

The Faith Herald

*April 2018* 

"Get up to a high mountain...
and lift up your voice with strength...
herald of good news!"

Isaiah 40:9

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Before yesterday's Confirmands (A WONderful group, by the way, who blessed us hugely!), affirmed their faith and said a strong yes to continuing their life partnership with God, they said a firm NO to evil and all the forces that work against life and draw us away from God.

So here's the thing: On your behalf, Faith Lutheran folk and friends, I daily say no to a few things and yes to some others. Basically, I pray our NO to death and darkness and all their powers and our YES to resurrection life in Christ. This Easter season, I think you should know and consider owning this prayer for yourself and those you love.

I'll admit, it's a little odd. This prayer gives weight to spiritual things rarely acknowledged in our current culture. Because it grew from work to heal damage from some particular bad people and spirits, it uses language that may seem strange or superstitious. Mostly, I just take it for what it is: a thorough NO to all things bad for us, and a heartfelt YES to all God's good. Here you go:

#### A Prayer of Cleansing and Invitation

Holy One, YHWH, God of All, we are yours and yours alone from before the beginning till after the end. And when I say we, I mean... (name my loved ones, best friends, folks in trouble, our church and its leaders by name, and members of any small groups I'm in).

Since we are yours and yours alone, in your beautiful name I bind and rebuke any spiritual garbage that may be present in our persons, possessions, property, pets, or anything at all that is ours. I ask that you would please send your strong and tender warrior angels to find and contain all unclean spirits of any sort in sight, sound, and smell proof (spiritual garbage stinks!), thought, word and deed proof, harm and escape proof containers, deaf, dumb and blind, stripped of all power and authority, weapons, illusions and armor. If it's safe to do so, please now send it off to my friend Steve's parking lot (I really do have a friend who keeps a safe 'parking lot' for this purpose) to remain until dismissed. And if it's not safe to ship it out today, please shrink it down to the size of a particle of an atom and put it where it can't cause harm. Thank you!

Dear Holy One, please break any attachments in our lives that aren't serving your purpose today—any connections at all that are causing harm or being used to control or deceive, whether initiated by us or by others, on purpose or not. Please break them off and bend them around to dump any spiritual garbage into Steve's parking lot, or if necessary, return it as directly as possible to its true source and origin with notice that

we're not playing these games anymore, so if you use it, you lose it or it will bounce back. We hope you don't use it at all. (This for the particular people I know of, but maybe for anybody messing with our hearts and minds.)

In your Holy Name, dear God, I also declare null and void any thoughts, words, or deeds that have come against me and all for whom I pray that are not serving your intentions in our lives. Whether they came from us or from others, on purpose or not, any thoughts, words, or deeds that do not serve your purposes for us are broken. We will live under their power and authority no longer. Any spiritual garbage attached to us through these things (think anxiety, depression, anger, shame, belief that we are incompetent or never enough) please remove to (you guessed it) Steve's parking lot to remain until dismissed.

And now, Holy God, please surround me and all for whom I pray with your perimeter of protection today, so that we can live and work in privacy and without interference. Let it be sight, sound and smell proof, proof against thought, word, deed, harm, or any kind of ill will. In fact, let this perimeter be the name and character of the risen Christ—let nothing come into our lives except what is of you. Thank you!

Please fill me and all for whom I pray with the presence of your Holy Spirit. Allow us the fullest possible measure of your healing, guidance, and the gifts of love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, and self-control. Let your love drive out all fear, so that in union with all creation we might sing your praise and your love in our lives.

Thank you, Dearest God, for hearing my prayer and the prayers of all your people. Yes. May it be so! Amen. \*\*\*

As I pray this prayer, I've become more aware of what is spiritual good and what is spiritual garbage, more aware of my mood and its nature. I'm more aware of the attachments or connections (relationships and desires) in my life, and I try to offer them all to God. I'm MUCH more aware of words, and less likely to give or receive words that dim and discourage, of content or tone that doesn't seem to match what God would offer. I hope I'm a little more likely to go to God with concerns during the day, to seek protection and support from God's presence.

