



Faith Global Methodist Church

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8:00 AM

Worship Leader- Mike Kochasic

Pianist- Alyssa Wells

Hymn Leader- Bud Robinson

Acolyte- Lily DeCarlo

Greeter- Gayle & Mike Kochasic

10:30 AM

Worship Leader – Bev Fensch

Pianist- Holly Kwaczala

Hymn Leader- Bud Robinson

Acolyte- Nick Popovich & Jane

Teslevich

Greeter- Carol Fabrizi

Reformation Sunday October 26, 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*indicates the congregation may stand.

PRELUDE 8:00

"I Know that My Redeemer Lives"

Written by Samuel Medley Arranged by Eric Pratt

*CALL TO WORSHIP

(Based on Psalm 65)

Leader: Praise is due to you, O God, in Zion, and to you shall vows be performed,

People: O you who answer pray! To you all flesh shall come.

Leader: When deeds of iniquity overwhelm us, you forgive our transgressions.

People: Happy are those whom you choose and bring near to live in your courts. We shall be satisfied with the goodness of your house, your holy temple.

*OPENING HYMN

"A Mighty Fortress is Our God"

(OGRP Hymnal) # 35

*(1) A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing;
our Helper He amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing.*

*For still our ancient foe doth seek to work us woe;
his craft and pow'r are great, and armed with cruel hate,
on earth is not his equal.*

*(2) Did we in our own strength confide, our striving would be losing,
were not the right man on our side, the man of God's own choosing.
Dost ask who that may be? Christ Jesus, it is He; Lord Sabaoth, His name,
from age to age the same, and He must win the battle.*

*(3) And though this world, with devils filled, should threaten to undo us,
we will not fear, for God hath willed his truth to triumph through us.
The Prince of Darkness grim, we tremble not for him; his rage we can endure,
for lo, his doom is sure; one little word shall fell him.*

(4) That word above all earthly pow'rs, no thanks to them, abideth;

*the Spirit and the gifts are ours, through Him who with us sideth.
Let goods and kindred go, this mortal life also;
the body they may kill; God's truth abideth still; His kingdom is forever.*

OPENING PRAYER (In Unison)

God of power and might, you show us the wisdom of humility, reveal the healing you have in store, and bless us in our working and planting. Release your Word within us, that we may live brimming with gratitude for the full, abundant life Christ gives to all. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

(NRSV) Pg. 213

Leader: This is the Word of God! For the people of God!

People: Thanks be to God!

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

8:00 Service

"King of Kings"

Jonathan & Megan Hanover

CHOIR ANTHEM

10:30 Service

"King of Kings"

Arranged by Nick Robertson

*** DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

(OGRP Hymnal) No. 682

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

***PRESENTATION OF GIFTS**

(Offering plates will NOT be passed)

***OFFERTORY PRAYER (In Unison)**

Holy God, we offer our gifts and recognize how much we need your grace and mercy. Help us not to be proud of our own goodness, but to place our trust fully in the salvation that you freely offer to all. May our offerings reflect our humility and gratitude for all blessings in life. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

"The Church's One Foundation"

(OGRP Hymnal) 646

*1. The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ her Lord;
she is His new creation, by water and the word;
from heav'n He came and sought her to be His holy bride;
with His own blood He bought her, and for her life He died.*

*2. She is from ev'ry nation, yet one o'er all the earth,
her charter of salvation, one Lord, one faith, one birth;
one holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food,
and to one hope she presses, with ev'ry grace endued.*

3. The church shall never perish! Her dear Lord, to defend,

*to guide, sustain, and cherish, is with her to the end;
though there be those who hate her, and false sons in her pale,
against both foe and traitor she ever shall prevail.*

*4. Though with a scornful wonder we see her sore oppressed,
by schisms rent asunder, by heresies distressed;
yet saints their watch are keeping, their cry goes up, "How Long?"
And soon the night of weeping shall be the morn of song!*

*5. Mid toil and tribulation and tumult of her war,
she waits the consummation of peace for evermore;
till with the vision glorious her longing eyes are blest,
and the great church victorious shall be the church at rest!*

*6. Yet she on earth hath union with God, the Three in One,
and mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won;
O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we,
like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with Thee.*

INTRODUCTION TO THE MESSAGE

MESSAGE LESSON

1 Peter 2:9-10

(NRSV) Pg. 237

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

MESSAGE

Church

(Who We Are series)

*RESPONSE TO THE WORD

The APOSTLES' CREED (In Unison)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

Glory Be to the Father

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

*CLOSING HYMN

"Standing on the Promises"

(OGRP Hymnal) #434

(1) Standing on the promises of Christ, my King!
Through eternal ages let His praises ring.
"Glory in the highest!" I will shout and sing,
standing on the promises of God.

