



Altar Flowers are provided today by *Chris Loperfido In Celebration of the Birthday of her son Scott*

Adult Sunday Morning Bible Class - "*Spiritual Conversation*"

NOVEMBER – 3, 10, 17, 24

At His resurrection, Jesus told his followers, "*But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.*" (Acts 1:8)

Join Don Reschke as he leads this bible class at 9:45 am to help the followers of Christ be an effective witness to others through a Lutheran Hour Ministries video series with some individual participation. Learn where you are as a spiritual conversationalist and the tools to help you witness around you.



The Annual Bake Sale Fundraiser is TODAY, before, during and after both church services. The bake sale proceeds will benefit **Faith Youth Group's attendance at the 2025 Youth Convention as well as LCMS Disaster Relief** to support those impacted by the recent hurricanes. **IOUs available!**

Men's Breakfast Group

Join us as we start the day together in fellowship!

When: **Tuesday, November 5th @ 7am**

Where: **Browncroft Diner, 2501 Browncroft Blvd**



It is intended to gather men of all ages together at the beginning of the day. Whether you are on your way to work, enjoying retirement, dropping the kids off at school or just taking a mental health day, we all deal with a variety of stresses in this life. It is for that reason we are encouraging you to gather on the first Tuesday of each month from 7am to 8am, for a time of **fellowship, encouragement, a brief devotion and of course breakfast.**



Operation Christmas Child time is here! Help children in communities affected by disaster and poverty by filling shoeboxes with special hygiene, school and personal items; and add messages to help them know the caring love of Jesus. Look for the Christmas Child Boxes in the Concourse

this morning or pick up your boxes during the week in the church office. All boxes are pre-filled by our Mission Board and a Thrivent grant with toothbrushes, hair brushes, combs, soap and washcloths. There will be suggestions for you to personalize the box with toys, school supplies and other special age-appropriate items.

The return dates for the boxes are November 10th and 17th.

You may contact Karen Wright, 377-4414 or Laurie Ebbecke, 671-7285 for additional information.

Our annual **Thanksgiving basket** project has begun! We are filling 60 baskets!! **Please let the church office know by Nov 17th if you, or a family you know, need a basket.**

The sign-up is online at faithpenfield.org or:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0544AF2EABFD0-52650735-mission#/> and will close on Nov 17th. **Feel free to call the church office if you cannot sign up online and Kris will help you.** All items must be at church by Friday, Nov 22nd. Black bins will be in the

Thanksgiving Baskets



Concourse where donations are to be placed. Items can be dropped off in the Concourse beginning Nov 3rd until the final drop off day of Nov 22th.

We will be packing and delivering the Thanksgiving baskets on Saturday, Nov 23rd at 10:00am. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Marguerite McKee at 585-506-6174 or margueritemckee58@gmail.com.

Thanksgiving Basket Items Requested

Canned Corn	Crackers
Canned Green Beans	Canned Fruit Cocktail
Boxed Rice	2 liter Bottled Juice
Boxed Stuffing	\$70 Donation (full meal)
Gravy (cans or jars)	\$35 Donation (1/2 meal)
Canned Cranberry Sauce	



The Thanksgiving pie sale is already online. Pickup will be from **2 to 6 pm, Tuesday, November 26** at First Baptist (Penfield Road, just east of Five Mile Line Rd.) Our taste testers report that there will be FIVE flavors, *baked, not frozen*, from a new vendor this

year. Flavors are: Pumpkin (\$22), Dutch Apple (\$22), Pecan (\$23), Apple Cranberry (\$23), and Fruits of the Forrest (\$23) (a mix of strawberry, rhubarb, apple, and red & black raspberry). Both debit and credit cards are accepted. **The last day to order is Sunday, November 17!**



The web page for ordering is: <https://donate.grhabitat.org/penfieldpies24>

Contact Ed Wright at 585-667-1122 for help or late pickup.

We also report that we have -- and have posted on the Missions Bulletin Board -- a list of November, December and January dates when you can **volunteer to work at a TBA construction site.**

You can also volunteer to work at one of the three **RESTORE STORES.** Sign ups for both start at the GRhabitat.org site then choose <volunteer> then <individual> then make choices.

Hint: If you already have an account, <sign in> at the top.

Thanks for your support!

