



# January 2026

## Campus Locations:

### Grace Lutheran

PO Box 7

Brandon, MN 56315

[www.gracethroughfaithministries.com](http://www.gracethroughfaithministries.com)

### Faith Lutheran

526 State Street

Evansville, MN 56326

[www.gracethroughfaithministries.com](http://www.gracethroughfaithministries.com)

## Pastor

Pastor Bradley Pearson

Hours:

9 am to noon Mon/Tues/Thurs - Faith

Noon - 2 pm Mon/Thurs - Grace

9 am to 2 pm Wed - Grace

Phone: 320-834-5179

Email: [pastorbrad@gctel.net](mailto:pastorbrad@gctel.net)

## Office-Grace

Kelli Wendel

Hours: 8:30 am - 4 pm T-TH

Phone: 320-524-2262

Email: [grace@gctel.com](mailto:grace@gctel.com)

## Office-Faith

Hours: Contact Pastor Brad

Phone: 218-948-2574

Email: [faithlc@gctel.com](mailto:faithlc@gctel.com)

## Parish Council President

Lon Burgess

Phone: 320-266-8407

## Grace Council President

Steffen Morical

Phone: 320-808-5828

## Faith Council President

Bob Anderson

Phone: 701-260-4302

# Worship Schedule



## Worship Times

9 am - Grace      11 am - Faith

Worship online when you can't make it in person.  
Visit

[www.gracethroughfaithministries.com](http://www.gracethroughfaithministries.com)

and click on the LIVE STREAM button to watch.

Those without computer/internet access can watch at 8 am daily on Gardonville TV Channel 4 and Selective TV 21.4



**Sunday, January 18**  
**Faith**

**Sunday, January 25**  
**Grace**

Following Worship.  
Please plan to participate.  
Our ministry is stronger with  
everyone working together!

*Annual Reports will be in Grace mailboxes on 1/11*



Please submit your report  
information to the office on or  
before 8 am, January 8.

**Thank you!!**

You are encouraged to  
routinely check the  
parish web & Facebook  
pages to keep up to  
date on any changes  
with worship schedules  
and activities.

# "STEP" INTO THE NEW YEAR

Make this craft to remember God's many blessings.



## What you need:

- Small stones
- Permanent markers
- Foil pan and cooking spray
- Drop cloth
- Gloves
- Quick-set concrete (and adult help)
- Bucket and paint stirrer

## What you do:

1. After reflecting on the past year, use markers to decorate stones with memorable words, dates and drawings.
2. Spray pan with cooking spray. Set pan outside on a drop cloth.
3. Wearing gloves, mix concrete in a bucket, according to instructions.
4. Pour concrete into pan. Smooth top with paint stirrer.
5. Press in stones, handprints and other decorations.
6. Let dry completely. Remove from pan.
7. Place the stepping-stone outside as a reminder of God's continued goodness.

## Weather Cancellations



The Councils of Grace and Faith will be monitoring winter weather Saturday evenings and Sunday mornings. If there are concerns about snow, ice and cold temperatures, they'll decide whether or not to cancel worship.

Watch our Facebook page or check Voice of Alexandria Cancellations & Delays and KXRA/KXRZ Radio Stations for updates.



**Grace Lutheran Church  
Faith Lutheran Church**  
10 to 10:30 am  
Age 3 to Grade 4



## Join us Wednesdays!

### Confirmation

Gr. 5/6/7 - 5:45 to 6:30 pm  
Gr. 8/9 - 6:45 to 7:30 pm  
Grace

Come join the fun! Invite a friend - All are welcome!

**Confirmation Requirements:** Students will take turns serving as acolytes, readers, ushers and various service projects during the year. **Worship attendance is also a requirement of confirmation.**

# What's Happening in Sunday School at Grace:

If you have kids Age 3 to Grade 4, please make an effort to have them take part in Sunday School!

The lesson begins in worship as part of the "Word with the Children" with Pastor Brad. Following worship, kids move downstairs where we break into age groups (Pre-Gr. 2, Gr. 3-4) to explore the message further with song, activities and discussion.

