



Welcome to  
**Transfiguration of Our Lord**  
**Pastor Heather Brown**  
**February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026 | 9:00 AM**



*This service is live-streamed & recorded. ELW – red hymnal. WOV – blue hymnal.*

### **ORDER OF SERVICE**

PRELUDE	<b><i>Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly</i></b>	Faith Fire Praise Band
CALL TO WORSHIP		
GATHERING SONG	<b><i>Open the Eyes of My Heart</i></b>	Faith Fire Praise Band
GREETING		
PRAYER OF THE DAY		
FIRST READING		Exodus 24:12-18
PSALM 90:5-9 ( <i>responsively</i> )		1 Corinthians 2:1-12
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	<b><i>Arise Your Light Has Come (v. 1 &amp; 4)</i></b>	WOV 651
GOSPEL READING		Matthew 17:1-9
SERMON		Pastor Heather Brown
SONG OF THE DAY	<b><i>Blessed Assurance</i></b>	Faith Fire Praise Band
THE PRAYERS		
SHARING THE PEACE		
OFFERING SONG	<b><i>Here is Bread (ELW 483)</i></b>	Faith Fire Praise Band
OFFERING PRAYER		
PREPARING THE TABLE		
THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION		
THE LORD'S PRAYER (Contemporary)		
INVITATION		
DISTRIBUTION	<b><i>*Holy Forever</i></b>	Faith Fire Praise Band
BLESSING & PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION		
ANNOUNCEMENTS		
BLESSING		
SENDING SONG	<b><i>Farewell to Alleluia</i></b>	Faith Fire Praise Band
DISMISSAL		

*\*denotes favorite hymn*

***Our sympathies to the family of Ardith Hendrickson, our long-time member who passed away on Friday Feb 6. A Memorial Service will be held at Hansen-Schilling Funeral Home on Sat Feb 21 at 11 AM.***



## **SPECIAL WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS!**

Please fill out our blue visitor card found at the Welcome Table. We have a special gift for you when you place the visitor card in the offering plate or give it to the pastor after worship. We look forward to connecting with you.

**WELCOME TO ALL FAMILIES** of all ages! Children and infants are always welcome in worship. An unstaffed nursery and quiet activity bags are available—ushers are happy to help you find them. After worship (10–11 AM), we offer G.L.O.W. for ages 3 through 8th grade, FLY for high school youth (check the bulletin for today’s meeting), and a warm, welcoming FLAME Adult Bible Study during the same hour. We’re glad you’re here.

**HEARING ASSISTANCE** Ask an Usher for help to sit in the Hearing Assistance section in the sanctuary. Switch hearing aid to T-Coil Loop Listeners.

## **HOLY COMMUNION AT FAITH LUTHERAN**

All are welcome at the Lord’s Table to receive the body and blood of Christ in the bread and the wine. The ushers will direct you forward. Gluten-free wafers are available in the wooden bowl. White grape juice and red wine are available in individual communion cups.

**DO YOU HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST?** Please use the orange prayer request card in pew or email the pastor at [pastor@faithmarshfield.com](mailto:pastor@faithmarshfield.com).

**PRAYER LIST:** *Please keep the following people in your prayers. Names will remain on the prayer list for three weeks unless otherwise requested.*

John Skaden; John Campbell; Stan Panek; Arlene Norberg; Steve Hadlock’s uncle, Wayne ; Dave & Diane Herron’s niece, Joelle; Lloyd & Diane Mueller and their friend, Sue; Jessica Tingue’s sister, Julie; Mike Voss; Jean Gerretsen’s grandson-in-law, Sam.

# ----- ANNOUNCEMENTS -----

***From Pastor Heather Brown***

*Contact [pastor@faithmarshfield.com](mailto:pastor@faithmarshfield.com)*

**MUTUAL MINISTRY COMMITTEE** will meet on Sun Mar 1 at 5 PM. This committee provides feedback and support to the pastor and serves as a bridge between the congregation and pastor. If you have feedback, please see one of the committee members: Alice Kapla, Bonnie Brix, Judy Rhodes, or Steve Hadlock.

**FRIDAY GATHERING:** A group of members who are concerned about immigration advocacy has been meeting at 12 Noon on Fridays in the Upper Room (in-person/zoom) to Pray/Reflect/Respond. All

are welcome to join us as we learn more about how to form a Response Team at FLC. See Pastor Heather for more information.

**From Education & Family Ministry Team**

*Justin/Brianne at [FamilyEd@FaithMarshfield.com](mailto:FamilyEd@FaithMarshfield.com)*

**FLAME – Adult Education**

No Class TODAY due to Annual Meeting.

**GLOW & RISE – Kids Education | Feb. 15 | 10:00 AM | GLOW Café of Faith Practice**

GLOW kids will meet in their classrooms and then head to the Fellowship Hall for Café of Faith practice.

