FCC NEWSLETTER

The Official Monthly Newsletter of Faith Community Church - New Richmond



FAITH REBUILD

It's Time!

We are SO excited that this month will be the kick-off of our Faith Rebuild event here at FCC! In this edition, we will go into more detail about what our Phase Plan looks like, what the changes will be, and ways YOU can get involved. We will need ALL HANDS ON DECK to accomplish these goals so that we can better accomplish our mission statement of making disciples who plant the church! God's timing is always perfect, and we praise Him for all of the blessings he continues to provide us here at Faith Community Church.

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pastor patrick

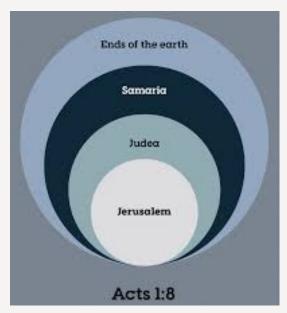
THE VISION

Go and make disciples...

Dear Church Family,

The mission of Faith Community Church is to make disciples who plant the church. This mission is not unique to FCC, but is the mission of every New Testament Church. I can say that because our mission statement is a restatement of the Great Commission given to us by the Lord Jesus. That means here at FCC, we are a Great Commission people.

The Great Commission in its most common form is seen in Matthew 28:18-20, but it shows up in various forms in all four of the gospels (Mark 16:15; Luke 24:47-48; John 20:21). It also shows up in the book of Acts. In Acts 1, as the resurrected Jesus is about to ascend into Heaven, he tells his disciples, "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." Our job is to make disciples by bearing witness to the resurrected Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit. But notice the locations Jesus lists: Jerusalem, Judea, Samaria, and to the ends of the world. In other words, Jesus tells his disciples to start where they are at and then work their way out to the whole world.



My desire is that FCC would recommit ourselves to the mission of evangelism and discipleship starting right here with our own church. This is our Jerusalem. This has been a particular focus of mine since I arrived. I have asked each of the leaders on our Ministry Team to "sharpen the gospel edge" of every one of our ministries. Please don't misunderstand me, I have every intention of engaging our community with the gospel and I am fully committed to foreign missions, but evangelism and discipleship start at home. I want it to be that no one who comes to Faith Community Church can ever say, "They never told me about Jesus."

And now, God in his providence has provided us with an incredible opportunity. Sonshine Learning Center has announced that they are moving to their new building in town. Our plan is to leverage this vacated space to revamp our discipleship for all ages. In the Fall, we will be starting a brand-new Sunday School period at 10am between the two morning services. Our worship service times will change; first service will be at 8:30am and second service will be at 11:00am. The Sunday School period will have classes available for all ages (including adults).

During the worship services, there will be Children's Church available for children 4K-1st grade, and nursery services will still be provided. Children in 2nd grade and older will remain in worship with their families for the whole service. Keeping these older children in the worship service is intentional. One of the unintended consequences of removing older children from the worship service is that they begin to believe that "big church" is "boring church." We want to incorporate them in the worship of the church as soon as possible so they can grow in Christian maturity.

In order to make this vision a reality in the Fall, we will need your help. This month, we are beginning a project we've given the name of "Faith Rebuild." This plan will begin with a kickoff on July 26-27th in which we will be assisting Sonshine in their move across town to their new facility. Sonshine is led by two wonderful members of our church, Todd and Haley Hennlich, and we want to bless them and love them well as their business flourishes in their new location. Our next goal will be to spend the month of August renovating that wing of our building, as well as the kitchen, for our ministries to utilize in the Fall.

You can help by praying, serving and giving.

- Pray: First and foremost, we recognize that we can achieve nothing on our own. If the Lord is not in this plan, it will not succeed. Will you regularly pray that the Lord would bless this work as we seek to serve Him?
- Serve: Second, we will need teams of volunteers working on the building throughout the month of August that will be directed by the Board of Trustees. (There will be more information coming out about this soon.) Will you join us in renewing and rebuilding the "E-Wing" (Education wing) for ministry?
- **Give:** Finally, you can give online to Faith Rebuild by going to our website. Would you consider how the Lord may be calling you to financially contribute to this cause?

I am so thrilled to be a part of Faith Community Church and I look forward to what God is going to do in the future!