The 4th Sunday of each month is "Kids Run Church" where the kids will help greet, usher and read. Following worship, everyone will gather for a special intergenerational Sunday School activity. **Please join us!**

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Theme</u>                      | <u>Teachers</u> |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1/4         | No Sunday School                  |                 |
| 1/11        | Matthew 3:13-17<br>Jesus' Baptism |                 |
| 1/18        | John 1:29-42<br>Lamb of God       |                 |
| 1/25        | Intergenerational                 |                 |

Infomercials.

From health and beauty, to cookware, cleaning supplies and garden hoses – it's all too good to be true.

Skeptical, not at all interested, it's the enthusiastic, overly happy spokespeople I find entertaining. I don't budge hearing the testimonials or, "This is a special TV offer, so you MUST act now".

Years ago, I caved in and bought something. It was smaller, cheaper looking than shown on TV and didn't work. Feeling foolish, I tried to sell it at a garage sale. No one bought it; I threw it away.

Too good to be true. How's this? Speaking to the shepherds the night of Jesus' birth, the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all people".

Good news, great joy, all people – a lot of responsibility lying in a feeding trough with a baby. The angel, being the "happy spokesperson", had the expectation the shepherds would leave their sheep and go into Bethlehem.

Skeptical? Yes, but they went. Having met God-in-flesh, they returned to their fields glorifying, praising and becoming the first of many storytellers for what they heard and saw.

Two thousand plus years have passed. I wonder how disappointed the shepherds would be knowing we haven't always been good news or great joy.

Given the divisions among us; the hostilities between religions; our refusal to listen to and talk with each other; our readiness to judge and criticize; is it possible to offer all people something that isn't too good to be true?

I say YES!

It begins with a choice – one that "must" be made every day.

A choice to be generous with news that's good, joy that's great, shared with everyone with whom God brings into our life. Why? Jesus was never selective, choosy or discriminatory.

If we work together, we can easily become Jesus' happy spokespeople! This is something I'll buy into.

Happy New Year!  
See you in Worship.

+ Pastor Brad

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### **Pastoral Care**

If you, a family member or friend of yours is sick, hospitalized, having or going to be having surgery or have any other concerns needing pastoral care – please call the Church Office: Faith at 218-948-2574 or Grace at 320-524-2262 and the Parish Assistant will contact Pr. Bradley. After hours, Pastor can be reached at the parsonage 320-834-5179.



## Faith Lutheran Council Meeting Minutes

Sunday, December 14, 2025

Members Present: Doug Alvstad, LeAnn Strand, Warren Erickson, Bob Anderson, Angie Baker

Guest Members: Pastor Bradley Pearson and Candi Steer

Council started the meeting with Thanksgivings.

The meeting was called to order by Co-President Doug Alvstad. LeAnn moved to approve the agenda; Bob seconded. Motion carried.

Warren moved to approve last month's Minutes; LeAnn seconded. Motion carried.

### Treasurer Report:

•Discussed needing one more person to help with the 2025 Audit before the Annual Meeting. A couple of suggestions will be contacted.

•Discussed that the purple praise books are in rough shape and looking at replacing them.

•Bob made a motion to transfer \$1500 to Noisy Offering from Lenten/Easter Offering effective December 14, 2025 to help with the round up of \$200 or \$250 per month; LeAnn seconded. Motion carried.

•Bob made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report; Warren seconded. Motion carried.

•Angie motioned to raise custodian pay to \$565 per month; LeAnn seconded. Motion carried.

•Bob made a motion to remove Luther Crest and Knute Nelson pledges effective January 1, 2026; Angie seconded. Motion carried.

•Warren motioned to accept the Financials of the 2026 Budget with the amendments; Bob seconded. Motion carried.

### Pastoral Report:

•Discussed Sunday fellowship hour. More discussion at another meeting.

•Epiphany Breakfast will be mid-January.

•Undecorating of the church is Sunday, January 4, 2026 after worship.

### Old Business:

•Air Conditioning - Ellingson's looked at the system; parts have been ordered to make the heat pump work the way it should.

