednesday, June 22	FLY	6-8:00 PM

## **WORKERS FOR NEXT WEEK**

Sunday, June 26: Ushers: Ed Engelhardt, Missy Sagebiel, Pat Sagebiel, Ben Weise, Roy Biediger; Lay Reader: Emma Jean Becker; Greeters: Gail Herbold, John Kuempel; AV: Andrew Kuehne, Diane Gwyther; Count: Pat Sagebiel, Jud Alexander; Lock Up: Jody Alexander; Communion set up: NA; Communion clean up NA

## **NEW MEMBERS**

Pastor Mayer will hold a New Member class for those interested in becoming members of Faith! Please see Pastor if you are interested! Text or call him at 830-426-9146.

## **CHRISTIAN CUPBOARD**

Thank you to those of you who have been dropping off items for the Christian Cupboard. Our June item will be **canned meat**, any variety or brand. Total number of items collected as of June 15 is 6.

### **PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:**

Julie Sagebiel	Judy Saunders	Nora Lavelett
Carolyn Sagebiel	Walt Fruehling	Ronnie Glenewinkel
Kelton Lange	Gladys Fruehling	Sandy Wille
Correen Dube	Donald Jackson	Harold Bogisch
Brad Flippin	Steve Foerster	Georgie Dittrich
David Moltz	Mike Andrews	The country of Ukraine
U.S. military men and women		The community of Uvalde, TX

### **SAVE THE DATES**

- VBS – June 27th – July 1<sup>st</sup>
- FLY BEACH GATHERING – July 17<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>

### **PRESCHOOL HELP**

Our preschool staff is looking for a small group of volunteers to help with some "honey do" projects that occasionally come up around campus. This "**work crew**" would not need to meet every week, but maybe a semi-regular basis when there are small jobs that come up.

**PLEASE** see director Lisa Owen if you are interested in helping!

830-379-7074



### **PRESCHOOL NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Office Depot is giving back to schools.** When making a purchase in-store or on-line of (qualifying school supplies), provide Faith Lutheran Preschool's ID #70247418 and we will receive 5% back in credit for free supplies. Go to [www.officedepot.com/cm/school-supplies/give-back](http://www.officedepot.com/cm/school-supplies/give-back) to see the qualifying supply list.

Faith Lutheran Preschool is currently **looking for a Pre-K teacher**. A bachelor's degree in Education and experience is preferred. Requirements: must enjoy smiles, hugs, and laughter, must be loving, energetic, and patient; will be responsible for planning lessons and communicating with parents; CPR and first aid training will be needed.

FLP is **also in search of a Pre-K teacher's aide**. Experience in childcare is preferred. Requirements: must enjoy smiles, hugs, and laughter, must be loving, energetic, and patient; will assist the Pre-K teacher in the classroom and on the playground; will help with extended care in the afternoons and throughout the summer. CPR and first aid training will be needed.

### **PHOTO DIRECTORY**



We are still missing **several PICTURES** for our printable/digital Church Directory!

Please send your family or individual pictures to [communications@faithsequin.org](mailto:communications@faithsequin.org)

to get them included! You are also free to just grab Roxanne after service and have her take a quick photo of you!

### **LCMC TEXAS DISTRICT ANNUAL GATHERING**

Information and registration forms for the annual gathering are available on the Welcome Table in the Narthex. The gathering will be held in Victoria on July 29-30. The theme this year is PRAY EARNESTLY based on Matthew 9:38: *"Therefore, pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."*

A special Youth Gathering will once again be held for ALL middle and high school Students. Information is available for both the Youth Gathering and the District Gathering at <https://www.lcmctexas.org/annual-gathering/>

### **DOROTHY "DOT" (WIENECKE) DAY (November 27, 1930 – June 11, 2022)**

After 91 years of life full of God's infinite blessings, Dorothy Wienecke Day (Dot) went to be with the Lord on June 11, 2022. She was born in San Antonio, TX on November 27, 1930 to the late Archie and Bessie Itz Wienecke. She was raised in San Antonio where she was confirmed at Zion Lutheran Church in 1944 and graduated from Thomas Jefferson High School in 1947. She then attended Texas Lutheran College in Seguin, TX where she was a member of the choir and met the love of her life, G. P. (Geep) Day. They were married in 1950 at Zion Lutheran Church and moved to Seguin where they made their home for 69 years until Geep's passing in 2019. Dot worked at Randolph Air Force Base in the finance department until 1958 and chose to become a full time Mom for her two sons. She was very involved in all their school and after school activities as well as the family's many wonderful summer trips. Dot was also very involved serving in church activities and helping Geep with their growing rental property business. She returned to work in 1975 serving as the secretary in the counseling office at Seguin High School until 1986 when she retired with the arrival of her first grandchildren. Besides spoiling them, she also stayed busy at Faith Lutheran Church participating in the choir, Wednesday Quilters and Via de Christo. Texas Lutheran University was also important to Dot where she and Geep were members of the Presidents Associates and they established the G. P. & Dorothy Wienecke Day Educational Scholarship. Geep and Dot loved traveling throughout the USA and overseas making friends wherever they visited. They enjoyed many cruises, especially their last in 2010 celebrating their 60th anniversary with their children and grandchildren. She loved her family very much and will be greatly missed by all of them.

She is survived by her two sons, Joel (Vanessa) of San Antonio and Jack (Lindsay) of Corpus Christi and four grandchildren, Bruce Day and Brooke (Deacon) Wetherill of San Antonio, and Kylie Day and Kelsey (Hunter) Ramos and her Mother, Louise Day of Corpus Christi. She is also survived by her great grandson, George Wetherill.

The family would like to thank Allie Martinez and her staff for the loving care they provided for her and the rest of the family would like to thank Joel and Vanessa for all the help, care and love for Mom throughout the years.

**Visitation will be held on Tuesday, June 21st from 10-11 am at the Sunset Funeral Home Chapel. A celebration of Dot's life will be held at Sunset Funeral Chapel, 1701 Austin Hwy on Tuesday, June 21st at 11:00 am with internment afterwards following in the Sunset Mausoleum. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Parkinson's Disease Foundation ([www.pdf.org](http://www.pdf.org)) or the G. P. & Dorothy Wienecke Day Scholarship Fund, c/o Texas Lutheran University, 1000 West Court St., Seguin, TX 78155**