

## Faith Lutheran Church - Volume 3, Issue 8 - August, 2019

### *August - Ready, Set, Go!*

This wonderful month includes lasts and firsts. We enjoy the last parts of summer vacation. Families with children at home are taking that one last event or trip before school and activities start again. Others are considering the projects and trips now that families with children are a bit more close to home.

Here at Faith we are taking one more reprieve before the schedules begin again. Are you ready? We are!

**August 4<sup>th</sup>:** We will start August with worship at Faith and at **Ingham Lake Bible Camp**. We will have an abbreviated service with communion at 9:00 a.m. at Faith and then another worship service at 11:00 a.m. at Ingham Lake Bible Camp Chapel. After worship at Ingham Lake we will enjoy a potluck lunch along with an afternoon of fun and relaxation. Bring along your favorite outdoor gear, which may include a lawn chair, and enjoy the afternoon in the pleasant surroundings of camp. For those who need a map to get there, we have maps ready for you at the Welcome Center and

on page 5 of this newsletter!

School starts by the end of the month for many. The preK - 12th grade children and youth will be invited forward for a **special blessing** in worship on Sunday, **August 18**.

#### **Sunday School begins August 25 with Rally Day.**

This is a great day to see the classrooms and meet the teachers!

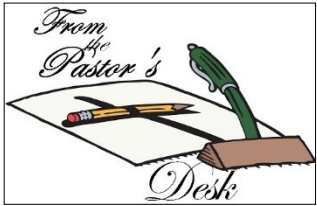
**Faith Fund Day** will also be on **August 25**. Faith now has a team of 5 who help manage and distribute funds for either Endowment or Gifts & Memorials. Plan to spend time after worship visiting with this team about opportunities to give.

**WoW! and LifeKids begins** the following Wednesday, **August 28**. Look for more information as we gear up for another year of mid-week after-school programming and worship.

Enjoy the blessings from God! See you soon!

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# Is Faith church successful?

In normal discussion at our last Faith Council meeting in July, we

spent some time reflecting on an interesting statistic from our congregation's records. In the last five years, while membership continues to grow, our average Sunday morning worship attendance is decreasing. Why?

Symptomatically, what does the smaller number of regular worshippers tell us? Perhaps the larger question is, "How do we measure "success" as a congregation, as a local "body of Christ?"

The local congregation is a spiritual organism, not an organization, and not a business. Statistics do not tell the whole story, but they tell us something. What is decreased worship attendance telling us? Are Sunday morning worship numbers alone the *exclusive* measure of spiritual success?

As your pastor, honestly the first question I ask myself is -- Am I doing a faithful job as Faith's pastor? Am I still the right leader? Am I still effective in my role as the congregation's spiritual shepherd? Though moments of self-doubt flow through me, and though I am far from perfect, I do not believe that the success or struggle of a congregation is the pastor's alone. I pray that I am faithful in sharing the message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, week in and week out. I pray that I am working with congregational leadership to implement the strategic plan that the congregation affirmed as our mutual short-term goal.

Here are some questions I offer to broaden our definition of success . . .

How many worshippers attend each Sunday morning? Do our members attend regularly and faithfully?

What percentage of our members have daily devotions to read God's Word and pray?

What percentage of our members attend Bible study to continue to grow and

deepen in faith and the knowledge of God's Word?

How many members participate in "journey teams" or "faith friendships" to grow strong through the study of the Word, fellowship, faith dialogue, and prayer?

How many members serve within the congregation's ministry as volunteers in some capacity beyond Sunday worship? Or, how many members serve as volunteers in the community? Are the lay people of Faith carrying out the ministry of Jesus in daily life?

What is the level of giving financially per member to our congregation's fiscal needs? Is our congregation generous?

How many programs does our congregation have which bless and serve our community of Spencer?

Is our congregation's membership growing?

Does every member of Faith invite others to worship?

Do the members of Faith share their personal God-story with others?

The way to measure "success" is diverse, especially in the area of spiritual vitality. Pray for Faith, pray for her leaders, for her pastor, for her staff. Please feel free to share your thoughts, concerns, hopes and opinions with me or with any of our council members.

I am praying that the Lord continues to guide us as we seek to shine for Him!

