

Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

February 16, 2025 -- 9:30 AM



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Church Office Hours:
Tuesday – Friday: 10 am to 4 pm

Pastors: Matt & Janine Goodrich
Ministers: All the people of God

**This is Christ's church.
There is a place for you here.**

We are a church that shares a living, daring confidence in God's grace. Liberated by our faith, we embrace everyone as a whole person, with questions, doubts, complexities and all. We are moved by God's grace to welcome all who have ever felt marginalized, no matter your gender identity, sexual orientation, age, race, ethnicity, marital status, or faith background.

We welcome you as we worship, learn, and share Christ's love together.

Listening Devices for hearing enhancement are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Large print bulletins are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please see an usher for your copy. Feel free to take this copy home for reference during the week.

GATHERING

In Jesus' Name

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

"Sanctuary"

Crossroads

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Presider: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✝ one God, our creator, our protector, our wellspring of life.

All: Amen

Presider: Trusting that God receives our words and the meditations of our hearts, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Presider: Merciful God,

All: you speak blessing and compassion into the world. Forgive us for the ways we act with judgment, cruelty, or indifference. We ignore the needs of our neighbors; we resist your call to oppose injustice; we give in to scarcity and fear; we assume the worst about one another. Cleanse us from our faults and release us from their grasp. Show us your lovingkindness. Restore our hearts and repair your world, that we may live in Christ's ways. Amen.

Presider: God proclaims these words of assurance:

"Do not fear, for I have redeemed you. I have called you by name. You are mine." In ✝ Christ, you are forgiven. In the Spirit, you are made free. Refreshed by the waters of mercy, live anew as beloved children of God.

All: Amen

GATHERING HYMN

"Let Justice Flow like Streams"

ELW #717
Red hymnal

GREETING

Presider: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

All: And also with you.

KYRIE (*Kyrie Eleison means "Lord, have mercy"*)

Presider: You were sent to heal the contrite of heart. Kyrie Eleison.

All: Kyrie Eleison.

Presider: You came to call sinners. Christe Eleison.

All: Christe Eleison.

Presider: You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us.
Kyrie Eleison

All: Kyrie Eleison.

GLORY TO GOD – (All Sing)

Refrain: **Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest.
And on earth peace, on earth peace to people of goodwill.**

1. **We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
we give thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. *Refrain:***
2. **Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. *Refrain:***

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Assisting Minister: The Lord be with you.

All: and also with you.

A.M.: Let us pray. . . . Living God, in Christ you make all things new.

All: Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

You may be seated.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

FIRST READING

Jeremiah 17:5-10

Reader: ⁵ Thus says the Lord:

Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals
and make mere flesh their strength,
whose hearts turn away from the Lord.

⁶ They shall be like a shrub in the desert,
and shall not see when relief comes.

They shall live in the parched places of the wilderness,
in an uninhabited salt land.

⁷ Blessed are those who trust in the Lord,
whose trust is the Lord.

⁸ They shall be like a tree planted by water,
sending out its roots by the stream.

It shall not fear when heat comes,
and its leaves shall stay green;
in the year of drought it is not anxious,
and it does not cease to bear fruit.

⁹ The heart is devious above all else;
it is perverse—
who can understand it?

¹⁰ I the Lord test the mind
and search the heart,
to give to all according to their ways,
according to the fruit of their doings.

Reader: Word of God, word of life.

All: Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.

SPECIAL MUSIC

"We'll Walk In The Light"

Crossroads

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION – All Sing

All: Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia

GOSPEL READING

Luke 6:17-26

Presider: The holy gospel according to St. Luke, the sixth chapter.

All: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Presider: ¹⁷ [Jesus] came down with [the twelve] and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. ¹⁸ They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. ¹⁹ And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them.

²⁰ Then he looked up at his disciples and said:

“Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.

²¹ “Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.

“Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.

²² “Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³ Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

²⁴ “But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.

²⁵ “Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.

“Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.

²⁶ “Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.”

Presider: This is the gospel of the Lord.