Patrick Mostek Lead Pastor

faith rebuild

FAITH REBUILD

Kicks off July 26 & 27: LINK

All Hands Needed!

We are so excited to launch FAITH REBUILD for the summer of 2024! As we transform our south wing into our new Education Wing here at FCC, we need YOU to come and be a part of the process!!

On both Friday, July 26th, and Saturday, July 27th, we will have our Faith Rebuild Kick-off event where we will be assisting Sonshine Learning Center, who currently rents the south wing of our building, to move into their brand new location!

Tentative Timeline:

(Come for as much of the process as you can!) **Friday:**

- 8:00am: Devotion and light breakfast at FCC
- 8:30am: Start jobs for the day including loading up two separate storage areas offsite and moving them to the new Sonshine location, building furniture, moving the kitchen to new location.
- NOON: Sack lunches will be available here at FCC!
- 6:00pm: Sonshine closes for the day and we will be able to help them pack!

Saturday:

- 8:00am: Devotion and breakfast at FCC
- 8:30am: Get our job assignments for the day and get started! Jobs will include moving classrooms to new location. finish building furniture, cleaning kitchen, and however else we are needed.
- NOON: Sack lunches will be available
- 6pm: Wrapping up with dinner at the new Sonshine Learning Center facility!

There will be jobs for everyone!

- Loading up 2 storage units and unloading them at the new location
- Building furniture at the new location
- Packing up classrooms and storage areas at FCC
- Unloading and unpacking items at the new location
- Food and Beverage service opportunites
- Box Building
- Cleaning and more!

Cost:

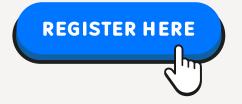
We will be getting t-shirts as part of the fun, as well as providing meals all weekend long, so we are asking for \$20/adult and \$10/kid donation! But, don't let the cost stop you! We are happy to cover the cost if this is a hardship for you! Just register using the "scholarship option" for the registrations you need help with!

More details will come once we have a solid plan in place. For now, **get registered** for the time slots you are available, choose your t-shirt sizes, mark the dates on your calendar, and get ready for a weekend of fun and being the hands and feet of Christ!



Can't help in person, but still want to contribute? Here are a few ways how:

- Prayer: First and foremost, we ask you to be in prayer over this whole transition both for Sonshine and FCC! Pray for God to use both of these spaces to help make more and more disciples, and for our efforts to glorify His name!
- Boxes: we will be taking BOX donations anytime to help Sonshine pack up!
- Want to donate financially to this exciting project? Click HERE!



faith rebuild phase plan

Rebuild Kickoff: LINK

Serving in August: LINK

E-Wing Map: LINK

WEEK I: JULY 28 - AUGUST 3

We will start the cleaning process of ALL of the rooms in the E-WING: 21 rooms and 4 hallways! We will remove anything and everything from these rooms to prepare for a new coat of paint, and do a quick fix up to the immediate area. The first week we will be spending time getting the space emptied and ready for the next step. This will include a deep cleaning of all bathrooms. The grout will be steamed. We will fix all toilet lids and plumbing issues and fix stalls to get ready for paint.

WEEK 2: AUGUST 4- AUGUST 10

We now can focus on paint. We do need room 402 for VBS which set up is August 12 and the rest of the week we will be serving kiddos. Room 402 will be the first room done, along with the bathrooms on FCC side and E-WING side (6 total). We will also attack the storage room 417. Items that will be addressed are cabinetry adjustments/fixing. Plumbing inspected. Electrical inspected. New lights in each room. We will be focusing on washing walls and cleaning cabinets. While we ready the rooms for the next step. Painting Hallway 1 will also begin.

WEEK 3: AUGUST 11 - AUGUST 17

Rooms 400 – 405 will be painted and freshened up. We will have the rooms cleaned and painted. Room 400 is the office space for Bobbi's team and we will be focusing on setting that up in a way that is multi functional. Room 401 is the current "break room" and we will be flipping this room into a conference room. The Elders will use this space as the team grows, and so will our deacon team. Room 403 is for our 2–3 year olds along with a quiet room (405) for nursing mothers. We will be jumping across the hallway to clean and paint room 404 and get that set up as a multi-functional teaching room. Painting Hallway 2 will begin.

