

The Resurrection of Our Lord- Easter Sunday ***April 5, 2026***



Welcome to Faith Lutheran Church!

The Lutheran Church — Missouri Synod

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Our Mission Statement

“We live Christ’s love and proclaim His salvation to our community and world through Word and Sacraments.”

Announcements and Welcome

Passing of the Peace

Opening Hymn

I Know that My Redeemer Lives – LSB 461 (vs. 1-4)

Invocation

Confession and Absolution

Faithful Ringers **(8:00)**

An Easter Celebration

Scripture Readings

1 Corinthians 15:1-11 [ESV] — Pew Bible p. 1142

John 20:1-18 [ESV] — Pew Bible p. 1077

Children's Message:

Hymn of the Day

Jesus Christ is Risen Today – LSB 457

Sermon

Apostles' Creed

Offering

Prayers of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Sacrament of the Altar

(Children are invited upstairs to sing; everyone is welcome to sing along!)

Children's Choir

Alive, Alive

Distribution Hymns

Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain – LSB 487

Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won – LSB 490

He's Risen, He's Risen – LSB 480

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Benediction

Closing Hymn

I Know that My Redeemer Lives – LSB 461 (vs. 5-8)

Postlude

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY

Organist:	Will Otten
Altar Guild:	Kimberly Neubauer & Kim Robbins
Greeters: 8:00	Sam & Debbie Goldammer
10:30	Jim & Debbie Nichols
Acolytes: 6:30	TBD
8:00	TBD
10:30	TBD
Audio/Visual: 6:30 & 8:00	Ryan Jones
10:30	Chris Shaefer
Reader: 6:30	Linda Hardwick
8:00	Nancy Cowan
10:30	Inge Gauck
Ushers: 6:30	Team 2
8:00	Team 3
10:30	Team 4
Assisting with Communion: 6:30	Pat Martens
8:00	Ron Scott, Dustin Byrum, Mike Scheperle
10:30	Tom Neubauer, Matt Skelton, Kevin Duncan
Counters:	Don & Joyce Ittner, Debbie Nichols

Welcome to Faith Lutheran

We are glad that you are here to worship with us! Guests wishing to commune with us for the first time are asked to refer to the back of our yellow cards in the pew racks, *Who Are We?* We offer both alcoholic (red) and non-alcoholic (white) wine, and gluten-free host is available upon request.

Families with Infants and Toddlers: Thank you for bringing your little ones to church! We're glad you're here! We offer a nursery on the lower level by the elevator, staffed during the Sunday School/Bible Class hour and late morning service. We also have a Cry Room located on the main level by the elevator.

Is it hard to hear the worship service?

Faith Lutheran Church has two options for those desiring hearing assistance.

1. Download the "AudioFetch" app on your phone and listen to the worship service through your own hearing aids. Scan this QR code to get the app, or ask an usher for help:



2. Listen to the worship service using a church-supplied earbud and portable sound-enhancing device. Ask an usher for more information.

This Week at Faith

Today	6:30 a.m.	Easter Sunrise Service Easter Sweets in the Fellowship Hall (All morning)
	8:00 a.m.	Easter Worship Service*
	9:30 a.m.	Flowering of the Cross
	10:30 a.m.	Easter Worship Service
Monday		Office Closed Easter Monday
	9:00 a.m.	Pickleball (C)
	1:15 p.m.	Artists Helping Artists
	5:30 p.m.	Faithful Ringers
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Kiddie Gym Time
	1:00 p.m.	Christian Book Club
	5:00 p.m.	Pickleball (R/C)
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Pickleball (C)
	9:00 a.m.	Dorcas Hand Quilters
	11:00 a.m.	Prayer Group
	5:30 p.m.	Jr. Youth Dinner & Activity
	6:15 p.m.	Faith Choir Practice
	6:30 p.m.	Confirmation Class
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Men's Coffee
	4:00 p.m.	Scrappy Quilters
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Pickleball - C
	9:30 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study
	5:00 p.m.	Faith Women's Retreat @ Heit's Point
	5:00 p.m.	Pickleball (R/C)
Saturday	7:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study @ Dunn Bros. Coffee Faith Women's Retreat @ Heit's Point
Next Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Worship Service*
	9:00 a.m.	Fellowship
	9:30 a.m.	SS/Bible Class
	10:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	12:00 p.m.	LWML Meeting
	3:00 p.m.	Memory Care Support Group

HYGIENE SUPPLIES FOR PANAMA

The Panama Mission Team will be collecting supplies for their June trip. Donated supplies can be dropped off in the designated location in the narthex. The team is only collecting the following items: toothbrushes, toothpaste, bar soap, deodorant, band-aids and Neosporin ointment.

The deadline for the applications for Church Worker Study Grants is coming. If you would like an application, they are on the bulletin board in the narthex. Contact Elaine Erhart at elaineerhart@yahoo.com or 573-291-1635 if you have any questions. The deadline is April 15.

NEW CHILDREN'S BOOK Our own member, Pastor John Ninke, has written and published a picture book for young children, ***For God So Loved the Whos (and) You!*** : A ***Whimsical Retelling of John 3:16-17.*** This delightful, colorful book is on display in the library.

