

THE JOY OF GENEROSITY

He who has received much should also give much. It is essential to give a goodly part of what God has allowed us to accumulate. Otherwise, greed and miserliness will seize our hearts and minds. Furthermore, by not giving generously, we will miss the many joys that generosity brings to us. Let us not cheat ourselves of those blessings.

BIBLE QUIZ

Who said to the prophet Nathan, "I have sinned against the LORD"?

- A. Reuben, for selling Joseph into slavery
- B. Jacob, for deceiving Isaac and stealing his brother's birthright
- C. Rahab, a prostitute
- D. David, considered Israel's greatest king

Answer: D (See 2 Samuel 12:13.)

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR JUNE

Seventh Sunday of Easter, June 1: Psalm 97; Acts 16:16-34; Revelation 22:12-21; John 17:20-26

June 2-7: Psalm 29; Exodus 40:16-38; Acts 16:35-40, 26:19-29; 2 Chronicles 5:2-14; Ezekiel 3:12-21; Luke 1:5-17; Isaiah 32:11-17, 44:1-4; Galatians 5:16-25, 6:7-10; 2 Kings 2:1-15

Pentecost Sunday, June 8: Psalm 104:24-35b; Acts 2:1-21; Genesis 11:1-9; Romans 8:14-17; John 14:8-27

June 9-14: Psalm 48; Joel 2:18-29; 1 Corinthians 2:1-16; Ezekiel 11:14-25; Numbers 24:1-14; Luke 1:26-38, 2:41-52; Proverbs 3:13-26, 4:1-9; Ephesians 1:17-19, 4:1-6

Trinity Sunday, June 15: Psalm 8; Proverbs 8:1-31; Romans 5:1-5; John 16:12-15

June 16-21: Psalm 42, 43, 124; Proverbs 7:1-4, 11:3-13; Ephesians 4:7-16, 5:15-20; Daniel 1:1-21; Luke 1:46b-55; Genesis 24:1-21; Romans 2:17-29; Isaiah 56:9-12, 57:1-13, 59:1-8; Job 6:14-30; Galatians 3:15-22; Matthew 9:27-34

Sunday, June 22: Psalm 22:19-28; Isaiah 65:1-9; Galatians 3:23-29; Luke 8:26-39

June 23-28: Psalm 16, 59, 64; 1 Corinthians 1:18-31; Job 18:1-21, 19:1-22; 2 Corinthians 13:5-10; Ephesians 2:11-22; Luke 9:21-43a; Ezekiel 32:1-10; 1 Kings 22:29-53; 2 Kings 1:1-18, 2:3-5, 9:1-37; Leviticus 9:22-10:11; Galatians 4:8-20; Deuteronomy 32:15-43

Sunday, June 29: Psalm 77:1-20; 1 Kings 19:1-21; Galatians 5:1-25; Luke 9:51-62

June 30: Psalm 75, 140; 2 Kings 2:15-22; 1 John 2:7-11; Genesis 24:34-67

CHURCH CALENDAR

6/2 5:30pm Yount Group Meeting in Assembly Room
 6/6-6/7 2:00pm Friday – 11:00pm Saturday FLC Reserved (Becky Williams)
 6/8 **PENTECOST**
 6/15 **TRINITY SUNDAY**
FATHER'S DAY
 6/20 **FIRST DAY OF SUMMER**
 6/28 FLC Reserved (Laura Peeler)
 6/29 9:30am Church Chat
 12:00pm-4:00pm FLC Reserved (Jeff Mills)

SUNDAYS – 6/1, 6/8, 6/15, 6/22, 6/29

9:00am – Refreshments & Fellowship
 9:30am – Sunday School
 10:30am – Worship

WEDNESDAYS – 6/4, 6/11, 6/18, 6/25

10:00am – Bible Study / Chapel
 6:30pm – Handbells
 7:30pm – Choir Practice



2 – Jimmy Parker
 6 – Missy Harvell
 7 – Matthew Arrowood
 8 – Buddy Barger
 9 – Bryson Ingold
 11 – Karli Ann Peeler
 14 – Edie Barger
 15 – Joan Lingle
 16 – Connie Peacock
 17 – Brandon Smith
 18 – Kenny Fisher
 20 – Ethan Lingle
 25 – Randy Buckwell
 26 – AJ Spinella
 27 – Caleb Barger
 28 – Jane Kirks
 Will Bradshaw

ANNIVERSARIES

3 – Daniel & Rachel Moose
 4 – AJ & Natalie Spinella



WiFFLe

Dates: Every Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday mornings in FLC
Times: 10:00am-11:00am

True North VBS: Trusting Jesus in a Wild World

- **SAVE THESE DATES:** Sunday, July 20th – Thursday, July 24th
- Each day's fun happens from 5:30PM (starting with a meal) to 8:00PM
- True North VBS provides new friends, amazing crafts, creative games, surprising adventures, and incredible music. Jesus is our True North!
- For more information, visit:
faithlutheranfaithnc.com/2025vbs/
- Register your children for the ultimate Alaskan adventure online here:
vbspro.events/p/flc2025vbs



