



# Faith Abounds!

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June 2025

## June 2025– From the Pastor's Desk

Officially summer begins June 20<sup>th</sup> this year, but in my family, we've always jokingly said it begins July 5<sup>th</sup> because it always seems to rain on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. Summer signals vacations, family picnics, BBQ's and long days – hopefully of warmth and sunshine. The seasons mark time as they weave throughout the year, winter, spring summer and fall each calling into focus a time to prepare – gardens for winter, for the holidays, graduations, and time for planting. This summer I am looking forward and wondering what is next for us and how we are a part of God's story.

I have been thinking about the Synod Assembly theme – “Woven Into God's Story,” and the way the various facets of our lives are woven together creating a picture of who we are and by extension, whose we are. Our weekday lives are not separate from Sunday, they are all part of the same thread that is woven into God's Story in all that we do, and we don't do it alone. Together we can make a difference – provide a meal, work for justice, share the love of God through Christ Jesus along with the larger church throughout the world.

Pastor Pam

## Council Notes:

Council met on May 18th with all members present. Everyone was updated on the progress of the food bank closure. Roxana told Ella she had pretty well emptied the sight, but to date she has not returned the keys assigned to her. She has left for Virginia with the possibility of flying back sometime in June. Ella updated the information of the Madison Shelter, 3 families are living there currently and they are working on another family. Quilters supplied them with 8 twin size quilts and 4 baby quilts. It is so nice to see some activity around there again.

Ginny W. has completed getting all the pictures for the new directory and will be working on finalizing that for the congregation. Rick Scott put up a new Facebook page for the church as Roxana had taken down the older one we were using. Please take a look at and follow it. The sign on the corner of Madison and Cady Road was taken down as it was torn and not looking very presentable. Discussion was held on leaving the cable up, since it is not in an area where foot traffic has access decided to leave the cable up in the event we need to use it for a special event. Property committee will be looking into putting solar lights on the cable.

Our next meeting is June 15th - Ella

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Office Days/Hours: *Tuesdays 10am–2pm*

*(Please note office hours may vary)*

**Sunday Morning Worship:**

*10:30am- Worship Service (online and in person)*



**April—May—June Birthdays!!**

We will be celebrating: Jennifer, Rick, Elsa, Bronwen, Gracie, Anna, Conrad, Susan, Kirik, Janie, Pastor Pam, Paul, Liam and June's birthday after church with a potluck luncheon and cake on June 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Faith Lutheran Church Council

President, Ella Tuininga

Vice-President, David Myers

Secretary, Ginny W.

Treasurer, Mary Larson

Nancy Sunde, Ginni Hull, Diane Scott,

Pastor Pam Karas

Council minutes are available in the office: if you would like them emailed to you, call or email the office.

**Contributions To Date 2025**

**(Yearly Goal \$75,000)**



**Readings for June**

June 1--Acts 16:16-34; Psalm 97; Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21; John 17:20-26

June 8--Acts 2:1-21; Psalm 104:24-34, 35b; Romans 8:14-17; John 14:8-17 [25-27]

June 15--Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31; Psalm 8; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

June 22--Isaiah 65:1-9; Psalm 22:19-28; Galatians 3:23-29; Luke 8:26-39

June 29--1 Kings 19:15-16, 19-21; Psalm 16; Galatians 5:1, 13-25; Luke 9:51-62





## Serving us in Worship for June



| Assisting Minister (Reader) | Ushers        | Offering Counters      |
|-----------------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| June 1—Ginny W.             | June 1—Roger  | June 1—Andrea/Roger    |
| June 8—Sonya                | June 8—Ella   | June 8—Jennifer/Holly  |
| June 15—Paul                | June 15—Ella  | June 15—Nancy/Susan    |
| June 22—Andrea              | June 22—Roger | June 22—Andrea/Roger   |
| June 29—Holly               | June 29—Ella  | June 29—Jennifer/Holly |

| Streamers        | Altar Guild      | Coffee Hosts                  | Deacons       |
|------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|
| June 1—Jennifer  | June 1—Ginny W.  | June 1—Holly                  | June 1—David  |
| June 8—Jennifer  | June 8—Susan     | June 8—Ginny W.               | June 8—Stan   |
| June 15—Roger    | June 15—Ginny W. | June 15—Andrea                | June 15—Roger |
| June 22—Jennifer | June 22—Susan    | June 22—Birthdays Celebration | June 22—David |
| June 29—Jennifer | June 29—Ginny W. | June 29—Nancy                 | June 29—Stan  |

### June Birthdays



### Happy Birthday to...

19—Pastor Pam  
21—Paul  
24—Liam  
26—June



### Please continue to hold the following friends in prayer....



*We ought always to thank God for you, brothers and sisters, and rightly so, because your faith is growing more and more, and the love all of you have for one another is increasing.*

*2 Thess 1:3*

We pray for our friends and family who are sick, have loved ones who have passed, or those in need of comfort.

*If you have prayer concerns please contact Pastor Pam at 425-870-5335 or the church office at 425-353-4758. For the confidential prayer chain: contact Ella at (425) 231-2072 or email: [getuininga@gmail.com](mailto:getuininga@gmail.com)*

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