#### Mission & Values

In grateful response to Christ's love, we, as a congregation and as individuals, are:

Called to SHARE Christ's love and our faith by our words and actions with all those whom we encounter.

Called to SEEK God in the world, inspired by worship, guided by scripture, engaged by prayer, and cleansed by forgiveness.

Called to SERVE all of God's creation as we give of our time, talents and resources.

What we believe

Lutherans hold to the following basic principles of theology and practice written by Martin Luther:

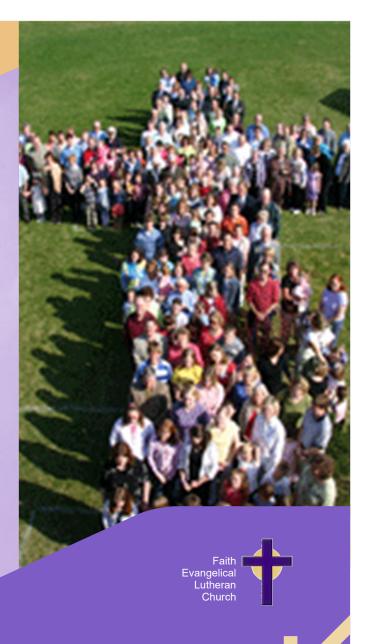
We are saved by the grace of God alone – not by anything we do.

Through faith alone, we receive this salvation by believing in Christ and that our sins are forgiven for Christ's sake who died to redeem us.

The Bible is the only norm of doctrine and life – the only true standard by which teachings and doctrines are to be judged.

We invite you to become part of this community of faith, please contact us with any questions or concerns you may have.





Stewardship Team

#### **Stewardship Team**

We are a church that shares God's gifts.

Our team encourages our church members to share their time, talents and treasure.

#### How can you help?

- •Serve on the Stewardship Team
- •Turn in your Time & Talent sheet
- •Turn in your annual Promise Card
- Worship
- Volunteer
- Give



### **Sharing Time & Talent**

Our committee plans and distributes an annual Time and Talent sheet. This sheet lists all ministries and activities where church members have service opportunities.

#### Church Members

- fill out the sheet to indicate where you are able to serve.
- return the completed sheet at worship with your offering

The Time & Talent sheets are provided to committee and group leaders for use when they need help.

# Sharing Treasure





The goal of our Stewardship ministry is to help God's people grow in their relationship with Jesus through the use of time, talent, and treasure that God has entrusted to them.

Our team plans and distributes annual promise cards. The promise cards are filled out by Church members and turned in at Worship with their offering. Your promise is anonymous at our church, and used primarily for growing your personal discipleship.

Promises to our regular offering are used to pay for the general budgeted expenses.

Our committee also leads special campaigns for debt reduction.

We use temple talks, newsletter articles, and updates on progress in the worship bulletin.



Our church members have opportunities to serve in a variety of committees and groups such as:

Christian Education Clerical
Endowment Evangelism
Fellowship Finance
Memorial Property
Service in the World Stewardship
Women of Faith Worship & Music

## How can I sign up?

You can contact the church office by phone (563.285.4501) or email us at FaithEldridge@netins.net