So friends, I'd like to keep praying for you even after I cease being your pastor. Because I hope you'll more and more say NO to death and the dark and YES to God's life and light. Blessed Easter! Christ is Risen! *Pastor Brenda* 

## Camp Song Wednesday April 11, 7pm (Praise Practice)

Singers and instrumentalists, young and old, come and jam for Bible Camp Sunday (April 15). We'll have fresh cookies and plenty of music for a fun evening and awesome worship!



#### Celebration of Pastor Brenda's Ministry on April 8

Plan to attend the Celebration of Ministry for Pastor Brenda Sunday, at 5pm at FLC. Come enjoy a yummy potluck supper featuring Lutheran cooks!

Last names A-G: bring a salad or veggies

H-M: bring a main dish

N-Z: bring a dessert or appetizer

What a great opportunity for thanking Pastor Brenda and God for her ministry among us!

### **Don't forget to look for Faith online**

At www.faithlutheranhamilton.org or on Facebook at "Friends of Faith"! We're everywhere!

## **Worship Notes for April**



Sunday, April 1: **Easter Sunday**, Worship at 8 and 10am Wednesday, April 8: **Celebration of Grace**Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup>: **Bible Camp Sunday**Wednesday, April 22: **ELW Setting 3**, New Members Received Sunday, April 29: **Hymn Service**, Prayers of Healing



## Thank you to all that purchased tulips for our Easter Altar!

#### Chrismons for the Christmas Tree

A few of the new ornaments for our tree are already made! Thank you! There are still 7½ months to finish those still being crafted. If you have any questions or need supplies see Linda Beyer.





## **Lutheran World Relief Care Kit Assembly April 8th**

We will put the kits together after church on April 8. When we are finished we will have a light lunch to celebrate a job well done. How many kits will be put together this year? Stay tuned. If you have questions please contact Nancy Osborn at church or at home 363-2139.

#### **Congrats to Confirmands!**



I'm proud of our 2018 Confirmation Class, and you should be, too! Will Heitmann, Cole Kimzey, Luke Mendenall, Emma Mitchell, Aksel Mitchell, Gunnar Larson & Krieger Larson have completed two and three years of our confirmation program. They've learned tons, taught me lots, and are becoming truly awesome human beings. Connor Reed has been with us this year, too.

We'll celebrate their Affirmation of Baptism Service on Sunday, March 18, at our regular worship time. Please enjoy cake, conversation, and celebration with our kids and their

families after church!

Way to go, kids, parents, and Family of Faith!

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Faith Lutheran Church is a family of God built on love: Worshiping, welcoming, and serving in Christ's name.



# FLBC News & Notes

## **Upcoming Events & Retreats**

## **ADULT Spirituality RETREAT**

with Dr. Mark Allen Powell Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp

April 15-17 (Sunday dinner-Tuesday lunch)

\$205 total or \$95/day

Bible scholars often come up with very different ideas regarding well-known passages, insisting we've missed the point for centuries. Sometimes this can be very troubling; other

times, it might be refreshing. Sometimes a story that really bothers us turns out to be more meaningful than we imagined; other times a teacher "ruins" one of our favorites. At this retreat, Dr. Powell will take five well-known passages from the Gospels and do some old-fashioned Bible study, exploring the passages and paying careful attention to key details—with a "twist"—in each case, we'll consider why some interpreters think the traditional understanding is wrong and propose a new reading.

All this in the beauty of creation at Flathead Lake, sustained by amazing meals and sweet companionship. Celeste Pogachar and Deb Cathey welcome you to join them!

Retreat begins on Sunday at 6:15pm for dinner and concludes on Tueday at 12:15pm with lunch. For more information office@flbc.net or 406-752-6602



## WOMEN'S SPRING RETREAT April 20-22, 2018

Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp

Poured out for Justice, Courage & Compassion: Considering Women from Scripture, History, and Today

Pastor Peggy Paugh Leuzinger (Montana Synod staff member) leads study and conversation, considering women of history and today who live courageously and confidently, inspiring us to also live with justice, courage and compassion. During worship on Sunday morning, the image of the Good Shepherd will guide us to ponder guides, mentors, and models of faith who inspire us to live out our faith in the world. Registration info at <a href="https://www.imluchurch.org/womensretreat">www.imluchurch.org/womensretreat</a> or contact Nancy Solum at (406) 240-0023 or <a href="https://www.imluchurch.org/womensretreat">WomensSpringRetreatMT@gmail.com</a> (Sponsored by the Five Valleys and Great Divide WELCA organizations)

