

# A Newsletter from the Worshipping Communities of

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Intern Pastor Bethany's Summer Office Hours: Mondays @ Faith 9AM-2PM Tuesdays @ Rock Creek 9AM-Noon Wednesday @ Faith 9AM-2PM



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from Pastor Bethany



At the time you read this newsletter I will have been ordained as a minister of Word and Sacrament Ministry. I give thanks for all who journeyed with me. It is my joy and honor to continue serving at Faith and Rock Creek in the coming years, confident that the Spirit is moving among us in ways that make a difference in God's kingdom and reflect Jesus' love into the community.

# Pastor Bethany's Installation Sunday, July 11<sup>th</sup>



Synod Minister, Rev. Greg Kaufmann, will join us for both worship services on Sunday, July 11<sup>th</sup> to install Pastor Bethany as our Minister of Word and Sacrament. Following the 10:30AM service at Rock Creek a light lunch will be served. Please RSVP to Becky Richardson if you plan to attend the meal.



On Sunday, July 4<sup>th</sup> worship times change!
Faith 8:30AM
Rock Creek 10:30AM
Online and radio worship will remain at 10:30AM



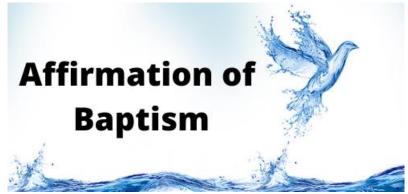
Thanks to a partnership with WRDN radio and Facebook Live, our Sunday online worship presence continues even with our buildings reopened. Listen every Sunday at 10:30AM on WRDN 1430AM or 107.3FM or watch on Facebook by visiting our page @faithandrockcreek



UNITY Community VBS will be held at Holy Rosary in Lima July 12-15 from 8:30AM-12:30PM.

Did you forget to register? Want to volunteer? Reach out to Pastor Bethany. We would love for you to join us!





Come celebrate Confirmation service with our confirmands on Sunday, July 18<sup>th</sup>!

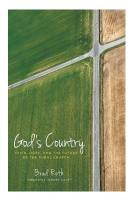


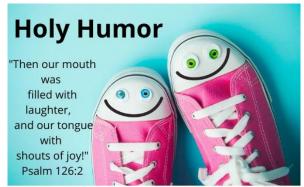
The following summer activities are planned for all ages to enjoy!

- July 8<sup>th</sup> Bike ride from Meridean to Durand Panther 1PM
  - July 25<sup>th</sup> Food Drive Bag Distribution 1PM at Faith
    - Aug 1<sup>st</sup> Food Drive Bag Pick Up 1PM at Faith
      - Aug 13<sup>th</sup> Kayak Float on the Chippewa
- Aug 22<sup>nd</sup> Outdoor Games and Cookout at the Parsonage



Join Pastor Bethany, Bishop Laurie Skow-Anderson and others from across the synod to discuss the book, <u>God's Country: Faith, Hope and the Future of the Rural Church</u> by Brad Roth. The book study will be on August 12 at - 10AM via Zoom. Buy your book this month so you have time to read it ahead of the discussion.









Moses' first and last day as a lifeguard.



Radio ministry is a vital part of our outreach ministry. It costs \$50/week for the radio broadcast. Most summer dates are still available for sponsorship. Send \$50 to Faith Lutheran Church and include the date you would like to sponsor and who it is in memory or honor of. Consider remembering an anniversary, birthday or another milestone. Check made payable to:

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# ...Our Partnership with Holy Play

Camp is in full swing this summer at Luther Park! Our Day Campers attended June  $22^{nd}$  and  $23^{rd}$ . Full week campers head to camp June  $27^{th}$ -July  $2^{nd}$ . Hold them and the summer staff in prayer. Stay tuned for an upcoming Camp Sunday when kids will tell you the stories of their time on this holy ground!



#### Rock Creek Lutheran Church May 2021 Financial Report

Opening Balance May 1, 2021	\$ 8,627.57
Total Deposits	\$ 4,488.38
Funds transferred to Business Investment acct.	\$ 50.00
Funds transferred from Business Investment acct.	\$ -
Total Expenses	\$ 2,910.78
Balance as of May 31, 2021	\$ 10,155.17

#### **TOTAL OF ALL ACCOUNTS**

Checking	\$ 10,155.17
Good Samaritan Account	\$ 500.00
Money Market Checking	\$ 35,988.99
TOTAL	\$ 46,644.16

## Faith Council Meeting Minutes—05-12-2021

Present: Bethany Walker, Nate Walker, Linda Talford, LeAnne Carlson, Elissa Abramson, Darrin Hurtgen and Valerene Cataract Treasurer Greg Knoepke

Meeting called to Order 06:31

Mission/Vision statement read.

Pastor's Report—Nate and Intern Pastor Bethany attend Synod via Zoom.

Pastor interviewed with call committee,

VBS meeting monthly

**Secretary's report**—reviewed; attached; Motion by Elissa. 2<sup>nd</sup> Darrin., all in favor; All Approved.

**Treasurer's report**—reviewed; attached; Motion by Linda T. 2nd by Nate W. All Approved

#### **Committee Reports**

#### Education-

Summer VBS for 2021; July 11-15 Inter Pastor Bethany

## • Property-

- Carpet is scheduled for installation May 10
- With adding the TV up by the Alter, it has been recommended that we have some of the wiring looked at, seems to be a fire hazard with all the cords and wires. LeAnne will call for estimates.
- Leann will call about Pest Control issue.

## • Fundraising-

- Linda T. was approached about Chicken Dinner for FunFest in June 11-13. We will have to pay to have the chicken cooked and will have to supply all other items intending to include in the dinner price. Linda will reach out to find out the cost of cooking the chicken and other supplies we will need to provide, Linda will be gone, and is not able to be the lead on this. We will also reach out to the Durand Swim Club to see if they are willing to help with serving and supplies.
- Hwy 10 Garage sale raised 570.00 for the Sunday Supper account
- Blues on the Chippewa August 6-7 is planned; Nicole B will not be the lead on this for this year.
- TailGate Chicken dinner in the Fall- tabled until we see what the fall sports sport and spectators plan will look like.

## Worship & Music-

#### **Old Business:**

Nate will call about getting the parking lot repacked.

#### **New Business-**

- Website design Inter Pastor Bethany will talk to Greg.
- Moving Sunday Supper to Faith Church in the future
- Mouse issue downstairs, LeAnne will call Plunkett's pest control.

# Next Meeting: Joint Meeting pm JUNE 9, at 6:30

Motion made by Alissa. adjourn, all in favor. Meeting adjourned at 8:28

# Tiffany Webb- Faith Council Secretary

### Faith Lutheran May Financial Report

	May. Actual	May. Budget
Opening Balance	\$23,928.07	
<u>Income</u>		
Offering	\$6,262.00	\$5,116.90
Noisy Buckets	66.69	
Interest	\$2.28	\$1.00
Thrivent Choice Dollars		\$100.00
Radio Broadcast	\$250.00	\$100.00
Property Fund/Carpet	\$950.00	
<u>Total Income</u>	\$7,530.97	\$5,317.90
Expenses*	\$12,004.36	\$6,297.81
Ending Balance	\$17,599.68	

<sup>\*\$7,284.53</sup> of Expenses was for Carpet Project.

Thank you for continued support! If you have any questions, feel free to give me a call at 715-672-4954 or 715-279-0413 and please leave me a message if needed or e-mail me at <a href="mailto:gknoepke@mtdfwi.com">gknoepke@mtdfwi.com</a>

Sincerely,

Greg Knoepke

Faith Lutheran Treasurer