All: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

You may be seated

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

Pastor Janine Goodrich

Please stand as you are able

GOSPEL HYMN

"My Life Flows On in Endless Song"

ELW #763
Red Hymnal

APOSTLES' CREED

**All: I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
Suffered under Pontius Pilate,
Was crucified, died, and was buried;
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into Heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

A.M.: After each petition of *"God of grace,"*
the congregation will respond, **"hear our prayer."**

OFFERING

Offering plates are in the back of the Sanctuary for your gift, or you may mail to
 Faith Lutheran Church - PO Box 2349 Roseburg OR 97470
 or you may give an offering online on our website www.faithroseburg.org
 or through the Tithl.ey app, download instructions are in the welcome center.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Christ

GREETING OF PEACE

Presider: The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And also with you.

Presider: Let us greet one another with a sign of God's peace.

Please stand as you are able

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Presider: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is good to give God thanks and praise.

Presider: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through the great shepherd of your flock, our Savior Jesus Christ; who after his resurrection sent forth the apostles to preach the gospel and teach all nations, and promised to be with them, even to the end of the age. And so, with the glorious company of the apostles, with the choirs of angels and all the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS (*Holy*)

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.

Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -

san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the

high - est. Bless - ed is he, bless - ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the

high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the

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EUCHARISTIC PRAYER (*The pastor prays over the bread and wine*)

LORD'S PRAYER

All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

You may be seated.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

AGNUS DEI (*Agnus Dei means "Lamb of God"*) – **All sing**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

COMMUNION HYMN

"Come to the table"

ELW 481

Red Hymnal

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

Today we celebrate Christ's presence among us as he comes to us with grace and forgiveness in the ordinary bread and wine of the Holy Eucharist. The cups contain red wine and white grape juice. We have Gluten-Free bread available.

After you receive the Sacrament, you may take time to pray at the altar rail if you wish.

At Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church, ALL are welcome to receive communion.

You may be seated

COMMUNION BLESSING

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

A.M.: Nourishing God, at this table you have refreshed us with holy gifts of food and drink. Strengthen us for service,

All: **Strengthen us for service, and send us out to embody your good news of liberation and healing for the sake of the world. In the name of Christ we pray, Amen.**

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

BENEDICTION

You may be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand as you are able.

SENDING SONG

“Let Streams of Living Justice Flow”

ELW #710
Red Hymnal

DISMISSAL

A.M: Go in peace. Live in hope.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Music to send us on our way into the world.



Serving Christ in the Heart of the Umpqua

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Facebook: *Faith Lutheran Church ELCA*

Livestream: <https://streamlabs.com/faithlutheranchurchroseburg>

YouTube: *Faith Lutheran Church, Roseburg*

Pray for those in need of healing and for those with on-going cares and concerns:

Peter (friend of Jerry and Cindy), Karen (Daughter of Al & Barbara), Velda (Sister of Joan), Kathy, Mark, Torr (Family member of Sue).

Web & Mobile Giving

The two options for giving at Faith are Web and Mobile giving. Both these options are powered by tithe.ly (recommended by the ELCA).



To give via the web go to:

<https://faithroseburg.org/online-giving/>

To give via your mobile device (phone and/or tablet), make sure location services is turned on, go to your android or iPhone App store, search for Tithe.ly Click on ELCA giving tool by tithe.ly and download (get) the App.

It is super simple!!

If you have a special need ~ PLEASE let the church know if there are any needs or concerns that you may have. Like groceries picked up, prescriptions picked up, etc.

You can call 541-672-2231 or email: office@faithroseburg.org

CRAFT WITH JENN

"Origami with Jackie Ashcraft"



You are invited to morning prayer on Wednesday mornings at 10:00am with bible study following at 10:30am., at St. George Episcopal Church 1024 SE Cass Ave Roseburg

News from the FISH Pantry:

We are **extending our operating hours to include the 4th Saturday each month**, we will be open 10a-1pm. We can't do this alone If you'd like to get involved, please reach out or visit our website to learn more. Together, we can ensure that no one in our community goes hungry.

Help Stock the FISH Pantry's Cookbook Lending Library! The FISH of Roseburg is looking for gently used or new cookbooks to expand our cookbook lending library. This resource helps our clients discover creative ways to turn pantry staples into delicious and nutritious meals. donations can be dropped off at 405 Jerrys Dr, Roseburg, during pantry hours or here at Faith Lutheran Church.

