

SERVING IN THE NURSERY TODAY:

First Service: Phyllis Benzinger

Sunday School:

Second Service: Mike & Heather Palmer

LIFE 24/7 MINISTRY STAFF

Team Hope: Madie Smith

Team Faith: Becky Grove; Matthew Grove

Team Life: Doug & Judy Moore

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OFFICE HOURS

Vickie

Monday: 7:30-12:30 Tuesday: 1:00-5:00

Wednesday: 8:00-4:30 Friday: 8:00-12:00

Deb

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00—4:00



FAITHFINDER

March 25, 2018



“ For the Lord is good and his love endures forever;
his faithfulness continues through all generations.”

Psalm 100:5, NIV

WELCOME TO FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH!

6600 Trier Road Fort Wayne, Indiana

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OUR MISSION

The purpose of Faith Baptist Church is to love and glorify our living God. Our mission is to **GATHER, GROW & GO** according to Matthew 28:19-20.

- ...**GATHER** together in worship
- ...**GROW** in small groups
- ...**GO** to serve our community

As our guest...

...We are glad you have joined us today! Please let us know who you are by filling out a Connection Card and putting it in the offering plate.

NOW AVAILABLE



You now have an online giving option at our website www.faithbaptistchurchfw.com. You have many options like one time or recurring gift, checking account or credit card account, and fund designation. If you have questions, please contact Vickie in the

While you are here...

Do you have children with you today?

Our children's ministry will be glad to help. See Mrs. Sara or one of our greeters to introduce yourself and your children. They can help guide you to the proper classroom. A nursery is also provided during Sunday School and Worship for babies and toddlers or if you need a place to rock your child.

Connecting with the Faith Family

Please feel free to join one of our Sunday School classes today. We also have small groups during the week. For more info on programs for all ages, stop at the Welcome Center or visit our website at faithbaptistchurchfw.com.

Let's stay in touch

Sign up to receive our weekly newsletter/bulletin through email by indicating on your Connection Card. Be sure to also check out our Facebook page – Faith Baptist Church FW and our website. You may now also add our Faith Baptist church app to your device: 1. Go to your device's application store. 2. Search for custom church apps. 3. Download the app called My Church. 4. Search for Faith Baptist Church and voila! You will be able to see our weekly newsletter on the app, watch uploaded sermons, send prayer requests, read the Bible and more!!!

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

When the Roll is Called up Yonder
Hymn no. 774 verses 1,2
In My Heart there Rings a Melody
Hymn no. 502 verses 1, 2
Blessed Assurance
Hymn no. 572 verses 1, 3
Change My Heart O God
Hymn no. 654

Message:
Vertical Church
Worthy Reverence
Numbers 20
How Great Thou Art
Hymn no. 147 verses 1,3,4

PRAYERS AND PRAISES

Sharon Martin
Bev & Hope Miracle
Marietta Ralston
Eunice Reppert
Betty Sills
Jim Simpson
Pray for Don Sell.

Congratulations and blessings to Jillian and Cooper Marden on their baptism today.
Pray for health issues of Sheila Doerflein.
Pray for friends & family dealing with health concerns.
Pray for friends & families going through relationship issues & new beginnings.
Praise for those who have found jobs. Pray for those who are still searching.
Pray for our schools.
Pray for our president and our country.
Pray for revival for our country and the worldwide church.
Pray for those who are persecuted for being followers of Christ.
Pray for those in the military and that guide our country.
Pray for unspoken medical and personal needs.
Other concerns & praises:

GIVING AND ATTENDANCE: March 18, 2018

Weekly Budgeted Tithes: \$7,692.31	Current Weekly Tithe Income: \$4774.00
YTD Budgeted Tithes: \$84,645.41	YTD Tithe Income: \$70,064.05
Total Weekly Budget: \$12,599.52	Current Weekly Budget Income: \$11,927.59
YTD Budget: \$138,594.72	YTD Income: \$151,346.42
Worship Attendance: 167	

