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**December 9, 2018 Faith News** 

**This Week At Faith** 

#### **Today - Mite Box Sunday**

Worship Service, 8 and 10:30 am Sunday School, 9:15 am Women's Bible Study, 9:15 am

#### Monday

Youth Board Meeting, 6:30 am Rejoice Bible Study, 7 pm **Tuesday** 

Cub Scouts, 6 pm Boy Scouts, 6:30 pm Church Council, 7 pm

#### Wednesday

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Class, 6-6:45 pm Confirmation Class, 6-6-:45 pm High School Class, 6-6:45 pm Team One Choir Practice, 6 pm Advent Service, 7 pm

### Thursday

Go-Getters, 11:30 am Faith News Articles Due, noon Friday FLY Lock-in, 7pm-5am **Saturday** 

Red Hats, 1 pm

# **Church Elders**

If you have any questions, concerns or would like to speak to someone, contact an Elder. Elders are assigned to people based on the first letter of your last name.

A-P Bob Deitrick, 918-949-0463 Dan Lewis, 970-380-5041 Q-Z

## **Those Serving Today**

Rev. Mark Neumann

918-553-6518

918-200-5013

8:00 Elder - Bob Deitrick 10:30 Elder - Dan Lewis 8:00 Usher - Bill Hardy 10:30 Usher - Nelson Kurth 8:00 Greeters - Elmer and Doris Schmall 8:00 Reader - Beverly Jennings 10:30 Reader - Mark Snyder 8:00 Acolyte - Rosa Gray 10:30 Acolyte - Gabe Newbrough Accompanist - Kathey Childers 10:30 Song Leaders - Brad Buxton, Raeleen Buxton, Margaret Conner, Michelle Miller, Stephen Scott 8:00 Sound Booth - Bob Haan

10:30 Sound Booth - Ralph Conner 10:30 Powerpoint - Tim Doering

Last Sunday's Offering - \$5493 Last Sunday's Attendance - 152

Altar flowers are given by **Bill and Lynn Ferguson** celebrating 35 years cancer free for daughter, Kim Molini and 4 months

cancer free for daughter, Rhonda Mattingly.



9 - Juanita Polge 10 - Carolyn Casper, Roman Dessiatov 12 - Scott Newbrough 13 - Samantha Schuster

#### For Prayer Requests, Concerns or Praises contact: Sheila Bougher at 918-906-9255 or smilevbee1@att.net

#### Today is Mite Box Sunday

Every 'mite' donated to LWML Mission Grants is appreciated. At our April OK District Convention, 20 Mission Grants, totaling \$104600, were selected for this biennium. In the monthly issues of Faith News we highlight one of the grants selected. When donating, please pray for the beneficiaries of your generosity.

#### **Shoes - Shoes - Shoes**

Are you checking your closets for those unused shoes? It's a great time of year to do just that ... clean out those closets! If you are not wearing them, donate them to our Shoe Drive. A collection bag is located under the coat rack in the narthex.

#### Go-Getters Thursday at 11:30am

Please join us in the Great Room of Faith. Ham will be provided. Please bring a covered dish along with your dominoes or any other game you wish to play.

### **Christmas Bonus**

During this time of year, while we remember our friends and loved ones with cards and gifts, we would like to recognize Pastor Neumann and Kathey Childers for their services to the Lord and the Faith family. If your heart moves you to give a Christmas Bonus monetary gift, please do so by placing your gift in the offering plate and marking it "Christmas Bonus" or by giving it to an Elder.

#### **Theme Basket Raffle Tickets**

Faith Lutheran Youth are selling Raffle tickets for a chance to win one of many Theme Baskets! The drawing is next Sunday. Need not be present to win. Help support FLY and purchase your chances today in the Luther Hall!

#### Christmas Cookie Sale Next Sunday

Faith Lutheran Youth will have a Christmas Cookie Sale between services and after the late service next Sunday. Simply purchase one of the containers provided, then fill it with homemade cookies of your choice. This is a great way to buy your homemade Christmas cookies while supporting our Youth!

#### **Child Abuse Network Teddy Bear Drive**

During the month of December we are collecting new stuffed animals, blankets, journals & pens, new baseball caps, school supplies, coloring books, crayons, books, formula/disposable bottles, new small sizes children's underwear and socks for the Child Abuse Network. Donation box located by the north entrance.

#### **Musical Offering**

If you would like to do a musical offering such as play an instrument or sing a song during any of the Christmas services, please contact Raeleen 918-691-4232.

#### **Poinsettia Sign-up**

The Christmas season is upon us. Help decorate the sanctuary for Christmas by sponsoring a poinsettia. A sign up sheet is located in the Narthex. Mark your checks with 'poinsettia' and place in the offering plate.

### **New Flower Chart**

A Sign-up chart for 2019 Altar flowers is in the north hallway outside of the Great Room. Please put your name and phone number. Only one family's name on each date. \$35 without a rose and \$40 with a rose. Please make your checks payable to Faith with 'flowers' on the memo line and place in the offering plate. **Inclement Weather Policy** 

Church closings will be broadcast on TV channels 6 and 8 as well as on our website. All activities are cancelled when Owasso Public Schools are cancelled.



\*\*\* Special Service Next Sunday \*\*\*\* A special Christmas service will be held in the Family Life Center next Sunday at 10:30. Refreshments. Cookies. Christmas music.