

The Choice Between Two Kingdoms:

The Kingdom of _____ vs. the Kingdom of this World

How do I Participate in God's Kingdom?

1. I _____ to Jesus as _____ of my life
- John 18:36 - Romans 10:9
2. I _____ Kingdom Living through _____
- John 8:31
3. I _____ From Outside the Kingdom
The Parable of the Wheat and Weeds
Matthew 13:24-30
4. I _____ God's Kingdom through _____
- Matthew 5:14-16
5. I _____ that God's Kingdom _____
The Parable of the Fishing Net
- Matthew 13:47-50 - Matthew 6:10



The People of the Congregation

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Sunday Worship SERVICE
In person and Live streaming
World Communion Sunday
October 3, 2021 9:00 A.M.

Sunday School 10:15A.M.

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***WORSHIP SERVICE**
19th Sunday after Pentecost
World Communion Sunday
October 3, 2021 9:00 A.M.

The Greatest Stories Ever Told”
The Parables of Jesus
Matthew 13:34-35 (Memory Verse)

Welcome:

Call to Worship

Opening Hymn: “At the Name of Jesus”

Children’s Message

Beth Irish

Prayer:

Special Music: “Parable Song” (by Chuck Stevens)

Scripture Reading: Matthew 13:34-35

Sermon: New Sermon Series:

“Greatest Stories Ever Told” Looking at the Parables of Jesus”

God’s Kingdom

Pastor Tim

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Closing Hymn: “Open My Eyes, that I may See”

Benediction:

Postlude:

UMH – United Methodist Hymnal TFWS – The Faith We Sing Song Book
Assisted Listening Devices available –See an usher

What is a Parable?

An _____ with a _____

Jesus Favorite Parable topics:

_____ Prayer

Forgiveness Compassion

Stewardship _____

Love Eternity

The Stories of God’s Kingdom:

- the Actors:

- The Actions:

FAMILY MINISTRIES—NEXT ADVENTURE

Parents, we need your help. We are going to be going for search for the best pumpkin.

October 17, 2021 after Sunday School— A visit to Polly's Pumpkin Patch, in Chilton.

We will have lunch and enjoy an afternoon a hayride, see the animals, games, and everyone gets a pumpkin. Everyone is invited to come to our children/youth adventures.

Please invite your friends, neighbors. All children & Youth, grandchildren, moms, dads, grandparents are invited to come to our adventure.

This is our first adventure away from the church, in a long time, we hope that we will have a great turnout.

If you would like a pumpkin but are not going to be able to come, let Miss Bev know and she will make sure your children will have a pumpkin.

There is a sign up sheet on the table in the Narthex, or you can call the church office and let us know.

Fall 2021 Lay Servant Ministry Classes

October 16 and October 30, 2021,

9am-3pm (lunch included)

Oakfield UMC, 220 South Main St, Oakfield, WI 53065

Basic Class. This is the foundational class to become a Lay Servant. Here you will learn more about your gifts and opportunities to use them as a servant leader

Called to Preach Class. This is one of 6 advanced classes required to become a Certified Lay Servant or Speaker (or anyone wanting specialized training). It is designed for those who have not completed formal preaching training, for pastors seeking a basic refresher course, and for others who are called upon to preach in a pastor's absence. Check the midweek connection for more information.

Inspired Journey—Women's retreat Harvesting Faith—October 8-10

2021 At: Pine Lake Camp, Waupaca, WI

Details on web site: inspired-journey.com

An interactive retreat featuring small group sessions for women to fellowship, share God's Word and enjoy a weekend of fun autumn crafts, games, bonfires and inspired gift shop Join us for a spirit-filled uplifting weekend. **Guest**

Speaker: Kathy Schwanke

WELCOME TO FAITH

Welcome to Faith Church! We are glad you came to join us in our time of worship today. We pray that you will be blessed with strength enough to see you on your way, hope enough to get you through the day! With your bulletin today is a pen and welcome card. Please complete the card and, after the worship service, place it in one of the baskets found in the Narthex along with your giving envelope. The pen is yours to keep. The ushers have extra giving envelopes if you need one. The offering envelopes and cards are separated in the church office with the office staff getting the yellow welcome cards and the offering envelopes are given to the finance team.

