



## Faith Lutheran Church Newsletter – January 2021

### Announcements:

#### Church Decoration Takedown:

Help is needed on Saturday, January 9 at 9 am to take down and put up the Christmas decorations. Please come and lend a hand.

#### Offering Envelopes for 2021:

Offering envelopes are now available. They can be found in your mailbox at the church. If your mailbox is full, the envelopes can be found on the table across from the mailboxes in the Narthex.

#### Church Council for 2021:

President: **Tom Lenart**, Vice President: **Craig Chovan**, Board of Elders: **Duane Everding**, Secretary: **Pat McIntyre**, Treasurer: **Tom Kroeger**, Financial Secretary: **Alan Stuemke**, Trustee: **Ryan Vanderploeg**, Education: **Kami Hoover**, Stewardship: **Herman DePriest**, Fellowship: **Angie Ziegler**, Youth: **Sheila Geary**, Social Ministry: **Nancy Thompson** Evangelism: **Gary Hoover**

### Columbaria:



This year is one where we find ourselves thinking of, "what if?"

The confidence one has knowing that loved ones are still with us and available to visit here on campus is reassuring. Yes, there is grieving along with sadness, but what joy comes in the memories we reflect on when we grieve. Our thoughts can't escape memories, for we carry memories for a lifetime, along with our faith in the resurrection.

Our columbaria can bring peace of mind and relief from financial burden to grieving families. Niches are available for both single and double inurnment. If you are considering cremation and would like to discuss the theology of it or the procurement of a niche in the columbaria, please contact the church office to speak with our pastors or a columbaria committee member.

[Gerry Knief](#)

Columbaria Committee Chair

## Weekly Bible Classes are Available via Skype and In-Person



### Where to Find Us

Weekly adult bible classes are offered both in-person and via Skype on Wednesday mornings at 10 am and on Sunday mornings at 9:15 am. If you wish to join the group you can do so by clicking on this link:

<https://join.skype.com/HDUsNaV7Dt8c>

Confirmation classes are also available via Skype. Please contact Pastor Curt for the schedule. The link for that class is: <https://join.skype.com/qDHb1UpGFPLx>

Church service times are Saturday at 5:00 PM and Sunday at 10:30 AM. Please join us! If you prefer to use a mask you can bring your own, or we have an ample supply of masks and hand sanitizer. These items are located on the table across from the mailboxes. The Pastor and elders will wear a mask when administering communion. The glassed-in room with a separate doorway in and out can be deemed a "mask only" room for those who prefer it. Holy Communion can be administered in that room by a masked Pastor and elder.

Should you prefer to watch from home, we live-stream our services simultaneously to both Facebook and YouTube on Saturday at 5 pm. You can find us on our Facebook page entitled, **Faith Lutheran Church Thompsons Station, TN** at <https://www.facebook.com/faithlutherantn/>. When we are live-streaming, you will see it show up in your notifications and in your newsfeed. You must "**Like**" our Facebook page in order to see the feed. The live feed on YouTube can be seen by subscribing to our YouTube channel at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCf6pYWwszns7n4ZJGnxqDdA>. You can also find the video on our website at [www.faithlutheran-tn.org](http://www.faithlutheran-tn.org). Our sermon transcripts can be downloaded for your convenience from our website at: [Sermon Library - Faith Lutheran Church Thompsons Station, TN \(faithlutheran-tn.org\)](http://www.faithlutheran-tn.org)

### Prayer List

***Please keep these people in your prayers:***

AnnaLeigh vonChrutschoff  
Barb Smith  
Bruce & Diane Meyer  
Cleta Rahe  
David Lyons  
Duane Everding

Herman DePriest  
Iona Kline  
Jerry Ziegler  
Jim Elliott  
Kathy Jakubowski  
Kristi Lenart

Larry Drolsom & Family  
Mark & Angie Ziegler  
Pastor Craig Fiebiger & Family  
Pat McIntyre & Family  
Richard Elliott  
Sharon Hoover  
Susie Goodrich

***We also pray for others whose concerns we carry upon our hearts.***

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