

# Faith Lutheran Church

## Flame Newsletter



### OUR VISION

We believe God calls us to engage, encourage and equip our church, community and world with His unfailing love.

### Sunday Worship Schedule

**8:45 AM—Traditional**  
**10:45 AM—Contemporary**



### STAFF AT FAITH

Church Office: (561) 848-4737 / [Church@faithnpb.com](mailto:Church@faithnpb.com) / [faithlutheran-npb.com](http://faithlutheran-npb.com)

Pastor - Rev. Mark Stillman  
Office - Jen Iacobucci  
Bookkeeper - Janet Cunningham  
Music Director - Dr. David McCalla  
Contemporary Music Director - Janet Cunningham

Pre-School & Toddlers (561) 842-2487  
School Directors - Pilar Tucker & Lisandria Slavin & Evelyn Lawrence

New Day Adult Care Center (561) 844-0012  
Director - Julie Tombari

## Faith's Christmas Calendar

**Saturday, November 30**—Christmas Tree Set-Up and Sanctuary Decorating 9AM

**Sunday, December 1** —Worship 8:45 & 10:45  
Congregational Breakfast between services  
Christmas Tree Trimming after second service

**Saturday, December 7**—Christmas for Kids 9 AM—12PM

**Sunday, December 8**—Worship 8:45 & 10:45

**Friday, December 13**—Deadline to Return Angel Tree Gifts to Faith

**Friday, December 13**—Christmas Open House at Seitz Residence 7PM

**Saturday, December 14**—Angel Tree Wrapping Party in the Gym 10 AM

**Sunday, December 15**—Worship 8:45 & 10:45

**Thursday, December 19**—Deliver Angel Tree gifts to Belle Glade  
(9:00 AM meet at church; 10:30 AM depart for Belle Glade)

**Friday, December 20** School Christmas Program 7 PM

**Saturday, December 21** — Handel's Messiah 5:30 PM

**Sunday, December 22**—Worship 8:45 & 10:45

**Monday, December 23** —Toddler Christmas Program 3:30 PM

**Tuesday, December 24**—Christmas Eve Worship at 7PM

**Wednesday, December 25**— Christmas Worship at 10:00 AM

**Sunday, December 29**—Worship 8:45 & 10:45



You are cordially invited to Women of Faith's Christmas Open House

Friday, December 13 — 7 PM

The Seitz Residence  
1131 Coral Way, Singer Island

Appetizers, desserts, and beverages provided.

Hosted by Bert and Linda Seitz

For questions: 561-602-2256

## Christmas Happenings at Faith

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### Christmas Services

This year we are excited to announce early that we will have two services to celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior.

Tuesday, December 24, 7PM - Candlelight Service with Communion

Wednesday, December 25, 10AM

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### 'Tis the start of the wonderful season



Christmas Tree Set-up and Sanctuary Decorating: Saturday, November 30, 9 AM

Christmas Tree Trimming: Sunday, December 1, after the second service

Come and get in the spirit by helping the Church prepare for Christmas and the arrival of our Savior.

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### Angel Tree Wrapping Party



Saturday, December 14, 10 am —1 pm

Stay as long as you would like. We will serve brunch, drinks and snacks.

Enjoy Christmas music and fellowship while wrapping.

Feel free to bring your own scissors, tape and wrapping paper.

Text or call Carri Leininger if you have any questions: 561-722-4988

Gifts will be delivered to Belle Glade on Thursday, December 19. Meet at the church at 9AM for a 10 AM departure, returning around 2PM. For more information, call Mark Leininger: 561-722-4994

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### Christmas for Kids (with a bonus for parents)!

**Volunteers Needed**

**Saturday, December 7, 9 AM—12PM**



The purpose of Faith's *Christmas for Kids* event is two-fold. First, we want our kids to have some good old fashioned fun (a mini VBS), complete with games, a Bible story, crafts and a snack. The day will also serve as a chance for parents to tackle some Christmas shopping, or simply just relax during the season. If you are able to volunteer, please sign-up in the Narthex.

