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**Sunday Worship Service**  
**9:00 a.m.**  
**Sunday School**  
*(for all ages)*  
**10:15 - 11:15**  
*(Sept - May)*

# ***By Faith***

## **Faith Global Methodist Church May Newsletter**



### **FAITH CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday thru Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Friday - CLOSED .

We are listening to messages if we are not in the office and will contact you as soon as we can *If you are looking to contact Pastor Tim, you can call him here at the church or you can email him at [tjalbrecht79@gmail.com](mailto:tjalbrecht79@gmail.com). Please continue to pray for all the church staff members and committee members! That in all they/we do, we would honor God and his will for the church!*

**Sermons can be found on our web page.**

<https://www.faithchurchneenah.com>

*Click on the watch us live button on the church's web page to see live streaming each Sunday our worship Services. If you are having difficulty please leave a message at the church and we will get back to you and try to help.* Live-streaming our services each Sunday on both Face book and YouTube. If there is an issue with the viewing, The services will be added to YouTube and Facebook after the worship service. YouTube and Facebook **Our YouTube channel is:**

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwn8QuPjcSsrtpR1WbPeYUQ>

Each Thursday when you receive your midweek connection either by email or regular mail the link for YouTube will be in it. You can join the worship service on YouTube by clicking on the link. If there is a problem with the streaming to our YouTube or Facebook page we will upload the video approximately an hour or so after the service. An email will be sent to those with an email address informing them that it is up. The sermon can also be heard on WEMI 91.9 FM. However, there is a week delay.

Our website has added our “older sermons” and we have added a way you can look at the worship services since we have been livestreaming. Please check out our website and look for the “button” View Past Sermons. It is located right below “Watch us Live”

**The link for this Sunday's worship service on YouTube is**

**Shareable Link** <https://youtube.com/live/-TVVXagag3U?feature=share>



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*From the desk of Pastor Tim Albrecht  
Faith Global Methodist church*

May 2024

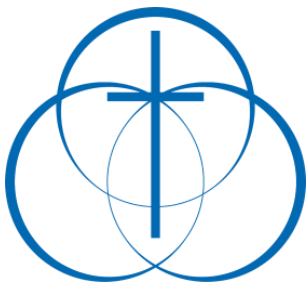
Dear Friends of Faith,

As I write, last year at this time we were getting ready for the Wisconsin Annual Conference meeting. It would be there that the approval or the final step in the disaffiliation process would be voted on. I recall and remember making sure that all of the I's were dotted and all the T's crossed in the disaffiliation steps. It had been a very stressful time in the life of Faith Church. Again a big thank you the members of Faith Church for your faithful witness and standing firm for what you believe. Also, a big thank you again to all the people working behind the scenes to make disaffiliation possible.

What this means is that we are now approaching the one year anniversary of Faith Global Methodist Church. And, by the grace of God, Faith Church is still viable and I believe that we have a bright future. I know that as a church we are still healing from this process and that is okay. In part of that healing we have been hosting concerts at church and this past weekend held spaghetti dinner which brought our church family together along with the surrounding community at large. Why am I talking about this? Because I have been reading information from the UMC General Conference taking place in Charlotte, North Carolina. Also known as the postponed 2020 General Conference. In reading about the things taking place it is very apparent that there is now no room for traditional, evangelical, conservative or (whatever word you would like to use) churches moving forward. Also, the churches in Africa are being denied the same opportunity that the churches in the United States were afforded for disaffiliation. Not making the decisions we did when we did would have put Faith Church and your pastor in a very tough spot at this moment. However, we are again reminded that following God is not always easy but he is always walking with us!

Praise be to God that we made the painful decision to do the right thing.

Pastor Tim



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**WORSHIP SERVICE\***  
**6th Sunday after Easter**  
**May 5, 2024**

**Call to Worship:**

**Prelude:**

**Welcome/Greeting**

**\*Opening Hymn:** "How Great Thou Art" UMH # 77

"Praise To The Lord Almighty" UMH # 139

**Children's Message**

**Bev Pezewski**

**The Nicene Creed**

UMH #880

**Morning Prayer / The Lord's Prayer**

**Offering Our Gifts to God**

**\*Doxology:** "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #95

**\*Sermon Song:** "All Things Bright & Beautiful" UMH # 147

**Sermon Series:** Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

**Scripture:** Job 37:16

**Sermon:** *Father: Deeper With My Omniscient Father* Pastor Tim

**Sacrament of Holy Communion:**

**Closing Hymn:** "Be Thou My Vision" UMH # 451

**Benediction**

**Postlude:**

**\*Stand if you are able:**

*Methodist Hymnal TFWS – The Faith We Sing Song Book*

*Assisted Listening Devices available –See an usher*

Father: Deeper with My Omniscient Father  
**Father, Son & Holy Spirit: How the Trinity Deepens My Faith**

