

# Dwight - Mooreton Lutheran Parish

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## MAY NEWSLETTER

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### Faith Church Women

Faith Church Women will meet for supper at Prantes (dutch treat) on May 7 at 6:00 p.m. All are invited to attend. Hope to see you there!



### Mooreton Church Women

Mooreton Church Women will not meet in May. Church Cleaning : Karlene Ellingson

Congratulations to Megan Roob who will be confirmed on May 6. May God bless Megan on her special day.



Our sympathy to Wendy Griffin on the death of her Dad, Maurice Williams. His funeral was held April 6 in Alexandria. Please keep the Williams' family in your thoughts and prayers.



### May Ushers:

Faith: Gary & Heather Retzer  
Mooreton: Neal & Shirley Skovholt

Starting Wednesday, June 6 through Wednesday, August 22 and alternating each week, Worship service will be held at 7:00 p.m. There will NOT be a Sunday service. Holy

communion will alternate between the first and second Wednesdays each month. A final schedule will be posted on Facebook, the Parish website and in the Summer newsletter.



### VBS Hero Central: Discover Your Strength in God.

Ages 4 through 6th grade (upcoming school year).

June 11th 1:00-4:30 p.m.  
June 12th 1:00 -4:30 p.m.,  
and June 13th 1:00-7:00p.m.

Contact Aimee Skovholt, 640-3621 or [aimee@agwireless.net](mailto:aimee@agwireless.net) with questions, to register, or to volunteer.

A sign up sheet will also be available at Faith. Bring a friend!



### Faith Members:

If you would like to use the church, fellowship hall, tables, etc. please contact Tertia and let her know what your needs are and she will let you know if the facility is available.



Dear friends,

I want to invite you to contemplate these words which were entitled “The Way To Happiness”. “Keep your heart free from hate, your mind from worry. Live simply; expect little, give much. Fill your life with love. Scatter sunshine, forget self, think of others. Do as you would be done by”.

I couldn't help but think of how this bit of worldly wisdom finds its source in the words of Jesus. For our Lord was constant in His call that to truly find life in all of its abundance, you and I are called to a life of love and self-giving, to be generous in sharing our lives with others and to live with love in our hearts for our neighbor.

St. Paul encourages us in this way of life together in the third chapter of Colossians. “As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so must you forgive.

Above all clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful”.

WOW, wouldn't life be wonderful if everyone asked our Lord Jesus to give us the desire and ability to live like this! Because of human sin, we won't be able to do this perfectly but that doesn't mean we can't try; thanking God when we succeed and trusting in God's forgiveness when we fail.

Some say that this is an idealistic approach to life, but as is said at the end of the above quotation, “Try living like this and you will be surprised”.

My prayer for you this month of May is that you will experience much in the way of happiness and joy. Fix your eyes on the Risen Christ and His promises to us, seek ways to be good to your neighbor as well as yourself and I believe that the peace and joy we all seek will be found.

Love in Christ,  
Pastor Gordy



Faith is participating in **1 Box, 1 Can, Feed My Lamb** to help benefit the Richland-Wilkin County Food Pantry. Baskets are located in the Narthex and at the back of the Sanctuary.



Information for the weekly bulletins is due to Tertia by Thursday's at noon. Information for the May Newsletter is due to Tertia by May 20.



Faith Members - Thank you to those who have signed up to utilize direct deposit for weekly offering. If you have not yet signed up and are interested please contact Lori Vogeler for more information.



May Mooreton Coffee Servers

6 - Gina Skovholt      13 - Ruth Johnson



## May Birthdays

May 1 Gary Retzer  
May 1 Rylen Pajari  
May 4 Jaden Pikarski  
May 5 Jennifer Kolbe  
May 8 Heather Awender  
May 9 Betty Cooksley  
May 11 Kristi Ford  
May 11 Kenneth Johnson  
May 11 Sawyer Hegseth  
May 13 Riley Helgeson  
May 23 Richard Quamme  
May 25 Paige Mennis  
May 28 Karlene Ellingson  
May 29 Russell Christensen



**Happy Birthday to all of you!!**

If we missed your birthday, please let us know. We may not have your birth date on file. Thanks.

# May

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6 6th of Easter 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton Coffee 10:30 Faith Worship	7 6:00 p.m. Church Women supper at Prante's	8	9	10	11	12
13 7th of Easter 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton Coffee 10:30 Faith Worship	14	15	16	17	18	19
20 Day of Pentecost 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton Coffee 10:30 Faith Worship	21	22	23	24	25	26
27 The Holy Trinity 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton Coffee 10:30 Faith Worship	28	29	30	31		

## Mooreton Lawn Mowing Schedule



May 1 - 12	Wards
May 13 - 26	Jeff & Gina Skovholt
May 27 - June 9	Neal Skovholt
June 10 - 23	Kenneth & Ruth Johnson
June 24 - July 14	Harold Ford
July 15 - July 28	Korey & Aimee Skovholt
July 29 - August 11	Rick & Kristi Ford
August 12 - August 25	Jake & Emily Woltjer

Please watch Facebook posts for upcoming events like the back to fall events or any summer get togethers. Thank you to everyone for your support of the youth this past year!

## YOUTH GROUP

## Faith Sunday School

On April 15 the Sunday School went to Twin Town Villa to sing for the residents. We had 20 kids attend. The Sunday School families (over 40 people!) and Pastor Gordy met after that for pizza and swimming. It was a wonderful afternoon of faith and fellowship. We hope to make this an annual event.

It's hard to believe that the school year has come to an end. It was a fabulous year!

Thank you teachers for volunteering your time each week. You are appreciated!

Thank you children for coming each week with smiling faces and ready to learn.

Thank you parents for bringing your children each week.

God Bless,  
Tertia



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