

Pastor Aker's Page

Faith Lutheran Church, Sioux Falls, SD

December 1 & 2, 2018

Looking for ways to celebrate the gift of a Savior this December? Faith has you covered! We invite you to participate in any number of different ways of celebrating and awaiting the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. From worship to celebrations to servant projects, there is certainly something for everyone! Below you will find a listing of some opportunities. Blessed Advent to you and your family from all of us at Faith Lutheran!

In Christ,

Pastor Corey Aker

Important December Happenings:

December 1 & 2 Advent begins! Break out the blues for the season and join your fellow Faith members each week as we listen to the ancient voices of God's prophets concerning the coming of our Lord.

December 5 Midweek service 1 at noon and 6:30 centered on *Being Ready!* for the return of Jesus. Goodwill Aid is providing chili at 5:30!

December 8 Drop 'n Shop Youth Servant Event where you can drop your kids off at Faith for a couple hours beginning at 5pm. This is an opportunity for our Youth to say thank you to the congregation for all their support this year. The prophets continue to engage us during worship this weekend!

December 9 The High School Youth will celebrate with their annual Christmas party at the Eide's beginning at 5pm.

December 12 Midweek service 2 centers on *The Day is Hastening!* as Christ will soon return. The Camp Minneboji families will provide hot ham & cheese sandwiches at 5:30.

December 15 Your chance to ring bells for the Salvation Army at the 10th and Cliff Lewis Drug Store. An hour of your Saturday can help provided needed items for the less fortunate.

December 16 The children perform an adorable Christmas program for us during the 10:30 service in the CLC. Regular worship at 5:30 on Saturday and 8 on Sunday centers on the words of the prophets once again. Later the Middle School Youth celebrate with a Christmas party in the CLC at 2pm.

December 19 Final midweek service centering on *Remain Faithful!* as we look for the coming of Jesus at noon and 6:30. Our HS Youth will provide loaded nachos at 5:30.

December 23 One service only at 9am with Holy Communion as we continue listening to the voice of God's prophets. At 10:15, the Sunday School children will celebrate a Birthday Party for Jesus in the CLC!

December 24 Powerful Christmas Eve services at 5pm and 9pm with candlelight. Kick off the Season of Christmas with song, prayer, and God's Word!

December 25 Christ the Savior is Born! Sing your favorite Christmas hymns and spend some time Christmas morning with your Faith Family around the Gift of Jesus Christ at 9am!

December 30 One service only at 9am with Holy Communion as we celebrate together the sixth day of Christmas!

December 31 Joint worship service with Memorial and Zion at 6:30. This year Zion Lutheran will be our host as we bring in the new year together with our Good Lord!