**Feb.18 | 5:00 PM | Ash Wednesday Service**

Our RISE Confirmation Students will participate in our service as part of their Confirmation Class.

**Feb. 22 | 10:00 AM | GLOW Café of Faith**

Our GLOW kids are excited to serve breakfast to their families, church council, and staff. Join us for a joyful morning of food, fellowship, and faith!

**Feb. 25 | 6:00 PM | Lenten Soup Supper**

The Education Program will host the soup supper this evening. Education families are invited to help with ingredients, cooking, setup, or cleanup. Please reach out if you're able to help—we'd love your support!

**From Youth Director**

*Contact Justin Polzin at [youth@faithmarshfield.com](mailto:youth@faithmarshfield.com)*

**Feb.18 | 6:15 PM | FLY Soup Supper**

Come hungry! FLY is serving Turkey & Wild Rice Soup and Grilled Cheese sandwiches after worship. A perfect chance for fellowship, enjoy a warm meal, and kick off Lent together.

**Feb. 20 | 7:00 PM | FLY Escape Room**

23 youth and youth leaders are registered—can they communicate, work as a team, and escape in time? Let's find out!

**Aluminum Can Collection Reminder:** Got cans? Bring them in! Every can collected helps support FLY events and activities. Small cans, big impact!

**Palms & Pancakes Breakfast:** Want to help? We're looking for donations of syrup to make our breakfast extra delicious. Any help is appreciated!

**From Faith Lutheran Women**

*Contact at Karen Bohm at [dkrbohm@frontier.com](mailto:dkrbohm@frontier.com)*

Our Thankoffering service will be held Sunday, February 22, giving thanks for God's blessings. Gifts support Women of the ELCA ministries locally and worldwide. Ushers will have envelopes on Feb. 15 and 22, or use any envelope marked "Thankoffering." Make checks payable to Faith Lutheran Church Women and return by March 15. All are invited to give. Thank you!

**From Soup Supper Coordinators** *Co-Coordinator Cathy SeEVERS – seevcat@tds.net or Treva Tisdell – jttizzy76@gmail.com*

**Soup Suppers begin this week:** Our host: FLY who will be serving a tantalizing Turkey and Wild Rice Soup along with delicious grilled cheese sandwiches, and to top it off there will be some amazing desserts to try. You don't want to miss this – dinner will be served following the Ash Wednesday service – approximately 6:15. Afterwards it would be greatly appreciated if you can help with clean up of tables and dishes.



**From Finance Team**

*Contact [finance@faithmarshfield.com](mailto:finance@faithmarshfield.com)*

**Charitable Money Market Accounts:** Special thank you to all who bank at Forward Bank and designated Faith Lutheran Church as a recipient of their Charitable Money Market Accounts. We received over \$700 this year. If you bank with Forward, consider designating Faith Lutheran Church as your charity for your CMMA.

**Thrivent Choice Dollars:** Another special "thank you" to Thrivent members for specifying Faith Lutheran Church to be the recipient of their Thrivent Choice Dollars. We received a check for \$891, representing donations from the following -- *Alice Abbott, Dave & Diane Herrons, Richard Hribar, Linda Lysne, Kent Mueller, Donna Streiff, Sue Vick*. The deadline to allocate funds is March 31<sup>st</sup>.

**From Faith in Action**

*Contact Michelle Rhodes at [micheller0714@gmail.com](mailto:micheller0714@gmail.com)*

**5TH ANNUAL EGG HUNT – COMING SOON:** Mark your calendars! The Faith in Action Team is hosting our 5th Annual Egg Hunt on: Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM outside. Open to children ages 2-12. Along with the Egg Hunt, we'll have 4-5 fun games with prizes and tasty snacks! If you'd like to volunteer for this event, please contact Michelle or Ryann Rhodes or Brianne Thompson. Thank you for your support, and we look forward to celebrating this fun tradition together!

**From Office**

*Contact [Office@faithmarshfield.com](mailto:Office@faithmarshfield.com)*

**Help for the Homeless Drive (Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>-March 16<sup>th</sup>)** - Support those in need by donating *new, unused* hygiene and cleaning supplies! Drop off your donations in the designated box in the Gathering Area. Most urgent needs include: soaps, trash bags, diapers (sizes 3-6 & Pull-Ups), deodorant, wet wipes, toilet paper, paper towels, razors, and feminine hygiene products. Thank you for making a difference in our community!

**From Personnel**

*Contact Brenda Fellenz at [fellenzb@gmail.com](mailto:fellenzb@gmail.com)*

**OFFICE ASSISTANT POSITION AVAILABLE:** We are seeking an individual to serve as an office assistant up to 8 hrs per week starting. The position requires experience in Microsoft Word and Powerpoint. For more information on what it entails, please reach out to Pastor Heather or Brenda Fellenz.

## FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH LENTEN PROGRAM



### **BRICK BY BRICK IN 2026: Five Bricks of Faith**

**Wednesday Worship Service @ 5:15pm, followed by Soup Supper.**

*Feb 18 – ASH Wednesday*

*Feb 25 -- Holy Hospitality – All are Welcome (Matt 25:35)*

*Mar 4 -- Sharing Our Sacred Stories – Go and Tell (Mark 5:18-20)*

*Mar 11 -- Simply Serving -- Love in Action (James 2:17)*

*Mar 18 -- Persistent Praying – Come, Lord Jesus (1 Thess 5:17)*

*Mar 25 -- Grateful Giving – My Cup Runs Over (Psalm 23:5)*

Our Lenten program for 2026 will focus on the **Five Bricks of Faith: Holy Hospitality, Sharing Our Sacred Stories, Simply Serving, Persistent Praying, Grateful Giving**. Each week during Lent we will use a brick saved from the parsonage to symbolize five foundations of our discipleship.



It all starts on **Ash Wednesday (Feb 18)** at our 5:15pm service when we will receive ashes on our foreheads. We will hear the words, “From dust you have come, and to dust you shall return,” and be reminded that in our baptism, we have been sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever.

## **FEBRUARY 18<sup>th</sup> - ASH WEDNESDAY**

Soup Supper hosted by Youth Advisory Team & FLY.

**Menu:** *Turkey Wild Rice Soup, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches.*

## **FEBRUARY 25<sup>th</sup>- HOLY HOSPITALITY:**

### **All are Welcome (Matt 25:35)**

Soup Supper hosted by Education & Family Ministry.

**Menu:** *Chili & Roast Beef sandwiches.*

## Loved by God, Living for Others.

### SERVING US TODAY at 9:00 AM

**Welcome:** Jan Fink  
**Greeters:** GLOW  
**Ushers:** GLOW  
**Musicians:** Faith Fire Praise Band  
**Audio/Visual:** Tom Loucks,  
Kathy Tremelling  
**Reader:** GLOW  
**Acolytes:** Madeline Kilty, Jaxon Kilty  
**Comm. Prep:** Nancy Sternweis,  
Jean Gerretsen  
**Comm. Assts:** Diane Herron, Joyce Cesar  
**Coffee Host:** Judy Rhodes  
**Baked Goods:** Judy Rhodes, Diane Herron

### WAYS TO GIVE:

**CHURCH:** Offering plate will be passed during offering.

**ONLINE:** Go to [faithmarshfield.com](http://faithmarshfield.com) and click on **DONATE**.

**TEXT:** Text **flcmarshfieldgiving** to phone number 1-888-364-4483

**MAIL:** Mail a check directly to  
*Faith Lutheran Church, 207 S. Cherry Ave.,  
Marshfield. WI 54449*

### WAYS TO ACCESS THE SUNDAY SERVICE

- 1) In-person 9 AM Sunday.
- 2) Live-streaming on YouTube at 9AM every Sunday.
- 3) On the Cable Access Channel 989 on **Sundays at 12 Noon, Mon. at 11:30 AM, Fri. at 11 AM**
- 4) Watch anytime on our YouTube Channel.
- 5) Watch anytime on our App. Faith-Marshfield

### WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FAITH:

#### **SUN. Feb. 15<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 AM – Worship/Praise Band  
10:00 AM – GLOW CAFÉ Practice  
10:15 AM – Annual Meeting

#### **MON. Feb. 16<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 PM – Al-Anon in CR

#### **TUE. Feb. 17<sup>th</sup>**

10:00 AM—Staff Meeting in UR  
7:00 PM – Boy Scouts 382 in CR

#### **WED. Feb 18<sup>th</sup> Ash Wednesday**

9:00 AM – Miriam Circle in UR  
9:00 Elizabeth Circle in FH  
5:15 PM – Ash Wednesday Service /  
Confirmation Class included

6:00 PM—NA Meeting in CR

6:15 PM – Soup Supper in FH

6:30 PM—Choir Practice in Choir Rm

#### **THU. Feb. 19<sup>th</sup>**

8:00 AM – Piece Corps in FH

6:30 PM – Faith In Action Mtg in UR

#### **FRI. Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> — Office & Building CLOSED**

7:00 PM – FLY Event at Marshfield Escape  
Room

### FAITH NUMBERS CORNER

#### **Service Attendance**

Last Week Attendance: 159

#### **Average Service Attendance**

Jan. Average Attendance: 107

Jan. Average Online Views: 69

#### **Weekly General Giving Feb 8<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

Actual (Includes online giving) \$6,561

#### **Year to Jan. 31st, General Giving:**

Actual Contribution Income \$23,513

Budget+(Amount to break even) \$25,683

*to be approved at Annual Meeting*