For those who listen on YouTube and Facebook you will be receiving the link shortly before the service. If something comes and there is a delay, once the technology team creates a video of the service, it will be uploaded to Facebook and YouTube and an email will be sent out with the link.

Sunday School Classes for children, youth & adults

10:15 A.M.—11:15 A.M.

3 year old—preschool

Julie Caflisch

Michelle Woodard

Pre-K—Kindergarten-1st grade

Beverly Pezewski

2nd—5th grade

Kurt VanHandel & Ken Gellerstedt

Senior High 6th-12th grade

Dan Duff

Adult Class

Hugh Davies

Gary Reiter

Lord, we come to you in prayer for joy, comfort and healing for:

*Prayers for the family of Janice Lee who passed away on the 25th.
Funeral services were held on, September 30th.*

Joy Wade—Jim's brother broke his ribs

*Wayne & Barb Arndt—prayers as our daughter Madeline celebrates
her birthday?*

*Hugh Davies's- prayers for healing for his sister, who has finished her
chemo*

*Terry & Joanne Ball: Prayers as Elden as he waits for deployment to
Saudi Arabia.*

Prayers that the schools stay healthy and free of sickness.

Continued Prayers for Neale Cafilisch, Rom Pegram, Bob Fritz, Dick
Wylie, Liz Roberts, Chuck and Jonel Ankrum, Corky Sullivan, Lisa
Armstrong, Eric Schlieter, Kathy Bayer, Jack & Barb Oakley,
Jim Hart, Marilyn Nyberg, Mary Jane Thompson, Vern Brusewitz,
others in need of healing, financial needs, continued prayers for all
our members of our church family, our many unspoken prayers and
our answered prayers.

Please Join Us:

October 10, 2021 9:00 A.M. Worship Service

Pastor Tim continues sermon series:

Sermon Title: "God's Love "

"Luke 15:11-24

NORTH EAST DISTRICT CIRCUIT CHARGE CONFERENCE MEETING

Our annual charge conference will be held on October 26, 2021. If you have
any concerns or questions please contact the church office for details.

CALL FOR REPORTS: We are asking for "year-end reports" from each
team leader and committee chairperson. We will be creating an "end of year
report" for the congregation to have the information. Once the reports are
received a year end report will be prepared. If you have any questions or
concerns, please contact Bev in the church office. Thank you for your help
on this project. We will need your reports and your budget by
October 4, 2021 or as soon as you can.

October 10, 2021—Next Sunday

We'll gather in the fellowship hall after worship/Sunday school for the return
of the infamous soup/chili pot luck, followed by a basket silent auction,
celebrate Pastor Appreciation Sunday, and Micah's birthday! Whew!

To refresh everyone's memory in regards to the soup pot luck as it's been a
while. Make a favorite soup or chili, put it in a crock pot, and when you come
to church bring it down to the kitchen and plug it in. Crusty bread or rolls and
refreshments will be provided.

*Everyone is welcome to our Soup Pot Luck, you don't have to bring a dish to
pass to be part of our Potluck—Fellowship. Please come.*

Also.....

The Packers game starts at 12:00 Noon—We are working on having a TV
available for those who would like to see the start of the game.

The auction along with being fun is also a fund raiser. Three rooms two
education rooms and our choir room are in need of carpeting. The money
raised will go towards the new carpet.

Pastor Appreciation Sunday gives us an opportunity to thank Pastor Tim for
his leadership.

Jeremiah 3:15 Then I will give you shepherds after my own heart, who will
lead you with knowledge and understanding.

If you have questions call Terry Ball at 722-3445, or contact Bev in the
church office.