•Council Position - Pastor will be talking to a Nominating Committee member to see if people will be interested in being on the council.

### New Business:

•Annual Meeting is January 18, 2026. Annual Reports for the meeting will be due by Wednesday, January 7, 2026.

•January Noisy Offering - LeAnn made a motion to designate January Noisy Offering to Love Inc., Bob seconded. Motion carried.

**Next Meeting Date:** January 11, 12 pm

Pastor Brad closed the meeting with a prayer.

Meeting was adjourned by Co-President Doug Alvstad

Respectfully submitted: Angie Baker

### Fund Balances as of 11/30/25:

|                   |              |
|-------------------|--------------|
| General Fund      | \$102,670.10 |
| Building Fund     | \$651.53     |
| Christian Ed Fund | \$4,518.63   |
| Benevolence Fund  | \$4,737.46   |
| Service Min. Fund | \$13,745.69  |
| Scholarship Fund  | \$5,167.72   |



As of 11/30/2025

General Fund Giving: \$143,495.91

General Fund Expenses: \$116,910.35



BIBLE STUDIES/PRAYER & SHARE

### **Prayer & Share:**

**Thursdays**  
9:30 am

Faith Lutheran  
Fellowship Hall

### **Bible Studies:**

**Mondays**

7:00 pm

**Tuesdays**

Men's: 6:30 am

Women's: 9:00 am

Prayer and Share is an informal gathering of Faith members to visit, share concerns and pray. This group is open to everyone (men and women). Come for coffee, conversation and end with prayer for people within the congregation and community.

### Epiphany Breakfast at Faith

Everyone is invited for a "Light" breakfast on Monday, January 12, 10 am in Faith's Fellowship Hall. Come, learn about the Magi, Light and the meaning of epiphanies.

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### Faith's Undecorating

Immediately after worship on Sunday, January 4, we'll take down the Christmas decorations throughout the church. Help is needed. Thank You!

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### Faith's Annual Meeting & Potluck

After worship, Sunday, January 18, we'll enjoy a simple potluck followed by our Annual Meeting. Please join us in giving thanks for 2025 and plan, discern for 2026. Thank You!

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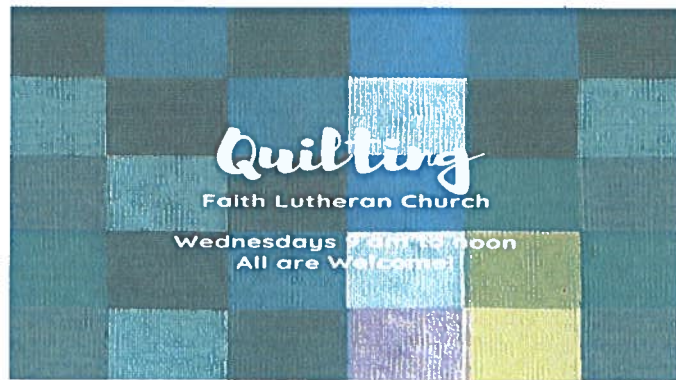
### Monday Evening Bible Study

Bible Study resumes 7 pm, January 12, in Faith's Fellowship Hall. Everyone welcome!



### **Faith on a Mission Indoor Yard Sale**

**2026 Indoor Yard Sale** will be in March. Please keep us in mind as you're doing your Fall and early Spring cleaning. For more information, talk with Candi Steer. Thank You!



The food pantry comes to Evansville the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month from 11:30 am to 1 pm at the Evansville City Hall.

#### **How Can I Help?**

- Volunteers are needed to help people register, shop, carry groceries etc. Please contact either Diana at City Hall or Deb Erickson to volunteer.
- The pantry will accept donations of non-perishable food or garden produce. If you have something to donate, please bring it the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month while the mobile unit is in town.
- Pass the word on to anyone that might need these services and let them know this help is available.

Any further questions? Contact city hall or one of the volunteers.

