

PLEASE PRAY

- for **John and Lois North**, our commissioned missionaries with AFC in Australia.
~ We are very excited that we are launching EvangelismSHIFT in the US later this year and Faith Bible Church will be our first US church! Please pray for Bruce and Trudy Dick, who are joining AFCI to head up the US ministry of EvangelismSHIFT. Pray that others will catch the vision for what they will be doing and they will raise their needed support quickly.
 - ~ Please pray for John as he is one of the keynote speakers at the big MissionFest conference in Winnipeg, Canada, Feb 1-3. Pray for spiritual anointing on John as he speaks and that God will call many to involvement in world missions.
 - ~ During the week before the conference John will be meeting a number of Canadian church leaders regarding EvangelismSHIFT (we will also be launching in Canada in the near future) and meeting with the couple who will be heading up EvangelismSHIFT there.
 - ~ This year will involve a huge amount of travel for John as he has his final year of traveling to the Philippines, and also travels multiple times to Fiji, USA and Canada, with two trips to Eastern Europe also. This puts a lot of pressure on Lois as we still have two teenagers at home and she deals with issues on her own. It also puts stress on John as running the Australian team has many demands as well, and both he and the family feel their absence from each other.
- ~We really need your prayers, and the great thing is, God works when we pray!



Welcome to
Faith Bible Church
January 27, 2019

Making disciples and equipping them to
become fully devoted followers of Christ.

TODAY AT FAITH BIBLE CHURCH

Today's Worship Services 9:00 & 10:45 AM

Steve Benton Speaking
"Be Ready"
Matthew 24:36-51

Next week:
Steve Benton Speaking
Matthew 25:1-13

Continental Breakfast

8:15 - 8:55 AM in the gym
(Children stay with their parents during this time)

Sunday School (2 yr. olds through 5th grade)

9:00 - 10:15 AM

Xtra Mile (6th grade through 12th grade)

9:00 - 10:15 AM

Children's Church (2 yrs. through 2nd grade)

10:15 - 11:55 AM

(see maps for room locations)

Adult Bible Fellowships,

9:00 - 10:15 AM and 10:45 - 11:55 AM

Immigrant (African) Fellowship,

12:30 - 2:00 PM

NO Community Groups due to weather

CONNECTING IN ADULT BIBLE FELLOWSHIPS ON SUNDAY MORNING

The Builders - Couples with children of all ages in the home

9:00 AM, room 143

Walking in the Truth (WIT) - Bible literacy

9:00 AM, chapel

The Edge - College & Career

10:45 AM, conference room

PrayerWorks Fellowship - Prayer focused group

10:45 AM, chapel

STAY CONNECTED WITH US!

1800 46th ST NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402-2424 Phone: 319-393-7790

Church Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30 - 4:30 PM

Church Email: fbc@faithb.org

 [@faithbiblechurchcr](https://www.facebook.com/faithbiblechurchcr)

For a complete church calendar and more information,
including staff and church officers, visit faithb.org

STUDENT MINISTRY UPDATES

2019 Medical & Parental Permission Forms are available online: http://bit.ly/fbc_medform

Feb 10: Mission Trip Applications Due with first deposit.

CONNECTION POINTS

Community Groups – Community groups (small groups) gather for accountability and to spur each other on to grow spiritually. Contact Pastor Levi about joining. Canceled for this evening, January 27.

MOSAIC: A singles ministry for those in their 20s. Mosaic meets on Thursday nights at FBC at 6 PM - 8PM. Join in as they delve into the book of James.

Adult Bible Fellowships – These mid-sized groups gather to promote fellowship, spiritual growth, and reach out to connect others into the life of the church.

Women's Bible Studies - go to faithb.org or call the office for details
Tuesday Mornings, 9:30 - 11:15 AM, in the chapel
Wednesday Nights, 7:00 - 8:30 PM in room 143

Men's Bible Study

Join other men on Wednesday mornings from 6:30 - 7:30 AM in the chapel as they tackle various studies. Currently, they are in the midst of a study in the book of John. New men are welcome to come at any time. Contact Pastor Levi with any questions.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Wild Game Feast
Saturday February 2, 9:45– 2:00 PM
Invite your friends!
There are many service areas where you can help. Sign up to serve in the foyer
This is our all church outreach geared towards those who love the outdoors. There is a way for everyone to be involved! Invite unbelieving friends (paper invitations are available) and check the volunteer sheets in the foyer! We are encouraging everyone to register online at: faithb.org.

February 2

Care Ministry Workshop: Fundamentals of Estate Planning

February 17, from 12:00 to 2:30 PM; Presenters will be from FSB
Lunch will be provided. Please sign up in the foyer.

Some topics covered:

What is an estate plan?

How do you get started on an estate plan?

Do you have a living will for your health care needs?

What is probate? What is a trust?

And more...

Community groups have been canceled for this evening, January 27. Stay safe and warm!



Faith Bible is partnering with Bridgehaven Pregnancy Support Center to celebrate the intrinsic value of all human life. Pick up a baby bottle in the foyer, and when you see the baby bottle in your home, cover the ministry in prayer. Your donation will support the life-changing work of meeting the physical and spiritual needs of men and women facing an unplanned pregnancy, reach students through educational programs, make abortion recovery counseling available to all, and provide material support and education to families through the "Earn While You Learn" program. Return your baby bottle on February 17.

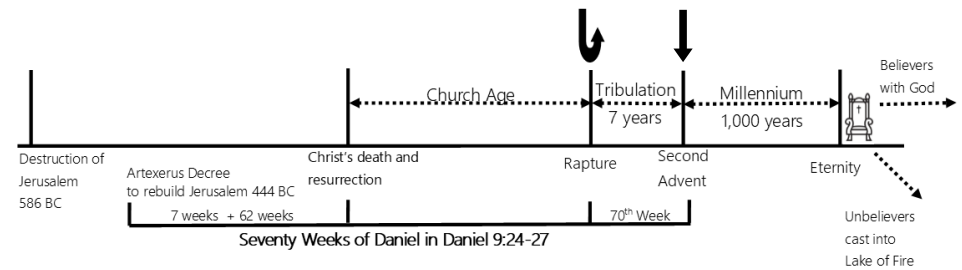
“Be Ready”
 Matthew 24:36-51
 January 20, 2019
 Message by: Steve Benton

I. People will ignore the signs of the Second Coming of Jesus as judge and will just carry on life as normal (Matthew 24:36-41).

II. The signs of Jesus’ return should call people to be ready (Matthew 24:42-51).

Main Idea: Jesus’ Second Coming as judge is a call to be ready!

Applications:



Check your church box for your yearly giving statement to Faith Bible Church. Any statements not picked up by January 28 will be mailed.

Upcoming Events

Apr 6 All Church Appreciation Dinner