WEEK 4: AUGUST 18 - AUGUST 24

Rooms 406 – 410, and our infant room 407, along with its small room for napping room 406. We will have some pack & plays available so the babies can get some shut eye. Again, we will be fixing all above items and washing windows and painting. We will have each room set up to match the appropriate age groups who are using the room. Room 408 is a bigger room and will be for a multifunctional space as well. Room 409 is currently the "barn" room and will continue to be used for 3–5 year olds. Room 410 has already been flipped by Bobbi and team so there shouldn't be much to do in there. Painting Hallway 3 will begin.

WEEK 5: AUGUST 25 - AUGUST 31

This leaves us with Rooms 411–416 to set up in a smaller way. We will be using these rooms but we will organize the "flip" in Phase 2 plans. For now we will be using the 8' tables and extra worship chairs for these classrooms. They will be clean and functional. Along with this we will need to paint and flip the D-WING. We will be relocating all items from the D Hallways back into the E-WING, and setting these rooms up for Adult learning and High School learning. These spaces will also be available for community style events. Painting hallway 4 in E-Wing will begin!

AUGUST 1-31: KITCHEN REMODEL

We will be Re-Building the kitchen!! This area is going to take some professionals and will be under the Board of Trustees watch. But some exciting things will be happening in there. New Freezer, Refrigerator, Ice Machine, Ovens, Microwaves, Sinks, Cabinets/countertops, Dishwasher, Coffee area... it's gonna be great!

SEPTEMBER 8TH: GRAND OPENING!

Our new service times will begin, classes will start, and it's time to enjoy all God has given us!

fun fest and been tent service

FUN FEST 2024

July 11-14

We need all hands on deck for our Fun Fest Food Booth this year which is already next week!!! Shifts are only 2 hours long, and you can sign up for as many as you are able! This year we are making our fan favorite deep fried oreos, adding deep fried snicker bars, and making walking tacos!!

This is a great opportunity to not only serve alongside your FCC family, but also be a light in our community and invite them to join us here at church.

Sign up **HERE** for a time slot to serve!

ALREADY SIGNED UP? Great! We invite you to wear your favorite FCC shirt, or purchase a new Faith Rebuild shirt for \$10 to wear while serving at Fun Fest (and while you are serving at Faith Rebuild!)

All proceeds this year will go toward our new Education Wing!





BEER TENT SERVICE

July 14th at 10:00am



Join us in the Beer Tent for our annual Fun Fest Beer Tent Service on Sunday July 14th at 10am. What a great opportunity for you to invite a new friend or neighbor to church!

The beer tent will be located in the lot behind Champs Bar & Grill. Please note there will only be ONE service on this Sunday.

Bring a lawn chair if you are able. There will be some chairs available. Stop by our Food Booth for lunch when we are done!

If you are willing and able to help with set up and clean up of the Beer Tent that morning, please email Chuck at chuck.olson@homeforever.org

New Richmond Fun Fest Schedule!

Thursday July 11

3pm Food Court Opens 5pm Carnival Rides Open 6-10pm Carnival Wristbands Special Pricing

Friday July 12

Noon Food Court Opens

12-4pm Carnival Rides Open Wrist Band Special Pricing 3-6pm Legendary Sidewalk Sales - DOWNTOWN NR 6pm-10pm Carnival Wrist Band Special Pricing

Saturday July 13

11am Food Court Opens

Noon Carnival Rides Open Wrist Band Special Pricing

Sunday July 14

11am Food Court Opens

10-11am: Faith Community Church Service under Beer

12-4pm Carnival Rides Open Wrist Band Special Pricing

12-1:30pm Grand Parade Downtown (DQ to 6th St.)

2pm Mallards Hot Dog Eating Contest

2:45-4pm Live Music

4pm Fun Fest Ends

children's ministry

VBS 2024

August 13th-16th



It's all hands on deck to bring Breaker Rock Beach to FCC August 13th-16th! Join us for a week of Gospel centered fun for our littlest church and community! This is an incredible outreach event and we welcome our entire church family to participate. Here are some ways to get involved!

If you would like to volunteer, we need help with Set Up, Clean Up, Crew Leaders, Decor Creators, Bonfire Helpers, Youth Helpers (6th grade and up), etc. Sign up here: **CLICK LINK**

If you would like to attend, registration is open for all children ages three to entering fifth grade. Register here: **CLICK LINK**

Can't help, but want to support VBS?

