

A few questions and ideas to consider throughout the week...

When is a time you have felt yourself lost in deep darkness? What light helped you find your way out? What is the message of the cross, and why does Paul say it seems like foolishness? How do you think Jesus chooses the people he calls? How do you think you'd answer?

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### **FALC Drum Circle**

Are you looking to "drum" up some new activities in which to participate this year? Every third Monday of the month at 1:30 pm, Frank Ferraro will lead a drum circle at Fallbrook Assisted Living and Memory Care Community. This event is open to the public and we encourage our members to attend!

### **2026 Sign-Up Sheets**

Sign-up sheets for both altar flower sponsorship and donut pick-up are on the counter in the lobby by the coffee pot.

Please pray for our Spirit of Hope family and friends. In the Military: *Stephen Austria; Peyton Lange (grandson of Chuck & Marcia Carlson); and Ross Witters (son of Nancy Witters)*  
Prison Ministry: *Pr. Rob Corum*

### **Prayer Requests - Padlet**

The easiest way to get to our Padlet Prayer Request is the link in our Spirit of Hope app for your smart device!



Once you launch the Spirit of Hope app you will find the link near the middle labeled: "Padlet Prayer Request". You may use your smart device to scan this QR code to connect to Padlet Prayer Requests.

### **Connect with Spirit of Hope**

Use this QR Code below to let us know you'd like to hear from someone at Spirit of Hope.



Council Member Available Today  
Ben Trenne

Altar flowers sponsored by  
Jana Cockerham



**Scan here for our mobile donation site:**

**January 25, 2026  
10:00 am**

## Today's Worship

Welcome

Songs: *Always; Cry of My Heart*

Call to Worship

Prayer of the Day

Greeting

Song: *Reckless Love*

Scripture Readings: Isaiah 9:1-4; 1 Corinthians 1:10-18  
Matthew 4:12-23

Children's Message

Message: "Brighter than You'd Believe" Pr Day Hefner

Song: *Christ Be Our Light, ELW#715*

Affirmation of Faith

Offering

Confession & Forgiveness

Communion: Remember Me

Song: *Fill Me Now*

Prayers & Lord's Prayer

Ministry Opportunities

Blessing

Song: *There Is Joy in the Lord*

Dismissal

Below is a list of bible studies, meetings, and events. To view a complete list and details please visit our website or mobile app.

### Group Bible Studies -

2/1 @ 7pm—Everyday Spirituality

2/4 @ 10am—Coffee & Conversation

### Youth Faith Formation—

1/25 @ 11am—Fellowship Sunday

1/25 @ 6:30pm—Confirmation

2/8 @ 11am—Fellowship Sunday

### Group Meetings -

1/26 @ 6pm—Board Game Night

2/1 @ 11am—RIC Team Meeting

2/2 @ 9:30am—Piecemakers Quilting

### Upcoming Worship & Events -

1/25 @ 11am—Fellowship Sunday

1/29 @ 10am—FALC Worship

2/1 @ 10am—In-person and Livestream  
Worship

2/5 @ 10am—FALC Worship

2/8 @ 10am—In-person and Livestream  
Worship

2/8 @ 11am—Fellowship Sunday:

Service Project—Tie blankets to donate  
to FALC

SERMON  
Notes:

sermon take away: