

This Week's Schedule

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*(AFTER THE 9:30 SERVICE HAS STREAMED,
THERE MAY BE A SLIGHT DELAY)*

Sunday, November 6th, 2022

- 8:30 AM: Sunday School
- 9:30 AM: Sunday Worship in Sanctuary, parking lot, and streaming live at faithlilacway.org
- 10:30 AM: Treats and Talk
- 10:45 AM: Telling the Stories of the Saints in Our Lives-Library
- 10:45 AM: Internship Committee Meeting

Monday, November 7th

- 10:00 AM: Staff Meeting
- 7:00 PM: Ladies Ensemble

Tuesday, November 8th

- 2:00 PM: Treats and Social Time in the Church Library

Wednesday, November 9th

- 7:00 PM: Chancel Choir

Sunday, November 13th

- 8:30 AM: Sunday School
- 9:30 AM: Sunday Worship in Sanctuary, parking lot, and streaming live at faithlilacway.org
- 10:30 AM: Community Potluck with Greater St. John Missionary Baptist Church



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Sunday Worship

NOVEMBER 6, 2022



FAITH-LILAC WAY
LUTHERAN CHURCH

Welcome to Worship

Children are welcome in worship at FLW!

Activity bags for children are in the entry. The Nursery (down the hall) is available for families with young children to use.

The congregational speaking parts are printed in bold.

We are in a green zone, which means a reduced risk of infection and masks are at your own discretion.

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Hymn *For All the Saints ELW #422 (v. 1, 3, 5, 6)*

For all the saints who from their labors rest,
who thee by faith before the world confessed,
thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Oh, blest communion, fellowship divine,
we feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
yet all are one in thee, for all are thine.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

The golden evening brightens in the west;
soon, soon to faithful servants cometh rest;
sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

But then there breaks a yet more glorious day:
the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
the King of glory passes on his way.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Invocation

In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness. We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters.

By your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight.

We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life, and gives us new life in Jesus Christ.

Thank You for Living Out Your Faith!

This year for our Stewardship theme we have talked about the idea of "Living Faith"--thinking about all the ways in which God has created us and blessed us to use our time, talents, passions and treasures to live out our faith as we serve God and one another. We give thanks for all of the gifts that have been given to help support the important ministries of Faith Lilac Way. If you still have an Estimate of Giving Card or Time and Talent sheet to turn in, you can bring it to the office or mail it.

Thank you for being a part of the ministry and mission in Faith Lilac Way and in our surrounding community. Together we do God's work and share the Good News with others!

Join Us for Treats and Talk on Sunday Mornings!

All are invited to join us Sundays after worship in the Church library as we enjoy treats and conversation. We treasure this time to continue growing in relationship and enjoy being community together. There are also community activities available such as a jigsaw puzzle, a community coloring project and spiritual growth opportunities. See the schedule below and come and join us!

November 6th--Telling the Stories of the Saints in Our Lives

November 13th--Potluck with Greater St. John Missionary Baptist Church

November 20th--Guest Speaker Deanna Standing Cloud will be here to teach us about Native history, land acknowledgements and more. (See below)

November 27th--Community Project: Blanket Tying for Camp Noah

Welcome Deanna StandingCloud November 20!

Deanna StandingCloud is a citizen of the Red Lake Nation of Anishinaabe. StandingCloud is currently a Community Relations Specialist Tribal Liaison with United Healthcare Community & State Plan of Minnesota.



StandingCloud has been collaboratively working in community for many years and was awarded the American Indian Family Empowerment Program grant through the Tiwahe Foundation to create a children's book entitled, "Anishinaabe Alchemy" that highlights cultural Ojibwe icons as superheroes. She is also currently learning the Ojibwe language and helping to revitalize

the traditional game of Lacrosse. Before the pandemic, she also completed her program as a Native Nation Rebuilder with the Native Governance Center, focusing upon "Sovereignty through Storytelling."

She is a mother, playwright, organizer, artist, community leader, pow wow emcee, and advocate for Indigenous people. In her spare time, Deanna enjoys spending time with her children Breanna, Nigozis and Ziigwan, attending traditional ceremonies, going on nature walks, creating art, building community, and cooking yummy food.

Worship Leaders

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Interim Music Director
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Communion Assistant
Lector
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Announcements

You are Invited to the FLW/GSJ POTLUCK Sunday - Nov 13 at 10:30!

Come to worship - stay for the meal and fellowship time next Sunday, November 13. All are invited, welcome and wanted for this time of enjoying good food and fellowship. Bring something to share if you can. For more information, please see our Faith Practices Neighboring Practices team: Sue Ferkingstad, Rory Joygaard, Heather Lane, Tommy Thompson, Pastor Pam or Vicar Joanna.

Show us with your Spirit and renew our lives with your forgiveness, grace and love.

To you, O God, be given honor and praise, now and forever.

Amen.

Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Commemoration of the Saints

On this All Saints Sunday, we celebrate the baptized people of God, living and dead, who are the body of Christ, here at Faith-Lilac Way.

