

# COMING UP..

## PRAYER TEAM

### Deacon Ministry - Prayer Team

Our Prayer Team prays regularly for the church and its body, especially those with identified needs. We have our Prayer Chain email list and Urgent Prayer Line as ways to notify the church about prayer requests. **Please visit our table in the lobby for more information.**

### Adult Sunday School Classes Begins July 9th // Life Center

Our next session of Adult Sunday School Classes started **today!** We have three classes to choose from: Knowing God's Will; Apologetics; and Living as Exiles. More class information is available online. **Please register online.**

## ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

### OnGoal Soccer Camps - This July

The Milford OnGoal Soccer Camp is available for K-9th graders. For more info, pick up a flyer at the Info Desk! We're also looking for volunteers to provide lunch or dinner for the coaches. Visit [www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c44abab2cabfac16-2023#/](http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c44abab2cabfac16-2023#/) to learn more and sign up!



### Jami Fair Scholarship Winners Michael Braxton & Anna Watkins

We are pleased to announce that **Michael Braxton** and **Anna Watkins** have been awarded the Jami Fair Scholarship for 2023. The award is based on student ministry leadership, service, financial need, and academic achievement. Congratulations!

JAMI FAIR  
SCHOLARSHIP

In Communion. In Community. On Mission.

# 2 PETER



JULY 9, 2023  
WORSHIP SERVICE @ 10:30AM  
MINISTRY HOUR @ 9:00AM

# WELCOME TO FAITH CHURCH

To all who are weary and need rest,  
To all who mourn and long for comfort,  
To all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares,  
To all who fail and desire strength,  
To all who sin and need a Savior,

This church opens wide her doors with a welcome from Jesus Christ, the Defender of the guilty, the Justifier of the inexcusable, and the Friend of sinners.

You are most welcome here!

## VISITORS:

Thank you for joining us today!

We'd be happy to personally welcome you and answer any questions you have. Our elders and members would enjoy connecting with you this morning. We hope to make ourselves known to you; don't hesitate to introduce yourself as well!

We also have a small gift for you. Stop by our podium in the lobby to pick one up.

Lastly, please fill out our Connect Card so we can send you a welcome communication.

**STAY  
CONNECTED!**



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# TODAY'S GOSPEL LITURGY

July 9, 2023

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship: **Psalm 113:1-3**

Prayer of Adoration

**God So Loved**

**Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery**

Scripture Reading & Prayer: **Isaiah 42:1-9**

God

Confession: **Malachi 4:1**

Man

Assurance of Pardon: **Malachi 4:2-6**

**See He Comes**

**Hallelujah What A Savior**

Passing the Peace\*

Prayer of Intercession & Illumination

Christ

Sermon | Ryan Troglin

“Words to Remember” **2 Peter 1:12-21**

The Lord's Supper

**Amazing Grace**

Benediction

Response

\*Children K-3rd grade are dismissed for Children's Worship. If you are visiting for the first time, please accompany your children for check-in.

Please click here for our Connect Card & Prayer Requests forms:  
<https://linktr.ee/faithmilford>

## WAYS TO PRAY THIS WEEK:

**Our Sanctification:** As we face trials of various kinds, pray that you would remain steadfast and immovable in the hope of the gospel (Romans 5:3). Pray that you would make every effort to supplement your faith with godly virtues (2 Peter 1:5). As you have been set free from slavery to sin, pray that you will follow your new master Christ all the more (Romans 6).

**Our Church's Faithfulness in Doctrine:** As false prophets arose in the early church, false prophets are a perennial threat and reality in churches throughout the age (2 Peter 2:1). But those who hold fast and remember the truth of the gospel will be saved. Pray that our church corporately would never abandon the truths of the gospel. Pray that our members individually would hold fast to the confession of their hope (2 Peter 1:12-15; Heb. 10:23).

**Our Community Groups:** Pray that our CGs would continue to be places where true biblical community is practiced & preserved. Pray for individuals within CGs to eagerly practice the "one-anothers" of the New Testament – such as, love one another (Jn. 13:34), honor one another (Rom. 12:10), build up one another (Rom. 14:19), admonish one another (Rom. 15:14), serve one another (Gal. 5:13), bear one another's burdens (Gal. 6:2), and forgive one another (Eph. 4:2, 32).

**The Unborn:** As the Lord has given humanity a special place in his creation (Psalm 8) we know that human life is sacred. Ask the Lord to protect the lives of those not yet born (Psalm 139:13). Ask the Lord to help our state rule with justice that protects innocent life (Romans 13:1-7). Pray for mothers who may be considering an abortion to find great hope in the gospel of Jesus and practical help from Christians (1 John 3:17). Pray for the ministry of LifeForward to be effective in this work.

**Hope for the Discouraged:** Pray for those who are hurting, discouraged, depressed, lonely, and hopeless within our church family. Pray that they would know God's love for them (Eph. 3:14-19). Pray that they would sense the nearness of God (Ps. 34:18). Pray that they would put their hope and confidence in Christ alone (1 Pet. 1:3-6). Pray that our church would wrap our arms around them (Rom. 12:10-15).

The mission of Faith Church is to make more and better disciples here and around the world.

## WHY DO WE DO THAT?

### Corporate Prayer

Prayer is not just an optional extra but an essential component of what God's people are called to do when we gather (Acts 2:42, Acts 4:23-31, 2 Cor. 1:11). It is also a core responsibility for elders (1 Pet. 5:1-5; Acts 6:3). Sunday mornings are a great opportunity to lead in this way, as all of God's people at Faith Church are gathered together! So we will take time each week for extended, intentional prayer for spiritual matters, church family matters, regional & global matters, & for illumination as we prepare to hear the sermon.

## MEET OUR DEACONS:



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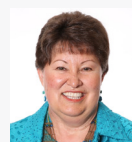
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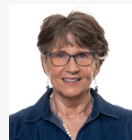
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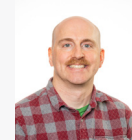
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