February 23rd after worship, Pastor Matt will be starting a class talking about the distinct ways Lutherans understand our faith. We use words like "Word of God, Grace, Faith, Communion and many others but what do we mean when we use them? Who is this guy named Martin Luther and why was he important and is he still?"

We will begin our journey with a 7-part series exploring how Lutherans read and interpret the Bible. We will then explore our Catechism (Our what??? We'll talk about what that is, where it came from and why we find that helpful in our Faith journey). We will explore our worship style and the history that shapes the Lutheran witness.

Please come with questions and curiosity. We will meet every other Sunday in the conference room.

The Alzheimer's Association is hosting a free educational conference that will take place in Roseburg on February 27, 2025, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. It will be held at Wildlife Safari. Please note that the conference is open to anyone who would like to attend, and lunch will be provided at no cost. We ask that attendees register in advance so we can ensure there is enough food and materials for everyone. To register, call 800.272.3900 or reach out to me personally at aliepnieks@alz.org Alise

Serving This Week's Service – February 16th, 2025

<i>Acolyte/Crucifer</i>	Brandi, Halenea, Lucia and Isla, Cora
<i>Assisting Minister</i>	Jennifer
<i>Lector</i>	Stephanie
<i>Communion Assistant</i>	Stephanie
<i>Ushers</i>	Bob and Beverly
<i>Altar Guild</i>	Margaret, Jane, Debby
<i>Fellowship</i>	WOF Bake Sale
<i>Musicians</i>	Guitar – Eric Pianist - Gwen Choir - Crossroads
<i>Flowers</i>	Stephanie, Gwen, and Rebecca
<i>Eternal Candle</i>	Open

Serving Next Week's Service – February 23rd, 2025

<i>Acolyte/Crucifer</i>	Brandi, Halenea, Lucia and Isla, Cora
<i>Assisting Minister</i>	Open
<i>Lector</i>	Mary
<i>Communion Assistant</i>	Mary
<i>Ushers</i>	LaVonne
<i>Altar Guild</i>	Margaret, Jane, Debby
<i>Fellowship</i>	Chicken Sunday
<i>Musicians</i>	Guitar – Eric Pianist - Gwen Choir - Crossroads
<i>Flowers</i>	Open
<i>Eternal Candle</i>	Open

February 16th, 2025 through February 23rd, 2025

Sunday – February 16, 2025

- 8:15am Crossroads rehearsal - SA
- 9:30am Worship – SA
- 10:30am WOF Bake Sale – FH
- 10:45am Distinctly Lutheran w/ Pastor Matt - CR
- 7:00pm Mt Nebo AA Group – AT
- 7:00pm Alanon Meeting – SSR

Monday – February 17, 2025

- **Pastors' Day off**
- 1:00pm..... Watercolor Fellowship – AT

Tuesday – February 18, 2025

- 1:00pm..... American Sewing Guild
- 4:30pm..... Crossroads Rehearsal

Wednesday – February 19, 2025

- 10:00pm..... Morning Prayer at *St. George*
- 10:30am Bible Study at *St. George*
- 6:00pm Twisted Sisters AA (Women only) – SSR
- 6:30pm Alanon Meeting - CR
- 7:00pm Learning to Live Again NA Group – AT

Thursday – February 20, 2025

- 1:00pm..... Lydia's Ladies – Home of Jane Hill
- 6:30pm..... Council Meeting
- 7:00pm..... Mt Nebo AA Group – AT

Friday – February 21, 2025

Saturday – February 22, 2025

Sunday – February 23, 2025

- 8:15am Crossroads rehearsal - SA
- 9:30am Worship – SA
- 10:30am Chicken Sunday – FH
- 10:45am **Gospel of Matthew class** – ABS
- 2:00pm Confirmation Class
- 7:00pm Mt Nebo AA Group – AT
- 7:00pm Alanon Meeting – SSR



KEY

- FH = Fellowship Hall
- FLY = Youth Room
- CR = Conference Room
- SA = Sanctuary
- AT = Atrium
- SSR = Sunday School Rooms
- ABS = Adult Bible Study (behind sanctuary)
- PO = Pastors office