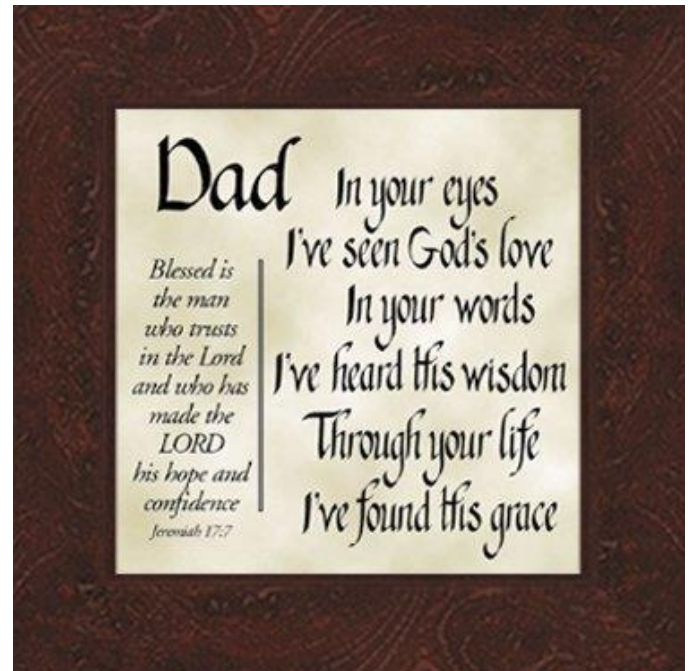


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# ***Following Faith***

***JUNE 2019***





## THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH

**JOHN 14:23-29 THE MESSAGE (MSG)**

“BECAUSE A LOVELESS WORLD,” SAID JESUS, “IS A SIGHTLESS WORLD. IF ANYONE LOVES ME, HE WILL CAREFULLY KEEP MY WORD AND MY FATHER WILL LOVE HIM—WE’LL MOVE RIGHT INTO THE NEIGHBORHOOD! NOT LOVING ME MEANS NOT KEEPING MY WORDS. THE MESSAGE YOU ARE HEARING ISN’T MINE. IT’S THE MESSAGE OF THE FATHER WHO SENT ME.

“I’M TELLING YOU THESE THINGS WHILE I’M STILL LIVING WITH YOU. THE FRIEND, THE HOLY SPIRIT WHOM THE FATHER WILL SEND AT MY REQUEST, WILL MAKE EVERYTHING PLAIN TO YOU. HE WILL REMIND YOU OF ALL THE THINGS I HAVE TOLD YOU. I’M LEAVING YOU WELL AND WHOLE. THAT’S MY PARTING GIFT TO YOU. PEACE. I DON’T LEAVE YOU THE WAY YOU’RE USED TO BEING LEFT—FEELING ABANDONED, BEREFT. SO, DON’T BE UPSET. DON’T BE DISTRAUGHT.

“YOU’VE HEARD ME TELL YOU, ‘I’M GOING AWAY, AND I’M COMING BACK.’ IF YOU LOVED ME, YOU WOULD BE GLAD THAT I’M ON MY WAY TO THE FATHER BECAUSE THE FATHER IS THE GOAL AND PURPOSE OF MY LIFE.

“I’VE TOLD YOU THIS AHEAD OF TIME, BEFORE IT HAPPENS, SO THAT WHEN IT DOES HAPPEN, THE CONFIRMATION WILL DEEPEN YOUR BELIEF IN ME.”

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**Sunday morning worship: 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School: during worship**

### Church Council Officers:

**Fred Howard (President)  
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Barbara Boord (Treasurer)  
Evelyn Jarosz (Secretary)**

### Council Members

**Doug Adamek (Education)  
Mitch Cieminski  
Rob Hayward (Office Administration)  
Linda Hulihan  
Evelyn Jarosz  
Mike Moroskey (Property)  
Sharon Morris (In Reach/Out Reach)  
Diana Rieker (Missions),  
(Stewardship)  
Ben Wagar (Property)**



ONE NATION UNDER GOD

**AMONG OUR PEOPLE**

Prayers and Condolences to the family of Marty Hempel on her passing in May.

