

Sunday, October 25th ONLINE worship at 9:30am
Matthew 22:34-46 NRSV Message: "You Know What to Do..."

Online worship links available at 9:30am Sun, Oct 25th

Recorded videos of all Wednesday and Sunday worship services are available on DVD or you can view them *anytime* at:

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/FaithFarmingtonUMC/>

YouTube: [http://www.youtube.com/c/](http://www.youtube.com/c/FaithChurchUnitedMethodistFarmingtonMN)

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Faith for Kids and Youth

"Finding Your Way Through the Bible" books are available for Elementary age kids. Pastor Karen is offering a Bible teaching group for kids this Fall! Get a guidebook and more info here: [Finding Your Way Through the Bible](#)

Trunk or Treat 2020 on October 31st: 1-4pm (attached)

We're collecting treats--both candy and non-candy--we are hosting the community outdoors with this family-friendly, safe and fun event in cooperation with Trinity Lutheran, Connect Church and the Classical Conversations homeschool co-op! RSVP to attend the Trunk or Treat drive through and sign up to volunteer for Trunk or Treat (seated, standing, short or long shifts available) by going to the church's website www.faithinyourheart.org We also need to know if you can host a trunk!! Contact Cathy Hemish with any questions about Trunk or Treat or to host a trunk!! (651) 246-3551

Faith Church Prayers

- Kenny and Carol Frank and family; Kenny's father, Lee died on Friday, October 23rd. No service is planned, but cards of sympathy may be sent to Kenny and Carol via the church office at 710 8th Street in % Faith Church
- Dee Parker; having a procedure on Wednesday
- Frank Phillips; dealing with kidney dialysis
- Birthdays and Anniversaries celebrated this week!

Email: Faith Church Prayer Team at Prayerteam.faithumc@gmail.com

Text/Call: Pastor Karen 763-370-4245

or **Ruth Phillips** (651) 387-7186

Faith Church Ham Dinner a Success!

Check out this video: <https://youtu.be/TPXkeF9xWF8>

If you took photos, please share!

We received more than \$3400 in ticket sales!

We served more than 200 meals!

We received over \$1,000 in donations for food & supplies!

We were able to serve the community & help our church to fund a portion of the 2020 budget at the same time!

We're still calculating receipts for costs over those which were donated, but at the moment it appears that we will be able to deposit \$2800+ into our operating funds for 2020! *Thank you, to everyone for working together!!*

Faith Church Giving

God will bless and make fruitful each of the gifts we give. Regular giving makes a difference as you, (and we) grow in faith and grow Faith, together:

www.paypal.me/FaithChurchUMC

www.faithinyourheart.org/give

or by sending a check to Faith Church

(710 8th Street Farmington, MN 55024)

In order to meet our operations budget for 2020, we need to do some catching up.

Let's work together to not only catch up, but get ahead as we plan to wrap up 2020 and grow in faith at Faith Church in 2021! Your faithful giving *will* make the difference between moving ahead to grow and reach people, or scaling back and not making budget. *In a difficult year, God has been faithful; we must be, too!*

Personal donations are one way--spreading the word about Ham Dinner is another way, getting creative with a fundraising idea is another way to make up the difference.

God provides through us and more than matches our efforts; together, we can make the "impossible," *possible!*

All Saints Sunday is *next week* on Sunday November 1st

Submit names for this special service remembering and honoring those who have died in the past year. We will remember those who have been part of Faith Church and have helped us to grow in our faith. A tea light candle will be lit and a chime

will sound for those members of Faith Church who have died since Nov 2019, and you may also submit a name (no cost) of anyone you have known and loved (even if they haven't been part of Faith Church). If you'd like to purchase a candle of remembrance (will be labeled "2020 All Saints Day") to take home with you, you can do so by reserving one for \$5 and can pick it up at drive up Communion. (Order form and info attached)

Sunday, November 1st is also *Daylight Savings* so turn your clocks back one hour and remember: Worship is still at 9:30am (even if it feels like 8:30am) and if you like, stay in your pajamas for online worship at home! We invite you to drive over for Communion (and to pick up any All Saints memorial candles you've ordered) at 11am — you can even wear your pjs to Communion--no judgements here!

Faith Actions - *What will your faith action(s) be in the weeks, months, and year ahead?* As we work to strengthen our personal faith and to strengthen Faith Church, what are the opportunities before you? What will you do as we work to grow in love of God and neighbor?

See you in worship!
In Jesus' name,
Pastor Karen

P.S. Please pass this email along, or share the links on Facebook or Twitter to invite people to worship, Trunk or Treat and all opportunities! The best way for someone to find out about Faith, is with an invitation by *you*.