

FLC WEEKLY

September 29, 2026

God is with us as we care for one another.

FLC WEEKLY UPDATES

Please submit any updates no later than **Monday afternoon** so they will be included when the email is sent out each Tuesday morning.

RUTH CIRCLE UPDATE

The Ruth Circle Bible Study will meet on Thursday, October 1, 2026, at 1:00pm in the church annex. We will begin studying from a new book, One for All.

The Study Leader, Melinda Cokely, will be starting with Session 1, "Come and See". Evelyn Frank is the Hostess. Everyone is invited to come and study with us. Contact Anna Willis (210-722-3410) for questions.

STAFF APPRECIATION AND PASTOR APPRECIATION

At First Lutheran Church, we are designating the month of October as Staff Appreciation Month. Different ministries of our church will honor and celebrate our staff each week. Our staff includes Dan Martick, Becky Vinyard, Brenda Hubert, Manahara Virasinha, Cindy Duppstadt and Pastor John Conrad. The schedule is as follows:

October 5-8: FLC Men in Mission
October 12-15: Sonshine Ark & Council
October 19-22: FLC Women
October 26-29: FLC Sunday School

On October 18th we will have a Pastor Appreciation Reception between the services. Our Mutual Ministry Team is in the planning stages of this event. Detailed information will be announced soon.

OUR MONTHLY YOUTH GATHERING (MYG) RESUMES

MYG is open to all youth in grades 6–12 and is a relaxed evening of fellowship, food, and faith. Youth can hang out, play games, visit with friends, and enjoy time together. Each monthly gathering also includes a short devotional or Scripture reading and prayer. Dinner is provided, and friends are always welcome! We'd love to have your youth join us! For questions or more information, contact:

Brittani: 210-861-5373 or Jaxson: 830-391-4586.

LET'S GO NUTS!

One of the biggest events in Floresville, our annual Floresville Peanut Festival, is quickly approaching. We, at FLC, are privileged to have Peanut Festival royalty. Our very own, Nicole Pfeil, is Queen Tuneap Elect LXXXII (82nd). She will be crowned Queen of the Court of Confectionary Creations at the coronation on Thursday night by the past queen, Kambri Angle. Brylee Krause will be honored as Nicole's special guest. They will be riding in the parade on Saturday, October 10. In addition, there'll be numerous FLC youth in the parade as representatives of the band, cheerleaders, volleyball, dance teams, football, FFA, etc...

We are fortunate to have several opportunities to give back and bless our community during the parade:

Hospitality Center: First Lutheran Church will be hosting the hospitality center on Saturday, October 10. We are seeking a team of 3-4 people to help. We open the annex and welcome visitors to use our restrooms and provide coffee, water and light refreshments. Sign-up sheets for donations of refreshments, toilet paper, napkins, etc... are posted in the annex. Contact Laurie Curtis if you are interested in helping or have questions.

Water Handout: At the end of the parade route, our youth and congregation members will be handing out 1,200 bottles of cold water that includes a scripture to parade participants and spectators. They will be located at the Methodist Church on 4th Street from 8:30-9:00 for set-up with the parade starting at 10am. **Ray McHorse has volunteered to have the trailer and water at the parade site. He needs helpers to label and hand out the water.** Monetary donations for the purchase of water and labels are greatly appreciated, simply designated to PF water. Contact Charles Ogburn or Danny Curtis with questions.

Join us in one of these opportunities to serve! Enjoy watching our FLC representatives in the parade and help hand out water.

INVITATION TO SERVE WITH THE ALTAR GUILD MINISTRY

Do you have a heart to serve God and others? Do you have an attitude of thanksgiving in your heart to God in the name of our Lord Jesus? Then come and see how you can serve in the Altar Guild ministry for our congregation. We have a

few teams that need an additional person to serve on their team. If you are interested contact Ginny Glowka or Nina Koenig.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Come and follow in the footsteps of the Apostle Paul as we study “To Live is Christ; The Life and Ministry of Paul.” Our group meets on the 3rd Monday of each month at Lord’s Acres, beginning at 6:00 pm to approximately 8:15 pm. Bring your beverage of choice and snacks as we fellowship, study and learn of how the Apostle Paul risked life and loneliness to take Christ’s gospel to the uttermost parts of the world.

Contact Nina Koenig at 361-816-6721 for more information or to join our group! Hope to see you on **October 19**.

DAILY WORDS OF ENCOURAGEMENT

If you have not signed up for the Daily Words of Encouragement, you may do so by letting the office know. These links via text are scheduled daily at either 6 am or 12 noon Mondays through Saturdays.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

It’s been a while since we began using the Instant Church Directory online/phone app. Our families have undergone a lot of changes since then. Let’s get it updated so we can all have a current directory (with photos).

Using the Church Connection Card, please provide any updates (cell phone numbers, email addresses, mailing/physical address) if anything has changed. An **updated photo** can also be taken between the services, or one can be emailed to Dan at office@dojoy.org at your convenience. Please see Dan for any assistance with the phone app or online access.

THANK YOU FOR CONTINUING TO REMEMBER FLC IN YOUR GIVING, AS YOU ARE ABLE.

We have options available for online giving and text-to-give. They are easy to use and secure! You can give a gift of support online at <https://dojoy.org/give> or give via text message by texting the amount you would like to give to **830-420-0747**.

SERVING AT WORSHIP SERVICE (10/4/2026) **Ushers (Team 3)**

Early Ushers- Darren & Laura Lange, Vernon & Christy Blocker, Shelly Gorzell, Justin Pfeil

Late Ushers- Doug Bielefeld, Keith Klepac, Hardy Klepac, Weston Bergey, Randy Schuette, Blake Helmke

Live Stream- Ryan Schroeder

Early Sound Tech- Dan Martick

Early Acolytes- Kari and Samantha Schroeder

Early Reader- Ann Martick

Early Communion Bread- Charles Ogburn

Early Communion Wine- Linda Ogburn and Patty Moczygamba

Late Sound Tech- Alan Schmidtberger

Late Acolytes- Emerson and Beckett Posey

Late Reader- Ryann Kasper

Late Communion Bread- Charlie Glowka

Late Communion Wine- Melissa Mangum and Loretta Carter

Tellers- Patty Moczygamba and Jason Pfeil

Flowers- In Memory of Harry Walker's birthday, Ann Martick's father

Music- Manahara Virasinha

Altar Guild (Team 3) Ginny Glowka, Anna Willis, Polly Archer

Lawn Crew (Team 4) John Moring, Doug Bielefeld, Ray McHorse, Bill Stolle

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR MEMBERS AND REGULAR WORSHIPERS

Marcia Drane- Prayers for comfort and Peace.

Olivia Macek and Family- Prayers for complete healing and wholeness.

Charles Koenig- Prayers for comfort and healing after minor surgery.

Sherry Lerich- Prayers for healing after fall and surgery.

Sandra Jandt- Prayers for comfort and healing, cancer treatment.

Susan Thompson- Cancer treatment, Prayers for comfort and healing.

Bonnie Caisse- Prayers for comfort and complete healing from surgery.

Vernon Blocker- Prayers for comfort and complete healing.

Natalie Adams- Prayers for continued healing and wholeness.

PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOMES OR LIVING ALONE

Florence Baumann

Marcella Hartmann

Sherry Lerich

PRAYER REQUESTS FROM MEMBERS & VISITORS

World Peace and Continuing Rain!

Amelia Gonzales- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Evelyn Frank)

JoAnn Gawlik- Prayers for comfort and healing due to health issues. (Dorothy Pantuso)

Al Sunday- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Jon Sunday)

Collin and Bree Sunday - Prayers for comfort and healing. (Jon Sunday)

Karen Johns- Prayers for comfort and healing due to health issues (Danny Johns)

Vickey Geffert- Prayers for comfort and healing from surgery. (Sister of Linda Jauer)

Brandy Hassmann- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Glowka family)

Tom and Carol Wood- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Klepac and Bielefeld families)

Louise (Jung) Jenschke- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Mata Orth)

Betty and Jack House- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Mata Orth)

Kiley Cude- Prayers for comfort and healing due to pregnancy complications. (Russell and Margie Boening)

Gloria Katzer- Prayers for comfort and healing from injury. (Pantuso Family)

Courtney Ortiz- Prayers for comfort & healing. (Pantuso Family)

Karen Lucherk- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Russell & Margie Boening)

Jennifer Lohse- Prayers for comfort and healing from Cancer. (Tom Ortmann's niece)

Steve Lisherness- Prayers for comfort & healing (Klepac Family)

Mark Vidal- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Klepac Family)

Jennings Johnson- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Klepac Family)

Cindy Pilgrim-Banhart- Prayers for comfort and healing. (Klepac Family)

Steve Plata- Prayers for complete healing from cancer (Klepac Family).

THIS WEEK AT FIRST LUTHERAN

Tuesday, Sept 29

9:00 am	Women's Bible Study LA
10:00 am	Bible Study DJH
6:00pm	Sausage Dinner Meeting Annex

Wednesday, Sept 30

6:00 pm	Confirmation DJH
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Thursday, Oct 1

9:00 am Quilting Hands DJH
1:00 pm Ruth Circle

Saturday, Oct 3

8:00 am Men's Bible Study

Sunday, Oct 4

8:00 am Early Worship

9:30 am Adult Sunday School

10:30 am Late Worship

MEMBERS HAVING BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

September 28 Emerson Posey

September 29 Kay Burchers

September 30 Cheryl Cagle

September 30 Benson Jurgajtis

October 1 Patricia Bielefeld

October 4 Collin Sunday

MEMBERS HAVING ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

None this week

DAILY READINGS FOR DISCIPLES THIS WEEK

Monday	Sept 28	Matthew 21:33-46
Tuesday	Sept 29	Isaiah 5:1-7
Wednesday	Sept 30	Psalms 80:7-15
Thursday	Oct 1	Philippians 3:4b-14
Friday	Oct 2	Galatians 4:8-11
Saturday	Oct 3	Galatians 4:12-20