Together in Christ's love,

*Pastor Lee*

Pastor Lee Laaveg



# Ingham Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camp offers the following . . .

## AT OKOBOJI

Family Camp #5	July 28 - Aug. 2
Quilt Auction/Scandinavian Fest	Aug. 2 and 3
Family Camp #6	Aug. 4-9
Fall Eldersversity	Sept. 9-11
Outreach Night	Oct. 6
Fall Recharge - 4th - 6th grades	Oct. 18-20

## AT INGHAM

Outdoor Advanced Camp (7-12th)	July 28 - Aug. 2
LiveWire Music Camp (7-12th)	July 28 - Aug. 2



For more information or to register for an event, please contact Registrar Sara at [registrar@okoboji.org](mailto:registrar@okoboji.org) or call 712-337-3306 or visit IOLBC's website at [www.okoboji.org](http://www.okoboji.org)

## *Birthdays*

<b>August 2</b>	Jolene Hansen Logan Klatt
<b>August 5</b>	Alyssa Dotson Isaac Rouse
<b>August 7</b>	Titian Coleman Mary Sembach Joe Simington
<b>August 8</b>	Kent Heazlett Shirley Nelson Mark Sorensen
<b>August 10</b>	Miles Lupkes Peggy Olson
<b>August 11</b>	Marge Nielsen
<b>August 12</b>	Raul Ortiz
<b>August 13</b>	Michael Ruhs
<b>August 16</b>	Garold Becker Dennis Larson
<b>August 18</b>	GA Darnell Autumn Erdman Thad McKenney Linda Susie
<b>August 19</b>	Alex Carlson Lydia Skadeland
<b>August 20</b>	Dale Brandt Marge Frad
<b>August 22</b>	Cindy Essick Larry Peterson Mike Trierweiler

<b>August 23</b>	Carissa Doran Jackson Eilts
<b>August 24</b>	Diane Allen Ryan Crew Darren Piercy
<b>August 25</b>	Nancy Ketcham
<b>August 26</b>	Lora Johnson
<b>August 27</b>	Easton Anderson Marv Schutter
<b>August 31</b>	Jake Hanson Larry Nelson

## *Anniversaries*

<b>August 4</b>	Stan and Jodene Jongma
<b>August 7</b>	Tracy and Donna Bengtson
<b>August 15</b>	Jeff and Joan Loring
<b>August 16</b>	David and Jan Hopkins
<b>August 17</b>	Eric and Sheila Weeks
<b>August 18</b>	Al and Kim Rye
<b>August 19</b>	Dennis and Jan Larson
<b>August 21</b>	Bernard and Arlene Fairchild
<b>August 25</b>	Jim and Joan Unrau
<b>August 26</b>	Rod and Cryss Quanbeck
<b>August 28</b>	Justin and Laura Heikens
<b>August 29</b>	Bill and Donna Frederick Larry and Tracy (Coleman) Wigen



## Missions Team Partner

### Mission Partners for 2019:

- ♦ General Council of Assembly of God
- ♦ Atlas of Spencer
- ♦ Grand Avenue Community Outreach
- ♦ The Multi-Church Community Assistance Fund
- ♦ Shepherd's Canyon Retreat
- ♦ LifeKids Scholarship Program
- ♦ International Missions Team
- ♦ The Church of Damascus Road – Rockwell City Prison Worship
- ♦ World Mission Prayer League
- ♦ Wycliffe Bible Translators
- ♦ Laborers with Christ
- ♦ The Gospel Mission

## WORLD MISSION PRAYER LEAGUE

The World Mission Prayer League (WMPL) is a Lutheran organization with headquarters in Minneapolis, with 100 missionaries in 20 countries along with a team dedicated to supporting the work that happens throughout the world. WMPL embraces a rich heritage that flows from the passionate witness of Christians who are faithful to the call of Jesus. They are committed to knowing Christ, praying for His kingdom, and sharing the gospel, and themselves, with those who don't know Him. The passion is to evangelize to the world wherever people don't know Jesus as their savior.



Faith Lutheran has had the privilege to have the Ekka family join us in worship to share their stories. Neeraj and Nijhar serve the Lord by equipping the next generation of servant-leaders at the Navin Doman Theological College near Ranchi, India. They are able to serve, in part, because of your prayers, financial contributions, and a strategic

partnership with the North Western Gossner Evangelical Lutheran Church

(India). The College was established in 2007 and is training pastors, evangelists, missionaries, and lay leaders from several states throughout the region.