### **January 2026 Faith Worship Assistants**

|                      | January 4<br>11 AM -Faith<br>Communion | January 11<br>11 AM -Faith | January 18<br>11 AM - Faith<br>Annual Meeting | January 25<br>11 am - Faith<br>Communion |
|----------------------|--|----------------------------|---|--|
| Sound/Video          | Heidi Johnson                          | Brad Anderson              | Larry Carlson                                 | Heidi Johnson                            |
| Reader               | Candi Steer                            | Rita Loftness              | Angie Baker                                   | Brad Anderson                            |
| Ushers               | Brad Anderson                          | Roger Bukkila              | Elise LeMay Family                            | Dennis Anderson                          |
| Communion<br>Servers | Mary Johnson                           |                            |   | Sharon Denardo                           |



## Grace Lutheran Church Minutes - 12/10/25

Grace Members Present: Don Bakken, Tom Behlke, Steffen Morical, Erin Okerlund, Tina Pikkaraine, Clem Roers, & Brenda Trisko  
Guests Present: Pastor Bradley Pearson, Kelli Wendel



Erin called the meeting to order.  
Clem motioned to approve the agenda. Tina 2nd. Approved.

**VISITOR REPORTS:** None

**PASTORAL REPORT:** Brought up whether or not we want to consider banking options now that there are two banks in town. Discussion took place. Will see how things are going and, if needed, discuss options in the new year.

**SECRETARY'S REPORT:** Don motioned to approve minutes of 11/12 and 11/19 meetings as presented. Brenda 2nd. Approved.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:** Brenda presented financials. We continue to be on target to meet our budget for the year. Tom motioned to approve. Tina 2nd. Approved.

### OLD BUSINESS:

•Mold in Pre-school Sunday School Room: Tom met with Kent Hintermeister and they discussed options. Kent is willing to do the project and will start demolition portion if we wish to move forward. Will get a quote for the repair. Don motioned to approve moving forward with demolition; Tina 2nd. Approved.

•MN Paid Family Leave: Kelli has updated budgets, set up account with the state and notified employees, as well as given information to Candi so she can get Faith taken care of. Received notification from state about next steps, but we are on target to meet requirements.

### NEW BUSINESS:

•Annual Meeting: January 25. Erin will lead. No new business to discuss. Agenda will include approving budget, update on elevator (Clem) and overview of service areas and being welcoming (Don). All items need to be in to Kelli by the morning of January 8.

•Youth Bank Account: The Grace Luther League account has been dormant for several years. Kelli is recommending that we close the account and move the dollars to the Christian Ed fund so that we do not have to manage a separate account. Funds will still be designated for youth. Don motioned to close the Grace Luther League Account and move the funds to Grace's account under Christian Ed; Steffen 2nd. Approved.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS:

DEACON'S REPORT: Service Group booklets are in mailboxes. Remind people to pick them up.

BOARD OF EDUCATION: Working on Christmas program. Practices have gone well.

TRUSTEE'S REPORT: Snow removal text chain to be set up.

Kelli expressed her thanks to outgoing council members (Erin Okerlund, Brenda Trisko and Danielle Anderson) for their leadership and work in serving Grace congregation.

**NEXT MEETING DATE:** Wednesday, January 14 at 8 pm

Clem motioned to adjourn. Steffen 2nd. Closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Submitted by: Kelli Wendel, Parish Assistant



**We extend our  
heartfelt  
sympathy to:**

**The family and friends of Corrine Kruize.** Corrine went home to Jesus November 26 at the age of 85. Her service was held December 1 at Kongsvinger Lutheran Church in Donnelly.

### Grace Giving at a Glance

#### General Fund:

|                    |            |
|--------------------|------------|
| Giving November 23 | \$2,519.00 |
| Giving November 30 | \$1,010.00 |
| Giving December 7  | \$4,750.96 |
| Giving December 14 | \$7,277.00 |
| Giving December 21 | TBD        |
| Giving December 24 | TBD        |
| Giving December 28 | TBD        |

|                       |          |
|-----------------------|----------|
| Coffee                | \$70.00  |
| Building Giving       | \$280.00 |
| Mission Giving        | \$195.00 |
| Noisy Offering        | \$276.00 |
| World Hunger          | \$310.00 |
| Elevator              | \$70.00  |
| Sunday School         | \$272.00 |
| Local Missions (meal) | \$712.00 |
| Plate it Forward      | \$354.00 |
| Youth Cards           | \$3.00   |
| Thrivent Choice       | \$351.00 |

