

# Fox River Lutheran Church

April 30, 2017

## “Great is Thy Faithfulness!”

**Greeting/Praise and Worship/Prayer**

John Morrow

**Call to Worship:** “His compassions never fail...great is your faithfulness!” *(Lamentations 3:22-23)*

**Song:** “*Great is Thy Faithfulness*”

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**Confession of sin:** “If we confess our sin, He is faithful and just to forgive our sin, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.” *(1 John 1:9)*

### Children are dismissed for Children’s Church

**Scripture Reading:**

Joan O’Flanagan

*Josh. 23:14 1 Chron. 28:20 Lam. 3:21-26 1 Thes. 5:24 Heb. 10:22-23*

**Song:** “*Faithful One*”

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**Sermon:** “The Gospel Transforms My Relationships”  
Philemon 1:11 (Part 1)

Joel Badal

**Offering/Response**

**Prayer/Blessing**

**Song:** “*The Steadfast Love of the Lord*”

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# Coming up at FRLC

## Today:

<b>Worship Service</b>	9:15 a.m.
<i>Nursery: The Berg Family</i>	
<i>Children's Church: Nick &amp; Amy Marcoux</i>	
<b>Sunday School Today</b>	11:00 a.m.
<b>Youth Group:</b> Meet the Leaders – Ray & Shanna	6:00 p.m.

**\*\*If this is your first visit to Fox River\*\***

Please stop by the **"10 Minute Party"** room located off the foyer.  
Receive information on Fox River and enjoy some coffee & donuts.

## This Week:

<b>Wed. - Women's Bible Study @ Mincks</b>	8:30 a.m.
<b>Men's Bible Study @ Church</b>	6:00 p.m.
<b>LIFT (Women's Support Group)</b>	6:00 p.m.
<b>John Stufflebeam's Class</b>	7:00 p.m.
<b>Thu. - Women's Bible Study @ Hendron's</b>	9:00 a.m.
<b>Men's Bible Study @ Peterson's</b>	9:00 a.m.
<b>Bodett Bible Study</b>	6:00 p.m.
<b>Varness Bible Study</b>	6:00 p.m.
<b>Peterson Bible Study</b>	6:00 p.m.
<b>Fri. - Prayer Meeting for FRLC</b>	11:30 a.m.
<b>Sat. - Women's Prayer Breakfast</b>	9:00 a.m.
<b>Men's Recovery</b>	7:00 p.m.

**Next Sunday: Military Meeting** 8:30 a.m.

<b>Worship Service</b>	9:15 a.m.
<i>Nursery: Patti &amp; Brittin Kueteman</i>	
<i>Children's Church: Chris &amp; Kelli Wilson</i>	
<b>Sunday School for all ages</b>	11:00 a.m.
<b>Youth Group:</b> Meet the Leaders – Roy & Shirley	6:00 p.m.

Audio and visual sermons available at [www.foxriverlutheran.org](http://www.foxriverlutheran.org)

**NOTE: Hearing assistance is available – ask an usher for help.**

**\*Large print bulletins available from ushers\***

**Please turn off your cell phones**

# PRAYER LIST – April 30, 2017

## General Prayer

### Foreign Mission Congregations

**World war on terror**                      **Lauren Zaeske – Campus Life**  
**Revival:** Fox River and area churches, in our nation  
Protection for Israel and persecuted Christians  
Christian Missionaries      Proposed Railroad  
Council Members              Karl Pottinger - Trustee  
College Students              Rylee Harr (SIU)  
Sarah Nellis (North Central)

## Personal Prayer Requests

**Salvation - loved ones, neighbors, co-workers & Children**  
**Marriages and Families**                      **Denise VanKirk's mom (peace)**  
**People with depression & grief**                      **Jobs - Small business**  
**People suffering with addictions**      **People healed from alcoholism**  
**Couples trying to have a baby/or adopt**                      **Babies on the way**  
**Matthew - gay lifestyle**                      **Holly-closer walk with God**  
**Duncan- God's direction & healing for family**                      **Sara Seidler**  
**Jeff & Val- healing & direction (C.E.)**                      **Dee – Depression**  
**Ken & Toni Lovell (health/family)**                      **Brother in jail**  
**Rob & Becky Trout (health/family)**      **Tim - Deliverance & Salvation**  
**Step daughter & baby**                      **Tornado Victims**

## Servicemen and Women

### DEPLOYED

Marcus Christensen (Spain) L.C.  
Clay Jutila (USMC) Japan

### IMMEDIATE FRLC FAMILY

Ben Cockrel (USMC) (Varland)  
Luke Jackson (USMC).  
Aaron Hart (Army)  
Trevor Hornbeck (USMC) J.H  
Ryan Gardner (A.F.B. S. Dakota)

### ADDITIONAL TROOPS

Keith Carretto (USMC) S.M.  
Kiersten Peterson (Army Nat'l G.)  
Derrick Risley (Army Nat'l Guard)  
Robert Coleman (Army) Candy