Prayers are needed for Peter Edelman as he continues his Cancer treatment and Janet Erickson who recently had Heart Surgery.

Continued Prayers are requested for Tom Martin (John Martin’s Brother) who has Leukemia, John Hostettler as he continues his recovery and Pr. Jennifer Wegter-McNelly who continues her courageous battle with Cancer. Larry Boord who continues his Long journey back to health, and Paul Molesky who continues his health progress.

Prayers of encouragement for success of the joint Call Committee of Faith and Evangelical during their diligent search for a permanent Pastor.

canned fruit (in own juice), stew, hash or chili (canned), canned vegetables, baked beans (like Bush’s), snacks and baking mixes, sugar and cooking oil, tuna fish (in water), mayo, mustard and ketchup. The following non-food items are always needed: laundry soap, dish soap, toilet paper, paper towels, tissues, toothbrushes (adult), toothpaste, soap, shampoo and deodorant.

Your continued support of the “Pull Tab” and “Box Top” missions is most appreciated. Both missions are receiving donations from the congregation each week. You will find the collection containers on the table in the Narthex.

***Diana Rieker, Missions***

**JUNE SCHEDULE AND COVERAGE**

**We look forward to seeing beloved, familiar faces in the Pulpit**

**June 2 Rev. Dr. Rahel Hahn**

**June 9 Rev. Andrew Nelson**

**June 16 Rev. Dr. Rahel Hahn**

**June 23 Rev. Andrew Nelson**

**June 30 Rev. Dr. Rahel Hahn**



**OUR FAITH at WORK**

The featured mission for the month of June will be in support of the work of Bread of Life Food Pantry.

Bread of Life Food Pantry is located next to Evangelical Church in Poestenkill. It is a nonprofit organization helping families supplement their food needs. Our church has been supporting the food pantry with food donations left in the collection box in the Narthex. Every month, a list of most needed items is listed in the newsletter and on the donation box.

The Bread of Life Food pantry is asking for the following items this month: Fruit juice (low sugar),

**SERVING FAITH in JUNE**

June 2	Altar	Karen Cordes and Evelyn Jarosz
	Lay Assistant	Aaron Cordes
	Ushers	Roberta and Rob Hayward
	Counters	Pat Brundige and Joyce Duncan
	Coffee Hour	Fred and Michele Howard

June 9	Altar	Janet Walsh and Polly Hayward
	Lay Assistant Ushers	Rich Anderson Barb Boord and Stephanie Wagar Michele and Fred Howard
	Counters	Howard
	Coffee Hour	Dana and Dave Cerrone
<b>FATHER'S DAY</b>		
June 16	Altar	Janet Walsh and Polly Hayward
	Lay Assistant Ushers	Mitch Cieminski B. Morgan, B. Speanburg, B. Stevens
	Counters	Diane and Rich Anderson
	Coffee Hour	Dinner Club Committee
June 23	Altar	Roberta Hayward and Stephanie Wagar
	Lay Assistant Ushers Counters	Not Available
	Coffee Hour	Janet Walsh and Merilyn Niles
	June 30	Altar
June 30	Lay Assistant Ushers Counters	Not Available
	Coffee Hour	Summer Break Begins



### FLOWERS for JUNE

**JUNE 2 TO THE GLORY OF GOD**

**JUNE 9 TO THE GLORY OF GOD**

**JUNE 16 In Memory of Paul Lynch  
Given by Janet Walsh**

**In Memory of Richard Boord  
Given by Larry and Barbara  
Boord**

**JUNE 23 In Memory of Kevin Morgan  
Given by Barbara Morgan**

**JUNE 30 TO THE GLORY OF GOD**

### PENTECOST

As we have done in the past, flowering plants will be purchased with some placed on the Altar for Pentecost Sunday, June 9th. Shortly after the service, the flowers will be planted outside to enhance the beauty of our Church grounds. If you would like to contribute to this program, please see Donna Van Zandt or leave any monetary donations on the organ.