## FREE! Thrivent Memorial Day Family Work Retreat MAY 25-28

Come when you can and stay as long as you can! Help get the camp ready for summer! Sewing, planting, painting, building, cleaning, raking and cooking are just a "few" of the fun work projects we will do. This is a great way to introduce your child to the camp with the fun of worship, campfires and much s'more! Full weekend includes 3 nights of accommodations in camp cabins, 8 meals and 4 snacks! *Cost is Free to Volunteers Thanks to Thrivent!*\*\*Please Register in Advance.

#### **NEW THIS YEAR: Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp Opportunities FOR ADULTS**

Faith's Campership Committee is opening the doors to support adults in Bible Camp activities! In conjunction with FLBC's commitment to grow adult opportunities, Faith will normally offer camperships to ADULTS of half their registration costs up to \$200. If the need of any camper of any age is greater than this, Faith will also help access other means so that everyone can experience the presence of God through our Bible camp's ministry. With that in mind, please consider attending one of FLBC's spring retreats.

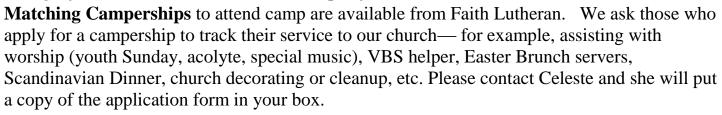
## **Summer Camping Season Begins June 17th**

Camp brochures are located on the counter outside the church office.

• **Early-bird discount** for summer camp registration at FLBC!

Before April 1st: \$50 Discount Before May 1st: \$25 Discount







### FLBC Coffee Hour Sunday, April 15, after worship

Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp Development Coordinator Melissa Singletary for in-depth news from YOUR Bible Camp over some FANTASTIC eats hosted by FLC delegates Celeste Pogachar, Deb Cathey and Jack Davis, and current

Partners Club Members

Learn what's going on at FLBC today, and see how you might partner in ministry to the more than 5,500 folks of all ages who'll experience God's love in powerful ways through FLBC this year.

**Partners of Flathead** was established to encourage and honor those who contribute \$150 or more annually to the camp. FLBC's operating budget is comprised of 70% from user fees and 30% from gifts: our gifts keep camp open for kids, for all. Join the Partner households at Faith this year and support quality ministry that communicates the love and leadership of God through Jesus and changes lives for good!

FLBC Legacy Partners make a gift to FLBC in their estate plan.

Thrivent Members can designate Thrivent Choice dollars to FLBC.

**Check out wish list below**. If you can donate any of these items, please bring them to the church. Melissa can transport them back to the camp.

Also, let's gather paper products and cleaning supplies to send back to the camp with her, especially copy paper, toilet paper, Kleenex, paper towels, sanitizing wipes.

Every little bit helps!

## **Camp Volunteer Applications!**

**FLBC** has many jobs for willing hands and hearts: kitchen, cleaning, maintenance, office help and more. Consider being a camp grandparent or nurse/doctor this summer! Enjoy the beauty of the outdoors while contributing to a very worthwhile ministry. Information and application forms are online at the <a href="https://www.flbc.net">www.flbc.net</a>, or contact Celeste at the church.

## FLBC Wish List

- ✓ <u>Arts & Crafts</u>: mosaic tiles, construction paper, acrylic paint, staplers, scissors, crayons, markers, pottery wheel,
- ✓ <u>Cleaning, Maintenance, & Garden</u>: Large, quality tarps, ratchet straps, bag-less vacuum cleaners, rakes, hammers, pitch forks, trowels, shovels, commercial-grade washer and dryer, duct tape, work gloves, any and all garden tools, hand tools, garden hoes, lawn mowers, snow blower, kitchen towels
- ✓ <u>Vehicles (in good working order)</u>: 4-wheel drive truck, van or minivan, "new" cars for year-round staff and day camp teams
- ✓ First Aid Supplies: Band-aids, gauze, wraps, alcohol swabs
- ✓ <u>Camping/Program</u>: Draw-string bags (made from rip-stop nylon, or a willingness to make them), fishing lures, pedal boats, digital camera, Go-Pro camera, kayaks, snow sleds, irons, ironing boards, thick oven mitts
- ✓ Office Supplies: Locking filing cabinets, SD memory cards, micro-SD memory cards, tablet PCs or iPads, scotch tape, postage stamps, copy paper
- ✓ Other: treadmill in good working condition

## **Emmaus Campus Ministry News: Thank You to Faith Lutheran**

Thank you for your generous donation of \$989.25, as a result of the Brawl of the Wild 2017.

