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MARCH

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Please come and worship with us during our Wednesday Lenten worship services.

The schedule is as follows:

March 4 7:00 p.m. Mooreton

March 11 7:00 p.m. Faith

March 18 7:00 p.m. Mooreton

March 25 7:00 p.m. Faith

April 2 Maundy Thursday 7:00 p.m. Faith

April 3 Good Friday 7:00 p.m. Mooreton

April 5 Easter Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mooreton 8:30 Dwight Youth Group Easter Breakfast

10.00 a m. Faith

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Faith Sunday School will not be singing in Mooreton on March 8. It has been rescheduled for Palm Sunday, March 29.

Please be at Mooreton Church by 8:30. We will sing during Worship.

We will return to Faith for

Sunday School and then sing during

Faith Worship.



Ushers

Faith: Mike & Lori Vogeler Mooreton: Rena Stallman

Church Council

Mooreton Church Council for 2015 are:

Korey Skovholt, Karlene Ellingson, Kari Ward, Louise Olson & Jamie Helgeson.

(Clarice Jagodzinski is co-treasurer but not a member of the Council.)

Faith Church Council will meet following Lenten services on March 11.

Faith Church Council members for 2015 are:

President: Kyle Christensen Vice President: Duane Benedict Secretary: Wendy Griffin Treasurer: Lori Vogeler Pastor Sandy Hollands, Shirley

Christensen, Kathy Pikarski, LuAnna Lund, Pam Meyer. Tertia Christensen is financial secretary but is not a member of the Church Council.

Mooreton Cookbooks

"Mooreton Lutheran Church, Celebrating 100 Years!" are available from most members of Mooreton Lutheran and Clarice will have them available at Faith, or you can contact Kari 274-8827 or Clarice 274-8820. \$15.00 a book for 750 cherished recipes.

Mooreton Coffee Servers

- 1 Clarice Jagodzinski
- 8 Lori & Louie Weber
- 15 Aimee & Korey Skovholt
- 22 Karlene & Lyle Ellingson
- 29 Clarice Jagodzinski

On Wednesday, February 18, we began the season of Lent. What is Lent? The word "Lent" comes from the old English word "lengten" which simply means



"spring" –when the days lengthen and new life springs forth. It is as C.S.Lewis said, a season of a kind of "happiness and wonder that makes you serious". Many of us choose something in our personal lives to "give up" for Lent, be it desserts, Facebook time, smoking, as a way of sacrifice in our own lives to remind us of what Christ has done for us on the cross.

In recent days I have visited with several people who have suggested a different approach they are embracing to experience the Lenten season. They are making a concerted effort to be more "Christ like" in their daily lives. Maybe it is reaching out to someone they have lost relationship with and really trying to "mend the fences". Maybe it is going weekly to a nursing home with our children to visit an old neighbor whose days are brightened by having little ones around and sharing a cup of coffee with you. Maybe it's reaching into our pockets and finally making a regular contribution to feed the hungry both in our own backyard and beyond. I really like this idea. In the giving of ourselves, our time, and our resources when we would rather "wait until next month", we are reminded that in going to the cross, Christ made the ultimate sacrifice for us.

We are redeemed by his abundant grace. We are empowered to live as Christ did. This Lenten Season my prayer is that you will take time to do something different in order to better realize the beautiful gift the Lenten season offers, that of growing in our relationship with Christ and with one another.

Love in Christ,

Pastor Gordy

Note:

I would like to announce that Mitch Malme has created a website for our Faith Lutheran and

Mooreton Lutheran faith communities. Mitch met with myself, Tertia and Kyle Christensen, Korey Skovholt and Jerry Brinkman to show us how to enter data into the website. Mitch has put more than 200 hours into making this website for our congregations. It is up and running. The website address is http://www.flcmlc.org

On behalf of both of our congregations I want to express our appreciation to Mitch for his efforts on our behalf!



Mooreton Church Women

The Mooreton Church Women will meet Monday, March 23, at 7:00 p.m.

Devotions - Clarice Jagodzinski

Church Cleaning - Aimee Skovholt

Notes: Discuss upcoming activities. Palm Sunday -3/29, Easter 4/05, Easter Lily Garden, Do some spring cleaning tonight-pews, altar, hallways, stairs, entry way, bathrooms and floors.

Easter Lily Garden

Anyone wishing to participate in the Easter Lily Garden should contact:

Mooreton - Clarice (274-8820) or Muriel (274-8822) Faith - Shirley (642-8295) Please have flowers at the church by Saturday, April 4.

Faith Members:

There are copies of the Christ in Our Home devotional books available for you to take home. They are located on a table in the Narthex. Please pick one up the next time you are at Church.



Faith continues to participate in the 1 Box, 1 Can, Feed My Lamb to help benefit the Richland-Wilkin County Food Pantry. Each Sunday we ask that each family bring 1 item for the Food Pantry. A basket is located at the back of the Sanctuary.

We welcome to our Church family, Brynlie Jo Hegseth, daughter of Chad & Brianne Hegseth, who was baptized at Faith on February 14. Brynlie's sponsor is Chelsea Cronin. Her Grandparent's are Frank & Nancy Hegseth and Mike & Joleen Cronin.