- Pray! Join us in praying for provision and protection for Vacation Bible School and that the Lord would be glorified in and through it!
- Invite! Grab a handful of door hanger invitations and put them up in your neighborhood or give them out to family and friends!
- Give! Look for the VBS Giving Tree in the church lobby to help provide dinner during VBS!

If you have any questions about VBS, don't hesitate to reach out to Bobbi at **bobbi.blanchard@homeforever.org**

FAITH REBUILD

KidZone Updates

We are busy preparing for all of the exciting changes in the "E" wing this fall! There will be new program offerings, new curriculum, new times and a new space! Stay tuned throughout the summer for ways to participate in what God is doing in New Richmond through Faith Community Church!

Program Information:



Nursery is offered for children ages birth through 4 yrs during both the 8:30 and 11:00 services and Sunday School Hour. The Nursery team is dedicated to providing a God-focused, happy, healthy, and safe environment for the children in its care

- 0-6 Month Room
- 7-23 Month Room
- 2&3 Yr Room



Sunday School is offered for kids 4K-3rd Grade during our Sunday School Hour: 10-10:45am. Using The Gospel Project for Kids curriculum, students look at the big picture of God's story—the story of redemption through Jesus Christ. Each week, kids follow a chronological timeline of Bible events, all the while learning how each story points to the gospel of Jesus Christ.

- 4K
- Kindergarten & 1st Grade
- 2nd & 3rd Grade



(Name to be determined!) is offered for kids in 4th & 5th Grade during our Sunday School Hour: 10-10:45am. Using the Forged: Faith Refined curriculum, preteens will sharpen their worldview according to biblical principles. As preteens move toward their teenage years, this class will use the Bible to help refine their faith and prepare them to understand and interact with the world around them with a biblical worldview all while preparing them for the transition to our youth group.

• 4th & 5th Grade



Children's Church is offered for kids 4K-1st Grade during both the 8:30 and 11:00 service. Students will participate in Kids Worship, Bible memorization, and Bible literacy along with fun activities corresponding to the day's Sunday School lesson from The Gospel Project for Kids curriculum. This will not be the Sunday School class, but a supplement for it.

• 4K, Kindergarten & 1st Grade

women's ministry

DISCIPLE HER

10 week study

Our 10-week study for women interested in learning about being a disciple, making disciples, and living as a life-giver has been off to a great start! The study is taking us through

"Transformed" by Karen Hodge & Susan Hunt.



It's a Gospel-centered study of Eve, Sara, and Mary. The study meets on Tuesdays from 6:00-7:30 pm and started on June 4th. It's not too late to join! For for info on mentoring at FCC check out the Women's Ministry page at fccnr.org.

Books are available for \$14, or you may purchase your own book. Sign up on the **events page**.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

The FCC Women's Ministry exists to equip women to be disciples who plant the church.

Visit our website here:

https://www.fccnr.org/womensministry

Email Stephanie Langer here: stephanie.langer@homeforever.org

Check out and subscribe to our blog here: http://fccnr.org/womens-ministry-blog

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LADIES TIME OUT

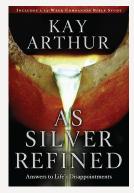
Summer Park Dates

During the summer months, our Ladies Time Out ministry will be having casual gatherings at Mary Park in New Richmond in the new, fenced in, Will's Playground area! There are trails, fishing spots, basketball hoops, pickleball courts and grassy areas as well for older children to come and play! BYOC (bring your own coffee) and join us! Reach out to Christa Poole at christa.poole@homeforever.org with any questions you might have! We hope to see you there!

MOMENTS THAT MATTER

Monthly Book Club: LINK

Our monthly book club meets on the 3rd Saturday of each month from 10am to noon in the cafe at FCC. Our book for July 20th is "As Silver Refined" by Kay Arthur. The description says, "What if the things you call disappointments are really His appointments—events He is using to make you more like Christ?" We would love to have you join us to discuss this great read! Copies are NOW available in the church bookstore! Have questions? Call or text Connie Schroeder at 720-220-4180



PAINT NIGHT

Friday, July 19th

Ladies 12+ please join us in the D rooms on Friday, July 19th at 7pm for a fun night of painting, food, & fellowship. Laura Fitzgerald will lead us in a class to paint a beautiful picture portraying Isaiah 40:8. Cost is \$15. Please register HERE by July 7th.

