



**FAITH**  
Lutheran Church

# Faith News

October 2, 2016



Rev. Mark Neumann

## This Week at Faith

**Today - LWML Sunday**

**Mite Box Sunday**

Worship Services, 8 & 10:30 am

Sunday School, 9:15 am

**Monday**

Boy Scouts, 6:30 pm

Rejoice Bible Study, 7 pm

**Tuesday**

Cub Scouts, 6 pm

Trustee Meeting, 7 pm

**Wednesday**

Dinner, 5:30 pm

6th Grade Class, 5:45 pm

Bible Study (all ages), 6:30 pm

**Thursday**

Mary Martha, 10am

Newsletter Article Deadline, noon

Team One Choir Practice, 6 pm

Last Sunday's Attendance: 184

Last Sunday's Offering: \$6681

## Those Serving Today

**Elder**

8:00 - Erik Clark, Scott Cryer

10:30 - Andrew Merritt

**Ushers** - Women of Faith

**Reader**

8:00 - Beverly Jennings

10:30 - Deb Lutz

**Greeters** - Women of Faith

**Acolyte**

8:00 -

10:30 - Michael Buller

**Accompanist** - Kathy Childers

**Sound Booth**

8:00 - Bob Haan

10:30 - Matt Doering

**Powerpoint** - Kathryn Buller



Altar flowers are given by  
**Erik and Lori Clark**  
giving thanks for their  
15<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

## Mark's Thoughts

### Some Things Do Last!

We have all had occasion to lament that in the arena of goods (refrigerators, microwaves, things of that ilk) things just don't seem to last as long anymore. That may merely be a function of time and how we view it as we age I can't be sure. Some things do last. My father has a refrigerator in his basement that must be at least 35 years old.

As we turn the calendar to October and fast forward to the end of the month I realized that on October 31st we will observe the 499th anniversary of Martin Luther posting his 95 Theses for debate on the door of the Castle Church.

It marked the beginning of the Protestant Reformation. The doctrinal emphases of which have endured nearly 500 years especially in the church which bears his name (something I would guess he wouldn't have cared for)

Some things—especially those based on God's enduring word do last.



## Church Elders

Have questions, concerns or want to speak to someone? Contact an Elder. Elders are assigned to families based on the first letter of your last name.

A,B	Kevin Casper, 918-899-1582
C,D	Andrew Merritt, 918-606-3536
E,F,G	Jon Heaps, 918-271-2493
H,I	Erik Clark, 918-287-8036
J,K	Sean Cryer, 918-212-6414
L,M	Ben Dresher, 918-857-1114
N,O,P	Scott Newbrough, 405-205-4810
Q,R,S	Philip Hixon, 918-760-3513
T-Z	Matt Clifton, 918-288-6221

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### Lutheran Women's Missionary League

Today we celebrate all God has done through the LWML. The LWML wants all women to find joy in Bible study, mite giving, mission service & reach the lost & hurting for Christ.

### MITE Box Sunday Today, October 2

Mites will be collected today, LWML Sunday. A special 'MITE' offering will also be taken today for Oklahoma District mite programs. When you see the cake pan come by, just drop in your coins and hear the Gospel being proclaimed. Visit [www.oklwml.org](http://www.oklwml.org) to read Lutheran Women's Missionary League's news from around the Oklahoma District. Find out what the Oklahoma LWML has been up to!



### Go-Getters

Potluck luncheon on Thursday, October 13, beginning at 11:30am. Come enjoy fun, fellowship and bring your dominoes!

For prayer requests or concerns contact Roseanna Kretschmar at 918-492-8230 or [jlkretzs@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jlkretzs@sbcglobal.net)



### Arms of Grace Annual Banquet October 13

Arms of Grace is a yearly banquet designed to share Pregnancy Resource Center of Owasso's mission of protecting the most vulnerable among us; the unborn child. Each year we are able to share our hearts, celebrate our successes, dream for our future, and honor Christ for the ministry work being done. The annual banquet is PRC's largest fundraising effort, with a goal of ascertaining enough funding to help support the PRC throughout the upcoming year. To purchase tickets visit [www.prcowasso.org](http://www.prcowasso.org) or see either Jon Heaps or Stacie Merritt.

### German Dinner October 16<sup>th</sup>

LWML German Dinner will be Sunday, October 16 at 11:45am in the Great Room of Faith. Tickets on sale now for \$10/adult, \$5/kids 3-10, children under 3 years are free. See a LWML member today for your ticket.

### Birthdays This Week

- 2 - Steve Wilkinson
- 3 - Megan Heiner, Meaghan Thompson
- 4 - John Rutz
- 5 - Ralph Conner, David Little, Marcel Polge, Mike Weiser
- 6 - Judi Lotter
- 7 - Kevin Buller, Melinda Doering



### Building Projects

We several big money projects planned/needed around the church (new HVAC unit, security and fire suppression system repairs, etc.). If you would like to offset the cost of these projects please mark your donation 'Building Project' and place it in the offering plate. Thank you!

### Claremore Redeemer's Annual German Dinner

You are invited to a German Dinner at Redeemer Lutheran in Claremore. Join us Friday, Oct. 7, for lunch 11-1 and/or dinner, 5-7. Adults \$12; under 12-\$6. Take out & call-ins 918-341-1429.



Cook-Off

October 9<sup>th</sup> following the 10:30 worship service.

Enter your prize winning BBQ!

Sign-up at the Youth Table or on the Youth Activity Board.

Hosted by Faith Lutheran Youth

### Mary Martha

Will next Thursday October 6, at 10 in the Library.

### Concordia Seminary

Have you ever considered becoming a pastor or deaconess? If so, call 314-505-7225 or email [redekerm@csl.edu](mailto:redekerm@csl.edu)



High School Group Leader needed for Wednesday Nights. Contact Chris Joly if you are willing to help.



Saturday, October 22, 9am-noon

Projects for all ages!

We have many projects for all ages to help spruce up the church building and property. Any amount of time you can help on Saturday, Oct. 22, is appreciated! No matter your age, we have a job for you! Help us keep God's house beautiful. Many hands make light work!

### Cell Phone Collection Discontinued

We will no longer be collecting old cell phones here locally as a LWML mission project. We will continue to collect empty ink cartridges. They are to be put in the green and white box by the window in the workroom across the hall from the kitchen.

### FLY 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday - October 9

Faith Lutheran Youth will have a Bonfire at the Pasco's with s'mores and fellowship following the BBQ Cookoff.

**What:** Oklahoma & Kansas District Youth Gathering

**When:** November 18-20

**Where:** Hyatt Regency in Wichita, KS

**Theme:** HERO. Greater. Better. True.

**Who Can Attend:** Youth in grades 9-12

**Sign Up Deadline:** October 30

**Cost:** \$125 (scholarships available) + money for lunches

**Chaperones Needed!**

Sign up on the Youth Board or see a Youth Board Member



For the latest happenings at Faith, check out the **EVENT CALENDAR** at [faithlutheranowasso.org](http://faithlutheranowasso.org)  
Miss a Sunday? You can now view worship services online at <http://ustre.am/zh4e>