Our sympathy to Shirley Christensen on the death of her cousin, Delores Olson, whose funeral was held February 24 at Hope Lutheran in Fargo. Please keep Delores's family in your prayers.

Our sympathy to the family of Laurie Quamme on the death of her sister Janet Gran. Janet's funeral was held February 27 at Horace Lutheran Church. Please keep Janet's family in your prayers.



Faith Church Women

Faith Church Women will meet Thursday, March 5, at 7:00 p.m.

Program - Denise Biewer
Devotions - Wendy Griffin
Hostess - Laurie Quamme

Faith Sunday School

Thank you to everyone who has been faithfully attending Sunday School each week. The year is going by so fast. The Sunday School will be singing on Palm Sunday. Please read about this on the front page.

Treaters for March are:

- 1 Shelle Stark
- 8 Heather Conzemius
- 15 Jennifer Siemieniewski
- 22 Tertia Christensen
- 29 Amy Anderson

Acolytes

March

April

1 - Megan Roob5 - Josh Olson8 - Addie Christensen12 - Shelby Pikarski

15 - Leeann Olson22 - Gina Quamme19 - Elizabeth Fischer26 - Megan Roob

22 - Gina Quamme 29 - Jaida Pikarski

Faith is looking for sponsors for upcoming newsletters. If you are interested please contact Tertia. The cost is 30.00.



Wahpeton High School Drama Department to present Godspell

Faith Lutheran church members

Madison Nelson-Gira and Braden West are part of the cast and crew for this year's musical at the Wahpeton High School. *Godspell* will be presented April 9, 10, and 11 at 7:00 PM at the Wahpeton High School Auditorium.

You can reserve tickets by calling the Wahpeton District School Office at 701-642-6741. It's a small auditorium so if you're interested in attending, don't wait too long to make the call

March

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 2nd Sunday in Lent - Purple 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton S.S./ Coffee 9:30 Faith S.S. 10:00 Faith Coffee 10:30 Faith Worship	2	3	7:00 p.m. Lenten Worship at Mooreton	7:00 p.m. Faith Church Women women's ministry	6	7
8 3rd Sunday in Lent - Purple 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton S.S./ Coffee 9:30 Faith S.S. 10:00 Faith Coffee 10:30 Faith Worship	9	10	11 5:30 p.m. Dwight Youth Group Lent Supper 7:00 p.m. Lenten Worship at Faith 8:00 p.m. Faith Church Council	12	13	14
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29 Palm Sunday - Red 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton S.S./ Coffee 9:30 Faith S.S. 10:00 Faith Coffee 10:30 Faith Worship	Faith Sunday School will be singing during Worship at Mooreton and Faith	31				



Richland 44 Fun Night March 27

Abercrombie Elementary School 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Games, Red River Zoo, Raffles, Concessions

All proceeds go towards iPad's for the classrooms

Name:

ON THE ROAD TO EASTER WORD SEARCH

Ash

Wednesday

Sacrifice

Almsgiving

Prayer

Fasting

Lent

Holy Week

Holy Thursday Forty Days

Good Friday

Holy Saturday Passover

Easter

Palm Sunday

Purple

Palm Branch

Jesus

Foot Washing

Resurrection

Love



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March Birthdays

March 1	Sarah Klimek
March 2	Nancy Hegseth
March 4	McKenzie Roob
March 7	Elaine Score
March 12	Amie Benedict
March 18	Cynthia Klimek
March 18	Archie Score
March 21	John Osland
March 22	Steve Worner
March 23	Mike Barnhardt
March 25	Tori Krull

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March 25 Addie Christensen

Cody West March 29



Happy Birthday!!

If we missed your birthday, please let us know. We may not have your birthday on file.

Birthday Giving

Faith Members...

Do you remember how exciting it was when you were little to bring your birthday pennies to Sunday School, 1 for each year old you were, and put them in the Church bank? As we grow older we find ourselves thankful for each year that has gone by. One way of showing our thankfulness is to help support our Church. When it comes time to celebrate your birthday please consider giving a Birthday Thanksgiving Offering to the Church. \$1.00 for each year of your age. For example, 40 years old=\$40.00. You can give this offering directly to Tertia or place it in the offering plate in an envelope and marked "Birthday Thanksgiving"

Meatball Dinner Sponsored by the Abercrombie American Legion March 8, 2015 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Richland Elementary School





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Sponsors for our Faith March newsletter are Archie & Loree Score Thanks for your support.



Faith Members.

In preparation and planning for necessary repairs caused by water damage, your church council has set up an, "entry-way repair fund." Donations and Memorials can be given at any time. Your financial assistance with this project is greatly appreciated. We are confident that the leak has been fixed, but we will not begin any repairs until this is confirmed this spring/summer. ~ Faith Church Council

Notes from Tertia...

- ***Information for the weekly bulletins is due to Tertia by Thursday's at noon.
- ***Information for the February Newsletter is due to Tertia by March 22 . Newsletter's will be run off with or without your information.
- ***If you notice a mis-spelled name in the bulletin or newsletter, you are asked to contact Tertia.
- ***Please if there is a birth, death, or wedding announcement you would like placed in the bulletin or newsletter, e-mail that information to Tertia.
- ***Please send an email to faithmooretonlutheranchurch@yahoo.com if you would prefer to receive the newsletter via email.