From Pastor John Lund

Emmaus Campus Ministry Events: (information about these events is posted in the lobby) Celebrate Islam Week (April 9-14)

The Time is Now Conference, with Faith and Climate Action (April 27-28)

**You are invited to the Emmaus Year End Banquet:** Wednesday, May  $2^{nd}$  at St. Paul Lutheran Church at 6:00pm. Friends of Emmaus are welcome to join us for a great meal, highlights from the past year, a few stories, and a blessing and Godspeed to our graduating seniors. **Lochsa River rafting day in May**: Emmaus is putting together a whitewater rafting day in May

for all ages. Date TBA. Please let Pastor Lund know if you are interested.

Thanks to all of you who brought soup, food, and helped in any way to make Our Neighbors' Faith Lenten Soup Suppers a Great Success!

Thank you for your financial support of Freedom in Christ Prison Ministry.

Freedom in Christ Council



# Youth Page

Sat March 31 Brunch set-up @10am

Sun April 1 Easter Scholarship Brunch @9am

Wed April 4 Youth Group @6:30pm

Wed April 11 Grocery Store Scavenger Hunt @6:30pm

Wed April 18 Youth Group @6:30pm

Youth Sunday @8:45am Sun April 22

Wed April 25 Youth Group @6:30pm

Fri April 27 Big Sky Handbell Festival @4:15pm

Wed May 2 Youth Group @6:30pm

Wed May 9 **HS/MS Year-End Party!** 

#### SUN April 1 Easter Scholarship Brunch



Brunch will be served between services and all good will offerings will go to providing financial assistance to Faith affliated college students. Help serving from kids is needed, and help cleaning up during the second service would be greatly appreciated!

#### WED April 11 Grocery Store Scavenger Hunt

Youth from St. Paul's and Faith will use donated money to shop for Haven House at Super One while playing a competitive and fun game! Bring some quarters for

ice cream!

Youth will meet at 6:30 at Super One near the deli. There is no dinner provided this night. Activities should be over by 8pm.



#### **APRIL 27 Big Sky Handbell Festival Helping Hands!**

This year the First Presbyterian Church hosts as handbell musicians from all over the country gather to learn and play together. We have been invited to help make this joyful noise possible by assisting the musicians to unload and move their equipment into the HHS gym. Our own Sally Hanson will be playing! (Free concert Sat at 7:30pm!)

Youth and any parents who can help will meet in front of the gym at 4:15pm Friday April 27. Dinner will follow at Kodiak Jax around 6:30pm.

FAITH YOUTH DIRECTOR: Samantha Fife-406-370-8025 fifedrivel@gmail.co



## **Highlights of February 26th Council Meeting**

## **Summary of Significant Actions**

- Council will approve a list of Call Committee selection criteria by the end of the 21 March council meeting.
- Motion to approve Steward of the Future and Steward of Revenue job descriptions as the initial impetus to draft text for needed revisions to constitution/by laws was approved.
- Motion to approve a new list of members with signature authority for FLC's checking and savings accounts at First Security Bank was approved.
- Motion to approve Carol Mitchell and Kerry Hanson to serve on the 2018 Memorial Fund Committee passed.
- Motion to adopt and implement the record management system (as outlined in the document enclosed) passed.
- A separate policy for personally identifiable information will be developed and presented to council.
- Motion to approve Frank Laurence for membership (he joined 1/28) was approved.
- Motion to approve Confirmation/Affirmation of Baptism: Will Heitmann, Luke Mendenall, Cole Kimzey, Emma Mitchell, Aksel Mitchell, Krieger Larson, Gunnar Larson was approved.
- Motion to adopt the Church Administrator job description was approved.