#### **In Memory of Adaline Hanson**

##### Families in Need:

Gaylin & Jane Croonquist

#### **In Memory of Corrine Kruize**

##### Sunday School:

Lois Backlund

Friends & Family of Corrine Kruize

**Weekly General Fund Giving needed  
to meet the budget = \$2,979.00**

#### Fund Balances as of 11/30/25:

|                   |             |
|-------------------|-------------|
| General Fund      | \$70,664.45 |
| Building Fund     | \$43,839.10 |
| Christian Ed Fund | \$26,599.98 |
| Mission Fund      | \$17,233.16 |
| Scholarship Fund  | \$2,538.15  |



CHURCH COUNCIL / FINANCE GRACE

**January's Noisy Offering -  
Lutheran World Relief Global  
Refuge**



LWR was founded by Lutherans in the US at the end of World War II. Grounded in Lutheran theology and building on decades of experience, LWR tackles global poverty by helping people in need - regardless of race, religion or nationality.

LWR provides aid in emergencies and helps families restore their lives. We have seen such destruction from floods, hurricanes, fires and tornadoes recently, but LWR has been in these places to help.

Please help us affirm God's love for all people across the globe by donating to Lutheran World Relief!

**Grace Beyond Our Doors**

**Next Meeting:**

Sunday, January 4  
following worship -  
All are welcome!



**Please join us, we are always looking for new ideas! Come as you are able.**

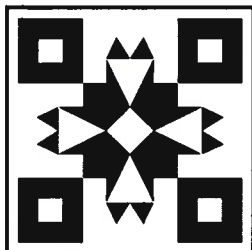
We want to thank the congregation for their generosity in giving to our local mission drive in December.

January: Lutheran World Relief - Pat F.  
February: Churches United Fargo Moorhead Area (see left)  
March: Douglas County Car Care Program - Pat T.

If anyone has suggestions for need within the community, please let any member of GBOD know.

Present: Pat Freese, Annette Helder, Pam Mickelson, Terrill Morical, Jean Nelson, Michelle Olsen, Diane Olson

**Join Us for  
Quilting at Grace  
Thursday,  
January 8, 15, 22 & 29  
9 am**



**Grace Snow Removal Sign Up**

Please sign up as you are able to help.

Please take a look at the sign-up sheet outside the office to see if you can help.

**NEW!** We now have a snowblower to help with larger snow events. If you are signed up for the week, you would be responsible for light snow removal (up to a couple inches) and anything larger, the trustees will arrange to take care of with the snow blower. Hopefully this allows for more people to be able to assist.



**Thank you for  
volunteering!**



*Safe Shelter, Stable Housing, Nutritious Food,  
and a Path Toward Healing*

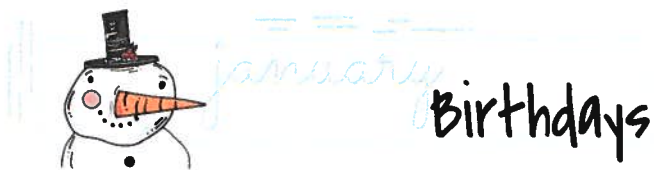
In February our Noisy Offering will be for Churches United which is a homeless ministry for our neighbors in Fargo-Moorhead. In addition to the offering in February, we will be collecting items that are needed for this ministry starting after Christmas.

Here's a partial list of things that they request to serve their clients. All should be new and unopened.

- Men's underwear
- Women's underwear
- Women's sanitary supplies
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Bodywash
- Deodorant
- Combs and hairbrushes
- Kleenex
- Cereal
- Canned meat
- Soups with easy-open tops

There are many more items listed on their website [churches-united.org](http://churches-united.org). We have a Thrivent Action Team card to add to donations from the congregation. The February newsletter will give more information about Churches United. Thanks for your support!

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## Birthdays

### GRACE

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| Bradley Challes    | 1  |
| Kate Hintermeister | 1  |
| Shannon Wendel     | 1  |
| Brandon Borgstrom  | 2  |
| Devin Roers        | 2  |
| Joan Serba         | 3  |
| Kristin Peterson   | 6  |
| Elliott Traphagen  | 7  |
| Kase Bossert       | 9  |
| Erica White        | 9  |
| Myron Larson       | 12 |
| Chelsey Pizel      | 13 |
| Stacey Bettermann  | 16 |
| Kelly Lund         | 17 |
| Ian Michaelson     | 18 |
| Roland Anderson    | 22 |
| Thatcher Anderson  | 23 |
| Ivy Jesnowski      | 25 |
| Devin Rusch        | 25 |
| Jayce Rusch        | 25 |
| Aaron Gillespie    | 27 |
| Anna Kotten        | 28 |
| Lorraine Reynolds  | 29 |
| Erika Traphagen    | 29 |
| Kodee Jesnowski    | 30 |
| Allison Stromberg  | 30 |
| Jennifer Torrell   | 30 |

### Faith

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| Wayne Elmer      | 1  |
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| Steven Bock      | 2  |
| Kathy Holtberg   | 2  |
| Michael Neumann  | 2  |
| Beverly Olson    | 2  |
| DeeLores Wahlin  | 4  |
| Elaine Kronberg  | 9  |
| Greg Erickson    | 13 |
| Caryn Jacobson   | 13 |
| Marcia Beneke    | 14 |
| Julie Carlson    | 18 |
| Heather Henneman | 18 |
| David Ostergaard | 18 |
| Ginny Nelson     | 19 |
| Doreen Hanson    | 20 |
| Douglas Alvstad  | 22 |
| Debra Stich      | 25 |
| Brady Perleberg  | 27 |
| Brianna Olson    | 29 |

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## Calling all Thrivent Clients with Membership!

Did you know you have a suite of Thrivent membership benefits at your fingertips that make generosity easy?

There are a variety of ministries that can be enhanced with Thrivent Action Teams and/or Thrivent Choice dollars.

If you are a Thrivent Member and are eligible for one or both of these benefits, we would like to know - please give the church office a call and we can give some ideas on how you can strengthen our ministries through these programs.

**Thrivent Choice Dollars need to be directed by the end of March.** These dollars have been a big help in the past. If you are not sure how to do this, please let us know and we can walk you through the process.



If you are heading south for the winter, please let the office know your mailing address for the time you are gone & the date you are leaving.

This will ensure that we can keep in contact with you and save on returned mailings. **THANKS!**

## January 2026 Grace Worship Assistants

|                       | January 4<br>9 am<br>Communion    | January 11<br>9 am                            | January 18<br>9 am | January 25<br>9 am<br>Communion - Annual Meeting |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------|--|
| Acolyte               | Violet Pikkaraine                 | Grayson Elmer                                 | Ryder Santjer      | Paige Schaffran                                  |
| Reader                | Kathy Boeddeker                   | Don Bakken                                    | Paige Schaffran    | Kids Run Church                                  |
| Ushers                | Kathy Boeddeker<br>Wirtjes Family | Eric & DeAnn Satterlie<br>Clem & Kristi Roers | Cheryl Lund Family | Kids Run Church                                  |
| Communion Servers     | Jan Paige<br>DeAnn Satterlie      |   |                    | Kids Run Church                                  |
| Coffee/<br>Fellowship | Jan Paige<br>DeAnn Satterlie      | Eric & DeAnn Satterlie<br>Clem & Kristi Roers | Deb VanAlphen      | Skip & Erin Okerlund                             |
| Musicians             | Annette Helder<br>Tom Helder      | Rebecca Heyn<br>Heyn Family                   | Joyce Engel        | Marcus Decker                                    |

