

# COMING UP..



## CONGREGATIONAL *Prayer Service*

**Prayer Service**  
**Jan 28th // 6-7:15pm // