

Prayers

Pastor Jon and Marsha Heydenreich, Sue Eliassen,
Magaly Nelson, Louise Kress,
Sandra Chupkai, Tristan, John Pollard,
Renita Stellmon (mother of Dawn Stellmon),
and Ken Rohr (friend of the Kress's).

Worship Leaders

PREACHER: Rev. Lawrence Jay
ASSISTING MINISTER: Nick Thomson
DIRECTOR OF TRADITIONAL MUSIC: DJ Cleavinger
PRAISE BAND: Ingrid Marstaller (Leader), Greg Bird,
Bill Hartzell, Brian Scanlon, Gary Payson, Tammy Skwierczynski
READER: Wilma Breiland
OFFERING COUNTER: John Breiland
ALTAR CARE: Karin Pantleon, Chris Hayward,
Sandy Chupkai, Corinne Williams, Jeanne Hladky
WORSHIP TECHNOLOGY: Isaac Almy, Sara Bidwell
John Breiland, Bill Mark Langdell
COUNCIL MEMBER OF THE WEEK: Jackie Hartzell
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NO Office Hours this summer)

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Calendar

Sunday, August 23	Sunday, August 30
10:00 AM	10:00 AM
Blended Worship Service	Blended Worship Service
11:00 AM	11:00 AM
Hospitality Hour	Fall Kick-Off Celebration Potluck/ BBQ



Sabbatical Pastoral Care Coverage for Emergencies:
Rev. Erica Kennedy (call church office 978-475-4059 or Jackie Hartzell cell 978-407-3211 if office is closed)

We livestream worship service and share them on YouTube and other internet sites. We also often take photos of people throughout the building to use on our website. If you would prefer not to be on camera, please sit in the back two rows and ask the pastor to distribute communion to you from your seat.

LOVING GOD SERVING OTHERS

10:00 AM
Summer
Worship Service

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
August 23, 2026

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Welcome to Faith!

August 23, 2026

Guests



We are grateful you have chosen to visit with us today. You are welcome to the communion table and we'd love to greet you after church for coffee in our Fellowship Hall.

Welcoming Statement



On June 2, 2024, our congregation adopted a Welcoming Statement to become a Reconciling in Christ community. The QR code links to our Welcoming Statement.

Ministry of the Month



Giving



Thank you for your generosity! Financial gifts may be given online at the QR code or by check/cash in the offering plate.

Order of Service

page numbers are from the red hymnals in the pews

Gathering

Prelude
Welcome to Worship
Gathering Hymn: *You Are Worthy of my Praise*
Confession and Forgiveness
Greeting
Prayer of the Day
Song of Praise: *Canticle of the Turning, (verse 4)*

#723

Word

Reading: Exodus 1:8--2:10
Children's Message
Gospel: Matthew 16:13-20
Sermon
Hymn of the Day: *You Are God*
Apostles' Creed
Prayers of Intercession
Greeting of Peace

Meal

Offering
Offertory: Ellie Wang on organ
Offering Prayer
Lord's Prayer
Prayer of Thanksgiving for the Word

Sending

Benediction
Sending Hymn: *How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds* #620
Dismissal: Go in peace. Share the good news!
All: Thanks be to God!

Postlude

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