

MISSIONS: LOCAL AND GLOBAL PRAYER REQUESTS

- for **Lance and Katie Knight**, our commissioned missionaries serving with InterVarsity. ~ Over the next month we'll be helping our student leaders put together ministry plans for the new school year (setting evangelism strategies, planning Bible studies, preparing outreach events, etc.) Please pray that God will guide us and our leaders as we plan.
~ It's official. The government in Trinidad & Tobago will not allow us to return long term to live and work. Please pray that God will raise up new staff and volunteers for the InterVarsity ministry in T&T. Over the next 2 months we'll be reaching out to people, inviting them to serve in the ministry, and training them so they're prepared to take over the ministry responsibilities we had. Pray for God to bring the right people to the ministry and for smooth transitions.
~ Although we can't return long term, we are planning a short trip to T&T the first couple weeks of September - getting in with a tourist visa - to help our students get things started for the new school year. The first couple weeks of school is a prime time for outreach and inviting students to Bible studies. Pray for our trip to go smoothly and that we'll have no issues with immigration in the airport. Also pray for many new students to get connected to the ministry through our outreach initiatives.
~ Pray that God will continue to direct us as we figure out what's next. We've felt God leading us to a particular country, but we're still in talks with the local InterVarsity ministry team there, and nothing has been finalized yet. Ask the Lord to go before us and prepare the way.

YOUR CHURCH and its FINANCES

Weekly General Fund Budget Needs for 2022	\$17,060.00
Last Sunday's Giving (General Fund)	\$19,418.65
Average General Fund Giving for 2022	\$18,400.03
Last Sunday's Missions Giving (not part of General Fund)	\$5,045.00
Last Sunday's Facilities Fund Giving.....	\$30,503.86

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.

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

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



Welcome to Faith Bible Church

August 7, 2022

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

SUNDAY AT FAITH BIBLE CHURCH

*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

First Hour (9:00 -10:15 AM)

Sunday School (2 years old through 5th grade)

Sunday Crossroads (6th grade -12th grade)

Adult Bible Fellowships (Builders & WIT)

Second Hour (10:45 -11:55 AM)

Preschool Sunday School (Room 107)

Children's Church (K - 2nd grade, Room 111)

By Design (preschool - 6th grade, Room 125)

Adult Bible Fellowships (PrayerWorks & Edge)

Today's Worship Services

9:00 & 10:45 AM

Levi Anderson Speaking

"Forgiven to Forgive"

Matthew 18:21-35

Communion Served (gf)

Next week:

Steve Benton speaking

"Introduction to the Mosaic Covenant"

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
- **Edge** - College & Career
10:45 AM, Room 128
- **PrayerWorks Fellowship** - Prayer focused group
10:45 AM, Chapel

STUDENT MINISTRY UPDATES:

AUG 10: MS & HS CROSSROADS BONFIRE & GAME NIGHT @ FBC!

AUG 11: HOPE DAY. 10 AM—2 PM

HELP THE PARKS PACK AND LOAD, 2560 INDIAN CREEK RD, MARION

AUG 17: MS & HS CROSSROAD—PARK NIGHT @ NOELRIDGE PARK

GO TO THE WEST SIDE NEAR PLAYGROUND

AUG 24: MS & HS CROSSROADS FALL KICKOFF!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY UPDATES:



Online registration is open at faithb.org!
The first night is set for August 24.

Wed, Aug 10 Awana Volunteer Meeting, 7 PM, Rm 104

Wed, Aug 24 First Club Meeting, 6:45 - 8:15 PM

Trek and Journey 6:30 - 6:45 PM

We are looking for listeners in all levels. If you are interested in helping by being either a leader or verse listener on Wednesday evenings from 6:45 - 8:15 PM call Russ Telecky at 396-9249 or the church office at 393-7790. Nursery care is provided for AWANA workers.

Awana Field Game Night: August 17

Treats and fun on the grass out back! Awana Field Game Night will kick off the Awana year for kids and parents in the lawn behind the church. Join us from 7-8PM!

Questions? Contact Russ Telecky.