Zach Hadfield (G. A. Steffens)  
Ed Henry (USAF) B. Carnes  
Kevin & Kurt Laughary (Navy)  
James Rhoads (USMC) R.S.  
Jason J. Thieme (Army) J.T.  
Elizabeth Vallereall (USMC)  
Ryan Williams (USMC) A.V.  
Dylan Snodgrass (USMC) M.L.  
Ken Bebar (Army) R. B.  
Austin Findley (Fort Bragg)  
Tyler Hoard (USAF)  
Lauren Buchanan (USAF)  
Nikki Funkhauser (USMC)  
Evan Piron (A.F.B. Texas)

## Those with Health Needs

Jim Gottberg (health)	Josh Stiles – (kidney needed)
Jerrod (healing) (Shirlene P.)	Bruce Southcombe (health)
Paul Pavlik & Family (health issues)	Paul Brown (health)
Elsie Forsythe (health)	Cindy Nelson (health)
Kirby Myers (health)	Lane Barbier(health)
Daniel Papillon (health)	P.J.
Rita Bebar's Brother ( infections)	Rudy Varju's Mother
Dan DiGuido (recovery)	Theresa Pinney (health)
Sunny Stufflebeam (health)	Doug (lung infection)
Teresa McCullough (back pain)	Jim Spertzel (severe lung problems) L.N.
Frankie McKenna	Lupe Torres (health)C.B.
Janet Strode (health)	Amanda Clemons (health)
Dean Brandenburg (health)	Coyte (badly burned)
Renee (health issues)	George Steffen Sr. (health)
Rick Campbell (health)	Delores Garcia (Health)
Jean Eichelberger (strength & healing)	Emily (Holman)Nash (brain tumor)
Susan Johnson (severe cardiac issues)	Maxine Varness(recovery)
Addison Rose – Baby	Mike (brain tumor)
Brad Weis (motor Cycle Accident)	Shirley Niewinski (health)
Peter Jacobs (infection after surgery)	Darcy Varland (health)
Joe Steffen's Father Jim (heart health)	Jessica Madsen (broken ankle)
Claudia Eichelberger (recovery)	Jude (baby boy)
Roger (bad heart & cancer)	Virginia Killian (foot surgery recovery)
Anna Lubke (health)	Ed Peterke (Recovery from accident)
Paul Harner (foot)	Rich Tuntland (health)
Lynn (graves disease)	Alice (health)

## Those with Cancer

Greg Mathre (lymphoma)	Beth Kotz (cancer)
Arla Melhorn (Rudy V.)	Melonie Bebar
Barb (breast cancer surgery) S.S.	Teresa Snyder (chemo)
Bruce Brown	Jill Oldenberg (breast cancer)
Sandra O'Flanagan (ovarian)	Dorothy Evans
Jim Barton	Kazia Blair (bone cancer)
Michael Doll (cancer)	Gloria Flaa
Kami Terry	Janet DeLongo (in remission)
Michelle (breast & bone Cancer)	Rick Tirevold (brain cancer)
Cindy Carlson (3 <sup>rd</sup> time with cancer)	Elsie (pancreatic cancer)
Ed Hall (liver cancer)	Susan Richards (stomach cancer)
Bill Ficht (bladder cancer)	Tanner (leukemia) K. Cook
Jeff Harris (lung & brain cancer)	Lance (Colin cancer)
Bill (stage 4 hodgkins lymphoma)	Dave Matthews (brain cancer)
Beth S. (breast cancer)	Sandi (Uterine cancer)
Rudy Varju's Aunt (cancer)	Baby with brain tumor
Judy (colon cancer)	Scott Gottberg (lung cancer)
Mary (ovarian cancer)	Robin (cancer)
Debbie Blue (cancer)	

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Scripture: Philimon 1-11

Speaker: Dr. Joel Badal

Date: April 30, 2017

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*3-Ways we can celebrate with others?*

- Christ \_\_\_\_\_ people
  - God is at \_\_\_\_\_ moving us toward maturity
  - The Spirit \_\_\_\_\_ is to minister to others (v. 7)
2. \_\_\_\_\_ in our walk with Christ (v. 6)

*3-Ways we are growing in our character:*

- Grow in our \_\_\_\_\_ (Heb. 10:24-25)
  - Grow in our \_\_\_\_\_ of God (v. 6; Col. 1:9ff)
  - Grow in our \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 17; Col. 3:12-15)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ our broken relationships (v. 7)