October 27th Worship Attendance

In-Person: 248 Livestream: 108 Total: 356

November 10th Scriptures

Gospel: Luke 12:35-40

Epistle: Ephesians 5:15-17

Old Testament: Psalm 90:12

Children's & Family Ministry Announcements

Sunday School 2024-2025

Sunday School is available to children age 4-6th Grade. Sunday School is offered every Sunday from 9:45-10:40am. Please see the schedule located on the Children's Ministries bulletin board in the concourse each week for your child's classroom location.



Sunday School offerings are donated to charitable organizations. Offering envelopes are located in the baskets in each Sunday School class. All offerings are greatly appreciated!

SAVE THE DATES!



Our Annual Gingerbread House Event will be held on Thursday, **December 12th!** Pizza dinner will be served at 5:45pm followed by Gingerbread House decorating. We ask that each family bring a bag of candy and contribute \$15 per house. Families are asked to RSVP on the sign up sheet

located in the book in the concourse by December 1st to ensure we have enough houses.

The **Christmas Pageant** will be held on **December 15th** during the 10:45am service. Sunday School students will practice for the pageant during Sunday school classes beginning in November, so please try to attend as many classes as possible.

Kidz Konnect will resume after the holidays for 4th-6th grade students.

Faith Lutheran Youth (FLY) Announcements

Thank you...

-To Steph Johnson for leading last week's "Improv Comedy Night!" It was a night full of laughter and fun!

Jr. FLY Confirmation Class Resumes TODAY @ 9:45-10:40am

7th & 8th grade students are reading through The Story on Sundays with Pastor Peter and Mark Harstad. *No class today.

Sunday Morning Sr. FLY Class Resumes TODAY @ 9:45-10:40am

This month, the class will meet in the FLY Room to "explode our Bibles!" Bring your Bible from home or use a new Bible as we're going to make it super easy to find certain verses about anxiety, fear, encouragement, hope, wisdom, and peace. It's going to be a great time!

FLY Bake Sale – TODAY!

Purchase baked goods this morning in our Concourse in support of FLY and Lutheran World Relief. Thank you for your support!



Jr. FLY Switch Party – Sunday, Nov. 10 @ 5:30pm

Come play Mario Kart in the FLY Room on Sunday, Nov. 10 from 5:30-7pm! We'll play tournament style and there will be prizes for the winners (& losers)! We'll enjoy pizza, too! Bring your friends to this fun party in the FLY Room and it will lead right into Sunday Night FLY that evening!

Sunday Night FLY "Cookies for College Students" – Nov. 10

Help us send boxes of cookies to our FLY college students all over the country! We ask every FLYer to bring 2 dozen homemade cookies to SNFLY on Nov. 10. We'll write care cards and fill boxes with cookies & other items for our college students. Then we'll play games together for the rest of the evening! Bring friends and cookies to this awesome event!

*About Sunday Night FLY (SNFLY):

Youth in grades 7-12 meet on the 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month from 7-8:45pm in the FLY Room from Sept-June! We worship together, read God's Word, talk in small groups, play large group games, eat lots of food, and more! The nightly topics are always relevant for teens as we grow together in our relationships with God & others. The FLY Café is open from 6:30-9 where youth can purchase candy, soda, t-shirts, and other FLY merch. (Popcorn is always FREE!) Spin the Birthday Wheel for a fun birthday surprise! The Nintendo Switch, air hockey, and foosball games can be played before and after Sunday Night FLY. Friends are always welcome!



STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE FROM THE FAITH LEADERSHIP BOARD

The ongoing operations of Faith rely entirely on the generosity of the congregation to provide the funding support for the ministries that are so important to us and the community in which we serve.

We give thanks to God for your gifts to the general operating fund. We experienced a 4% unfavorable variance in envelope giving for the month of September resulting in a year-to-date unfavorable budget variance of \$1,512 which represents a budget variance of less than 1%. We look forward to your prayerful and continued support of the many ministries of Faith that allow us to continue to "Connect, Grow and Serve".

Paul reminds us in 1 Corinthians 4: 1 & 2, "This how is how one should regard us, as servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God. Moreover, it is required of stewards that they be found faithful."

