

Contribution Statements reflecting giving between January 1-December 31, 2018, are available in the Concourse this morning. Any statements not picked up today will be mailed out. Please help save postage and pick up your statement this morning.

The **Annual Voters Meeting** of Faith Lutheran Church convenes TODAY at 12:30 p.m. in the Auditorium. Items on the agenda include presentation of the 2019 Budget and Financial Reports, reports from Faith's Ministry Teams, and other important matters of the church. In addition, during the meeting there will be a vote to fill one open position on the Faith Leadership Board, and another vote to fill two open positions on the Nominating Committee. Everyone is welcome to attend. All eligible voters (defined as **members over age 18 who have communed at Faith within one (1) calendar year of the meeting date**) are strongly encouraged to attend.

- Meeting packets are available in the Concourse.
- A free-will offering lunch will be served at 11:45 a.m. in the Auditorium prior to the meeting.

Monday Evening Bible Study continues this week and every Monday evening in February and March from 7:00-8:15 p.m. in the Community Room. Lyle is leading a study on the Old Testament prophets Amos and Hosea. All adults are welcome to attend.

Sandi Banning is leading a **Women's Book Discussion Group** on Thursday, February 21, at 7:00 p.m. in Room 203. They will be talking about the novel by Isabel Allende, **In the Midst of Winter**. There is plenty of time to read the book and plan on enjoying some lively discussion on February 21.

This Week at Faith / Church Calendar

Sun., 2/10	<u>Traditional Worship</u>		8:30 a.m.
	<u>Education Hour</u>		9:45 a.m.
	Sunday School (Age 3-Grade 6)		
	Jr. FL Confirmation Class		
	Sr. FLY Class		
	Adults – <u>The Story</u> , Chapter 17		
	<u>Contemporary Worship</u>		10:45 a.m.
	<u>Pre-Voters Meeting Lunch</u>	Auditorium	11:45 a.m.
	<u>Annual Voters Meeting</u>	Auditorium	12:30 p.m.
	<u>FLY Choir Rehearsal</u>	Music Room 200	6:00 p.m.
<u>Sunday Night FLY</u>	FLY Room	7:00 p.m.	
Mon., 2/11	<u>Monday Evening Bible Study</u>	Community Room	7:00 p.m.
	<u>Lyric Chorale Rehearsal</u>	Auditorium	7:00 p.m.
Tues., 2/12	<u>Faith Child Care Chapel</u>	Library	10:45 a.m.
	<u>Stephen Ministers</u>	Library	3:30 p.m.
	<u>Bell Choir Rehearsal</u>	Music Room 200	7:00 p.m.
	<u>Lyric Chorale Rehearsal</u>	Auditorium	7:00 p.m.
	<u>Anna Braun Small Group</u>	@ Braun home	7:15 p.m.
Wed., 2/13	<u>Church Staff Meeting</u>	Community Room	10:00 a.m.
	<u>Cherub Choir Rehearsal</u>	Community Room	4:30 p.m.
	<u>Junior Choir Rehearsal</u>	Music Room 200	4:30 p.m.
	<u>Mission Ministry Team</u>	Community Room	6:30 p.m.
	<u>Spiritual Life Ministry Team</u>	Room 204	6:30 p.m.
	<u>Senior Choir Rehearsal</u>	Music Room 200	7:30 p.m.
Thur., 2/14	<u>Dorcas Circle</u>	Room 204	11:30 a.m.
Sun., 2/17	<u>Traditional Worship & Holy Communion</u>		8:30 a.m.
	<u>Education Hour</u>		9:45 a.m.
	Sunday School (Age 3-Grade 6)		
	Jr. FL Confirmation Class		
	Sr. FLY Class		
	Adults – <u>The Story</u> , Chapter 18		
<u>Contemporary Worship & Holy Communion</u>		10:45 a.m.	



Faith is Sponsoring a RISE AGAINST HUNGER Event!

Saturday, March 16, 2019, 9:00 AM

Our goal is to raise \$15,000 so we can package at least 50,000 meals

CONSIDER BEING A SPONSOR

- **Grand Sponsor: \$1,000+**
- **Partners Sponsor: \$50**
- **Operations Sponsor: \$300**
- **Faith Christmas Sponsor: \$250**

Detailed explanation of sponsorship benefits are in the church office and in the February issue of *Faith Notes*.

REGISTER TO PARTICIPATE

- Online at <http://events.stophungernow.org/community>.
We are requesting \$30 per person or \$75 per family.
- At the Information Center in the Concourse
- By calling the church office at 381-3970.

Questions? Need more information?
Contact Marguerite McKee at 506-6174



Thank you...

-To the congregation for donating \$484 to Salem Nutrition Center through FLY's Souper Bowl of Caring ministry!

Sunday Night FLY – “The Epic Adventure – Begins!” – Feb. 10

Gandalf gives the ring to Frodo. Obi-Wan gives the lightsaber to Luke. Harry receives his acceptance letter to Hogwarts. Every epic adventure begins with a single step into a larger story. Join us TONIGHT as we discover where our own epic adventure begins!



2019 Sr. FLY Winter Retreat – “Melt Away” at Camp Casowasco – Mar. 1-3

Want to melt away the stress in your life? Then come experience a weekend away while having fun with your friends in the snow! There will be lots of anti-stress activities, laughs, snowballs, sleds, food, and discussions on God's Word!

Please sign-up on the FLY bulletin board and register online by Sunday, Feb. 17 at: faithpenfield.org/resources/fly-forms. The total cost is \$160 and is also due on Feb. 17 (made out to “Faith Lutheran Youth”). Financial help is available on a first-come first-served basis. It's going to be an AWESOME Winter Retreat – hope you can come!

*All participants will receive a new long-sleeve navy FLY shirt!

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

New This Week

- **Adele Blumenberg**, friend of Diane VanAuken, breast cancer – fatal
- **Wendy Claypool**, relative of Bonne & Wayne Samuels, stress-induced cardiac myopathy
- **Norma Coon**, mother of Stacie (Sunny) Poromon, just diagnosed with breast cancer
- **Diane Kochendorfer**, mother of Michael Trojjan, for a successful heart procedure
- **Ann Porter**, co-worker of Noreen Crouse and Liz Wood, recovering from a serious car accident

Death

- **Ellen Curtis** (2/5), wife of Don Curtis, former Faith member, and friend of many here at Faith

Celebrating Birthdays This Week

10 – Michelle Peeso

11 – Megan Hoffman

12 – Paul DiMiero

13 – Patricia Carpenter, Laura Mangerian

14 – Veronica Gertner, Todd Rath

15 – Norma Kreiss, Mackenzie McNaughton, Dana Webb

16 – Thomas Alvut

Celebrating Wedding Anniversaries This Week

11 – Doug & Mary Carpenter

Faith Members & Friends

Cory Alberti, Beth Brust, Brian Coughlin, Sam Falzone, Ruth Feasel, Chris & Savannah Kopchak, June Leibring, Dennis Leinenbach, Brenda Lincoln, Gordon Long, Aram Mangerian, Mary Ann Maschoff, Dorislee Reschke, Connie Robison, Lois Ronnenberg, Gordon Sandgren, Jane Smurthwaite, Eric Sykes, Robert Wagner, Roger Wilder

Those in Care Facilities

Ruth Behnfeldt – Cherry Ridge (Webster)
Howard Graffrath – St. Ann’s Care Center (Webster)
Laura Kubanka – The Village at Mill Landing (Greece)
June Leibring – Baywinde
Ed & Joyce Lindskoog – The Legacy at Willow Pond
Joyce McChesney – The Legacy at Grand’ vie (Penfield)
Trudi Nitschke – St. Ann’s (Webster)
Dorislee Reschke – Aaron Manor (Penfield)
Pastor Ed Saresky – The Maplewood (Webster)
Arline Schane – Baywinde
Vivian Smith – Heather Heights (Pittsford)
Ralph Tetro – St. John’s Home (Rochester)
Norman Zurell – Cherry Ridge (Webster)

Serving in the Military

Ryan Brink	Nephew of Terry & Penny Wheeler
Thomas DiMiero	Son of Paul DiMiero
Richard Dowdle	Nephew of Robin Wagstrom-Arnone
Elizabeth Flint	Niece of Jon & Terry Allen
Michael Flint	Nephew of Jon & Terry Allen
Dylan Gonzales	Friend of Veronica Arnone
Paul Krenzer	Son of William & Barbara Krenzer
Peter Mangerian	Son of Berge & Elisabeth Mangerian
Alana Nicole Marcum	Niece of Dick & Roxanne Leschhorn
Daniel Niemeir	Nephew of Wayne & Bonnie Samuels
Quaysean Odon	Relative of Berge & Elisabeth Mangerian
Kayla Petteway	Relative of Berge & Elisabeth Mangerian
Kevin Spiwak	Son of Steve & Carol Spiwak
Daniel Toth	Nephew of Wayne & Bonnie Samuels

Extended Family & Friends

Adrienne	Cindy Jackson	Betty Pleasant
Sharon	Connie Jacob	Diane Poch
Vivian	Kurt Jaeger	Lee Price
Amy Albers	Olive Jameson	Rekha Rajendran
JoAnne Albers	Joan Jewell	Raul Ramirez
Sharon Allen	Lois Johnson	Mary Rankin
Carol Alman	Rosa Johnson	Ken & Rita Righter
Helen Altman	Sharon Johnson	JaVonnie Royster
Paul Barletta	Kris Kessler	Rev. Bernd Rudolf
Michelle Bellingham	Eleanora King	Marilyn Russell
Cindy Bergeron	Robert Kloss	Susan Sabino
Carol Blaisedell	Diane Kochendorfer	Linda Salmons
Roberta Brink	Bruce Kost	Kaitlyn Schumacher
Rhys Castle	Nancy Krenzer	Elaine Schumaker
Anthony Ciferi	Donna Kunkel	Sue Schwartz
Heidi Connell	Paul Kwilos	Joanne Shenandoah
Rebecca Cronk	Jodi Leidner	Pam Sheriff
Don Curtis	Keith Letky	Joan Shurkey
Shawn Danek	John Libertore	Rick Sisk
Jim Demme	Daniel Lindskoog	Kathleen Smith
Natasha Denning	Anna Lutz	Sandy Smith
Linda DiNicholo	David Magill	Ellen Smurthwaite
Butch Dippold	Charles Malecki	Don Snyder
Stephanie Drummond	Christine Mangerian	Jack Starr
Josie Eckert	Dikran Mangerian	Andy Storm
Isabella Esson	Patricia Mangerian	Cathy Storm
Deb Farrell	Keitha Martin	Nikki Stover
LuAnn Farruggia	Kevin Martin	Gigi Strazzeri
Joe Felo	Madelyn McCarthy	Suzette Teferra
Anita Foreman	Kip McDowell	Bob Thompson
Don Foster	Joan McMillan	Lou Tomasetti
Jean Fuller	Edward Menzies	Leilani Tsintsaroff
Christin George	Bridget Michener	Kannon Voss
Sabrina Hammond	Carl Miller	Shelva Wardynski
Amanda Hendricks	Susan (Bruning) Miller	Mike West
Kathy Henely	Char Moneymaker	Mary Francis Westfall
Jim Hertzell	Elise Mullaney	Wayne Wheeler
Karin Hoffman	Donna Niemeir	John White
Janet Howard	Kayla Paxson	Grace Wixson
Gloria Huussen	Kathie Peterson	Frankie Zenisek

WORSHIP SERVICES

Sunday worship services are streamed live and commercial-free to any computer or mobile device. From Faith's website, www.faihtpenfield.org, click on the "Livestream Worship Online" link on the Welcome page.

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Faith is a Stephen Minister congregation, and is blessed with many specially-trained, caring people available to listen and provide confidential, one-on-one care and counseling for anyone going through tough times. If you would like to begin care, or find out more about this ministry, please contact Pastor Ben (485-0143), Nancy Hammond (381-6968), or Jackie Welk (749-7343).

ALTAR FLOWERS

Sponsoring a weekly flower arrangement is a wonderful way to remember or honor someone or to celebrate an event. There is a flower calendar across from the church office (on the middle bulletin board) on which you may select your Sunday. Note your name for that date, take and complete an Altar Flowers Request Form, and return it to Carol Keeler. A minimum payment of \$30 is requested toward the total cost of \$65 for each arrangement of fresh flowers delivered weekly from Arena's Florist.

Listen to The Story ONLINE!

You can download each chapter of The Story from our website and listen on your mobile devices! Simply go to www.faihtpenfield.org/resources/the-story-audio and enter the password "thestory" and you'll have full access to The Story for Adults.

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Faith Women's Retreat 2019

Connect, Create, Celebrate

"Being Who You Are Created to Be"

Special Guest: Bonnie Matthaides

Dates: April 5th-7th, 2019

Place: LeTourneau Christian Center
on Canandaigua Lake

4950 East Lake Rd, Rushville, NY 14544

Register by March 17

Questions: Sandy Hoffarth (registration) 585-746-6514
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