*If you are unable to serve on your assigned Sunday, please arrange to trade dates with another assistant. Thank you in advance for your assistance.*

*Worship Chairperson.*

*Roberta Hayward, Altar Guild*

*Coffee Hour*

## CHOIR

To all congregants who enjoy singing to the Lord. Faiths' Choir is about to begin again. If you would like to join the choir this year, we would love to have you! Rehearsals are held on Thursday evenings beginning at 7:00 p.m.



## JOINT PRAYER GROUP

Faith Lutheran and Evangelical Lutheran have a Joint Prayer Group that has been active since June 2016. There are approximately 12 of us that pray on a regular basis for our churches, for a new Pastor and for healing for our members and others in need of prayer.

Most of our group pray at home although several of us have been meeting on Tuesdays at 1:00 pm.

Please contact Michele Howard for further information. (518-753-4288)

## BOTTLE CAP COLLECTION

Please post in the Faith newsletter that I am now collecting plastic bottle caps (water bottles, soda bottles, laundry detergent) and the pill bottles. I am donating these to Harmony Hills school in Cohoes.

Thank you,  
Kathy Adamek

## VISION MISSION TO HONDURAS

The First Presbyterian Church of Chili (near Rochester) will be missioning to rural Honduras mid-March 2019. The issue at hand in the community is lack of vision care with reports of children dropping out of school because they cannot read the board nor their books. Their needs are listed as: a mobile Autorefractor

and Phoropter, lenses, glasses, eye patches and lensometer.

If anyone would like to donate any of these items, there will be a box stationed in the Narthex.

## NEWSLETTER COORDINATOR

Barbara Boord is coordinating the Newsletter efforts. Hard copies of the Newsletter will be available at church for pick up when you are present.

You may go to the church web site at:

[www.faihlutheranchurchtroy.com](http://www.faihlutheranchurchtroy.com) any time and view the newsletter.

We will email you a copy if you send your email address directly to Barbara at:

[barbboord@hotmail.com](mailto:barbboord@hotmail.com).

At your request, we will be happy to send you a copy via the USPS.

## NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

The newsletter item deadline for the June newsletter is Monday: June 24th. Please email your articles to: [barbboord@hotmail.com](mailto:barbboord@hotmail.com).



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<b>2</b> <i>Rev. Dr. Rahel Hahn</i> <b>Council 9:00 AM</b>	<b>3</b> <i>CREATIVE THREADS</i> <i>10:30 AM</i>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> Home Bureau 2:00 to 4:00 PM	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> <b>DINNER CLUB</b> 6:30 PM
				<i>Choir 7:00 PM</i>		
<b>9</b> <i>Rev. Andrew Nelson</i>	<b>10</b> <i>CREATIVE THREADS</i> <i>10:30 AM</i>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Speigle Elders 10:30AM-2:30PM	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> <i>Flag Day</i>	<b>15</b>
				<i>Choir 7:00 PM</i>		
<b>16</b> <i>Rev. Dr. Rahel Hahn</i>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Home Bureau 2:00 to 4:00 PM	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Father's Day</b>	<i>CREATIVE THREADS</i> <i>10:30 AM</i>			<i>Choir 7:00 PM</i>		
<b>23</b> <i>Rev. Andrew Nelson</i>	<b>24</b> <i>CREATIVE THREADS</i> <i>10:30 AM</i> <b>NEWSLETTER</b> <b>Articles Due</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> Speigle Elders 10:30AM-2:30PM	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> <i>Summer Begins</i>	<b>29</b>
				<i>Choir 7:00 PM</i>		
<b>30</b> <i>Rev. Dr. Rahel Hahn</i>						