Alleluia.

Al-le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Al-le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

We give thanks for those who have been baptized,

Charlie Wilson
Rosalyn Bahneman

Sebastian Stevens
Soren Joygaard

We light an additional candle and give thanks for all newly baptized.

Alleluia refrain.

We remember those who have died and whose lives we celebrated in the past year.

Bradley Hesslund
Sheryl Greife
Jerry Wahlstrom
Elaine Schmidt
Rev. Gerald Eisele

Laurie Schumacher
Herbert Scheelk
Margaret Pendzimas
Myrna “Jean” Chapman

We light an additional candle for other loved ones who have died, as we name them silently or aloud. As we sing, you are invited to light a candle in the window in memory or in honor of a loved one.

Alleluia refrain.

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God,

You have knit your people together in one communion through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Lesson *Job 19:23-27a (NRSV)*

A reading from Job, the 19th chapter.

“O that my words were written down! O that they were inscribed in a book! O that with an iron pen and with lead they were engraved on a rock forever! For I know that my Redeemer lives, and that at the last he will stand upon the earth; and after my skin has been thus destroyed, then in my flesh I shall see God, whom I shall see on my side, and my eyes shall behold, and not another.”

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

2nd Lesson *Ephesians 1:11-19 (NRSV)*

A reading from Ephesians, the 1st chapter.

In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance toward redemption as God’s own people, to the praise of his glory.

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power.

Lord, hasten the day when our faith shall be sight,
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll,
the trumpet shall sound and the Lord shall descend;
even so it is well with my soul. **Refrain**

Communion Blessing

Prayer after Communion

God of the abundant table,

you have refreshed our hearts in this meal with bread for the journey. Give us your grace on the road that we might serve our neighbors with joy; for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Sending Song *Shall We Gather at the River ELW #423*

Shall we gather at the river,
where bright angel feet have trod,
with its crystal tide forever
flowing by the throne of God?

Refrain

**Yes, we'll gather at the river,
the beautiful, the beautiful river;
gather with the saints at the river
that flows by the throne of God.**

On the margin of the river,
washing up its silver spray,
we will walk and worship ever,
all the happy golden day. **Refrain**

Ere we reach the shining river,
lay we ev'ry burden down;
grace our spirits will deliver,
and provide a robe and crown. **Refrain**

Soon we'll reach the shining river,
soon our pilgrimage will cease;
soon our happy hearts will quiver
with the melody of peace. **Refrain**

Blessing

The God of hope fill you with joy and peace in believing,
So that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Dismissal

Go in grace, grow in faith, serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

Lamb of God p. 191

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world;
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world;
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world;
grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

Communion Distribution

Communion Hymn *When Peace like a River* ELW # 785

When peace like a river attendeth my way,
when sorrows like sea billows roll,
whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,
it is well, it is well with my soul.

Refrain

**It is well (it is well)
with my soul, (with my soul,)
it is well, it is well with my soul.**

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,
let this blest assurance control,
that Christ has regarded my helpless estate,
and has shed his own blood for my soul. **Refrain**

He lives--oh, the bliss of this glorious thought;
my sin, not in part, but the whole,
is nailed to his cross and I bear it no more.
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! **Refrain**

Word of God, word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel *Luke 6:20-31 (NRSV)*

The Gospel according to John, the 8th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord

Then [Jesus] looked up at his disciples and said:

Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.
Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.
Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.
Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you,
revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice in
that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for
that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.
But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.
Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.
Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.
Woe to you when all speak well of you,
for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.
But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who
hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If
anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone
who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to
everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do
not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Hymn of the Day *Give Thanks for Saints* ELW # 428

Give thanks for those whose faith is firm
when all around seems bleak:
on God's good promise they rely,
so while they live and when they die
how forcefully they speak—
the strong, who once were weak!

Give thanks for those whose hope is clear,
beyond mere mortal sight:
who seek the city God has planned,
the true, eternal promised land,
and steer on toward that light,

a beacon ever bright.

Give thanks for those whose love is pure,
a sparkling precious stone:
they show by what they say and do
an inward beauty, warm and true,
for God's concerns they own—
God's love through them is known.

Give thanks for saints of ages past
and saints alive today:
though often by this world despised,
their hearts by God are richly prized.
Give thanks that we may say
we share their pilgrim way.

Apostles Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Prayers of the People

God of grace, **receive our prayer.**

Receive these prayers... through your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen**

Offering

Anthem

Poor Wayfaring Stranger

Jones

Offering Prayer

Merciful God,

We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us – our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Offering Response *We Give Thee But Thine Own*

We give thee but thine own,
whate'er the gift may be;
all that we have is thine alone,
a trust, O Lord, from thee.

May we thy bounties thus
as stewards true receive,
and gladly, as thou blessest us,
to thee our firstfruits give.

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy Holy Holy *ELW # 193*

The musical score is written on five staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody is simple and hymn-like. The lyrics are: "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might, heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est." The score ends with a double bar line.