

PLEASE PRAY

- For **Vacation Bible School**, our annual Children's Ministry outreach to the children in our community.
 - ~ Please pray:
 - ~ For unbelieving children to join us the week of VBS. We're asking God to bring 10 new families this year.
 - ~ For help with preparation for the weeklong event, especially painting animals and tracing background scenes.
 - ~ For laborers with a gospel mindset to reach out to the kids God brings to us. We're trusting God for other partners in the gospel.
 - ~ For God to open doors for us to share the gospel person-to-person with every child that comes. God has been faithful to provide these times in the past and we're trusting Him for these times this year.
 - ~ For endurance and strength for all that help put VBS together.
 - ~ For prayer support as we prepare and host the kids the week of VBS. We're asking God to be at work to change hearts.
 - ~ For effective follow up with new families and children that have trusted in Jesus. May those families feel the warmth of Jesus through us and the new believing children be challenged to follow Him all of their lives!



Welcome to
Faith Bible Church
April 28, 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
"Worship and Witness"
Matthew 28:16-20

Next week:
Steve Benton Speaking
1 Samuel 29:1 - 30:1

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

Community Groups,

6:00 - 7:30 PM, childcare at the church

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 AM - 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

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STUDENT MINISTRY UPDATES

CLASS
of
2019

If you are graduating and would like to be included in our Graduating Senior publication that will be published on Sunday, May 12, please complete the graduate form online under Student Events page (faithb.org) or, if necessary, pick up a form downstairs or in the foyer and submit before May 7.

TODAY: HS MONTANA MISSION TRIP TRAINING, 1 PM

MAY 29: MS & HS FAMILY PRE-SUMMER KICKOFF PICNIC

@ FBC GYM. CURRENT 5TH GRADE PARENTS/STUDENTS INCLUDED!

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. **We meet TONIGHT!**

MOSAIC: A singles ministry for those in their 20s. Mosaic meets on Thursday nights at FBC at 6 PM - 8 PM.

Women's Bible Studies - go to faithb.org or call the office for details *Women's studies have ended for this term.* Keep a look out for information about fall studies later this summer!

Men's Bible Study - Join other men on Wednesday mornings from 6:30 - 7:30 AM in the chapel, as they tackle various studies. New men are welcome to come at any time. Contact Pastor Levi with any questions.

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Welcome New Members!
Malisa Gongloe & Ibrahim Nallo

Church Work Day:

Saturday, May 4, 9 AM - 12 PM

Come help spruce up the church grounds for the growing season. There will be various indoor activities as well. Bring any yard tools you have to help. Donuts, milk, juice and coffee will served ! Rescheduled from April 27.

COLLECTING ITEMS FOR VBS

We're thinking ahead toward our children's summer outreach, VBS! We're collecting these items for our VBS craft projects. If you have any of these that you could pass along to us, we'd really appreciate it. Items can be placed in the labeled bin outside of the resource room.

- Paper towel tubes
- Beads (any color)
- Buttons
- CD Cases

Encourage Our Graduates!

Faith Bible is giving each of our high school graduates a Bible. We would love for our church family to stop by the Bibles in the foyer and highlight a favorite verse and write a note beside it to exhort each student. Let's continue to build into their lives even as they enter their next life phase. Bibles will be available Sundays through May 19.

Awana® End of Year!

The Awana's award night will be on May 8.

On May 15 at 6 PM there will be an Awana leaders' potluck at the church in the gym. All Awana leaders, listeners, and helpers are encouraged to attend.



Easter Breakfast: Thank You!

Many thanks to all who helped make casseroles and serve breakfast on Easter morning. Your efforts helped us to fellowship together on our joyous Easter morning.

“Worship and Witness”
 Matthew 28:16-20
 April 28, 2019
 Message by: Steve Benton

I. The proper response to seeing Jesus is worshiping Him (Matthew 28:16-17).

II. Disciple-making is a worship response (Matthew 28:18-20).

Main Idea: Making disciples is a response of true worship.

Applications:

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- Preschool and nursery care is provided for workers' children during VBS
- We need people to help with first-day prep on June 14th, set up on 16th after church, meal set up on the 20th, and tear down on the 21st.

Help prepare decorations for VBS!

Thursdays during church office hours and Saturdays from 1:00 - 3:00 PM. Help trace and paint. No artistic skills required.

For more information, contact Pastor Chris in the office, 393-7790 or chris@faith-cr.org. We can find a place for you to serve.

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