

PLEASE PRAY

- for **Jack and Louanne Ryon**, our commissioned missionaries with SIM in North Carolina.
 - ~ Please pray as we continue to serve with SIM in our respective areas, Jack working with SIM's accounting programs and Louanne in missionary healthcare claims and reimbursements.
 - ~ Pray for the Tuesday Bible study on Acts, which has about 15-20 people. It is a very diverse group. It is great to watch God's word and work come alive in them.
 - ~ August – November are our craft sale months, where we sell our woven rugs, and pass out "The Four Spiritual Laws" booklets. Please pray for the "The Who So Ever" that stop and get the booklet. Pray that they will see and understand Gods love for them. John 3:16 "For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that WHO SO EVER believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life"
 - ~ Thanks for praying, and all you do for our Lord



Welcome to
Faith Bible Church
August 25, 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
*"Strength in
Dependence"*
2 Chronicles 16:1-14

Next week:
Steve Benton speaking
Daniel 10:1-21

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, chapel

Fall Kickoff Picnic,

5:00 - 7:00 PM, Noelridge Park Pavilion

CONNECTING IN ADULT BIBLE FELLOWSHIPS ON SUNDAY MORNING

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

9:15 AM, room 143

Walking in the Truth (WIT) - Bible literacy & Christian worldview

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: fbcb@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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Aug 28: Fall Kick Off Crossroads

CONNECTION POINTS: See what is new!

Community Groups — Community groups (small groups) gather for accountability and to spur each other on to grow spiritually. Contact Pastor Levi about joining or with any questions. **Community groups will resume September 15. SIGN UPS ARE IN THE FOYER!**

Growth Groups— Are you interested in deepening your walk with Christ in a small group of 4-6 other believers? Join either a men's or women's growth group this Fall! These groups will meet regularly and include intentionality, Scripture memorization and encouragement as you work through either the Navs 2:7 (men's groups) or Cultivating Holy Beauty (women's groups) series. **Sign up for more information in the foyer or contact Pastor Levi with any questions (levi@faith-cr.org).**

Women's Fall Bible Studies:

The Church ACTION Continues: A women's study of the second half of Acts Wednesdays 7:00 - 8:30 PM beginning September 4 in room 143

In Acts, Luke recorded what Jesus continued to do and teach through the Holy Spirit and the body of believers. We continue our study in chapter 17 where we left off last spring. Whether you came for the earlier study or not, come join us. Questions? Contact Patty at 393-2872 or justice.jp@fmtcs.com.

God of Covenant: A Study of Genesis 12-50 by Jen Wilkin

Tuesdays 9:30 - 11:15 AM beginning September 10 in the chapel

Women, join us for this study in Genesis which will look at the stories of the fathers of our faith—Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and Joseph. The study will walk you through verse by verse, tracing the themes of covenant, resurrection, redemption, and hope. Sign up online at faithb.org or in the foyer. Nursery/ preschool childcare is provided. Contact Julie Wesselink or the office for more information.

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. **There will be no men's study on September 4.**

Adult Bible Fellowship Updates:

- Builders: Currently in the study *You and Me Forever*. This follow-up marriage study will look at marriage in light of eternity and is hosted by Francis Chan. Join the conversation! Note that this group starts class at 9:15 AM.
- WIT: Today is the last day in a 3 week look at end of life issues. On Sept 8, WIT will delve into the book of 1 John in a series entitled "A Guide for Finding Fellowship" led by Doug Benedict. Join us at 9 AM in the chapel.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BAPTISM

We will be having a **baptism service** on Sunday, Sept 8. If you are interested in being baptized, please contact the following pastors in the church office (393-7790): Adults—Pastor Steve, Middle and High School students—Pastor Eric, & Children—Pastor Chris.

Infant Dedication is scheduled for Sunday, September 1. If you are interested in having your child dedicated, please call the church office at 393-7790.

Fall Kickoff Potluck Picnic TODAY, 5 - 7 PM at Noelridge Park

Have some fun-filled fellowship time and learn about service opportunities and our small group groups! Table service is provided. Bring a main and side dish to share, serving utensils, and your own drinks. Council St is accessible from 42nd St.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT OUTREACH

Are you interested in helping reach out to the international college students in our community? Visit Maree Bean and Wade Summers from InterVaristy in the FBC foyer this morning after each worship service to learn more about upcoming opportunities to connect with international college students in the Cedar Rapids area!



FBC Children's Christmas program is coming!

Save the date: Dec 15

Sept 8 : Practice begins at 11:15 AM in the gym (K - 5th Grade)!

Sept 15: Practice continues at 11:15 AM in the gym. Auditions for speaking parts with upper elementary kids at 10:45 AM.

“Strength in Dependence”
 2 Chronicles 16:1-14
 August 25, 2019
 Message by: Steve Benton

I. It is easy to stop depending on the Lord and depend on our own schemes (2 Chronicles 16:1-6).

II. The Lord is looking for people whose hearts are devoted completely to Him (2 Chronicles 16:7-14).

Main Idea: Strength comes in depending on the Lord and not us.

Applications:



On-line registration is open at faithb.org! Computers are available in the foyer TODAY to register.

Wed, Aug 28 First Club Meeting, 6:45 - 8:30 PM
 Trek and Journey 6:15 - 6:45 PM

If you are interested in helping by being either a leader or verse listener on Wednesday evenings from 6:45 - 8:30 PM call Russ Telecky at 396-9249 or the church office at 393-7790. Nursery care is provided for AWANA workers.

Dare2Share LIVE is coming Saturday, October 12
Help us to PRAY, PREPARE, and PROMOTE!



Visit the table in the foyer for invite cards to share with other youth leaders and churches, as well as offer your support in one of many areas help is needed! If you are interested, pick up more info at the table in the foyer, contact Pastor Eric, or visit <http://bit.ly/2Z09aDi> to reserve your spot!



FBC Women's Retreat, September 27-28

Friday, 5:00 PM - Saturday, 1:00 PM

Crooked Creek Christian Camp, Washington IA

Sign up Sundays: Aug 25, Sept 1 & 8

Our speaker: Laurel Langholz, PhD, Christian Psychologist

On Friday night there will be a dramatic presentation on the life of

Amy Carmichael by Abby Evans

Cost is \$30, please submit payment when you sign up. Questions? Contact one of your committee members: Jenna Sabin, Roxie Goetz, Diane Tull, Trudy Hill or Sharon Laird.

FAMILY CHURCH



On **September 1**, there will be **NO kindergarten through adult Sunday School or Children's Church**. This will be a great opportunity for families to be together in the worship service. There **will be** classes for preschool-age children.

Upcoming Events:

Oct 5 & 26: Church Work Days

Oct 13: FBC Golf Outing, Meadowview Golf Course, Central City, 3 PM