



**Come,
inherit the kingdom
prepared for you**

MATTHEW 25:34

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Rev. Scott Meier, Pastor

November 20, 2011

FAITHFUL LUTHERANS SENT BY CHRIST TO SERVE GOD'S CHILDREN

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The Gospel	Back of bulletin
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Prayers of the People - Response; Hear our prayer	Assisting Minister
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Offering- <i>Anthem; "Worthy Art Thou"</i>	Choir
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Distribution (wine is in outer rings, grape juice is in cups in center)	by Table
Communion Hymn - "The King Shall Come"	#260
Prayer	Pastor
Blessing	Pastor
Announcements -	
Sending Song- "Crown Him With Many Crowns"	#855 v.4-5
Dismissal	Assisting Minister

WELCOME!

All are welcome at Faith Lutheran Church today as we continue our journey of faith. Join with us as we offer our praises to God. We offer Holy Communion each Sunday. All baptized persons who believe that Christ is truly present in this meal are welcome to receive the Lord's Supper. There is a nursery available for those who need it.

Flowers today are given to the glory of God by Dick & Virginia Klemens in memory of Oscar & LaHoya Klemens, and Brenda Klemens.

REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

Norma Boehme Ken Steward Edwina Andregg Dorothy Clerici Patti Smith Kevin Hall
Our Service Men & women and all those in need of our thoughts and prayers in our Faith Family and beyond.

Events & Activities This Week Around Faith:

Today, Nov 20 9:15 am SCS 10:30 am Worship SCC Youth here for Worship, meeting, and outing. Mon. Nov. 21 10:00 am Faithful Quilters Tues. Nov 22 9:00 am WCS	Thurs. Nov. 24 Thanksgiving Day Sun. Nov. 27 9:15 am SCS 10:30 am Worship After, Coffee time 6:00 pm Advent Pitch-in and Craft night 6:15 pm Girl Scouts
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Announcements

THANK YOU: Faith would like to extend thanks to Pastor Brian Fingerson for supplying for Pastor Scott today while he vacations with his family

VACATION: Pastor will be going on vacation beginning November 19th, please contact Lyle Gernand for pastoral needs.

RECEPTION: Rick & Terri Barr would like to invite their Faith family to a reception following the baptism of their grand-son next Sunday the 27th.

ADVENT ACTIVITIES: Sunday evening, November 27th Christian Ed team will host an Advent Pitch-in followed by a craft night. Festivities will begin at 6 pm. Craft will be ornaments for Jesse Tree. For more information see Carol Taylor.

POINSETTIAS: Once again, poinsettias will adorn our altar at Christmas. Complete the enclosed insert and place in offering plate. Cost is \$15 and the deadline is December 11.

LAST WEEK AT FAITH

<u>Offerings:</u>	<u>Attendance:</u>	
Current \$ 2623.79	Worship	66
Other <u>105.00</u>	Nursery	<u>3</u>
Total \$ 2728.79		69

We need at least \$3236 in **current** each week to continue the missions of our church. How did we do last week?

Thanks to all who worship, work, give, and pray at Faith in thanks to God for His many blessings.

SERVING THIS WEEK AT FAITH

Pastor ... Brian Fingerson	Acolyte... Volunteer
Assistant... Kate Scott	Crucifer... Volunteer
Organist... Barb Brewster	Greeters... Peter
Fin. Asst... Kate Scott	Social..... Peter & C. Holley
Nursery ... Lisa Peter	Audio..... Travis Arbuckle
Altar Guild.. Ilene Bush	
Ushers. M. & C. McCoy, S. Rife, C. Holley	

Next week: Asst.-V. Rife; Acolyte-Volunteer; Crucifer-Volunteer; Greeters- Rife; Social-Hayes

FIRST READING: Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

Thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. ¹²As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. ¹³I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. ¹⁴I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. ¹⁵I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. ¹⁶I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

²⁰Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. ²¹Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, ²²I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep.

²³I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. ²⁴And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the LORD, have spoken.

Psalms 95:1-7a**SECOND READING: Ephesians 1:15-23**

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason ¹⁶I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. ¹⁷I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, ¹⁸so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, ¹⁹and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great

power. ²⁰God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, ²¹far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. ²²And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, ²³which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

GOSPEL: Matthew 25:31-46

[Jesus said to the disciples:] "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. ³²All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, ³³and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. ³⁴Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; ³⁵for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' ³⁷Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink?' ³⁸And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing?' ³⁹And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' ⁴⁰And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' ⁴¹Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; ⁴²for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, ⁴³I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' ⁴⁴Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' ⁴⁵Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' ⁴⁶And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

Next Sunday's Readings: Isaiah 64:1-9; Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19; 1 Corinthians 1:3-9; Mark 13:24-37.

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