

# 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  
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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 will be holding a Congregational Meeting on Sunday, January 26 at 10:00 AM in the Michel Building. The agenda will include reports from the Church, School and New Day Adult Care Center. There will also be an opportunity to ask questions. Coffee and Danishes will be served. We hope to see you there.



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**Get healthy in 2025!**

**Weight Watchers meets weekly at Faith**

Did you know that Weight Watchers holds workshops three days a week at Faith? Since April of 2023, the group has been renting space Thursday, Friday and Saturday mornings in the Michel Building. If you happen to know of anyone who is looking for a weight loss support group to join, why not let them know about the meetings here at Faith? The weight loss sensation has some great promotions taking place in 2025. For example, if you're already a member, come to a workshop to learn how you can invite your friends, with each of you getting free months as well as a free Bluetooth Scale (while supplies last)!



*May the New Year bless you with unwavering faith that guides your steps, illuminates your path, and fills your heart with hope and strength throughout the year ahead.*



### The Invitation is always open...

The Canasta Club continues to meet every Thursday (except January 2), from 10:30 until mid-afternoon in the Michel Building's Upper Room. There is no cost and we will teach you how to play. The group breaks around noon for a brown bag lunch brought by the attendees. It is a great time for fun and fellowship. If you would like more information, call Fran Hickman 561-234-7349 or June Johnson 561-329-7521.

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### Congregational Breakfast



Join us for Faith's monthly Congregational Breakfast at 10AM on Sunday, January 5 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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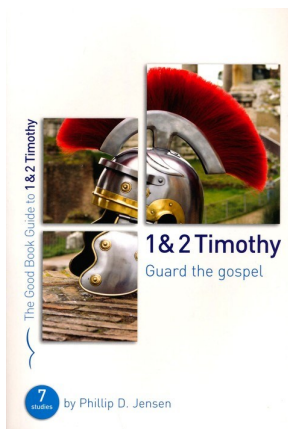
### Our Faith Family in need of prayer this month



**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 Resumes February 11

The Tuesday morning ladies Bible Study will resume on February 11 at 10:00 AM 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!

## Women of Faith's



Friday, January 17 from 10AM—1PM

and

Saturday, January 18 from 9AM—1PM

Time to clean out your closets and get a fresh start for 2025.

Donations accepted Sunday, December 29 — Wednesday, January 15

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### 2025 Altar Flower Chart



The 2025 Flower Chart calendar is in the Narthex, with open spaces to sign-up for your meaningful dates (*In Memory of / In Honor of / To the Glory of God.*) The Altar flowers are \$25 per Sunday. Please make your checks payable to Faith Lutheran Church and put "Altar Flowers" in the memo line.



2025 Offering envelopes are now available for pick-up in the Narthex. If at any time you would like to convert to online giving, you can do so on Faith's web-page: [faithlutheran-npb.com](http://faithlutheran-npb.com)  
On the home page, click on "donate" and follow the prompts.



**New Day Alzheimer's Association**  
**Monthly Evening Educational / Support Group**  
**Thursday, January 25**  
**6 PM—7PM**



### For Caregivers of Dependent Adults

Educational topics vary each month, followed by discussion/questions & answers about

Alzheimer's Disease and Care-giving

This group provides a supportive and compassionate space for caregivers to talk openly about their struggles, to learn various coping strategies, share resources and explore ways to alleviate stress. The idea is to take care of yourself so you can effectively care for others. For more information call 561-844-0012.

## Birthdays

- 6 Carolyn Coonce
- 10 Tracey Stillman
- 11 Lou Raffa
- 12 Joe Schuemann
- 13 Tara Leininger
- 14 Pastor Mark
- 15 Doris Welsch



## Anniversaries

- 1 Dr. Istvan & Marta Krisko
- 8 Donna & Paul Van Bommel



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# Women of FAITH

Women of Faith will be meeting at 7PM on Tuesday, January 21st in the Conference Room.

All women of the church are invited to attend.

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**Faith's Book Club**  
**January book of the month:**  
***My Dear Hamilton***  
**by Eliza Schuyler Hamilton**



Faith's Book Club selection for the month of January is *My Dear Hamilton* by Eliza Schuyler Hamilton. The Club will meet on Thursday, January 30 with dinner at 5:30 PM at La Bamba, followed by Book Club at 7PM in the Conference Room.

*From the New York Times bestselling authors of America's First Daughter comes the epic story of Eliza Schuyler Hamilton--a revolutionary woman who, like her new nation, struggled to define herself in the wake of war, betrayal, and tragedy. In this haunting, moving, and beautifully written novel, Dray and Kamoie used thousands of letters and original sources to tell Eliza's story as it's never been told before.*

*A general's daughter...*

*Coming of age on the perilous frontier of revolutionary New York, Elizabeth Schuyler champions the fight for independence. And when she meets Alexander Hamilton, Washington's penniless but passionate aide-de-camp, she's captivated by the young officer's charisma and brilliance.*

*A Founding Father's wife...*

*But the union they create--in their marriage and the new nation--is far from perfect. From glittering inaugural balls to bloody street riots, the Hamiltons are at the center of it all.*

*The last surviving light of the Revolution...*

*When a duel destroys Eliza's hard-won peace, the grieving widow fights her husband's enemies to preserve Alexander's legacy. But long-buried secrets threaten everything Eliza believes about her marriage and her own legacy. Questioning her tireless devotion to the man and country that have broken her heart, she's left with one last battle--to understand the flawed man she married and imperfect union he could never have created without her...*