ATTENTION Faith LWMLers!

BIG change of plans for our April 12th meeting! We will carpool to Brooke Edwards "Kountry Roots" boutique for lunch and shopping. We will leave church at 12 noon, SHARP! You must RSVP on or before Monday, April 6th to Debbie at 573-353-1664.

Flowering of the Cross

Today at 9:30 in the sanctuary. Jesus ROSE from the dead so bring your TULIPS and make a joyful noise unto the Lord.

EASTER SWEETS

LWML is serving donuts, pastries, and coffee in the Fellowship Hall this morning! . Stop by and enjoy a treat.



FINAL BREAKFAST OF THE SCHOOL YEAR AT WEST ELEMENTARY

Faith Lutheran will be providing breakfast for West Elementary School on Thursday, April 23. Items should be delivered by 7:15 a.m. The menu will consist of breakfast casseroles, pastry tray, breakfast bread tray, fresh fruit and juices. Please reach out to Joyce Ittner at 573-690-3969 (call or text) if you would like to provide any of the above items.

**Spring Voters
Assembly Meeting
Sunday, April 19th @ Noon
Church Sanctuary**

New Adult Sunday School Class
Beginning Sunday, April 12, the Parlor Sunday School class will be studying Anxious for Nothing: Finding Calm in a Chaotic World by Max Lucado. In this study, Max Lucado explores God's treatment plan for anxiety found in Philippians 4:4-8.

Early Communicants

We pray God's richest blessings on our 6th, 7th and 8th graders who have completed the Communion class.

*Cyril Boyum, Will Byrum,
Chism Edwards, Miles Harris,
Adelaine Helton, Adam Jones,
Jonathan Jones, Rainna Knotts,
Katherine Kuhlmann,
Eloisa Moberly, Decker Shaefer,
Ingrid Skelton, and Brooxie West.*

Upcoming Youth Events



**CONFIRMATION
DINNER &
ACTIVITY**
**APRIL 8TH
5:30PM**



jr youth **RETREAT** HEIT'S POINT LUTHERAN MINISTRIES
SIGN UP BY APRIL 27

\$50 per youth
MAY 29-31 • LEAVE FAITH @ 8:00 AM

**Annual Youth
Rummage Sale
June 5 – 6th**

Early shopping for Faith members on **Thursday June 4th.**

Drop-off beginning May 17th!

Due to other events please do not drop off items before May 18th!

**Not accepting mattresses,
car seats or old TV's.**

Thank you!!

Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) will be held on **May 30th – June 1st, 2026** at Faith Lutheran Church, Jefferson City, MO. TEC is a three-day retreat for teens AND adults that allows them to encounter the presence of Christ in their lives in a unique way. If you want to find out more about this amazing opportunity to grow in your faith, please visit our website, www.heartofmotec.com, which has a lot of information about TEC, or contact Margaret Monson at 573-690-1825 or Sam Ziegelbein at 573-680-6887 or email TEC at heartofmotec@gmail.com. We can send a digital application if you'd like one. Please prayerfully consider supporting this important ministry with your prayers, by attending, or by donating needed items.

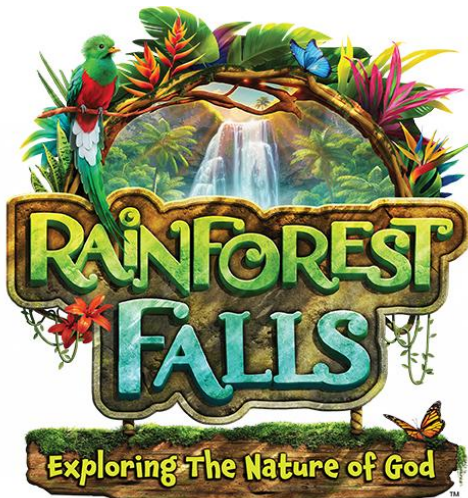


Faith Lutheran Women's Retreat

5:00 pm Friday, April 10 -
3:00 pm Saturday, April 11
Heit's Point Lutheran Camp



Registration forms available in Narthex



Save the Date!
VBS- July 13-16, 2026



Prayer Requests

LC Stalcup, Emmalyn Brandl, Mike Frazier, Margaret Christie, Emily Freeman, Chaplain Jim Mueller, Tiffany Meadows, Noah Ramirez, Family of Matthew Howard



Celebrating Birthdays This Week

Margaret Monson, Joanna Smith, Sophia Boyum, Kathy Klutz, Dawsyn Edwards, Stephanie Byrum, Inge Gauck, Clara Haenchen, Josh Hagemeyer, Gage Pavely, Beth Rodeman, Andrea Dunn, Alex Fischer

Last Weeks' Attendance & Weekly Offering

Sunday Service Attendance: 8:00 – 201 / 10:30 – 157 / **Total - 358**

Sunday School & Bible Class – 125

Offering: Regular & Building - \$13,321.50/ Special \$1,971.34
(3/25) Lenten Wednesday Offering: \$460

Year-to-Date Contributions through February 2026

Actual Contributions \$188,842

Budgeted Contributions \$157,542

Over / (Under) \$ 31,300

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