

## MISSIONS: LOCAL AND GLOBAL PRAYER REQUESTS

- for **Mike and Jessica Cantonwine**, our commissioned missionaries serving with Youth for Christ in Eastern Iowa
  - ~ Please pray for the over 200 new youth we've met this year (so far). Our staff and volunteers work to build relationship and earn the right to be heard. Pray that those relationships grow and the gospel is heard with open hearts to its message.
  - ~ Please pray for our new staff and volunteers as they learn and build courage to complete the great commission using YFC as a tool.
  - ~ Please pray for our organization as a whole. We feel and see God working some great things, but we know the evil one will try to hinder us.
  - ~ Please pray for our family as we are currently facing some big life decisions.
  - ~ Finally, please pray for our two oldest kids (Dalton, 8 and Addison, 6) as we have begun talks with them about how they can be good witnesses to their friends.

### YOUR CHURCH and its FINANCES

Weekly General Fund Budget Needs .....	\$16,199.00
Last Sunday's Giving (General Fund).....	\$20,456.13
Average General Fund Giving for 2021 .....	\$16,343.69
Last Sunday's Missions Giving (not part of General Fund) .....	\$2,320.00
Last Sunday's Facilities Fund Giving.....	\$5.00

If the Lord lays on your heart a desire to support the ministries of Faith Bible Church financially, you may place your offering in one of the offering boxes (located in the foyer and in the sanctuary) or you can give online at [faithb.org](http://faithb.org).

### STAY CONNECTED WITH US!

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

WiFi information: FBCGuest, password "hebrews1025"

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

Church Email: [fbc@faithb.org](mailto:fbc@faithb.org)

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For a complete church calendar and more information, including staff and church officers, visit [faithb.org](http://faithb.org)



Welcome to  
*Faith Bible Church*  
October 31, 2021

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

### SUNDAY AT FAITH BIBLE CHURCH

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

Steve Benton Speaking  
"Work is Good"  
2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

#### Next week:

Levi Anderson speaking  
Genesis 30:25 - 31:18

 **DST ends**

*Communion served*

*Live Streaming the 9:00 AM service on  
Facebook Live and on Faithb.org*

#### Breakfast Fellowship Time

8:15 - 8:55 AM in the gym

#### Sunday School (2 yr. olds through 5<sup>th</sup> grade)

9:00 - 10:15 AM

#### Sunday Crossroads (6<sup>th</sup> grade -12<sup>th</sup> grade)

9:00 - 10:15 AM

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

10:15 - 11:55 AM (see maps for rooms)

#### Adult Bible Fellowships

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

#### All Church Potluck

12:15 PM, gym

### CONNECTING IN ADULT BIBLE FELLOWSHIPS ON SUNDAY MORNING

If you have any questions about these groups, contact the church office or Pastor Chris.

- The Builders - Parents with children of all ages in the home  
9:15 AM, Room 143
- WIT - Bible literacy & Christian worldview  
9:00 AM, Chapel
- The Edge - College & Career  
10:45 AM, Room 128
- PrayerWorks Fellowship - Prayer focused group  
10:45 AM, Room 125 (next to the nursery)

## STUDENT MINISTRY UPDATES

**Nov 13:** Dare2Share Live *WHATEVER IT TAKES!*  
Register to attend or volunteer by  
going to [faithb.org](http://faithb.org)

**Nov 14:** AirFX Jump Party Outreach, 7-9 PM  
Register and pay at [faithb.org](http://faithb.org)

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY UPDATES:

Children interested in participating in a Christmas program should go to the gym during the 10:45 service! Contact Ruth Baugh with any questions.

## CONNECTION POINTS:

### Community Groups:

Community groups meet twice a month on Sunday evenings and are a great way to connect with others at Faith. Childcare and student ministry are available at the church. To find a group, talk to Pastor Levi ([levi@faith-cr.org](mailto:levi@faith-cr.org)).

### Adult Bible Fellowship Information

**Walking in the Truth - WIT** (Bible Literacy) - 9:00 AM, Chapel

The WIT group is going through a study on the life of Christ led by Homer Showman and Mike Richard. Keying in on Jesus' strategy to make disciple-makers, they will be looking to better understand and put into practice the principles He lived out.