*4-Ways to restore broken relationships:*

- \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ God to forgive (2 Cor. 7:9; Ps. 139:23-24)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ corrective measures (Lk. 19:5-9; Rom. 12:18)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ away from the sin (2 Cor. 7:11)
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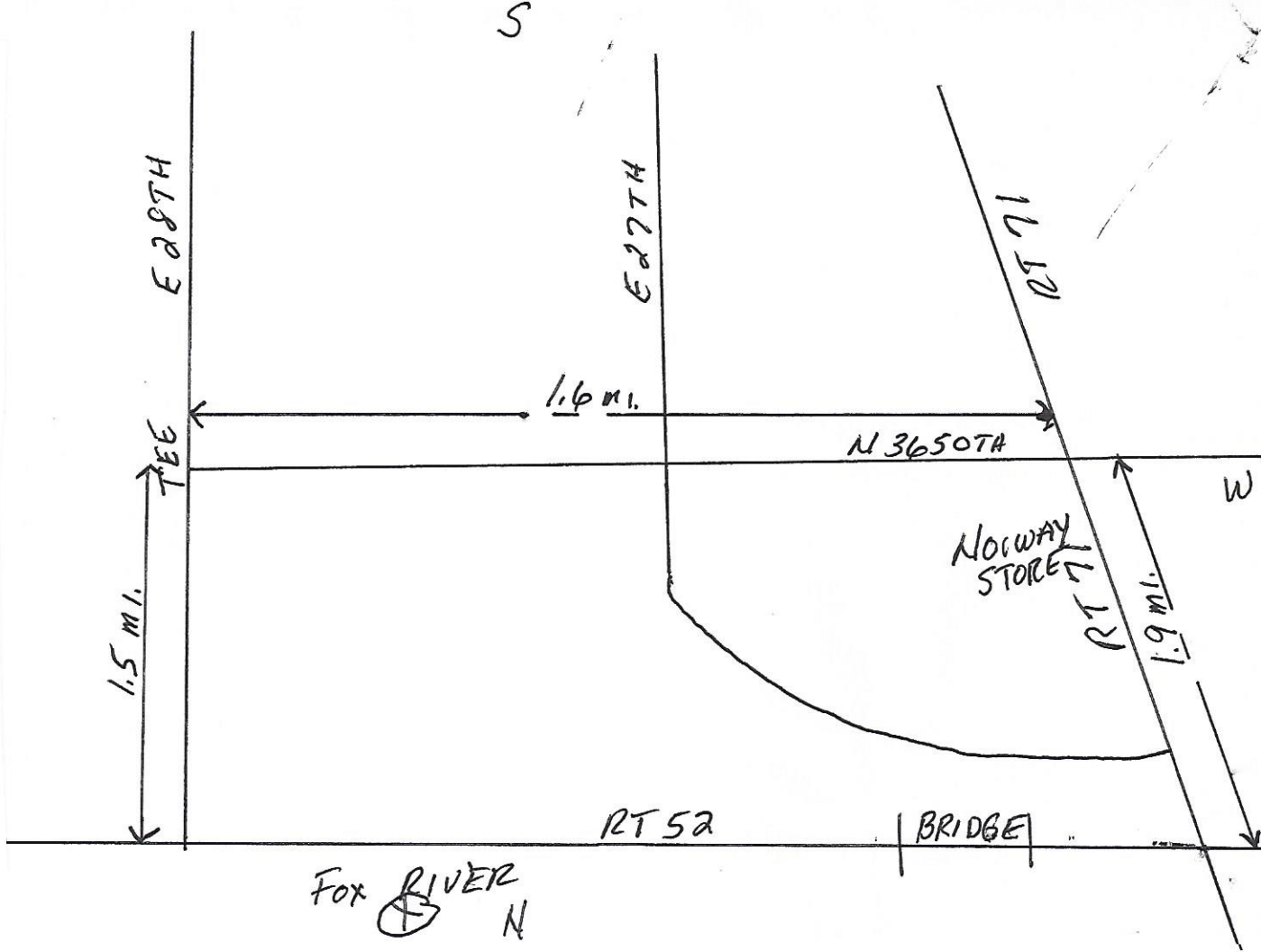
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turning right onto 3650<sup>th</sup> Rd. just before the Norway Store.



# **CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT**

## **Right for Life**

**Every Tuesday night from 7-8 p.m. there will be prayer time at the Right for Life Building at 301 Main St. in Ottawa. Anyone can come to pray and stay as long as you like.**

**Women's Prayer Breakfast  
Will be May 6<sup>th</sup> – instead of May 13<sup>th</sup>  
@ 9:00 a.m.**

**Anyone interested in helping with church Safety please contact Dana Kiesling at [drkt45@live.com](mailto:drkt45@live.com) or 815-791-9197**

**Family & Youth  
Bible Camp  
July 23-27**



### **Joshua 23:14**

<sup>23:14</sup> “And now I am about to go the way of all the earth, and you know in your hearts and souls, all of you, that not one word has failed of all the good things that the LORD your God promised concerning you. All have come to pass for you; not one of them has failed.”

### **1 Chronicles 28:20**

<sup>28:20</sup> “Then David said to Solomon his son, “Be strong and courageous and do it. Do not be afraid and do not be dismayed, for the LORD God, even my God, is with you. He will not leave you or forsake you, until all the work for the service of the house of the LORD is finished.”

### **Lamentations 3:21-26**

<sup>3:21</sup> “But this I call to mind, and therefore I have hope: <sup>22</sup> The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; <sup>23</sup> they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. <sup>24</sup> “The LORD is my portion,” says my soul, “therefore I will hope in him.” <sup>25</sup> The LORD is good to those who wait for him, to the soul who seeks him. <sup>26</sup> It is good that one should wait quietly for the salvation of the LORD.”

### **1 Thessalonians 5:24**

<sup>5:24</sup> “He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.”

### **Hebrews 10:22-23**

<sup>10:22</sup> “Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. <sup>23</sup> Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.”