

# Dwight - Mooreton Lutheran Parish

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### ANNUAL MEETINGS

#### Mooreton Lutheran

January 26, 2025  
9:00 a.m. Mooreton Worship  
Annual Meeting & Coffee to immediately follow Worship.

#### Faith Lutheran

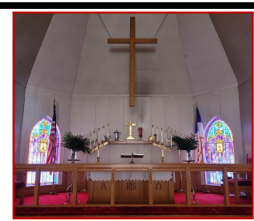
February 9, 2025  
10:30 a.m. Faith Worship  
Potluck Dinner & Annual Meeting to immediately follow Worship.

**Please mark your calendar and plan to attend these important Congregational meetings.**



### Faith Altar Guild

January	Vaughan & Wendy
February	Toviao & Linda
March	Valerie
April	Terry & Colleen



Faith Church Women will not meet in January.



### Confirmation

Confirmation classes will meet at 7:00 p.m. on:  
January 8 Regular Confirmation Class  
January 15 Regular Confirmation Class  
January 22 Confirmation Fun/Service Project Night

### January Ushers

Mooreton - Korey & Aimee Skovholt

Faith Church Council will have a budget meeting on January 7 at 7:00 p.m.



### Mooreton Lutheran 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.

January 5	Karlene Ellingson
January 12	Karen Helgeson
January 19	Gina Skovholt
January 26	Emily Woltjer

February 2	Kristi Ford
February 9	Ruth Johnson
February 16	Aimee Skovholt
February 23	Kari Ward



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\*\*\*Information for the weekly bulletins is due to Tertia by **Wednesday's at noon**.  
\*\*\*Information for the **February** newsletter **must** be in to Tertia by **January 15**.



With the winter season upon us please check the Parish website, Parish Facebook page or Valley News for information about weather related cancellations.





# January



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<b>5 2nd after Christmas - White</b> 9:00 Mooreton Worship 10:00 Mooreton Coffee 10:00 M. Sunday School 9:20 F. Sunday School 10:30 Faith Worship/ Live-Stream	6	7 <b>7:00 p.m.</b> Faith Church Council	8 <b>7:00 p.m.</b> Confirmation	9	10	11
<b>12 Baptism of Our Lord - White</b> 9:00 Mooreton Worship 10:00 Mooreton Coffee 10:00 M. Sunday School 9:20 F. Sunday School 10:30 Faith Worship/ Live-Stream	13	14	15 <b>7:00 p.m.</b> Confirmation <i>NewsLetter DEADLine</i>	16	17	18
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If we missed your birthday, please let Tertia know. She may not have your birthday on file. Thanks!

- January 3 Brad Glarum
- January 3 Dan Biewer
- January 3 Liam Griffin
- January 7 Lyle Ellingson
- January 10 Shelby Pikarski
- January 11 Jackson Alexander
- January 13 Maren Woltjer
- January 14 Harold Ness
- January 22 Adrian Dahm
- January 27 Clarice Jagodzinski
- January 29 Jessica Spurrier

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



Dear Members and Friends of Mooreton Lutheran,

I hope this letter finds you well. We, as church members, have some serious decisions to make. Our current situation is not unique, as many congregations are currently in need of a pastor. The council recently made the decision to hire Pastor Nancy Monke on a short-term, part time basis. Both the call committee and the joint councils have met with her. She is a retired pastor and comes with a good understanding of what we are facing. She will help lead us into the future or guide us through holy closure, but we as members need to take an active part in the process.

She will be here January 5th and 19th and February 16th and 23rd. (She will be with us through May, but specific dates are not yet set). Besides leading worship, she has recommended congregational meetings prior to our service, from 8:00 – 9:00 am. The purpose of those meetings is to get to know us as a congregation, help lead discussions about what our options might be, etc. It is crucial that we, as Mooreton Lutheran members, attend these meetings. There are many aspects to consider and discuss. We need your participation and input to decide the future of our church.

Members of council have worked hard this past year to "fill the pulpit" to provide Sunday worship services this past year. Currently the plan, at least through spring, is to continue to find someone to lead worship on Sundays when Pastor Nancy is not with us.

If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to a council member.

Respectfully,

Mooreton Lutheran Church Council

## How Faithful Is Our God

*"Know therefore that the LORD thy God, He is God, the faithful God" (Deuteronomy 7:9)*

*"God is faithful by Whom you were called unto the fellowship of His Son Jesus Christ our Lord" (1 Corinthians 1:9).*

When our days are the very best that they could be, we need to remember God is faithful.

When our days are the very worst that they could be, we need to remember God is faithful.

When our hearts are filled with praise, we need to remember God is faithful.

When our hearts are filled with pain, we need to remember God is faithful.

When everything around us seems to be in upheaval, we need to remember God is faithful.

When we are at our lowest, our most frightened, our most desperate, find again the strength and encouragement of remembering that God is faithful. He is trustworthy. He stands firm and is just what we need in every circumstance of life.

Please remember this wonderful truth: God is faithful!

*-Michael Peck*

IF WORDS  
HAVE POWER,  
IMAGINE A  
Prayer.

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