**Builders ABF** (Parents with kids in the home) - 9:15 AM, Rm 143

The Builders are currently in the study *Grace Based Parenting*. In these sessions they'll look closer at a realistic job description for raising spiritually strong children. They'll also look at some of the heart needs and freedoms required to create an atmosphere of grace in the home. Learn and connect with other parents!

**PrayerWorks Fellowship** (Prayer Focused) – 10:45 AM, Rm 125 (by nursery)

This prayer fellowship focuses prayer weekly on our church family, missionaries we have sent out, our local community, and the world. Come pray with us!

**The Edge (College & Career)** – 10:45 AM, Rm 128

This young adult group will be looking deeper in the life of Christ as they learn and seek to put into practice Jesus' strategy for making disciple-makers. Come connect in with them!

## CONNECTION POINTS:

**MOSAIC** Thursdays, 6:00 – 8:00 PM at FBC, for singles: college to age 29.

Mosaic is a ministry for young singles (typically in their 20s) to be able to connect and grow in their Christian walk. There is a time of fellowship over food, followed by a study time.

### MEN'S MINISTRY:

Join other men of Faith for a time of biblical discussion on Wednesday mornings at 6:30 AM in the chapel. Questions? Call or email Levi (712.308.6569 or [levi@faith-cr.org](mailto:levi@faith-cr.org)).

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

### *Baptism Opportunity*

We will be having a **baptism service** on Sunday, November 7. If you are interested in being baptized, please contact the following pastors in the church office (393-7790): **Adults:** Pastors Levi and Brian, **Middle and High School students:** Pastor Eric, and **Children:** Pastor Chris.

*Potluck Sunday—we'll bring the chicken!*

**TODAY, 12:15 PM, Church Gym**



Bring your family and a couple of dishes to share. This potluck is in honor of Eric Groezinger's ordination council weekend. Come fellowship during this church-wide potluck!

## NEWCOMER LUNCH

Sunday, November 14, 12:15 PM in the FBC Gym



If you have been attending FBC for one year or less, you are invited to this free lunch where you can get to know some church leadership and ask questions that you may have about our ministry. Kids are welcome! Let Pastor Levi or the office know if you'd like to come ([levi@faith-cr.org](mailto:levi@faith-cr.org) or 319.393.7790).

“Work is Good”  
 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13  
 October 31, 2021  
 Message by: Steve Benton

- I. The church must insist that Christians who are able to work provide for their own needs (2 Thessalonians 3:6-10).
  
- II. Working to provide for our needs honors Jesus (2 Thessalonians 3:11-13).

Main Idea: It is a good thing to fill our days with work!

Applications:



The Fount: A Women's Outreach Event  
 Saturday, November 20, 6:30 – 8:30 PM  
 Speaker: Elaine Yutzy

Invite your friends to this casual evening of coffee, chocolate and conversation (but don't worry—we'll have tea and cider too!). We'll have cheesecake with various toppings (df/gf options available), gift basket drawings and hear from Elaine Yutzy, wife to the senior teaching pastor at Cornerstone Community Church in Kalona, IA. Sign up online at [faithb.org](http://faithb.org) or in the foyer.

**DARE2SHARE LIVE 2021 IS COMING ON NOVEMBER 13, 2021!**

We are again hosting this national event here at FBC and we need your help! We have various roles and areas of responsibility that will help make this day run smoothly for the 300+ area students & youth groups expected to join us! Security, food prep, snack bar support, and more! Contact Pastor Eric, sign up in the lobby, or visit [faithb.org](http://faithb.org) for more details about how you can be involved in this event that is preparing and equipping our students to share the Gospel!

### Operation Christmas Child



Share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with children around the globe by packing a shoebox for Operation Christmas Child! Brochures with instructions, box labels, packing suggestions, and empty shoeboxes (while supplies last) are at the big red and green shoebox across from the Resource Room. Questions? Go to [samaritanaspurse.org](http://samaritanaspurse.org) for more information or contact Jenny Evans, 319.393.7790. The deadline to have boxes to FBC is **Wed, November 17**. Shoeboxes (with a label attached!) should be placed in the big shoebox.