Isaiah 40:8:

The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever.



men's ministry

MEN OF FAITH MEN AT FAITH

Getting Started

Our Men's Ministry recently kicked off with a Men's Breakfast here at FCC. We had a good time meeting new brothers, and enjoyed the company of others who have been coming for sometime. One of the most important goals for this ministry is to develop relationships that can encourage and strengthen each other's faiths, and we hope we accomplished that goal.

Our time inside was followed up with assisting the trustees on some outside work to help improve the appearance of our beautiful property we have been entrusted with. Thank you to all who stayed/came to help with this project! Moving forward, we are going to plan on gathering for a quarterly breakfast, as well as other events including a men's retreat. Keep watching for upcoming dates. In the very near future, July and August will provide many opportunities for men to serve the church with labor as we help move Sonshine and prepare to create our new Education Wing. Please make some time for this.

Check out our new Men's Ministry brochure at the Connection Point that outlines our purpose, and feel free to use this as a tool to invite others.

Psalm 19:11:

"Moreover, by them is your servant warned, in keeping them there is great reward."
Remember, God did not give us His Word to deprive us of enjoyment, but rather to keep us from what would harm us.

Jim Ruhl Deacon of Men's Ministry









rext steps

SERVICE TIME CHANGES

Starting September 8th!

Mark your calendars! Starting Sunday, September 8th, we will be changing our service times to 8:30am and 11:00am to make room for Sunday School for children, youth, AND adults between services! Sunday school will run from 10-10:45am. We are so excited about this new opportunity to spend more time together on Sunday mornings, dive more into the word, build relationships and more!



BAPTISMS

at Faith Community Church

Baptism is a public testimony identifying a believer with the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. As we take this step of being baptized we are making a public statement to our church family that we have been born to newness of life through Christ.

If you wish to take this step of obedience, please register **ONLINE** so we can connect with you!



GOVENANT MEMBERSHIP

Upcoming Class

If Faith Community Church is your home, and you want to become a Covenant Member with us, please register for our upcoming orientation class on Saturday, July 20th from 9-11:30am. (LINK)

We are excited to take these next steps with you!



SUMMER SMALL GROUP

Join Us!

We have a group that meets each Wednesday from 6-7:30pm at the church now through August 28th. Each week we will be digging into the message that was taught on the previous Sunday. This is a great opportunity to get connected with others in our church family and to have some dedicated time for fellowship and study. Students home for the summer and folks newer to FCC are especially invited, but anyone is welcome! More information and registration can be found online!

SIGN UP HERE: LINK



verse of the month

ROMANS 3:23-25

23 FOR ALL HAVE SINNED AND FALL SHORT OF THE GLORY OF GOD, 24 AND ARE JUSTIFIED BY HIS GRACE AS A GIFT, THROUGH THE REDEMPTION THAT IS IN CHRIST JESUS, 25 WHOM GOD PUT FORWARD AS A PROPITIATION BY HIS BLOOD, TO BE RECEIVED BY FAITH. THIS WAS TO SHOW GOD'S RIGHTEOUSNESS, BECAUSE IN HIS DIVINE FORBEARANCE HE HAD PASSED OVER FORMER SINS.



MEMORY CARDS

Our July memory verse card is available in the foyer for you to take home and use as a tool to help you memorize this month's scripture! They are located on a table as you exit the church. Hang them on your mirrors, tuck it in your wallet or your phone case, put it by the door... keep it handy to look at and memorize whenever you can!

VERSE LOCKER

Looking for a new and useful way to learn your memory verse each month? The Verse Locker App is a great option!





Want to catch up?

Head to our website to see all of our verses from 2024 so far!



Download the App LINK HERE



Choose your verse and edit as needed.



Start to



Blur out more and more words until you have it memorized!

missions

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Start Planning Now!

Prior to the children receiving their Operation Christmas Child shoebox gift, a Gospel presentation is given, and "The Greatest Gift" pamphlet is handed out to each shoebox recipient. This booklet shares the message of Salvation and is currently printed in 107 languages. Operation Christmas Child is also reaching out to children from deaf, blind, and oral communities with audio recorded Gospel materials and resources in Braille are currently in development. Your \$10 processing donation not only defrays the processing/shipping/customs to the international country, but also covers the cost of these Gospel materials and the necessary education/training for the local volunteers to teach a quality Gospel presentation.



