brought to the light

Joy from the Light



Isaiah 35:4-6

Luke 1:39-56

Sunday, December 14th, 2025



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Welcome to Worship @ Faith Church



Live Stream Available

The live stream of our 11 am service is available via our <u>Faith Methodist YouTube channel</u> for those who wish to worship at home.



Offering

Today's offering will be collected during the service, or you may give using our <u>online option</u> in our church app. Contact the church office if you have any questions about our giving options or ways you can support the ministries of Faith.



Nursery/Children's Church

School age children will be dismissed during the 11 am service for Children's Church. Infants, toddlers, and preschoolers may be dropped off at the Nursery before the 11 am service begins. All Children's Church classes will meet in their classrooms in the Education Wing.



Assistive Listening Devices

Listening devices are available in the sound room for those who need them. Please see a member of our Worship team if you'd like to use a device during today's service.



Prayer During Today's Service

Prayer benches are available for anyone who wishes to pray at the altar during today's worship service. Members of our prayer team are also available to pray with you in the prayer room in the church lobby.



Church Office Hours

Tu, W, Th & F- 9 am to 3 pm Closed on Monday

Faith Church Christmas Card Post Office



Faith's Christmas card "post office" will be open again this season for those who wish to give cards to families at Faith Church.

A card station will be set-up in the gym beginning Sunday, November 30th for you to drop-off your cards. All cards will be sorted by last name and made available for families to pick-up while at the church. Please bring your cards to the church no later than Sunday, December 21st.

All "postage" donations will go towards the youth group's summer mission trip. Contact the church office at (419)895-1011 if you have any questions.



Faith Church is "adopting" a few children this Christmas season by providing some of the gifts on their wish lists. If you would like to help by purchasing a gift or two, scan the QR code for the Sign-Up Genius link or contact Connie Cutlip in the church office at (419)895-1011, ext. 1 to sign-up.

You're also welcome to give a monetry donation in any amount which will be used to purchase gifts for our families. Please indicate "adopt a family" on your offering envelope or online donation.

Please bring your unwrapped gift to the church office by Sunday, December 21st.



Scan the QR code to view the wish lists and sign-up to provide a gift. See Sharon Boyce with any questions.

Next Steps in Discipleship

If you are interested in any of the following discipleship opportunities, please fill out this form and place it in the offering plate.

I am interested in
being baptized
becoming a member of Faith Church
joining a Discovery Bible Study
☐ learning where to use my spiritual gifts
becoming part of a Covenant Discipleship Group
Name:
Phone:
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Scan to download the app



OR







This Week's Small Group Meetings & Events...

Sunday, December 14th

9:45 am- Fearless Conversation in the Education Wing

9:45 am- Faith Builders in the Conference Room

10 am- Children's/Youth Sunday School in the Education Wing

6 pm- The Summit (youth) in the Youth Room

Monday, December 15th

10 am- Covenant Discipleship Group (Judy)

4 pm- Prayer Team in the Conference Room

Tuesday, December 16th

6 pm- Covenant Discipleship Group (Cliff)

Wednesday, December 17th

10 am- Covenant Discipleship Group (Cindy)

5 pm- Covenant Discipleship Groups (Laurie, Kim, Ryan,

Pastor Brian)

6 pm- The Neighborhood Café in the Café

7 pm- Praise Band in the Gym

Thursday, December 18th

4:30 pm- Covenant Discipleship Group (Melia)

About Faith Church:

Our mission is to make and mature disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world through worship, prayer, discipleship, outreach, a welcoming atmosphere, and care for those in our congregation and community. We're glad you chose to worship with us, and we hope you find today's service to be meaningful and relevant. Our prayer is that God will bless our time together as we worship in Spirit and in Truth.

Service Times: Sunday @ 8:30 am- Traditional Service

Formal liturgy, traditional hymns

Sunday @ 11 am- Contemporary Service

Music led by Praise Band, less formal liturgy, nursery

and Children's Church are available.

Wednesdays @ 6 pm- The Neighborhood Café

Join us for a free meal and informal worship.

Contact Us

Would you like to know more about Faith? Fill out the yellow Contact Card or contact someone from our leadership team or staff. We're here to answer your questions, give clarity, and simply listen.

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