#### Pastor Leaving - What's Next?

A call committee navigates the process which culminates in identifying the person who will be "called" to serve as FLC's next pastor. FLC's by laws state that "When a pastoral vacancy occurs a Call Committee of six voting members shall be appointed by the Congregation Council." The council will use FLC demographics along with other criteria to select members to serve on the call committee from the list of those nominated. Selection of the call committee will occur in the weeks ahead - we are well on track under the initial guidance received from the Bishop. If you have any questions about this process please contact Ross Damrow or any current council member. See page 9.

### **UPDATE ON THE ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE, By John Trangmoe, Chair**

## Reorganization of Faith Lutheran Endowment

Lyn McKee and Carl Russ are the newest members to the committee after being chosen by election at the congregational annual meeting. They join Amber Richardson, Carol Mitchell and John Trangmoe on the five member committee.

This church endowment was created back in June 1991 and has remained relatively inactive all these years with only \$5000 as the principal from which interest is achieved. This low total is a concern to

the committee and their goal is to promote more awareness of the purpose and advantage of investing in an endowment.

The committee has reviewed the bylaws as created back in 1991 and feels there is a need for updating. Amber volunteered to work on this project with likely changes to be reviewed by the church council and voted by the congregation at a future date.

Questions or remarks about this endowment are welcomed and may be addressed to any of the members.

#### Stewards & Staff of Faith Lutheran Church

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# COLLEGE/SEMINARY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

The Faith Lutheran Scholarship Committee will begin accepting applications for the 2018-2019 school year. High School seniors, or anyone enrolled in a secondary educational institution for the fall 2018 term may apply. Pick up an application form on the counter outside the Church office, or have an electronic copy emailed to you by contacting Nancy at office@faithlutheranhamilton.org.

#### They are due back to the church office by Sunday, April 15th.

**Donations to Faith's Scholarship Fund are always welcome!** They can be left in the church office, included with your regular offering envelope, or received at the Easter Breakfast. If you have any questions, please contact any member of the scholarship committee:

Mark Livesay (381-5172)\*Jacque VanDenburg (363-5393) Karen Heller (360-1208)\*Jane Hollibaugh (531-1077

#### We need you on the Call Committee!

You will be instrumental in selecting the next Pastor. Contact Ross Damrow if you are interested – rdamrow011@gmail.com or speak to any council member

DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS IS APRIL 30TH

## In Memory of Norma Nielsen

Norma Nielsen was reunited with her beloved Walt when she took Jesus' hand and recently walked into heaven. A few hours after her death, daughter Joy texted that she was sure they were already fishing. Norma and Walt were long time members of Faith. They loved people and everyone who knew them loved them. Wisconsin natives, they lived near Victor right above the Bitterroot River. And how they loved that river! Fishing was their passion and they did plenty of it. When their family celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a party at Faith, Norma and Walt arrived in their fishing gear, with an excuse they were on their way as soon as it was over. (They changed into party gear of course before everyone arrived).

Norma had a special heart for elderly folks. And she put that heart into action at Faith. Younger than other members of Mary Martha Circle, she chose that one so she could provide transportation to some who could no longer drive. One of those ladies was Martha Poppie, mother of Martha Lewis, whose house Faith now owns. For many years Norma was Martha's 'wheels'. She saw to it that she provided those wheels for any needs Martha might have.

In keeping with that love, she regularly attended and served at the monthly birthday party at Valley View Estates where she helped with the singing and serving as well as bringing folks from their rooms to attend

Norma actively served with the quilters as well. She and Edna Cash worked behind the scenes making sure everything was in readiness when the others arrived on 'Love Days', and she was a lefse expert. For some of the earlier dinners here, she opened her home for lefse making, and she and Walt made a lot of it together as well.