CONNECTION POINTS:

Adult Bible Fellowship Information

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

The WIT group is in a study in the book of Philippians, a book on joy! Joy comes from the Lord, and we can have deep and lasting joy as we live for Him and His purposes. Come be challenged to live for the sake of gospel no matter what the circumstance! *Starting August 14, Levi Anderson will begin a three week study entitled "A Theology of Sin."*

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

Jesus' message challenges people to turn to Him and trust in Him. The gospel of Mark records this challenging message! Come hear the message of Mark's gospel on location in Israel and let it impact you and your life like it did for the first hearers. *Starting in mid-August—"The Art of Neighboring".*

PrayerWorks Fellowship (Prayer Focused) - 10:45 AM, Chapel

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!

Edge (College & Career) - 10:45 AM, Rm 128

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

CONNECTION POINTS:

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY:

Join other men of Faith for a time of biblical study and discussion on Wednesday mornings at 6:30 AM in the chapel. We are in a new study titled "The Beatitudes" from Matt Chandler. All men are welcome! Questions? Call (712.308.6569) or email (levi@faith-cr.org) Levi.

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.

Community Groups:

Community groups meet twice a month on Sunday evenings, September - April and are a great way to connect with others at Faith. Childcare and student ministry are available at the church. Sign ups start August 21!

*Tuesday Morning Bible Study: Before the Throne by Crickett Keeth
Aug 23 - Dec 6, Tuesdays, 9:30-11:30 AM, Gym*

Where do you go when life overwhelms you? *Before the Throne*. This study focuses on eight prayer warriors from Scripture who turned to God when times became difficult—Moses, Psalmists, Hezekiah, Paul, and more.

Sign up at faithb.org or in the foyer. Questions? Contact Mary Tiedemann, 515.867.0659, mtiedemann99@gmail.com.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

POTLUCK PICNIC—we'll bring the smoked meat!



August 14, 12:15 PM, Noelridge Park Pavilion

Bring your family, a couple of dishes to share, serving utensils, and your own drinks. This potluck is in honor of Levi Anderson's ordination council weekend. Come fellowship during this church-wide potluck!



Infant Dedication is scheduled for Sunday, Sept. 4! If you are interested in having your child dedicated, please call the church office at 319.393.7790.

“Forgiven to Forgive”
 Matthew 18:21-35
 August 7, 2022
 Message by: Levi Anderson

Main Idea: Those who have been forgiven freely forgive others as well.

Applications:

Noreen & Frank Parks Move Help

Help is needed to move Frank & Noreen Parks to their new condo.

When: Saturday, August 13, 9:30 AM

Where: Current home location of 2560 Indian Creek Rd, Marion

If you can help for anytime during this move, please call the church office to let us know you'll be coming (319.393.7790).



Reminder that now is a great time to pick up school **supplies for Operation Christmas Child boxes!** Our Children's Ministry will be packing boxes later in the fall. Below are some item suggestions for this event. Please drop donations in the labeled tote by the resource room.

- Pencils/pens/erasers Index cards/mini notebooks
- Colored Pencils Stickers
- Scissors Crayons/markers
- Glue Sticks Watercolor paint set
- Solar calculator Manual pencil sharpener

Exploring Faith Bible Studies

Looking for resources to help you have spiritual conversations with your friends? Check out the Exploring Faith Bible studies! Located in the church foyer (located on rack next to the missions wall), these are designed for you to go through with a friend, specifically pointing the conversation toward the Gospel. We would love to pray for you and help in any way we can as you use these resources to reach family, friends, and neighbors. Questions? Contact Pastor Levi (levi@faith-cr.org or 712.308.6569)

—ABC Women's Retreat—

When: Saturday, September 10, 8:45 AM - 2:30 PM

Where: Ridgehaven Cono Retreat Center, Walker, IA

Our speaker: Christina Hernandez

Breakfast & lunch is provided at this no cost event.

Sign up through Wednesday, August 24 online or in the foyer! Please indicate your preference in regards to possible carpooling when signing up.

Questions? Contact one of your committee members: Cheryl Lancaster, Sandy VanSeveren or Marcia Pedersen