Job 37:16

- Omnipotent: God's power is unlimited
- Omniscient: God's \_\_\_\_\_
- Omnipresent: God is present in all places at all times
- Psalm 139:1-6, 15-16

Because God Is All-Knowing

1. I can trust God with my \_\_\_\_\_

-Luke 15:17, 20-24

My Response: \_\_\_\_\_

-Jeremiah 31:34

2. I can trust God with my \_\_\_\_\_

-Matthew 8:23-27

-Proverbs 3:5-6

My Response: \_\_\_\_\_

3. I can trust God with my \_\_\_\_\_

-Jeremiah 29:11

-Genesis 17:16-17,19

My Response: \_\_\_\_\_

-Romans 11:33 (Memory Verse)

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The story of Job

Object

A chess set

Scripture

The book of Job



Do you know the story of Job? Job was a righteous man. He was a good and blameless man who pleased God. Job had a life of happiness and prosperity. He was a rich man, who had everything: good health, great family, house, servants, etc... But he lost it all, his money, his family, his belongings, all of it because of Satan. Job hadn't done anything wrong, he hadn't done anything to have deserved such sadness and loss. It wasn't his fault. So how did it happen?

Well, let's imagine that God and Satan are playing a chess game. First off, it's God's game. And God allows Satan to play the game. You are God's "king" or "queen". He also allows Satan to take away or to win some of the playing pieces: let's say your "castle" or house, your "horse" or car, even some "pawns" or friends. But with each move that Satan makes, God counteracts with a better move, until God wins the game and he's left holding you in his hand.

It's not the "king" or "queen's" fault that they've lost some of the pieces. There's a much bigger picture, it's who's playing the game: God and Satan. We're just a small part of that game. So whether bad or good things happen may not have anything to do with what we have done. It might just be something that God has done while playing the game to win in the end.

Let's pray... Dear God, thank you so much for having me be your "king" or "queen". I know Lord, that you have me in the palm of your hand and that no matter what happens in my life you will take care of me and protect me. And that sometimes when bad things happen it's not my fault. Thank you Lord, we love you. In Jesus' name. Amen.

**Linda Fritz**—Prayers for Bob and the family as we work on decisions on his future care.

**Beth Hall**—prayers for Julie Caflisch as she is hospitalization in Madison with an infection.

**Charlene & Gary Reiter**—Prayers of joy as they make plans to move into their new home in Neenah — thank you for all your prayers.

**Geri Manteufel**—prayers for Michael who has been diagnosed with stage 4 brain cancer. He is going to Froedtert for surgery, not scheduled at this time.

**Robin Hull**—thank you to all who attended the spaghetti dinner last evening. It was a lot of work but a lot of fun.

**Ellen Schwandner**—prayers for our son in law, Martin as he was diagnosed with cancer,

Elizabeth Roberts—prayers for my brother-in-law who has cancer, and continued prayers for healing as I am recovering from surgery following a fall, breaking my ankle.

**Terry Ball** —prayers for Kathy Brehm who has been diagnosed with cancer in her mouth and she will be starting radiation and chemotherapy over the next few months.

Continued prayers for: Valor school continue to move forward in their planning for the academy opening, Tom Divver, Marilyn Nyberg, Jim Lyons, Kathy Bayer, Ina Mae Remmel, Dick Wylie, Eric Schlieter, and others who are facing health issues, in need of healing, physical strength, encouragement, continued prayers for all our members of our church family, our church, the leadership team and Pastor Tim.

### **PRAYER SHAWLS:**

The Prayer shall group will continue to meet, please watch the midweek or bulletin for dates and times. If you would like to give a prayer shawl to someone for a gift or would like to join the group, please contact Beth Hall

### **THANK YOU TO ALL**

Thank you everyone that helped and made donations for the spaghetti Dinner, it was with the assistance and generosity of our congregation that it was a success. There were no out of pocket expenses for the Church.

Cash received from actual sales \$746.00, and Anonymous match gift of \$500.00 the Church netted \$1246.00. There were no out of pocket expenses for the Church. Robin Hull

## PENTECOST

Pentecost is the 19th of May. The Sanctuary will be decorated in red for Pentecost. If you didn't get a chance to order, the order blank can be found on the back of the newsletter which was sent out on Thursday. The church office has a few copies also, The order has been called in, but we can order a few late orders, drop your completed form in the church office.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL


As we close out the School year, on May 19, 2024, we will have teacher Appreciation day, in honor of our teachers, who have been teaching the children and youth each Sunday this past school year. We are going to have an brat fry with ice-cream as dessert. We will be outside, weather permitting. The cost will be \$10.00. If you have any ideas or concerns, or are willing to help, contact the church office. Watch the May newsletter and bulletin for details.

