



11th Sunday After Pentecost

Pastor Heather Brown

August 24th, 2025 | 9 AM

ELW – red pew hymnal; WOV – blue pew hymnal;
This service is live streamed and recorded.



PRELUDE	<i>What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine</i>	ELW 774
WELCOME		
PUPPETS OF FAITH		
SCHOOL BACKPACK BLESSING		
GATHERING SONG	<i>O Sing to the Lord</i>	ELW 822
GREETING		
PRAYER OF THE DAY		
FIRST READING		Jeremiah 1:4-10
PSALM 103:1-8 (Responsively)		
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION	<i>Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!</i>	ELW 172
GOSPEL		Luke 13:10-17
SERMON		
SONG OF THE DAY	<i>You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore</i>	ELW 817
APOSTLES' CREED		
PRAYERS		
SHARING THE PEACE		
OFFERING	<i>Accept, O Lord, the Gifts We Bring</i>	ELW 691
OFFERING PRAYER		
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING		
WORDS OF INSTITUTION		
THE LORD'S PRAYER (Contemporary)		
INVITATION		
DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION		
DISTRIBUTION MUSIC	<i>Bind Us Together, Lord</i>	WOV 748
	<i>Shall we Gather at the River</i>	ELW 423
BLESSING AND PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION		
ANNOUNCEMENTS		
BLESSING		
SONG	<i>*I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me</i>	ELW 860
SENDING		
POSTLUDE		

**denotes favorite hymn of one of our members, put yours in the box in the gathering area.*



SPECIAL WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS!

Please fill out our blue visitor card found at the Welcome Table in the Gathering Area. 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 with children and infants attending worship today. We have an unstaffed nursery available for young children to play in during worship. There are quiet activity bags available that are located near the entrance to the sanctuary. Ushers will be happy to show you where they are located.

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. Red wine or white grape juice are available in individual cups. Gluten-free wafers are available in wooden bowl.

Pastor Heather has a new Cell Phone Number please use: (715) 660-6899.



HEARING & VISUAL ASSISTANCE

Ask an Usher for help to sit in the Hearing Assistance section in the sanctuary. Switch hearing aid to T-Coil Loop Listeners. Magnifiers are also available.

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

Ardith Hendrickson; Mike Voss; Tom & Darlene Krake.

DO YOU HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST? *Submit it via the app or website or use the orange prayer request card in pew. You may also email: pastor@faithmarshfield.com.*

SERVING US TODAY at 9:00 AM

Welcome:	Sue Vick
Greeters:	SallyJo Lee Lloyd Mueller
Ushers:	Justin Polzin, Brienne Thompson
Musician(s):	Jeff Johnson, Julie Felhofer Darlene Wittlinger
Audio/Visual:	Tom Loucks Paul Dietsche
Reader:	Christine Stromme
Comm. Assists:	Diane Herron, Amelia Zellner, Sally Rakovec
Coffee Host:	Judy Rhodes
Baked Goods:	Dylan Schiferl, Cindy Mueller Carolyn Yanke

Announcements

Our sympathies to the family of Dennis Frome, daughter Tanya Tenpas on his passing on August 16th, 2025.

Our sympathies to the family of Karen Helf on the death of her twin sister, Deborah Goebel; who passed away on May 27th, 2025.



From Education & Family Ministry Team

Justin/Brianne at FamilyEd@FaithMarshfield.com

ADULT EDUCATION: Thank you for listening to the information we have provided to you today. If you are interested in participating or have further questions, please contact familied@faithmarshfield.com or Justin Polzin at 715-387-3757.

September 7 | Kickoff Sunday (10:00 AM Following Worship)

Join us as we kick off a new year of learning and fellowship in the Upper Room. This session we will be discussing the "Life of Esther."



2025–2026 GLOW Registration is OPEN:

Visit our website, check your email, or contact familied@faithmarshfield.com to register today!

August 24 | Backpack Blessing (During 9:00 AM Worship)

Thank you for joining us today for our Backpack Blessing Service! ✨ 📖

We are grateful for each of you and pray for God's guidance, protection, and joy in the year ahead!

August 24 | Mentor/Mentee Kickoff Gathering (Following Worship)

Parents are encouraged to attend the first portion of this special event.



SEPTEMBER 7TH 9 AM
DURING THE WORSHIP SERVICE


SPARK Toddlers GLOW Kids RISE Students



September 7 | Ignite the Light Sunday (9:00 AM Worship)

Join us as we kick off a new year of learning and fellowship! After worship, we'll head outside for a special gathering to celebrate the start of our classes.

Crayon Donations!


A huge thank you to everyone who has donated crayons for our projects!  We can't wait to show you how we'll be putting them to use. It truly takes our whole **Faith Lutheran family** to make things like this possible—your colorful contributions are making a big difference for our kids!

Parents—We'd Love to See Your Kids!

