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# God's Acre: What is it?

"For the upkeep, repair, and maintenance of Faith Lutheran Church." Each year at our Annual Meeting we approve a budget which includes money for our church home. That budget includes basic everyday expenses. However there are times that our church home needs more. For example: brick restoration, mechanical repair, interior/exterior repair and maintenance, and other unforeseen or unexpected repairs.

In 1965 a motion was made to the Church Council to have a once a year offering for those extra building needs and the council voted to accept this idea. Each member was asked to give the income from one acre of land, one days wages, one months (days/weeks) interest - one portion, however their income was earned.

Because many of our members at that time had some connection with the land, it was decided to call it "God's Acre." Since we are still a rural church and since the needs of our church home still sometimes exceed our budgeted amount, we still call it "God's Acre" and each of us personally and as a family can decide what is the "acre" that we can give for this purpose. <u>This year our God's Acre offering &</u>

Potluck dinner is on November 5. If you cannot attend you can still give to "God's Acre" at any time. Thank you to everyone for taking pride in our church home and being stewards of it's upkeep and preservation. ~Faith Church Council





Our Thanksgiving service will be on *Tuesday, November 21* at Mooreton Lutheran, *7:00 p.m.* Join together in giving thanks. Allow worship to deepen your spirit of thankfulness.

**Church Council** 

<u>Faith & Mooreton Joint Council Meeting</u> December 13 // 7:00 p.m. at Mooreton Lutheran

## **November Ushers**

Mooreton: Jamie & Karen Helgeson

Mooreton is in need of ushers for the month of December. Please contact Ruth Johnson if you are able to help.

## Mooreton Women of the ELCA

The Mooreton WELCA will meet Monday, November 27 at 6:30 p.m.

Clean and decorate for Christmas. Please help out during the month with light cleaning.

# Faith Women of the ELCA

Faith Church Women will not meet in November.





## **Mooreton Sunday School**

There will NOT be Sunday School on November 12.

The Sunday School will having a Christmas performance during the Christmas Eve worship Service. More information will be sent home.

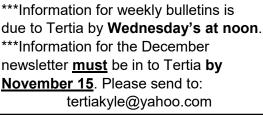


Christmas Program

Faith has a wonderful library with books and movies in the basement. Please feel free to check these items out. There is a binder to write your name, date, and the items borrowed. Be sure check your books back in when you return them. Enjoy!



If anyone has books that they would like to donate please contact Tertia.







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## Faith Sunday School Christmas Program

The Christmas program will be held Sunday, December 10 at 10:30 during Faith's worship service with a potluck dinner to follow.

All are invited including family and friends of our Sunday School students.

Please mark your calendar for a possible practice on Saturday, December 9.

Please help us prepare by having your child practice at home and attend all Sundays leading up to the program. Sunday school will NOT

meet November 12.



Faith Altar GuildNovember -Valerie & DianeDecember -Colleen & TerryJanuary -Vaughan & WendyFebruary -Toviao & Linda



#### **Mooreton Fellowship Schedule**

Please switch with someone if you cannot make it. If you drop it off at the church, please make sure you have someone to serve it and clean up.

November 5 Aimee Skovholt November 12 Joey Glarum November 19 Karlene Ellingson November 26 Emily Woltjer



December 3 Kari Ward

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## **Parish Social Media**

These sites will allow you to stay up to date with Parish news, schedule changes, and watch Faith Worship services live. Please be sure to bookmark, like, follow and subscribe.

<u>Parish Facebook private group</u>: https://bit.1y/3EQBUQv OR search "Faith Lutheran-Mooreton Lutheran Church News"

<u>Parish Facebook Page for Live Stream Services:</u> https://bit.ly/3pH0QUe OR search "Faith Mooreton Lutheran Parish"

Parish YouTube Channel: https://bit.ly/31L6dd7 OR search: Faith Lutheran - Mooreton Lutheran Parish



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5 23rd after Pentecost - Green 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton Coffee 9:40 M. Sunday School 9:15 Faith Sunday School 10:30 Faith Worship/ God's Acre/Potluck	6	7	8	9	10	11 Honoring All, WHO Served THANK YOU VETERANS
12 24th after Pentecost - Green 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton Coffee 10:30 Faith Worship	13	14	15 DEADLINE: Newsletter Articles Email info to: tertiakyle@yahoo.com	16	17	18
19 25th after Pentecost - Green 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton Coffee 9:40 M. Sunday School 9:15 Faith Sunday School 10:30 Faith Worship	20	21 7:00 p.m. at Mooreton	22	23 HAPPY THANKS Guyyy	24	25
26 Christ the King– White 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton Coffee 10:30 Faith Worship	27 6:30 p.m. Mooreton Church Women	28	29	30		

# **NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

November 1Kathy RodgersNovember 7Dylan JohnsonNovember 8Heather RetzerNovember 13Ashley StegerNovember 17Kassi GriffinNovember 20Tanya AlexanderNovember 22Matt Retzer



November 25 November 27 November 28 November 28 Linda Worner Laurie Quamme Adam Retzer Shelby Pajari

If we missed your birthday, or if any of the above dates are incorrect, please let us know as our files may not be up to date. *Thanks!*  Dwight - Mooreton Lutheran Parish 316 Hill Street Dwight, ND 58075