Todd Boelter has set up a basket with USB drives. The drives contain a presentation that Todd & Hugh Davies created. If you are interested in a copy, The drives can be found in the basket on the table in the Narthex. Please help your self.

## UPCOMING CONCERTS

### CHRISTIAN EVENTS MINISTRY

Christian Events Ministry presents



LIVE Music and Worship

# ADELAIDE

Friday, June 28, 6:30pm

— FREE concert, donations taken —

**Faith Global Methodist** 1025 Tullar Rd, Neenah

<https://adelaidemusic.com>

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Christian Events Ministry  
and FAITH GLOBAL  
METHODIST present:



### Reaching Heaven's Gates

**May 10**

1025 Tullar Road  
Neenah, WI 54956

Concert starts  
**6:30pm**

REACHING HEAVEN'S GATES is a new Christian trio of sisters from Oshkosh. In their first public appearance bringing worship songs for their king. This FREE concert will take an offering to bless them. You are invited to come and worship with us!

MORE INFORMATION visit  
<https://christian-events-ministry.mailchimpsites.com>





**PREPARE YOUR HEARTS FOR  
WORSHIP—**

**Month of May SERMON TITLES**

***May 5, 2024***

Father: Deeper With My  
Omniscient Father

Job 37:16

***May 12, 2024***

Father: Deeper With My  
Omnipresent Father

Psalms 139:7-14

***May 19, 2024***

Pentecost Sunday

Holy Spirit: Deeper With The Holy Spirit  
Directing Me

John 14:16-17

***May 26, 2024***

Holy Spirit: Deeper With The Holy Spirit  
Directing Me

Galatians 5:25

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES**

after worship.

**Preschool/Pre-K/Kindergarten/1st Grade**

Sherry Steele, Joanne Ball Room: 104

**2nd—Fourth Grade—**

Kurt VanHandel Room 208

**5th—12th Grade**

Dan Duff Library

**Adult Class:**

**“The Book of James”**

Hugh Davies Room 204



# Happy Birthday

- |                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1 Ruth Wulgaert     | 22 Lakelee Barber  |
| 1 Britney Bordeaux  | 22 Jill Steffek    |
| 1 Chris Bordeaux    | 23 Troy Mansfield  |
| 2 Julie Caflisch    | 24 Gerald Desing   |
| 2 Ina Mae Rimmel    | 25 Ann Cheshire    |
| 6 Bettany Barber    | 28 Linda Fritz     |
| 9 Matthew Arndt     | 28 Elaine Guenther |
| 9 Dick Wylie        | 29 Eric Schlieter  |
| 12 Haylee Dunn      |                    |
| 17 Carole Halverson |                    |
| 17 Don Slotten      |                    |

## ANNIVERSARIES

- 5/11 Dick & Mary Ann Wylie  
5/21 Michael & Jill Steffek  
5/21 Don & Shirley Slotten  
5/25 John & Elizabeth Hall  
5/26 Robert & Linda Fritz



## *A few special days in May*

May 5th Cinco de Mayo

May 12th Mother's Day

May 27 Memorial Day

# GERANIUMS FOR PENTECOST

## LAST CALL

The Sanctuary will be decorated in red for Pentecost. If you would like to order a Geranium for the sanctuary and didn't before the 30th of April— You can put this completed page along with your donation in the offering basket or drop it off in the church office

### DECORATING FOR PENTECOST

If you would like to contribute a plant, the price per plant is \$16.99. Please fill out the form below and put it, along with your payment, in the envelope marking it "Flower Fund." Thank you!

Number of Geraniums \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ 16.99.00 each: Total \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ I will not be taking the plant home. They can be planted  
In the church flower beds.



# May 2024

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

			<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> <i>1:30 P.M.</i> <i>Agape Bible</i>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>5</b> <i>9:00 A.M.</i> <i>Worship Service</i> <i>10:15 a.m.</i> <i>Sunday School</i>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> <i>1:30 P.M.</i> <i>Agape Bible</i> <i>Study</i>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>12</b> <i>9:00 A.M.</i> <i>Worship Service</i> <i>10:15 a.m.</i> <i>Sunday School</i>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> <i>6:00 p.m.</i> <i>Ad Board</i> <i>Meeting</i> <i>Followed by</i> <i>trustee</i> <i>meeting</i>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> <i>1:30 P.M.</i> <i>Agape Bible</i> <i>Study</i>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>19</b> <i>9:00 A.M.</i> <i>Worship Service</i> <i>10:15 a.m.</i> <i>Sunday School</i> <i>Teacher</i> <i>appreciation</i>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> <i>1:30 P.M.</i> <i>Agape Bible</i> <i>Study</i>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b> <i>9:00 A.M.</i> <i>Worship Service</i>	<b>27</b> <b>Memorial</b> <b>Day</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> <i>1:30 P.,M.</i> <i>Agape Bible</i> <i>Study</i>	<b>31</b>	