

SERVING IN THE NURSERY TODAY:

First Service:

Kidz Zone:

Second Service: Mike & Heather Palmer

KIDZ ZONE MINISTRY STAFF

Kidz Discovery: Darton & Shauna Shafer

Kidz Adventure: Becky Grove; Matthew Grove

Kidz Frontier: Doug & Judy Moore

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OFFICE HOURS

Vickie

Monday: 7:30-12:30

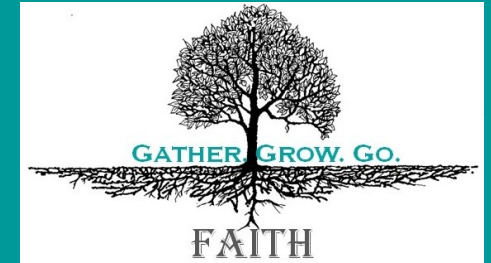
Tuesday: 1:00-5:00

Wednesday: 8:00-4:30

Friday: 8:00-12:00

Deb

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



FAITHFINDER

September 23, 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 reoccurring gift, checking account or credit card account, and fund designation.

If you have questions, please contact Vickie in the church office.

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 Connection 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

Faith Baptist Welcomes:

Unclouded Day

PRAYERS AND PRAISES

Sharon Martin
Bev & Hope Miracle
Marietta Ralston
Eunice Reppert
Betty Sills

Pray for Joe Owens.
Pray for Jessica Stopher.
Pray for Dorothy Overholt.
Pray for Harold Woodyard.
Pray for Ruth Hammer
Pray for Fran Perkey.

Pray for the family of Neil Litzenberger, our first choir director here at Faith, who passed away on Tuesday in Arizona.

Pray for Sara Heminger as she recovers from surgery.

Pray for health issues of Sheila Doerflein.

Pray for teachers and students throughout the school year.

Pray for the salvation of family and friends.

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: September 16, 2018

Weekly Budgeted Tithes: \$7692.31

Current Weekly Tithe Income: \$4771.00

YTD Budgeted Tithes: \$284,615.50

YTD Tithe Income: \$243,352.68

Total Weekly Budget: \$12,599.52

Current Weekly Budget Income: \$8257.45

YTD Budget: \$466,182.24

YTD Income: \$448,237.89

Message: 2nd Service only

Our Mission

Grow

2 Peter 3.18

But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever! Amen.

How are you growing?

Grow:

- It is a journey
- Abraham

- Peter

Context:

How we grow:

- It starts with an encounter with Jesus
- It will be painful
- It requires discipline
- It requires exercise

Please note that our wi-fi network name has changed.
You should now use [fbc open](#) for access.

WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday, September 23, 2018

GATHERING AT FAITH

Traditional Worship	8:30 AM
Sunday Grow Groups & Kidz Zone	9:30AM
Contemporary Worship	10:45 AM

GROWING AT FAITH

Sunday, September 23rd

Dv8 Youth Group 5:30 PM

No Faithful Followers' Grow Group

Monday, September 24th

Big Monday Men's Grow Group 7:00 PM

Tuesday, September 25th

5Ls Ladies' Bible Study 9:30 AM

Praise Team 7:00 PM

Shirey Grow Group 7:00 PM

Wednesday, September 26th

Pastor's Bible Study 10:00 AM

Thursday, September 27th

Roper Grow Group 7:00 PM

Friday, September 28th

Saturday, September 29th

Sunday, September 30th

Traditional Worship 8:30 AM

Sunday Grow Groups & Kidz Zone 9:30AM

Contemporary Worship 10:45 AM

Dv8 Youth Group 5:30 PM

Faithful Followers' Grow Group 5:30 PM

GATHER MINISTRIES

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.

GROW MINISTRIES

Faith Grow Groups: Fall 2018

Sunday AM Grow Groups:

Pathfinders – Judson 4 – 1,2,3 John & Jude - Lowell Shepler

Friendship Class – Judson 1 – Gospel of John - Mark Benzinger

Verse Mapping – Judson 2 – Vickie Pettyjohn

Liking Jesus – How to Handle Social Media – Judson 3 – Joe Marden

Starting Point – FLC 5 – Pastor Steve

Dual Citizenship: A Christian Perspective on Government – Classroom A

Kirk Zimmerman

Faith Grow Groups: Fall 2018

Sunday PM Grow Groups:

Young Adults – Coffee Bar – Joe Marden – 12:00 PM

Faithful Followers - Judson 3 – Sara Heminger – 5:30 PM

Mondays:

New Normal – FLC 5 – MaryLou Baney – 6:30 PM

Big Monday Men's Bible Study – Pastor Steve's house – 7:00 PM

Tuesdays:

5Ls Women's Bible Study – Judson 3 – Judy Moore – 9:30 AM

Shirey Group – FLC 5 – Mike & Lisa Shirey – 7:00 PM

Wednesdays:

Pastor's Bible Study – Classroom A – Pastor Steve – 10:00 AM

Silver Seekers – Don & Margaret Katter's house – Tom Theard – 7:00 PM

College Ladies – Vickie Pettyjohn's house – Vickie Pettyjohn – 6:30 PM

Thursdays:

Marden Group – Coffee Bar – Joe Marden – 7:00 PM

Roper Group – Pastor Steve's house – Pastor Steve – 7:00 PM

Fridays:

Agape Faith Action – various locations – Lowell Shepler – 7:00 PM

Young Couples' Group – Coffee Bar – Jim & Andrea Crilly – 7:00 PM

Saturdays:

Pastor's Men of Faith – Lakeside Café – Pastor Steve – 8:00 AM

GO MINISTRIES

Operation Christmas Child shoebox time is getting closer!!! 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/>



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 to begin soon!!
Watch for more information!!



Available each
Sunday at the
Coffee Bar.

50 YEARS OF FAITH MERCHANDISE

COFFEE MUGS	\$5.00
NOTEBOOKS WITH STYLUS PEN	\$5.00
BASIC WRITING PEN	\$1.00
PEN/HIGHLIGHTER	\$2.00
KEY CHAINS	\$1.00
POCKET KNIFE	\$3.00



"Like" us on Facebook: Faith Baptist Church FW
AND Faith Baptist Preschool Academy

HAPPY BIRTHDAY ON SEPTEMBER:

18th – Arbella Falls, Janet Parton

19th – Heather Palmer

20th – Esther Bell, Jennifer Erickson

21st – Ryan Bowen, Cal Heminger

22nd – Bob Herndon, Lisa Shirey, Paul Papier

HAPPY SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARY TO:

Mike & Jennifer DePoy on September 16th.

Dan & Kim Hettinger on September 20th

Don & Aimee Gill on September 21st.

David & Sara Heminger on September 22nd.