Refrain *Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God, my Savior;
standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.*

*(2) Standing on the promises that cannot fail!
When the howling storms of doubt and fear assail,
by the living Word of God I shall prevail,
standing on the promises of God.*

Refrain *Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God, my Savior;
standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.*

*(3) Standing on the promises, I now can see
perfect, present cleansing in the blood for me;
standing in the liberty where Christ makes free,
standing on the promises of God.*

Refrain *Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God, my Savior;
standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.*

*(4) Standing on the promises of Christ, the Lord,
bound to Him eternally by love's strong cord,
overcoming daily with the Spirit's sword,
standing on the promises of God.*

Refrain *Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God, my Savior;
standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.*

*(5) Standing on the promises, I cannot fall,
List'ning ev'ry moment to the Spirit's call,
resting in my Savior as my all in all,
standing on the promises of God.*

Refrain *Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God, my Savior;
standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.*

***BENEDICTION**

Pastor: To him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you before his glorious presence without fault and with great joy--

People: to the only God our Savior

Pastor: be glory, majesty, power, and authority

People: through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen.

POSTLUDE

Please stay standing till the Pastor and choir have exited.

****OUR MEMBER TO REMEMBER** today is Sharon Bronson. Please take a few moments to sign the greeting card on the Action Table to wish her God's blessings. **

Prayer List – Faith GMC

(Any requests received after bulletin completion will still be passed on to the Prayer Chain but will be listed in next week's bulletin.)

Prayer request to mention week of October 19th

1. Harry Loughner still in the hospital
2. Ron Weaver in the hospital with low blood pressure
3. Ada Kalmar- 1 ½ year old granddaughter or Paula and Chris Kalmar has pneumonia
4. Family Troubles
5. Toni Buttimyer- severe pinched nerves in her back and legs
6. Callie- 8 month old granddaughter of Shirleen & Larry Johnston- admitted to Children's Hospital with a staph infection

Prayer request to mention week of October 12th

1. Jack- recently diagnosed with prostate cancer
2. Diane Ficek- Hospitalized with severe pancreatitis and pain
3. Betty- brain bleed and stroke
4. Martin Lashen- Needs a new place to live
5. Bryant Smith Family
6. Christian Sympathies- Riley West Family- Riley, 17 years old, died in a car accident
7. Irene Hanna- speedy recovery

Continued prayers for:

Dick & Natalie Berlin, Dick & Pat Bush, Nick Coppage, Joan Nellis, The White Family, Michael Scoletti, Bill & Mary Weyel, Julie Kovacs, Joey Kasunic, Shirley Fabrizi, Stephanie Taczak, Fred Roach, Bob & Mary Zacharias, Straw Soffronoff, Beth Tyson, Pam Scalf, Jack & Emogene Blair, Martha, Karen, Jean Loughry, John Womer, Linda, Dennis & Gerrilynn Butterfield, Louise Gladkowski, Tracey Albert, Harry Loughner, Judy Magill, Jeff Retter, Beth Muri, Karen Klancia, Alice Burkhart, Ken Thom, Sharon Bronson, John & Polly Negich, Theresa Elvin, April

OPPORTUNITIES IN THE KINGDOM

Sunday, Oct. 26th	8:00 AM	20 th Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	9:00 AM	Coffee Hour and Fellowship Sunday School for all ages
	10:30 AM	20 th Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	4:00 PM	Blessing of the Pets in the Parking Lot
Monday, Oct. 27th	7:00 PM	Bible Study
Tuesday, Oct. 28th	6:30 PM	Men's Group
Wednesday, Oct. 29th	7:00 PM	Choir Practice
Thursday, Oct. 30th		
Friday, Oct. 31st		
Saturday, Nov. 1st	All Day	Fellowship Hall rented
Sunday, Nov. 2nd	8:00 AM	21 st Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service
	9:00 AM	Coffee Hour and Fellowship Sunday School for all ages
	10:30 AM	21 st Sunday after Pentecost Worship Service All Saints Recognition

FGMC ANNOUNCEMENTS 10.26.25

All Saints Recognition- If you have a loved one or friend, that is not a member of Faith, that passed in 2025 and would like them to be mentioned on All Saints Sunday, November 2nd please let the office know by Friday, October 31st.