It's more than a gift. It's a life-changing message of love and hope. It's God's love on display.

It's not too early to start buying supplies to pack your Gospel Opportunity shoeboxes!

- July is the BEST month to purchase your quality school supplies on sale.
- Watch for fun summer toys/items to go on clearance.
- Pack Quality Fun Full shoeboxes...a tangible expression of God's love to the child.



UGANDA

On Fire for the Lord

As our former pastor, Mike Evans, shared during service on Sunday, June 16, Uganda is on fire for the Lord. Mike, along with the other St. Croix Valley team, traveled to Uganda in May to share the next lesson of TLI Gospel training with their current cohort of African men. Along with this team, traveled the individual prayer cards that had been thoughtfully crafted by our church family here at Faith Community. The cohort of men were deeply moved when they received their handwritten words of prayer and encouragement, and this allowed them to realize that they have brothers and sisters in Christ on the other side of the world.

Part of the TLI training is challenging the men to take back what they've learned and teach it to others...disciple making multiplication! TLI cohort trainee, Chandiga John, along with a handful of others, had the desire and vision to bring the TLI training to those living in the refugee settlements in the Adjumani district. From the vision that was placed on their hearts, the "Ofu Loso" (Gospel is Good) ministry was born. To carry out this vision, Ofu Loso needed Bibles which Faith Community Church has supplied through mission funds.

In July, Ofu Loso will host its first session with 16 men in the Elema refugee settlement, with the other three refugee settlements to follow: 10 men in Boroli, 10 men in Maaji, and 20 men in Pagrinya. Ofu Loso also received handwritten prayer/encouragement cards from our Faith Community church family which will be distributed at the first session in each settlement. Please be in prayer for all these men as this ministry begins its first session and these men receive their Bibles, study materials, and handwritten personal prayer cards.

Chandiga John will share pictures with us of their first session...watch for those to come soon.

You can pray for these men by name - lists of names of the men training in the four refugee settlements as well as the two TLI cohorts are available at the Information Desk.

Jackie Warner FCC Mission Team

cohing up

WORSHIP AND PRODUCTION TEAM

Join Us!

Our worship team has been actively training new volunteers and getting them involved into both the worship team as well as the production team. We have also been spending time developing the systems that will allow more to get plugged in. One thing we have been stressing is a "one team" approach when it comes to teams involved on Sunday morning. Still have a ways to go, however I have been very encouraged to see this progress. We are always looking for more to get involved on either the worship team or production team so if you are interested please let us know. One last area of focus is developing a team of people that are able to create videos. So again if you are interested please let us know.

BLOOD DRIVE

Thursday, July 11th at FCC

The Red Cross is holding a blood drive here at FCC on Thursday, July 11th from noon-6pm! Search for the blood drive and register for an appointment on the red cross website: LINK



FGG RIVER RUN

Motorcycle Ride

On Saturday, August 17th at 10am we are planning to RIDE! We will meet at FCC for prayer at 10am and then will head to Prescott, WI to jump on the River Run. The total route will be 183 miles and we will take all 4 hours. Jump on with us and enjoy the ride and wind therapy as we appreciate all God has given us! More information and the sign-up can be found online: LINK



GRIEFSHARE

Monday Nights at 6pm

We have been blessed with many individuals who are seeking hope and encouragement through GriefShare. Our 13 week series that began on June 17 has been well attended. Registration is still open for those who want to join in on these sessions that will continue meeting Mondays at 6:00 pm through September 16th. As we grow in size there is a need for more team members. If you are interested in learning more about how you can help with this much needed ministry please contact Rita Baker, Cal Gale or Brenda Mobley.

Rita Baker GriefShare Facilitator



PRAYER TEAM

The Power of Prayer

The power of prayer has subdued the strength of fire; it has bridled the rage of lions, hushed the anarchy to rest, extinguished wars, appeased the elements, expelled demons, burst the chains of death, expanded the gates of heaven, assuaged diseases, repelled frauds, rescued cities from destruction, stayed the sun in its course, and arrested the progress of the thunderbolt. Prayer is an allefficient panoply, a treasure undiminished, a mine which is never exhausted, a sky unobscured by clouds, a heaven unruffled by the storm. It is the root, the fountain, the mother of a thousand blessings.