WMPL is unique in the approach to raising funds to support these missionaries. It does not ask for funds directly or conduct campaigns but rather prays for God to supply the necessary means through individual donations to send missionaries around the world. In 2018, your giving to Faith's general fund has enabled the Mission Team to distribute over \$27,000 to the ministries that we support including WMPL. If you would like to read more about WMPL and the missionaries around the world, you can access their website at [www.wmpl.org](http://www.wmpl.org)

## Items of the Month

- 70 Sheet Notebooks (wide or college ruled)
- **BLUNT** Scissors
- 16 or 24 box Crayons
- 2-1/2" Eraser
- Unsharpened No. 2 Pencils with Erasers
- 30 Centimeter Ruler (can have inches on it)
- Pencil Sharpener



## School Kit Supplies

**Thank you for your generosity!**

Please place the items in the yellow Mission box by the front door.

**Assemble Kits & Quilts | Tuesday, August 27  
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

We invite you to join us as we work on quilts, baby and personal care kits and other items. At noon, we have a potluck lunch with the main dish provided. **Please join us!**

# Faith Friends and Family

Thank you to Paul Behrens, the Properties Team, the many volunteers, and Paul & Lori Wire for the efforts to create new offices and storage space at Faith. I moved in to my office the last week of June. The office is such a gift! Finally I have a place to work and keep important documents close at hand...and stay in one office! The workmanship is excellent and I appreciate the new space immensely. God's Blessings to each one who helped bring these offices and storage to reality!

- Lori Krei



## Ingham Lake Day | Sunday, August 4

**JOIN US FOR WORSHIP, A POTLUCK LUNCH, FUN & FELLOWSHIP!**



Bring your lawn chairs swim suit, baseball & bat, lawn darts ... or whatever!



Be active -  
or - sit and  
talk while  
watching  
others be  
active!

Larger maps are available at the Welcome Center.

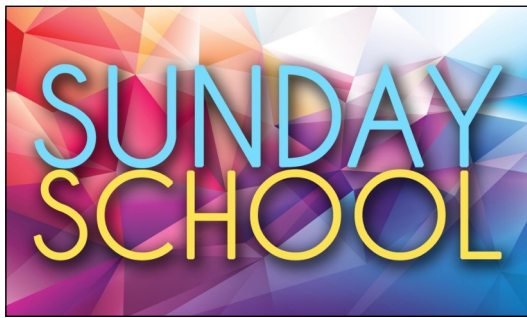
### Keeping Them In Your Prayers . . .

Jesus, you promise to hear our prayers and answer us in our time of need. Touch the lives of those who are sick, hospitalized, battling a long-term illness, battling addictions and depression or grieving the loss of a loved one. With your power, restore them to wholeness and give them your joy. Amen.

Bless Sara Franker, Fern Sembach, Peggy Olson, Tracy Bengston, Kathy Petersen, Jack Greene, Gerry Ferguson, Steve DePauw, Alice Nielsen, Matt Essick, George Alspach, Jodi Johnson, Keith Dannatt, John and Jacinda Tracey and their daughter Braelynn, Patrick and Katie Morrow and their boys Brycen, Ryker and Riley, Dr. Steven Wolfe, Chuck Dammann and Wyatt Leininger.

Keeping  
You in  
Thought  
and  
Prayer





## ***THE 411 ON THIS FALL'S EVENTS!***

The Children's Ministry Team tells all about this Fall's lineup.

**Blessing the Students will be August 18** - during the 9:00 a.m. Worship service. We will bless the children on their upcoming school year and the anticipation of their new adventure. We

have backpack clips for them to put on their backpacks to remember that they are children of God.

**Rally Day will be held August 25** - Students will do a scavenger hunt for items needed for their classrooms (scissors, markers, posters, crayons, glue sticks and Bibles). Once the items are gathered by each child they will go to their classroom, meet their Sunday School teacher, give the items they found to their teacher and become acquainted with the room. The children could possibly make something in the room with their name to "mark" the room as theirs!

**Sunday School will begin with September** - September 1, 8 and 15, the first three Sundays of Sunday School, will be a large group format focusing on "Creation."

Our first Sunday we will have a video displaying God's creation.

The second Sunday we will ask a member of Faith to share their faith story.

The third Sunday is a hands-on activity where the children "create" something with God in mind.

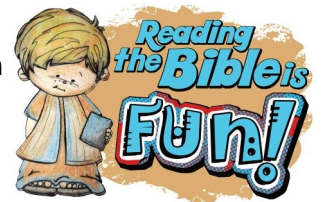
**Sunday School Curriculum will be centered on ShareFaith** - After the first three Sundays we will begin our new classroom format. The plan to use this curriculum through the next three years. In doing so, we will lead the children through the Bible, from Genesis to Revelation.

**How the Sunday School hour will progress** - We will start Sunday School off in the Kids Common area with music, watch a video and start dialog on the lesson for the day. Once that is completed the children will then move into their classroom where their teachers will reaffirm the lesson and have dialog, crafts and activities.

**A Note to the Sunday School Teachers** - Teacher orientation will be August 18 at 10:30 a.m. This is the same day as Blessing the Students. We will meet in the church library.

Teacher Installation will be August 25. It is the same day as Rally Day.

**Bible Presentation will be September 22** - With Sunday School class time starting on September 22, we want to be sure to equip the children of Faith with their own Bible to bring to class. Sunday School teachers will distribute Bibles to their students: First year Preschool, Kindergarten and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade.



**The Christmas Program** - Set for Sunday, December 15, during the 9:00 a.m.

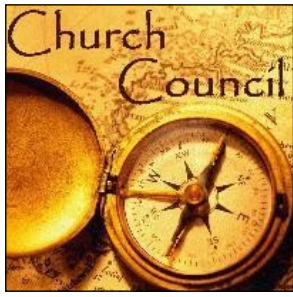
Worship service. The title of the program is *Once Upon A Mango*. Please watch the bulletin for rehearsal times and dates.

**Sunday School Sign-up** - We are in-process of working with the Technology Team to have a link on Faith's website ([www.faithlutheranspencer.com](http://www.faithlutheranspencer.com)) where parents can sign-up their child(ren) for Sunday School. Please watch the bulletin for more information on this link!

**The Children's Common Area** - We would like to add an informational board to communicate events to parents, teachers and the congregation. It could include our Children's Ministry Calendar of Events, teacher pictures and other information.

**The Nursery** - We would like to start having a curriculum for the preschool and younger aged kids.

That is about it for the Children's Ministry Team. If you would like to be a part in one of these areas, please contact Korrie Anderson, Children's Ministry Team Leader at 712-363-3556 or email her at [kspears102@hotmail.com](mailto:kspears102@hotmail.com)



## CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING | JULY 10, 2019 | 7:30 P.M.

Members present: Paul Behrens, Korrie Anderson, Larry Wigen, Jim Unrau, Kirby Fueston, LaVonne Clark, Kyle Rouse, Pastor Lee, Lori Krei, Cindy Tigges, Kay Iversen and Barb Enge.

President Kyle Rouse called the meeting to order. Pastor Lee opened the meeting with a prayer. The meeting did not have a quorum so minutes and financials could not be voted on.

Missions Team set a goal of providing 100 food baskets and any additional money to be used for dentist supplies and glasses. Del Brockshus has donated Charin's memorial money to go toward the Mexico Mission Trip. Members of the Mission Trip Team will be commissioned on Sunday, July 14.

Lori Krei updated us on the Leadercast event. Twenty-three participants attended. May 7, 2020, is set as the date for next year. The purchase of 75 tickets is planned. Several new companies are interested in getting involved in the coming year.

LCMC Iowa District Annual Gathering is scheduled to be held November 9, 2019, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Attendance averages around 50 people and Faith Lutheran has been asked to host this event. We previously had Leadership Retreat scheduled for that date, but are willing to change for this opportunity to serve. A committee will be set up to facilitate the Gathering.

Committee Updates:

**\*Worship Team** is in need of additional volunteers for the Children's Messages on Sunday mornings. A Temple Talk may be helpful in recruiting for this need.

**\*Children's Ministry** reports many Faith Lutheran children attended Bible School. Preparations for the Christmas program have already begun.

**\*Evangelism Team** will possibly have 20 new members interested in joining Faith. They are also looking to provide the congregation with new name tags.

**\*Leadership Support Team** is finalizing the personnel handbook and will meet in August.

**\*Technology Team** announced the new sound system and microphones are scheduled for installation in August. They are also planning for new computers.

**\*Properties Team** reports the air conditioning has been turned on in the new offices. A cleaning day has been scheduled to vacuum the ceilings. Also rocks in the parking lot need attention. Lunch will be provided for the volunteers.

**\*Fellowship Team** is planning for Ingham Lake service the first Sunday in August. St. John's will be invited to join us. Paul Behrens will bring gas grill and everyone is asked to bring a dish to share. In the past there has been approximately 125 people in attendance.

A report concerning the average attendance dating back to 2015: There was a lengthy discussion concerning the declining attendance. Discussion resulted in a few ideas but no decisions were made to remedy the situation.

