

Dwight - Mooreton Lutheran Parish

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God's Acre: What is it?

"For the upkeep, repair, and maintenance of Faith Lutheran Church." Each year at our Annual Meeting we approve a budget which includes money for our church home. That budget includes basic everyday expenses. However there are times that our church home needs more. For example: brick restoration, mechanical repair, interior/exterior repair and maintenance, and other unforeseen or unexpected repairs.

In 1965 a motion was made to the Church Council to have a once a year offering for those extra building needs and the council voted to accept this idea. Each member was asked to give the income from one acre of land, one days wages, one months (days/weeks) interest - one portion, however their income was earned. Because many of our members at that time had some connection with the land, it was decided to call it "God's Acre." Since we are still a rural church and since the needs of our church home still sometimes exceed our budgeted amount, we still call it "God's Acre" and each of us personally and as a family can decide what is the "acre" that we can give for this purpose. **This year our God's Acre offering is November 6.** If you cannot attend you can still give to "God's Acre" at any time. Thank you to everyone for taking pride in our church home and being stewards of it's upkeep and preservation. ~Faith Church Council

Faith is in need of sponsors for upcoming newsletters. The cost is \$50.00. If interested please contact Tertia.



Ushers

Mooreton - Brad & Joey Glarum

Church Council

Faith Church Council will not meet in October, the next meeting will be held on November 9.

Church Women

Faith Church Women will meet Thursday, October 6 at 7:00 p.m.

Devotions & Hostess: Shirley Christensen

Mooreton Church Women

Church Cleaning: Gina Skovholt



Confirmation

Confirmation students-if you did not receive a letter from Pastor Gordy, please give him a call.

Reminders:

Students are **required** to turn in 12 sermon notes from Sunday services, plus 4 sermon notes from Lenten services.

Please bring your completed assignments, Bible and a pen to class each week.

Sunday School

There is no Sunday School on October 23.



Dear friends,

The theologian Reinhold Niebuhr once wrote a prayer that has graced the wall of many a home, office, or billfold. It is known as the serenity prayer. This wonderful prayer has special prominence in the lives of those who struggle with any kind of addiction as well as most who after reading it recognize the wisdom its words contain and seek to refer to it in times of anxiety or stress. The prayer most of us know goes like this "God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change; courage to change the things I can; and wisdom to know the difference."

A number of years ago I became aware that the words printed above are only part of the prayer. I thought you might appreciate these additional words as well. "Living one day at a time; enjoying one moment at a time; accepting hardships as the pathway to peace; taking, as He did, this sinful world as it is, not as I would have it; trusting that He will make all things right if I surrender to His Will; that I may be reasonably happy in this life and supremely happy with Him forever in the next. Amen.

Instead of making some comments about certain parts of the prayer, as I am usually prone to do; I instead, invite you to reread it two or three times. As you do certain phrases will probably arrest your attention as they have mine. With all the challenges of life we face individually and as families; may this prayer be a blessing to you.

Love in Christ,
Pastor Gordy

PS. Kids, I am so excited about Sunday School beginning as well as Confirmation. I know we are going to have a wonderful year!!!



Contacting Pastor Gordy:

If you are unable to reach Pastor Gordy on his cell phone and it is an *emergency*, please call Wallyn at 218-367-2343.

Faith is collecting items for the Richland-Wilkin County Food Pantry. Baskets are located in the Narthex. Thank you for your donations.



October 2	Sarah Kummer
October 3	Jared Johnson
October 5	Katrina Benedict
October 8	Lori Vogeler
October 14	Leeann Olson
October 16	Joey Glarum
October 18	Jasmyn Benedict
October 20	Aaron Retzer
October 22	Elise Skovholt
October 23	Makenna Alexander
October 25	Jake Woltjer
October 27	Cody James Anderson
October 28	LuAnna Lund
October 30	Wendy Griffin

***If we missed your birthday, or if any of the above dates are incorrect, please let Tertia know so she can update the records.
Thank you!***

Faith Altar Guild

October -	Wade & Kassi
November -	Valerie & Diane
December -	Colleen & Terry
January -	Vaughan & Wendy



Mooreton Fellowship Schedule

Please switch with someone if you cannot make it. If you drop it off at the church, please make sure you have someone to serve it and clean up.



October 2	Kari Ward
October 9	Rena Stallman
October 16	Karlene Ellingson
October 23	Jamie Jensen
October 30	Aimee Skovholt

November 6	Joey Glarum
November 13	Gina Skovholt
November 20	Kristi Ford
November 27	Emily Woltjer



OCTOBER

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

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2 17th after Pentecost Green 8:30 Mooreton Worship 9:30 Mooreton Coffee 9:20 Sunday School 10:30 Faith Worship	3	4	5 5:30 p.m. Confirmation	6	7	8
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Mooreton Mowing Schedule

Sept 19 - Oct 2
Oct 3 - Oct 16

Jake & Emily Woltjer
Lyle & Karlene Ellingson



Parish Social Media

These sites will allow you to stay up to date with Parish news, schedule changes, and watch Faith Worship services live. Please be sure to bookmark, like, follow and subscribe.

Parish Facebook private group: <https://bit.ly/3EQBUQv>
OR search "*Faith Lutheran-Mooreton Lutheran Church News*"

Parish Facebook Page for Live Stream Services:
<https://bit.ly/3pH0QUe> OR search "*Faith Mooreton Lutheran Parish*"

Parish YouTube Channel: <https://bit.ly/31L6dd7>
OR search: *Faith Lutheran - Mooreton Lutheran Parish*

Parish Website: flcmlc.org

***Information for the weekly bulletins is due to Tertia by **Wednesday at noon.**

***Information for the November newsletter **must** be in to Tertia by **October 15.**

***If you would prefer to receive the monthly newsletter via email versus a paper copy, please let Tertia know or send an email to:

tertiakyle@yahoo.com

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