PASTOR APPRECIATION LUNCHEON... Sunday, November 9, 2025 11:45 am To show our appreciation to Pastor Jonathan and the Hanover family, we are holding a potluck luncheon. Bring your favorite dish to share and join us for a time of fellowship and celebration. We are suggesting A-G Bring a cold side dish or salad, H-N a main dish or casserole, O-S a dessert T-Z a hot side dish. We will have an open mic to share a brief word of encouragement, a funny story, a praise report or any moment that shows your appreciation. There is a sign up sheet on the action table so that we can properly prepare for table set up and drinks.

PUMPKIN CREAM CHEESE ROLLS. Order forms for the Tabitha Circle's famous pumpkin cream cheese rolls are available on the Action Table.

*The Assembly of Bishops of the Global Methodist Church have launched a new 8-week video series entitled **Spirit-Filled Methodism**. The 3-minute teachings from our bishops will focus on themes like Spirit-filled holiness, the Spirit's presence in spiritual gifts, and how Spirit-led disciples live and grow in faith -- all within the lens of our Wesleyan heritage. You can find a new message each week on the home page of our Faith GMC website by clicking the "Devotions/Prayers" tab at www.faithdelmont.org or access them directly from the GMC website www.globalmethodist.org.*

Bonnie Kocon is looking to assemble a group of ladies and men who are interested in sewing and crafting. This group will meet Wednesday morning from 10-11 in Fellowship Hall to make small projects to be sold at the Pilgrimage. This will be a great opportunity for fellowship. If you are interested, please text Bonnie at 724-584-9049 with your name so she can get an idea of how many to expect. Bonnie will be providing the bulk of the fabric for the projects.

Veterans Day Celebration, Tuesday November 11, 2025 at 6:00 PM at the memorial outside the Delmont Borough Building. All veterans and community members are welcome.

PRAYER MINISTRY AT FAITH: Join us on the 1st Saturday of each month from 9:30-10:30 AM in the room off the gathering area. If you feel called to intercessory prayer or if you need prayer, please come. If you have any questions, please contact Carrie at 412-334-0920 or carriebortz@yahoo.com Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Jesus Christ. 1Thes.5:16-1

Receive the Faith Flyer newsletter in your mail. If you are new to our church and would like to receive the monthly Faith Flyer newsletter, reach out to the office so we can get your address in our system.

OUTREACH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tabitha Circle is accepting donations of items to sell at the Pilgrimage. All funds raised go towards missions.

PACKED OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES SHOULD BE TURNED IN NOW.

WINTER COATS NEEDED...New/or gently worn but clean **winter** coats are being collected now through the end of October. Your coat donations will go to the Delmont Food Pantry and the Export Friends Thrift Shop.

WARM WINTER SOCKS NEEDED...Faith church is collecting warm winter socks that will be handed out at the Friends Thrift Shop coat giveaway on November 8th. Two of the most requested items by the homeless are socks and underwear. Homelessness, unfortunately, covers all ages.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED....On Saturday, November 22 from 9 to 12 Faith Church will be participating in an **AMEN TO ACTION** event to assemble packages of soup at the Community Outreach Center (building next door to the Friends Thrift Shop) in Export. A sign up sheet is on the Action Table if you would like to volunteer for this event.

VOLUNTEER NEEDED FOR THE DELMONT PILGRIMAGE...It's not too early to be thinking about the Delmont Pilgrimage in December and how you can help. Additional details are in the October Faith Flyer.

If you have a talent that you would be willing to share with those who pass through our church during the Pilgrimage, please contact Karen Morris.

OFFER THE GIFT OF SIGHT: A Lions International collection box is in the gathering area for your used glasses, including sunglasses and reading glasses.



*Christ has no body now but yours. No hands, no feet on earth but yours.
Yours are the eyes through which he looks compassion on this world.
Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good.
Yours are the hands through which he blesses all the world.
Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, yours are the eyes, you are his body.
Christ has no body on earth but yours.” Teresa of Avila –*

In-person attendance week ending 10/19/2025 = 156			
Tithes, offerings, and gifts received for the week ending 10/19/2025			
OUR GIVING IS A REFLECTION OF OUR COMMITMENT TO JESUS CHRIST!			
2025 Annual Operating Budget: \$371,285.85			
NEED EACH WEEK	\$ 7,140.11	NEED TO DATE	\$ 299,884.57
RECEIVED 10/19/2025	\$ 8,812.43	RECEIVED TO DATE	\$365,871.95
(-)SHORTAGE/(+)SURPLUS + \$ 65,987.38			
CAMPERSHIP GOAL 7/1/2025-6/30/2026:			\$ 10,000.00
Balance as of September 30, 2025			\$ 9,020.03



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