Vertical Church
Worthy Reverence
Numbers 20

Holiness:

- distinct, separate, set apart
- morally pure
- all he is

Stories of God's holiness:

Moses—Numbers 20

Uzzah—2 Samuel 6

Sundays & Holiness:

- its about a person, not a place
- come in a worthy manner
- leave with a worthy task
- appreciate what Jesus did

WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday, March 25, 2018

GATHERING AT FAITH

Traditional Worship	8:30 AM
Easter Breakfast	9:30 AM
Contemporary Worship	10:45 AM

GROWING AT FAITH

Remember to pray—11:24 each day.

Sunday, March 25th

Dv8	5:30 PM
Faithful Followers Gather Group	5:30 PM

Monday, March 26th

Sanctuary Open for Prayer	11:24 AM
Big Monday Men's Gather Group	7:00 PM

Tuesday, March 27th

5L's Bible Study	9:30 AM
Praise Team	7:00 PM

Wednesday, March 28th

Pastor's Bible Study	10:00 AM
Handbells	7:00 PM
Choir	8:00 PM

Thursday, March 29th

Friday, March 30th

Good Friday—Office Closed

Good Friday Worship	Noon
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Saturday, March 31st

Sunday, April 1st

Easter Sunday

Traditional Worship	8:30 AM
Sunday School; Life 24/7	9:30 AM
Contemporary Worship	10:45 AM

GATHER MINISTRIES

Holy Week Schedule

Sunday, March 25—Palm Sunday

Easter breakfast today during Sunday School

Easter Egg Hunt following breakfast

Monday, March 26

Sanctuary open for prayer at 11:24 am

Friday, March 29

Good Friday Service at Noon

Sunday, April 1—Easter Sunday

Traditional Service—8:30 am

Sunday School—9:30 am

Contemporary Service—10:45 am



50 Anniversary Celebration Sundays 2018

4/22-History of Preschool

5/20-Recognition of Charter Members. Carry-in Luncheon

6/10-Missions and Missionaries- Here and Abroad

7/8- "Big Bang" events of Faith

8/12-Junior-Senior Youth recognition

9/9-Picnic Homecoming at Shoaff Park. Service at 10:00 followed by a picnic. Time capsule revealed from 50 years ago, and adding with current items to go in the capsule

10/14-Pastor Appreciation- Past and Current Pastors recognized

11/11-Acts of Kindness

12/9-Our Future of FBC



Please note that our wi-fi network name has changed.
You should now use **fbc open** for access.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY ON MARCH

25th— Dan Hicks, Pat Kinerk, Dusty Walls,
Dorothea Walls, Jason James

27th— Laura Ontiveros, Kathy Klopp, Terry Freeman

31st— Sharon Martin

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO...

Dick & Fran Bourquin on March 28th.

GROW MINISTRIES

Dv8 Youth Group will meet this evening—5:30 pm
Grades 6-12 are welcome.

Prayer Room—we now have a prayer room set up in the first room to your left going toward Judson Hall. Please feel free to come in and use this room at any time, including before and after worship on Sunday.

Announcements for second service are now being pre-recorded and shown before service. If you have an announcement that needs to be included, it should be to the office by Tuesday. Thank you.

GO MINISTRIES



Please continue to take a water bottle and keep it in your car to give to the homeless that offers a Rescue Mission resource guide for help. As they stand on the corners, hopefully they will feel God's love in this simple gesture, and please continue to pray for them. Bottles are on the bookshelf in Narthex.

Registration is now open for the 2018-2019 year at Faith Baptist Preschool Academy.

See Mrs. Sara for questions



REMINDER:

NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 1, IS FOOD COLLECTION SUNDAY!!



Start planning now for your Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes!!! Our goal this year is 200 boxes.

More information can be found on the Operation Christmas Child facebook page or at

<https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/year-round-packing-ideas/>