

## Gathered to Worship

Prelude

Call to Worship:

Acts 2:1-12 (p. 1078)

Welcome and God's Greeting

Song of Worship: #5 (WC)

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

## Relying on Grace

Prayer

Song of Worship:

"Jesus Messiah"

*(children ages 3 - Kindergarten are dismissed for Children's Church)*

## Giving with Thanks

Offertory Prayer

Offering:

Timothy Tuition Assistance

## Hearing God's Word

Scripture:

Leviticus 23:4-8 (p. 120), John 15:1-8 (pp. 1068-1069)

Sermon:

**THE COMMUNION OF UNLEAVENED BREAD**

Prayer

## Celebrating Communion

Song of Preparation:

"The Power of the Cross"

The Celebration of Communion

Song of Worship: #350:1,4 (PH)

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

*(sung together during the passing of the bread)*

Song of Praise:

"Behold the Lamb"

*(offering for those in need – the Faith CRC Benevolent fund)*

## Blessed to Serve

Benediction

Doxology: #391:1,4 (PH)

Postlude

"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

## Leading us in Worship

Worship Leader and Sermon:

Rev. Matthew Lanser

Organ:

Donna Erdman

Violin:

Kristen Voss

Bass:

Carter Bulthuis

Guitars:

Matt Bulthuis, Mike Printz

*(PH-Psalter Hymnal; WC-Worshiping Church- in pews; LH-Lift Up Your Hearts Hymnal-not in pews)*

## God Calls Us to Worship

Prelude

Welcome and God's Greeting

Song of Praise: #306:1,3,4 (WC)

"Standing on the Promises"

## We Express Our Faith and Gratitude

Profession of Faith:

Apostles' Creed (*p. 3 in the back of the PH*)

Prayer

Song of Worship: #393 (PH)

"Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid"

Offertory Prayer

Offering:

Daystar School

## God Speaks to His People

Scripture:

Acts 5:17-42 (*pp. 1082-1083*)

Sermon:

**FIGHTING WITH GOD**

Prayer

## We Go Out with God's Blessing

Song of Response: #436:1,2 (PH)

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

Benediction

Doxology: #436:3 (PH)

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

Postlude

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## Today at Faith

**This morning**, our “Fulfilled” series continues with the Feast of Unleavened Bread from Leviticus 23:4-8. We’ll reflect on the meaning of this feast and the meaning of the Lord’s Supper.

**Also this morning we celebrate Communion or the Lord’s Supper.** First the bread and then the wine will be distributed by our elders. As Jesus unites all believers through His work, we will eat and drink each element in unison, when indicated by the pastor. For those who prefer grape juice instead of wine, it can be found at the center of each tray. Gluten free bread is available in individual packages in the bread tray. If you are a guest this morning, and a professing member of Jesus in another Bible-believing church, you are welcome to join us at the Lord’s Table today.

**Tonight** we’re beginning a new series on the book of Acts: “The Gospel-Centered, Growing Church.” This five-part series spread out over the summer will take us through the main movements of the book of Acts. Our first text will be Acts 5:17-42. During this service, the congregation will also be invited to share petitions and praises for prayer. After the service, we’ll enjoy our first summer ice cream social.

## Upcoming Worship at Faith

June 16, 9:30 AM: Children’s Church sings for Father’s Day

June 16, 6:00 PM: Nathan Voss preaching

June 23, 9:30 AM: Baptism of Nora Kinnas

June 23, 6:00 PM: Hymn Sing – Congregation’s Choice

June 30, 9:30 AM: Send-Off for High School Service Trip

June 30, 6:00 PM: Dr. Derke Bergsma preaching

## Prayer & Praise

**If you have prayer needs**, please visit room 14 on the south side of the sanctuary after the morning service.

**You’re invited to pray** every Sunday morning from 9:10 – 9:20 AM in Classroom 1, 2, or 3 on the north side of the building. Prayers are lifted up specifically for the morning worship service – for those involved in leading and those attending, as well as for the many caring for children during morning worship.

**Eric Johnson** has been moved into long-term skilled nursing at Park Place.

The **Rusthoven family** gives thanks to our gracious and loving God for guiding the surgeon’s hand that resulted in a successful outcome for Lois’ open heart surgery. We give thanks for our Faith family for the many thoughtful cards, prayers and expressions of concern during her recovery. We are also thankful for the visits and calls of our pastors.

Remember to pray for those who are unable to join us in worship. Today we think of **Grace Bolt** who lives at Providence Downers Grove.

## Offerings

Today: AM: Timothy Tuition Assistance  
June 16: AM: Benevolent Fund  
June 23: AM: All God's Children

PM: Daystar School  
PM: Luke Society  
PM: Lawndale CRC

## Announcements

You're invited to an **ice cream social** after the evening service tonight. Come for worship; stay for a time of fellowship afterward.

Summer seems to finally be here to stay, and that means it's time for **Park Playdates!** We'll be meeting at Eldridge Park in Elmhurst on Commonwealth Street (the playground by the pond) from 10:00 AM – Noon. Families with kids of all ages are welcome. There are a couple playgrounds for the younger ones, as well as a basketball court to interest the older kids. Add these dates to your calendar: Friday, June 14; Thursday, June 27; Friday, July 12; Thursday, July 25; and Thursday, August 15. If you have any questions, talk to Laura Lanser or Chelsea Barney. Hope to see you there!

**Walk for Caring Network** is Saturday, June 15 from 9:00 – 11:00 AM. There are two locations; one in Wheaton and one in Wood Dale. You can sign up to join the walk, sign up for a "Walk Without Shoes" which is a virtual walk, or sponsor a walker. Sign-ups are at the "Right To Life" table in the Fellowship Hall. Any questions please contact Lambert or Judy Bronger.

**VBS – ROAR!** Join us from June 17-20 from 9:00 - 11:30 AM for a week to remember of worship, games, science station, Bible teaching and drama! Free for children aged four through 5th grade. Register online today.

The **Discipleship Committee** will meet on Wednesday, June 19 at 7:00 PM.

**Young Adult Meal:** Join us June 23 after evening worship from 7:15 – 8:30 PM. Please RSVP to Jonathan with what soup, salad or dessert you're bringing.

**Christian Youth Theater Camp** is coming to Faith Church for 5-12 year olds on June 24-28 from 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM daily. NO experience in theater is needed, just a willingness to learn and have fun! For more information or to enroll, please pick up one of the flyers in the narthex. Receive a \$25 discount off enrollment when you use the code FAITH19.

We'll kick off our next ministry year with **Fall Fest 2019** on Saturday, September 7. Plan to come for a time of connecting and re-connection with friends and neighbors as the next year gets going.

**Men's Retreat – Save the Date:** Join us October 4 – 6 for a weekend of fun, fellowship, food and faith building. Highschoolers and up are invited. Come and go as you please; \$10/night per camper; check-in and check-out is 11:00 AM. Email Jonathan (jbarney@faithelmhurst.org) to RSVP.

Are you on our email list? If you would like to receive **weekly Faith CRC emails**, please add your name to the list at the sign-up counter, or contact [office@faithelmhurst.org](mailto:office@faithelmhurst.org). You'll receive weekly emails about Sunday worship services and special events as well as occasional mid-week prayer requests from the Faith Church family

## Youth News

**Asylum Social Event:** Join us from 7:00 – 8:30 PM on June 12 for ice cream at Kimmer's in downtown Elmhurst.

**Memphis Trip Training** will be on Sunday, June 30 from 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM. Students and leaders are invited to join us in rooms 1-3. Lunch provided.

**Memphis Trip Reunion:** Join us at the Bulthuis' on July 24 at 7:00 PM to reconnect after the trip over refreshments and work on material to share with the congregation.

**Asylum Summer Small Group:** Join us three times this summer to meet and study God's Word, play games and have snacks at different homes. Our group meeting will be from 7:00 – 8:30 PM on June 26, July 10 and August 14; led by high school and adult leaders. A host family is still needed on July 10!

## Community News

**Timothy Christian Schools** invites you and your family to *Tuesdays at Timothy*. Our summer open house hours will be June 11, 18 and 25; July 9, 16, and 23. You are welcome to come for a tour of our campus from 9:00 – 11:00 AM or 7:00 – 8:00 PM on any of those six days. Please contact the Director of Admissions, Dan Quist, at [quist@timothychristian.com](mailto:quist@timothychristian.com) for more information.

**Timothy Christian Schools** is looking for a Part-Time Spanish teacher for the 2019-2020 School Year. Must have Type 09 certification and endorsement to teach HS Spanish. Interested applicants should contact Principal Brad Mitchell at [mitchell@timothychristian.com](mailto:mitchell@timothychristian.com)

## This Week at Faith

### Today

Young Adult Campout

### Wednesday, June 12

Men's Prayer Group 7:00 – 8:00 AM

Asylum at Kimmer's Ice Cream 7:00 – 8:30 PM

### Friday, June 14

Men's Bible Study 6:30 – 7:30 AM

Park Playdate at Eldridge Park 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

### Sunday, June 16

VBS New and Student Counselor Training 11:00 – 11:20 AM

## Serving Faith Church

**Welcome Team:** Dave Printz **Next Week:** Ted Vander Naald

**Kitchen:** Logan & Bonnie Van Proyen\*, Brad & Kathy Miedema

**Next Week:** Hank & Becky Vander Naald\*, Spencer & Rebecca Anderson

**Library:** Jeri Cook & Laura Miller

**Library Next Week:** Laurie Wierenga & Kathleen Glaubke

**Audio Visual:** Steve David, Adam Zarek, Logan Van Proyen

**Next Week:** Steve De Boer, Chris Slinkman, Mike Speelman

**Nursery Hostess:** Jayne Lindemulder **Next Week:** Ruth Flikkema

**Infant Nursery:** Mindy Slinkman, Val Hoving, Sophia Schuringa

**Next Week:** Rebecca Anderson, Laurie Vander Naald, Mary Huizinga

**Toddler Nursery:** Chelsea Barney, Ruth Flikkema, Jacki Van Dahm

**Next Week:** Joy Koopmans, Kim Kooyenga, Hailey Bernahl

**PM Nursery:** Linda Van Dyk, Sarah Schuringa

**Next Week:** Laura Lanser, Hannah Schuringa

## 2019 – 2020 ELDER/DEACON DISTRICTS

### Church Members:

### Elder/Deacon Team:

1. A – B

Mike Tornow & Jay Lumkes

2. C – E

Pete Holtrop & Spencer Anderson

3. F – Hof

Len Turnbull & Nathan Middel

4. Hol - J

Al De Los Santos & Dan Kooyenga

5. K

Mike Hoving & Cal Boonstra

6. L – O

Herman Vander Naald & Brad Miedema

7. P - Tam

Randy Van Dahm & Corey Van Dyk

8. Taz – Van D

Dave Voss & Calvin Hoving

9. Van K - Vander

Bern Slinkman & Scott Piersma

10. Ven – Z

Ted Vander Naald & Chris Slinkman

Out of Town

Chris Kakabeeke & Steve David