After a few 'heart' scares and some surgery for Walt, the Nielsens decided it was time to go 'home' to Chetek Wisconsin. Their children were scattered, Joy in Nashville, Barb in Minnesota and Kim on the West coast. Norma still had a sister and some brothers in Chetek and they wouldn't be alone there. So with heavy hearts, we bid them farewell, rejoicing that they could do what was best for them. After Walt's death, Norma remained in their home until a couple of years ago when she needed some assistance. We thank God for their sojourn here and all that they gave to Faith and to each of us. *Clairice Brady* 

## **Pray for our Military**

Please remember our family & friends that have joined the military & are defending our country each and every day. Keep them in your thoughts and prayers, especially those close to our family here at Faith Lutheran:

- Mike Hebert, grandson of Don & Shirley McGourty, US Army, serving in Colorado Springs, CO
- Lt. Col. Timothy Spaulding, nephew of John Trangmoe, Air Force, Wright Patterson AFB, OH
- Master Sgt. Andy Wetzsteon, son of Susan & Lonnie Wetzsteon, serving at Nelli's AFB, Las Vegas, NV
- Anna Mitteness, granddaughter of Morrie & Ann Mitteness, Cpl US Marines Corps. Now at the Marine Station in Yuma, AZ, doing communications repair.
- Capt. Alex Stephens, MD, grandson-in-law of Dale and Clairice Brady, serving in the Middle East
- Capt. Kyle Frazer, son of Larry & Nancy Hansen, serving at Fort Polk, LA.
- Master Sergeant Will Rollefson, nephew of Larry Hansen, Special Forces, Seattle, WA.



Ruth Dillon, Joann Engbrecht, Bertie Senn, Morry Mitteness, Clara Felton, Virginia Rotering, Elsie Buckner, LaVonne Beers, Carl Swanson, Pat Berglund, Bob Mathison, Larry Pyle, Smitty Smith, Steve Lund and all suffering from chronic pain.



#### Communion Bread

cups wheat flour

(makes six

6-inch rounds)

from Luther Seminary. Adapted by Doug Peterson for Trinity Lutheran Church, Enumclaw, WA

#### Prayer

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As the grains of wheat, once scattered on the ground, Are gathered into one to become our bread, So may all your people, from all the ends of earth, Be gathered into one in you.

Marty Haugen, Now the Feast & Celebration

blend dry ingredients together

Please bless our hands in the making, Others' hands in the breaking. Amen.

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2	cup white flour		
2	teaspoon baking powder		
2	teaspoon salt		
4	tablespoons oil	cut in oil	
$1^{-1/2}$	cups very hot water	combine water and sweeteners	
1/3	cup honey		
1/3	cup molasses	add to dry ingredients.	

Mix and knead only until dough is blended.

Divide into six equal balls. Roll each into a ½ inch thick circle about six inches across. Score each circle lightly (1/8 inch deep) with a knife in pie-slice shaped pieces. Bake at **350 degrees for 10 min.** Remove from oven, brush lightly with oil or butter, then bake an **additional 8-10 minutes** until light brown on the bottom. Do not overcook. Cool. Store in freezer bags.

At Faith Lutheran, Hamilton, Nancy Hansen is putting all sorts of yummy fruits in as they come in season. © Fall 2017

(This recipe is also great for camping and hiking. Enjoy!)



## Save the Dates!

#### Faith Lutheran's VBS is July 9-13

Those awesome FLBC counselors will be in Hamilton giving our youngest folks the camp experience through Vacation Bible School activities. **Registration form at www.faithlutheranhamilton.org** 

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April Birthdays			
6	Julie Swanson		
8	Shirley Sorenson		
10	Charles Paterson		
12	Royal Beyer		
13	Brooklyn Dowd, LaDonna Grotbo		
16	Barbara Anderson		
18	Jerry Deibert, Bonnie Savory		
20	Brady McDonald Davis		
21	Deb Cathey, Susan Rose		
22	Luke Mendenall		
23	Ellen Gaulke, Nicole Lawry		
24	Emily Heitmann, Bert Mahon		
24	Jenny West		
26	Carol Mitchell		
29	Seth Mason		
30	Abbey Dunn		

#### **Dates to Remember:**

- 4/1 EASTER SUNDAY: Worship 8am & 10am
- 4/8 Pastor Brenda's Celebration
- 4/15 Bible Camp Sunday, College Scholarship Deadline,
- 4/16 Faith Herald deadline
- 4/18 Council Meeting
- 4/26 Faith Herald Folding
- 4/29 Pastor Brenda's last Sunday