

ANNOUNCEMENTS – April 18, 2021

VISITORS- Welcome..... fill out a "Welcome Card" and place it in the offering plate.

PASTOR CLAIRE'S OFFICE HOURS – Pastor will be in the office Wednesday, Friday from 9-Noon and on Tuesday, Thursday from 4 pm- 7 pm.

CLM UPDATE - All of the volunteer at CLM food pantry want to “Thank You“for your continued support of this important local charity. On Saturday with your generous donations, we were able to collect 501 lbs of food, laundry detergent, toiletries, and \$175 dollars in financial donations. Year to date Faith's members have donated around 1207lbs of food (including around 200lbs from Thomas Jefferson school).

Thank You again,
Scott Rife

FAITH'S 70TH ANNIVERSARY- The Council is currently looking for a few “older” pictures to post on Faith's Facebook page to announce our 70th anniversary which is April 29. If you have anything to share put in Council President Bill Holman's mail box or in Patti Smith's mailbox. Watch for more information for when we will have a celebration as Covid restrictions allow.

KID'S GAMES- The April date for Kid's Game day is Saturday April 24 from noon -1pm

YA-YA'S- The next Ya-ya's meeting will be April 25 4-5. This will be a zoom meeting.

FLOWER CHART The new Flower chart is up in the Narthex. Take a minute to sign up in memory or in honor of your loved ones. For questions, see Barb Brewster

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES You can participate in service in real time on FaceBook Live. To find it the FB group name is “Faith Lutheran Church ELCA”. You can also view the service later from the same Faith Lutheran Church ELCA Facebook page.

Services are also being posted to the YouTube site “Faith Lutheran Jeffersonville” on the Monday after Sunday services. It takes a few hours to load so they may not be available until later in the day. Once you find the YouTube site you can Subscribe and get notices when new service videos are posted.

PRAYERS - Please pray for folks listed in our bulletin. They would appreciate a phone call, card, or a visit if you have the time, but call them before making a visit.

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITES- we are currently on hold for our Sunday School programs due to Covid 19.

CHURCH WEBSITE - (flcjeff.org) - We would like to add photos from church groups/activities- PLEASE forward them to Patti Smith via text 502-296-0328 or via the church email address - flc47130@gmail.com

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Worship assistants, ushers, crucifers, acolytes, clean up help. Signup sheet in the Narthex.

CONGREGATIONAL GROUPS

YOUTH-Our youth program is three sided for youth 6th grade and older. The first phase is Education and includes Sunday school and 2 years of confirmation classes for anyone in 6th grade and above. We meet

the first Sunday of the month immediately after the worship service. The second phase is Service, this includes service projects for Faith and the community. Phase 3 is fun activities where we participate with the other churches' youth in the South Central Conference as well as activities within our group. We also sponsor the Thanksgiving dinner and Easter Breakfast.

OWLS - Older Wiser Lutheran - This group is comprised of congregation members over 50 and usually meet spring/summer months for social events and do a fundraiser event.

PLOT - Parish Life & Outreach Team - This group includes the entire congregation and hosts several social events each year as well as specific fundraising as needed.

WELCA - Women of the ELCA - this group is open to any and all women of the congregation.

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

CENTER FOR LAY MINISTRY (CLM) FOOD BANK - Faith Lutheran supports their ministry with food items as need arises. Their biggest need right now is for volunteers to help. They are open 6 days a week and need 2 shifts per day. Volunteering even 1 shift per month would help.

LOAVES & FISHES - This is a community kitchen held in one of the downtown churches, serving every Saturday throughout the year. It is sponsored by many local churches and other philanthropic groups throughout the community. Faith usually sponsors and serves several Saturdays throughout the year. For more information see Barb Brewster.