**Please email or call the church office if your birthday/anniversary has been missed.*



FOOD FOR PURCHASE
AT A NOMINAL FEE



LIVE MUSIC



SILENT
AUCTION

Community Block party



KID FRIENDLY
ACTIVITIES



COMMUNITY
AWARDS



MEET YOUR
NEIGHBORS

JUNE 6, 2025 || 6 PM - 9 PM

Save the Date: Community Block Party

Join us for a Community Block Party on Friday, June 6th from 6–9 PM at Main Street Marketplace, 308 S. Main Street, China Grove! Enjoy live music, delicious food, kid-friendly activities, and help us celebrate with community awards and a silent auction.

Bring your friends and family for an evening of fun and connection!

We can't wait to see you there!

SCAN TO VOLUNTEER



Looking for Mountains of Fun?



Get ready to hit the trails for the ultimate Alaskan adventure!

WHERE: Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church

205 S Main St. Faith, NC 28041

WHO: Children Ages Pre-K to High School

WHEN: July 20th - July 24th

5:30pm - 8:00pm

Sing Catchy Songs, Play Team-Building Games, Experience
Surprising Bible Stories, and Create Amazing Crafts!



REGISTER: vbspro.events/p/flc2025vbs

Puzzle!

A FATHER'S INSTRUCTION

Although babies don't come with instructions,
God tells parents how to raise their children.

Directions: Fill in the blanks with letters, using the number grid to find the correct coordinates. The first number goes across, the second one goes down.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	a	L	d	i	j	g	r
2	m	b	o	k	h	u	s
3	e	n	c	x	t	p	f

"... _____
2,2 7,1 4,1 2,3 6,1 5,3 5,2 1,3 1,2

6,2 6,3 4,1 2,3 5,3 5,2 1,3

5,3 7,1 1,1 4,1 2,3 4,1 2,3 6,1 1,1 2,3 3,1

4,1 2,3 7,2 5,3 7,1 6,2 3,3 5,3 4,1 3,2 2,3

3,2 7,3 5,3 5,2 1,3 2,1 3,2 7,1 3,1

Ephesians 6:4, NIV

Answers: "... bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord." Ephesians 6:4, NIV

IN MY FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS

Make this keepsake to express
love for your dad or another
special man this Father's Day.

What you need:

- White construction paper (11" x 13" sheet)
- Pencil
- Black permanent marker
- Crayons or paint

What you do:

1. In the center of the paper, trace your foot in pencil. Darken the outline with marker.
2. Color or paint the footprint. Let it dry.
3. Trace your father's foot (same side) on top of your footprint (with yours in the middle of his).
4. Color or paint his footprint. Let it dry.
5. Sign your names and the date at the bottom.



DATE	TOTAL OFFERING	ATTENDANCE
APRIL 27	\$4,584.00	47 Sunday School, 100 Worship
MAY 4	\$22,021.00	47 Sunday School, 111 Worship
MAY 11	\$11,119.55	58 Sunday School, 137 Worship
MAY 18	\$3,102.00	45 Sunday School, 88 Worship

SERVING IN WORSHIP THIS MONTH

	JUNE 1	JUNE 8	JUNE 15	JUNE 22	JUNE 29
Acolytes	Julianna Sheets, Reagan Bradshaw	Leila Roberts, Jack Crawford	Griffin Alderman, Brooks Moody	Julianna Sheets, Mia Spinella	Caylee Sheets, Reagan Bradshaw
Audio/Broadcast Team	David Alderman, Aaron Smith, Jeff Mills, Jeff Overcash, Caitlin Rimmer				
Children's Church	<i>Children take Communion</i>	Wendi Bradshaw	<i>Children take Communion</i>	Holly Moody	Jennifer Alderman
Children's Message	Pastor Rob	Lu Gamewell	Tim Williams	<i>Faith Kids Sing</i>	Vicki Fink
Church Sign	Barbara Moose				
Communion Prep.	Vicki Fink & Becky Williams				
Fellowship Refreshments	Tim & Becky Williams	Kenny & Meredyth Fisher	Chad & Jamie Sheets	John & Ann Bruce	<i>Church Chat</i>
Lector	Lisa Painter	Ken Fink	Jaime Sheets	Barbara Moose	Lee Roberts
Nursery	Amanda Meacham, Holly Moody	Carolyn Rogers, Crystal Bradshaw	Stephanie Barkley, Marisa Asbury	Jamie Sheets, Chris Earnhardt	Meredyth Fisher, Lela Brooks
Offering Tellers	Lisa Painter & Reid Bradshaw				
Ushers	Jeremy Alderman, Brian Humphreys, CJ Moody, Joe Petrea				
2025 Council Members	Jeremy Alderman, Jeff Barger, Dwight Bradshaw, Randy Buckwell, Dallas Cobb, Chandra Fink, Donnie Gandy, Jake Moose, Laura Peeler				

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