

FAITH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 25th, 2021~9:30 A.M.

*Welcome to Faith United Methodist Church. It is our heart and desire to **engage** the community of Waseca with the Gospel of Jesus Christ, **equip** those who respond to be the next generation of disciples of Jesus Christ and **empower** them to go into the world as partners with God for the healing of the world.*

PRELUDE

GREETING/WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Lord Jesus Christ is our shepherd
He lays down his life for his sheep.
The Lord Jesus Christ is our shepherd.
He knows us, and we belong to him.
The Lord Jesus Christ is our shepherd.
He speaks, and we listen for his voice.

HYMN....."Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"UMH #381

UNISON PRAYER

We are your people, O God, the sheep of your pasture, the flock you have gathered. Lead us beside still waters; teach us the way of righteousness; and feed us at your table; through Jesus Christ, our good shepherd. Amen

TIME FOR YOUNG METHODISTS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER.....Unison

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC.....Andrea Johnson

SCRIPTURE READING.....Video

THIS IS THE WORD OF GOD FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD

THANKS BE TO GOD

MESSAGE....."The Lord Is My Shepherd"Pastor Carolyn

HYMN....."He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought"UMH #128, vs. 1, 3, 4

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

REMEMBER OUR CHURCH FAMILIES IN YOUR PRAYERS...

Remember our church members & friends who are less mobile and are unable to join us as often as they would like, including:

Colony Court: Joe Tollefson

Janesville Nursing Home: Nina Youngberg

Foxdale Memory Care: Elaine Westrum

Lakeshore Inn: Liz Corchran, Leona Quast

Latham Place: Lucille Kubista

Koda Living Community: Chuck Youngberg

Traditions Assisted Living Owatonna: Ardella Draheim

Prayer Requests for Sunday: Michael Schumacher, Janice Kaupa, Marlys & Ken Garness, Karen Ferch, Stacy True and her family, government officials, health care workers, first responders, and those who are at risk and most vulnerable to Covid-19, those who battle chronic illness and pain.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you have an announcement or prayer request you would like to have shared at Sunday service, please email the church office at faithwaseca@gmail.com by Thursday. If you would like your announcement printed in the bulletin, please e-mail the announcement by Wednesday. If you do not have access to email, you may call the church office at 835-3167. **We also want to hear any joys you have so please email or call the church with any that you would like to share!**

Just a reminder - Stacy's anticipated hours for the week will be posted on the "Week at a Glance" page. Hours may vary. It is best to call ahead if you need to visit the office.

My sincere thanks to our Faith Church family for your cards, prayers and concern in recent weeks. As I dealt with several falls and the resulting health issues, it was a comfort and blessing to know we were being supported in prayer and love.

Sincerely,

Karen & Vern Ferch

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE...

04/25/2021 (Sun.) 9:30 am - Worship Service

04/26/2021 (Mon.) 3:00-4:30 pm – Conversation, Bible & Friends (*LV Room)

04/27/2021 (Tues.) 7:00 pm - Church Council Meeting (**FH)

04/30/2021 (Fri.) 10:00 am - Newsletter Folding (Tentative)

04/25/2021 (Sun.) 9:30 am – Worship Service

*Lakeview Room **Fellowship Hall

Administrative Assistant Hours this Week:

Unknown at this time.

*These are anticipated hours. It is best to call ahead if you need to visit the office.

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