FAITH'S STEWARDSHIP RESPONSE FOR PRIOR MONTH:

ENVELOPE GIVING					
September 2024	Voter Approved Budget	Actual	Variance from Budget	% Variance	Prior Year Actual
Monthly Total	\$52,000	\$49,741	(\$2,259)	-4%	\$44,108
Year-to-Date Total	\$492,500	\$490,988	(\$1,512)	0%	\$484,106

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Celebrating Birthdays This Week

- 11/3 Ben Krenzer, Maizey Mitchell, Amelia Natemeier, Lois Smith
- 11/4 Sandie Palmer
- 11/6 Paul Aspenleiter
- 11/7 Charles Arnone, Francesca Foster, James Gerlach

Celebrating Anniversaries This Week

- 11/5 Martin & Kathy Hardisky, Dick & Roxanne Leshhorn
- 11/7 Lance & Dana Schultz
- 11/8 Raymond & Ann Linder
- 11/9 Mark & Rachel (Maschoff) Trova

Ongoing Prayers

Faith Members and Friends

Tim Albert, Cory Alberti, Cris Alello, Sandi Banning, Dan Behnfeltdt, Ruth Behnfeltdt, Diann Berndt, Mary Bohn, Sue & Guy Brown, Glenn Collins, Torrence Couture, Sam Falzone, Ruth Feasel, Marcia Freeman, John Glenn, Jackie Johnson, George Kuipers, June Leibring, Hayden Lincoln, Aram Mangerian, Donna Pellnat, Daryl Pichan, Lois Ronnenberg, Wayne Samuels, Catharine Schmidt, Mary Schutte, Ellen Smurthwaite, Ida Stiner, Eric Sykes, Ronald Uecker, Diane Wagner, Bob Welk, Penny Wheeler, Bob Wyman

Those in Care Facilities

Mary Bohn	The Landing of Brighton
June Leibring	Baywinde (Webster)
Ed Lindskoog	Baywinde (Webster)
Bert & Brigitta Lux	Heathwood (Penfield)
Sally Schooley	Maplewood (Webster)
Ida Stiner	Brentland (Henrietta)

Serving in the Military

Ryan Brink	Nephew of Terry & Penny Wheeler
Will Brown	Friend of Charlie Arnone
Sean Dempsey	Nephew of Ed & Marsha Freeman
Thomas DiMiero	Son of Paul DiMiero
Elizabeth Flint	Niece of Jon & Terry Allen
Michael Flint	Nephew of Jon & Terry Allen
Jasigha Garrett	Nephew of Taylor Saunders-Garrett
Aaron Johnstone	Godson of Lisa Sykes
Ben Krenzer	Son of William & Barbara Krenzer
Paul Krenzer	Son of William & Barbara Krenzer
Andrew Lindskoog	Son of David & Cathy Lindskoog Grandson of Ed Lindskoog
Alexander Mangerian	Son of Peter Mangerian & Laura Mangerian-Smith Grandson of Elisabeth Mangerian
Lauren Marcum	Niece of Dick & Roxanne Leschhorn
Marques Marion	Former Assistant Teacher at FCCNS
Tim Monczynski	Son-In-Law of Ed & Marsha Freeman
Jake Moszkowicz	Neighbor of Diane Van Auken
Mattie McDonough	Son of John & Carolyn McDonough
Alana Nicole Neves	Niece of Dick & Roxanne Leschhorn
Quaysean Odom	Relative of Elisabeth Mangerian
Omar Parkinson	Son-in-law of Sharon Davenport
Kayla Petteway	Relative of Elisabeth Mangerian

Extended Family and Friends

Cathy's Husband, Jessica, Vanmany Banks, Celia Butterhold, Rick Campoli, Rich Causey, Bill Cerveney, Rebecca Cronk, Natasha Doebler & daughter, Gary Doty, Sarah Flint, Kevin Fries, Elynn Haden, Karen Keiter, Don Kot, Jeremy LaFond, Jan Maynard, Scott McCarthy, Elizabeth Samuels-McGahey, Thelma McKee, Ed McMaster, Edward Menzies, Jeffrey Menzies, Scott Menzies, Trey Michel, John Mirabito, Rick Monczynski, George New, Mark Niemeir, Ed Oliver, Domenica Panichia, Kevin Patterson, Nancy Perry, Sue Provencher, Mike Radigan, Heikki Rantakari, Tom Scott, Beverly Soanes, Susan Spano, Jason Stagliano, Mike & Nancy Stirling, Cathy Storm, Phil Tallenger, Jim & Jacquie Van Auken, Larry Wagner, Sue Weatherall, John Woods, those affected by Hurricanes Helene and Milton