**Altar Guild - Kathy Boeddeker & Pat Freese**



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| Sun  | Mon   | Tue   | Wed  | Thu   | Fri | Sat  |
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| <p>9 am Worship—Grace Communion</p> <p>10 am Grace Beyond Our Doors</p> <p>10 am—Sunday School</p> <p>11 am Worship—Faith</p>                                    |   |   |  | <p>1<br/>Happy New Year's<br/>Offices Closed</p>  | 2   | 3  |
| <p>4</p> <p>9 am Worship—Grace Communion</p> <p>10 am Grace Beyond Our Doors</p> <p>10 am—Sunday School</p> <p>11 am Worship—Faith</p>                           | <p>5</p> <p>4-7 pm Piano Lessons—Grace</p>  | <p>6</p> <p>6:30 am Men's Study—Faith</p> <p>9 am Women's Bible Study</p> <p>10:30 am Pastor at Evansville Care Campus</p> <p>1:30 pm Pastor at Evansville Assisted Living</p>  | <p>7</p> <p>9 am Quilting—Faith</p> <p>5:45 pm Confirmation (Gr. 5/6/7)</p> <p>6:45 pm Confirmation (Gr. 8 &amp; 9)</p>                            | <p>8</p> <p><b>ANNUAL REPORT ITEMS DUE</b></p> <p>9 am Quilting—Grace</p> <p>9:30 am Prayer &amp; Share—Faith</p> <p>1 pm Pastor at Brandon Assisted Living</p> <p>4-7 pm Piano Lessons—Grace</p> | 9   | <p>10</p> <p>9 am—2 pm<br/>Grace Fellowship Hall<br/>Reserved—Sandra<br/>Hamborg Baby Shower</p> |
| <p>11</p> <p>9 am Worship—Grace</p> <p>10 am—Sunday School</p> <p>11 am Worship—Faith</p> <p>12 pm Faith Council</p> <p>4 pm 4-H—Grace</p>                       | <p>12</p> <p>10 am Epiphany Breakfast—Faith</p> <p>4-7 pm Piano Lessons—Grace</p> <p>7 pm Bible Study—Faith</p> | <p>13</p> <p>6:30 am Men's Study—Faith</p> <p>9 am Women's Bible Study—Faith</p> <p>9:30 am Bible Study—Grace</p> <p>1:30 pm Pastor at Evansville Assisted Living</p>           | <p>14</p> <p>9 am Quilting—Faith</p> <p>5:45 pm Confirmation (Gr. 5/6/7)</p> <p>6:45 pm Confirmation (Gr. 8 &amp; 9)</p> <p>8 pm Grace Council</p> | <p>15</p> <p>9 am Quilting—Grace</p> <p>9:30 am Prayer &amp; Share—Faith</p> <p>1 pm Pastor at Brandon Assisted Living</p> <p>4-7 pm Piano Lessons—Grace</p>                                      | 16  | 17   |
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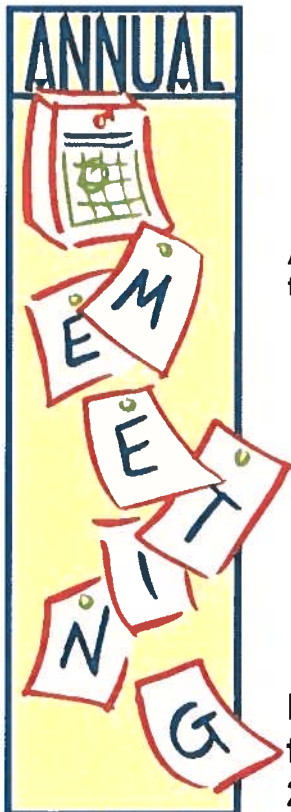
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## FAITH

**Sunday, January 18**  
**Following Worship**

After worship, we'll enjoy a simple potluck followed by our Annual Meeting.

## GRACE

**Sunday, January 25**  
**Following Worship**

Annual Reports will be in Grace mailboxes on January 11

Please join us in giving thanks for 2025 and plan, discern for 2026. Thank You!



### JOIN US FOR BIBLE STUDY

If one of your New Year's resolutions is to spend more time in God's Word, consider taking part in one of these Bible Studies with Pastor Brad:

**Mondays:**

7 pm at Faith

**2nd & 4th Tuesdays:**

9:30 am at Grace

All are Welcome!