John Chrysostom, 347-407 AD.

Save the date: Our next prayer and worship night will be on Saturday, August 24th!

housekeeping

GIVE

fccnr.org/give

You can give once or set up recurring donations online, or place your tithes and offerings in the offering boxes just outside the sanctuary doors (in the wall). Thank you for your faithfulness and generosity!



General Fund: The general fund supports all the ministries and operations that take place at Faith Community Church, including support of our local and global partners. Thank you for financially supporting our mission of making disciples who plant the church!

General Fund: LINK



Faith Rebuild Fund: The faith rebuild fund is for the renovation and refurbishing of the education wing and meeting rooms in the FCC building. Financial gifts and offerings to this fund are to be above and beyond normal tithes and offerings. Thank you for contributing to the rebuild!

Faith Rebuild: LINK

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Month of May

(000s) Actual Budgeted

Giving 62 60 Expenditures 55 67

Because of your generosity and faithful giving, many of these classes, events, and opportunities are possible. Thank you!

The Cheerful Giver

2 Corinthians 9:6-9

The point is this: whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times, you may abound in every good work. As it is written, "He has distributed freely, he has given to the poor; his righteousness endures forever."

CONNECT

We are the Church.

Join us every Sunday morning at 9:00am or 10:45am for in person services. Stay up to date with what's going on and follow us on Facebook, or catch up on services you have missed on our YouTube channel!



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efccnr.org

VIDEO LINK

From Ron Hansen FCC Financial Administrator

Recently, our Financial Administrator, Ron Hansen, put together a video for our church family discussing our new Faith Rebuild Fund. Check it out!



upcoming events @ FCC

JULY 2024

GriefShare 6-8pm

Disciple Her Training 6:30-8pm 2nd:

3rd: Men's Study 5-6am

Summer Small Group 6-7:30pm Elder Meeting 6:30-7:30pm

4th: **HAPPY 4th of JULY!**

6th: Men's Study 7-8am

7th: Worship 9 & 10:45am w/Communion

Deeper Youth Study 6-7:30pm

8th: GriefShare 6-8pm

9th: Counseling Team Meeting 6:30-8pm

Disciple Her Class 6:30-8pm

10th: Men's Study 5-6am

> Summer Small Group 6-7:30pm Elder Meeting 6:30-7:30pm

11th: **FUN FEST Food Booth 3-11pm**

Red Cross Blood Drive 12-6pm

Worship Practice 7-9pm

12th: FUN FEST Food Booth 11am-11pm

13th: **FUN FEST Food Booth 11am-11pm**

Men's Study 7-8am

14th: Worship in the Beer Tent at 10am

FUN FEST Food Booth 11am-3pm Deeper Youth Study 6-7:30pm

15th: GriefShare 6-8pm

Ministry Team meeting 6:15-8pm

16th: VBS Training 6pm

Disciple Her Class 6:30-8pm

17th: Men's Study 5-6am

Ladies Time Out 9-11am (Mary Park) Summer Small Group 6-7:30pm Elder Meeting 6:30-7:30pm

18th: Ruby's Pantry 5-7pm (offsite)

Worship Practice 7-9pm

19th: Ladies Paint Night 7pm

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20th: Men's Study 7-8am

Covenant Member Class 9am-noon

WM Book Club 10am-noon

21st: Worship 9 & 10:45am

Coffee Hour Between Services

22nd: GriefShare 6-8pm

23rd: Disciple Her Class 6:30-8pm

24th: Men's Study 5-6am

Summer Small Group 6-7:30pm Elder Meeting 6:30-7:30pm

25th: Trustee Meeting 6-8pm

Worship Practice 7-9pm

26th: FAITH REBUILD kickoff 8am

27th: Men's Study 7-8am

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28th: Worship 9 & 10:45am

Deeper Youth Study 6-7:30pm

29th: GriefShare 6-8pm

KidZone Teacher Training 6-8pm

30th: Rebuild Workers 5-9pm

Disciple Her Class 6:30-8pm

31st: Men's Study 5-6am

Summer Small Group 6-7:30pm

Elder Meeting 6:30-7:30pm