**The next Council meeting is Wednesday, August 14, at 7:00 p.m.**

Respectfully Submitted,  
Barb Enge, Council Secretary

### Devotional Schedule:

Aug. – Kent Heazlett	Sept. – Radina Jansen
Oct. – Cindy Tigges	Nov. – Kirby Fueston
Dec. – Korrie Anderson	Jan., 2020 – Jim Unrau

### **A Note To Council Members!**

Please submit your team's report to the Church Office for the August 7 Council meeting by

**Monday, August 5.**

Email the report to:  
office@faithlutheranspencer.com  
Thank you!

**Faith Lutheran Church  
Council Meeting  
Wednesday, August 7  
at 7:00 p.m.  
Discipleship Room**

All church members are welcome to attend the council meeting. Topics may also be shared with any council member for discussion at the council meeting.

Please find a list of your Council Members on the bulletin board near Pastor Lee's office.



**CAPITAL  
CAMPAIGN**

As of July 14, 2019

Year To Date: \$ 44,995.00

Total Giving: \$358,987.50

Pledged  
Remaining: \$ 41,012.50



**GENERAL OFFERING AND  
ATTENDANCE**

**2019 BUDGET: \$405,639.00**

**JAN. 1 - JULY 14, 2019**

YEAR TO DATE \$166,804.84

BALANCE  
REMAINING \$238,834.16

AVG. ATTENDANCE 214

**THANK YOU FOR GENEROUSLY  
GIVING IN 2019!**

## *The Fifth Gospel*

What does it mean to share your faith in Jesus Christ with someone?

Do you share your faith through words, or actions? Are people led to Christ by hearing a preacher give a message during worship, or by watching how you live your life at work every day? Do people come to the foot of the cross by receiving an evangelism card that leads them on the Romans Road to salvation, or by hearing someone shouting the gospel on the street corner? Do people come to Christ by going to a backyard barbeque hosted by their friend, who shares with everyone what God's doing in their life, and how their life is changed because of Him? Do people come to know the Gospel by receiving a Christian book from a friend, with a heartfelt note in the front? Do people give their life to Christ because they are looking for hope, and someone brings it to them? Do people find God's saving grace because someone shared God's love through a batch of homemade cookies?

Now let me ask you ... how did God find you? How did He speak to your heart to draw you closer to Him? Did someone speak to you about Jesus, or did you watch someone's life and actions and say, "I want what he or she has." Did someone preach it? Did someone share God's love? Did someone share their "God Story" with you? What led you to Him?

To answer the questions above, I would say that all of these ways can be avenues that people hear or see the Gospel, and are led to Christ. Never doubt the power of your words and actions. In truth, both are needed at the right time and in the right way. So step out and share your faith with others, and be Jesus to everyone. You are His hands and feet.

In September we will begin a Worship series about sharing our faith with others. In October there will be an adult education class after Worship geared around the book "Becoming a Contagious Christian." Learn how to live in a way that others desire Christ because of who you are and how you live.

I will leave you with one final quote. "There are five Gospels. Most people don't read the first four Gospels in the New Testament. They read the fifth Gospel ... You. They read you. You are the fifth Gospel."

*Eric Patten*  
Eric Patten

*From the Desk  
of  
Eric Patten*





# Stewardship at Faith

## Steward of the Month

### Del Brockshus



*Del Brockshus is a father, grandfather, great-grandfather, friend and one of the founding members of Faith Lutheran. His shining smile greets people as they come in the doors. Del's bass voice can be heard in song, Scripture reading, preaching and leading the worship service. Del is also known for his portrayals, one of them being Moses!*

*Del is integrally involved in several strategic planning initiatives, is a Caring Minister and sends the weekly email to help Faith's communications. He encourages and supports all of Faith's ministry teams.*

*Deeply respected, admired and loved by members in Faith Lutheran as well as the Spencer community, Del is generous, loving and has a huge heart for his church and community!*

**Well Done,  
Good and Faithful Servant!**

## *Ten Reasons to Give Generously*

In 2 Corinthians 9:6-15, Paul gives us at least ten reasons to give generously:

1. **It is the *best investment* you can make** - Like the harvest, giving is planting seed. The farmer will reap far more than what was sown (v.6): 'A stingy planter gets a stingy crop; a lavish planter gets a lavish crop' (v.6, MSG). This applies to everything in life. What you give to the Lord he multiplies – your time, gifts, ambitions and money.
2. **It should be *fun*** - Giving should never be forced or grudging, but rather voluntary and cheerful. 'Let each one give as he has made up his own mind and purposed in his heart, not reluctantly or sorrowfully or under compulsion, for God loves (He takes pleasure in, prizes above all other things, and is unwilling to abandon or to do without) a cheerful (joyous, "prompt to do it") giver whose heart is in his giving' (v.7, AMP). The Greek word for cheerful is *hilaros*. It should be fun to give.
3. **It takes away the *burden of financial worry*** - Paul writes, 'and God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having *all that you need*, you will abound in every good work' (v.8). Giving does not mean handing over financial responsibility to God – but it does mean handing over the worry and the burden of it.
4. **It '*enriches*' you** - When God invites us to give, he is pleading to our reason, not to our emotions: 'Thus you will be enriched in all things and in every way so that you can be generous' (v.11, AMP). Materially, we will have enough to give away generously (v.11). Our characters will be enriched (v.10). God will be praised (v.11).
5. **It *transforms your character*** - Paul speaks of 'the harvest of your righteousness' (v.10b). Giving purges the character from the constricting grip of materialism that destroys lives.

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## Correction!

We inadvertently missed Arlene Fairchild's name in June's Stewards of the Month: The Church Decoration Team! Along with Cheri Banks, Denise Laaveg, GA Darnell, Colleen Rouse, Pam Harris, Jan Larson, Pam Livasy, Lora Johnson and Denise Lovitt, Arlene helps make our church feel like our spiritual "home" in so many ways! Thank you Arlene and Team!

**Well Done, Good and Faithful Servants!**

## Ten Reasons to Give Generously

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6. **It *inspires others*** - 'Your generosity will result in *thanksgiving* to God. This service that you perform is not only supplying the needs of God's people but it is also overflowing in the many expressions of *thanks to God*. Because of the service of which you approved yourselves, people will praise God' (vv.11b-13a).
7. **It *meets people's needs*** - Generous giving blesses other people and supplies the needs of God's people - 'helping meet the bare needs of poor Christians' (v.12, MSG).
8. **It is *evidence of real faith*** - Generous giving is an act of obedience, which should accompany 'your confession of the gospel of Christ' (v.13). Giving is an act of trust - in doing it we are saying that it is God, not ourselves or anyone else, who ultimately provides for our needs.
9. **It *makes you a stakeholder in the church*** - Paul speaks of 'your generosity in *sharing* with them and with everyone else' (v.13b). The word Paul uses for sharing is *koinonia* which can also be translated 'fellowship'. In the same way as when you share an apartment you share in the bills, as you share in the needs of the community you reap the benefits of that community. For example, every time someone comes to know Christ through the community you share in the blessing.
10. **It is *a response to God's gift to you*** - Our giving is a response to God's amazing grace. His 'indescribable gift' (v.15) is the gift of his Son. 'Thank God for this gift, His gift. No language can praise it enough!' (v.15, MSG).

**Lord, thank you for your surpassing grace, which abounds towards us. Thank you for the indescribable gift of your son Jesus Christ who died for us and rose again. Help us to respond with generosity and grace to your amazing grace.**

## Ingham Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camp's Quilt Auction News!

### Quilts! Friday, August 2

Get a preview of the quilts live and in person! Quilts (and other items!) will be set up in the gym at Okoboji for preview from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

### Scandinavian Feast | Friday, August 2 | 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Come and get your fill of handmade Scandinavian treats!

### Glenn Henriksen Concert

Friday, August 2 | 7:00 p.m. | Okoboji Chapel

Once you've picked your favorite quilts, and feasted on Scandinavian treats, wander on up to the Chapel and join us for an evening of beautiful music!

### 5K Fun Run | Saturday, August 3 | 7:30 a.m. Check In | 8:00 a.m. Start

Feeling like you need to run off some of those calories from the Feast on Friday? Join us for a morning run! To get a t-shirt, sign up by July 26th!

### QUILT AUCTION DAY | SATURDAY, AUGUST 3!

Join us in front of the Welcome Center just off of Circle Drive for a day of entertainment, lively auction bidding, still more food, and QUILTS!

Quilt Preview in the gym - 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. | Lunch in the Dining Hall - 11:00 a.m.

Quilt Auction - 12:00 p.m. (new start time!)

Rain plan: We will hold the auction as scheduled in the Chapel.







## Faith Lutheran Church

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## FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH - JULY, 2019

No Births | No Baptisms | No Marriages | No Deaths  
No New Members | No First Communion | No Confirmation

### Faith Lutheran Church Staff:

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Mondays @ 8:30 p.m. | Tuesdays @ 11:00 a.m.