## Poinsettias to Beautify the Altar



Please help the Altar Guild decorate the altar with poinsettias.

Each plant is \$15.00. Please make checks to Faith Lutheran Church and note "Poinsettias" on the memo line. Also, please specify if you would like them in Honor of someone or to the Glory of God, and let us know if you will pick them up or would like for them to go to a shut-in.

*The deadline to order is Monday, December 16*

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## Congregational Breakfast



Join us for Faith's monthly Congregational Breakfast at 10AM on Sunday, December 1 in the Michel Building.

We warmly welcome our visitors. \*The Michel Building will be on your right as you leave the Sanctuary.

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## Our Faith Family in need of prayer this month



**Our Homebound: Sandy Aiken, Alma Coates, Carla Sesola, Paul and Donna Van Bommel**

**Other Requests: Faith Lutheran Teachers, Students and their families; Gail Bolognese, Barbara Cahill, Jan Cunningham, Judith Gonnerman, Andrea Emde, Gordon Lerner, Sue Litzenberg and Family, David McCalla and Family, Kathy McCoy, Ernie Munter, Carole Satterthwaite, Tricia Shankin, Sally Schwartz, Laura Tegart, Sharon Wiley, and Ron Woita.**

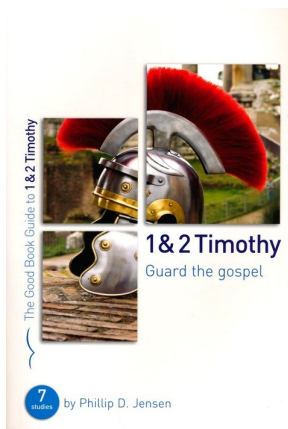
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## Ladies Bible Study

All women are invited to attend Bible Study on Tuesday mornings at 10:00  
in the Michel Building (Upper Room)

**Current Study: 1 & 2 Timothy: Guard the Gospel, by Phillip Jensen**

**Jesus is never absent. You are never alone.**  
Join us and bring a friend!



## December Birthdays



2 Dan Specksgoor

6 Laura Tegart

8 Eileen Frerking

13 Roxanne Finn

15 Dave Hernandez

17 Sue Weber

18 Brandon Hernandez

18 Kennedy Finn

21 Jennifer Bisig

22 Jane Blevins

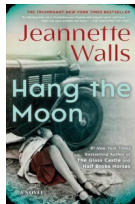
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## Rummage Sale

January 17 and 18

Donations may be dropped off starting Sunday, December 29.



## Faith's Book Club

December book of the month:

***Hang the Moon***  
by Jeannette Walls



Faith's Book Club selection for the month of December is *Hang the Moon*, by Jeannette Walls. The Club will meet on Thursday, December 19, starting with dinner at 5:30 PM at Park Avenue BBQ in North Palm Beach, followed by Book Club at 7PM in the Conference Room.

Sallie Kincaid is the daughter of the biggest man in a small town, the charismatic Duke Kincaid. Born at the turn of the 20th century into a life of comfort and privilege, Sallie remembers little about her mother who died in a violent argument with the Duke. By the time she is just eight years old, the Duke has remarried and had a son, Eddie. While Sallie is her father's daughter, sharp-witted and resourceful, Eddie is his mother's son, timid and cerebral. When Sallie tries to teach young Eddie to be more like their father, her daredevil coaching leads to an accident, and Sallie is cast out.

Nine years later, she returns, determined to reclaim her place in the family. That's a lot more complicated than Sallie expected, and she enters a world of conflict and lawlessness. Sallie confronts the secrets and scandals that hide in the shadows of the Big House, navigates the factions in the family and town, and finally comes into her own as a bold, sometimes reckless bootlegger.

## **A Night of Music**



**Saturday, December 21 — 5:30 PM**

A suggested donation of \$15 is appreciated.

We are also looking for cookie donations to serve at the reception, following the concert. Thank you in advance.