As we kick off a new year of GLOW, RISE, and the upcoming school year, we'd love for you to share photos of your kids so we can celebrate them together! Whether it's sports, extracurricular activities, or just enjoying everyday moments, we want to see it all—big or small. Send your photos to: familyed@faithmarshfield.com. Thank you for your ongoing support of our GLOW program and adult education ministry. Your prayers, time, and involvement are a blessing to our entire church family!



Welcome Back, Puppets of Faith!

We're excited to welcome the *Puppets of Faith* live in worship today!  Our puppet friends will continue sharing God's love and laughter with us through live performances monthly. And don't forget—new episodes will now premiere **Fridays at 6:00 PM**. Stay tuned and join the fun!



HONORING KIM VRANA CELEBRATION

Join us in celebrating **Kim Vrana**, who has faithfully served as our Youth Director for the past 12 years. Through mission trips, retreats, service projects, and countless hours of care and guidance, Kim has been an incredible blessing—helping our youth grow in faith, deepen their relationship with God, and live out their calling to serve. His dedication, creativity, and love for Christ have left a lasting impact on our church family. At our Worship Service on **Sept. 21st**, we will recognize his vital ministry with us. After service we will hold a special coffee hour in his honor.

WAYS TO GIVE:

CHURCH: Offering basket will be passed during offering.

ONLINE: Go to www.faithmarshfield.com and click on **GIVE**.

TEXT: Text [flcmarshfieldgiving](https://www.flcmarshfieldgiving.com) to phone number 1-888-364-4483

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



From Faith In Action

Contact Treva Tisdell at jttizzy78@gmail.com

FAITH, FRIENDS, FLOWERS, & FIRE NIGHT:

Faith in Action is planning another fall event at Auburndale School Forest on Saturday, September 13th, 6:00 – 7:30 PM. Join us for a bonfire, food, music, fellowship, and beautiful flowers (we hope). For questions or more information about any of these events, please contact Michelle Rhodes at 715-897-3503 or Treva Tisdell at 715-387-4563.

We need your help to make this event a success:

- Decorate a car,
- Donate Candy,
- Run Games,
- Help with food.

To register or volunteer, sign up online or contact Treva at 715-387-4569.



From Women of the ELCA

Contact Dawn Harder at dawnharder65@gmail.com

The Women of the ELCA Chequamegon Conference invite you to their Fall Retreat, **“Falling for Jesus...He Never Leaves,”** on Saturday, October 4, 2025, from 9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. at St. Paul’s Lutheran Church, Medford. Enjoy a day of fellowship, worship, and encouragement. Cost is \$20 (checks payable to WELCA). In-kind gifts for local food pantries will be collected. Please register by September 21, 2025, by mailing the form and payment to Deb Bender, St. Paul’s Lutheran Church, 321 N. Park Ave, Medford, WI 54451.



Trunk or Treat – Wednesday, October 18 | 5:30–7:00 PM Faith Lutheran Church is excited to host our annual Trunk or Treat! Bring your family and friends for a safe and fun evening filled with decorated trunks, costumes, candy, and games!

Special Note:

Pastor Heather is on vacation August 25th–September 1st and Pastor Dan Zimmerman (Loyal WI) will be on-call. Here are his contact phone #'s: Church 715-255-8880 Home 715-255-9902

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT FAITH:

August 24th-29th

Aug. 24th 9:00 AM – Sunday Worship
Backpack Blessing
10:15 AM – Council Meeting in UR
10:15 AM – Confirm. Mentor ED1
Aug. 25th 1:30 PM – Ruth Circle at Maxine
Madison's House
7:00 PM – Al-Anon in CR
Aug. 26th 6:00 PM – NAMI Meeting in RR
Aug. 27th 6:00 PM – NA Meeting in CR
7:30 PM – Scout Troup 345 in CR
Aug. 28th 8:00 AM – Quilters' Piece Corps

FAITH NUMBERS CORNER

Service Attendance

Last Week Attendance: 90

Average Service Attendance

July Average Attendance: 79

July Average Online Views: 39

Weekly General Giving Aug. 17th:

Actual (Includes online giving) \$3,376

(Weekly break even amount \$6,166)

Year to July 31st, General Giving:

Actual Contribution Income \$161,706

Budget+(Amount to break even) \$184,966

Year to July 31st, Income vs. Expenses:

Actual All Income \$178,968

Actual Expenses \$184,659

Shortfall -\$ 5,691

*"Whatever you do, work at it with all your
heart, as working for the Lord."
– Col. 3:23*

Volunteer, Sign-up & Join Us!

Faith LUTHERAN CHURCH
LIVING BY WORDS • REACHING FOR HEAVEN

TRUNK OR TREAT

October 18th Event 5:30–7:00 PM

Decorate a Car

Donate Candy

Run Games

Help with Food

Register Online or
Contact Treva at
715-387-4569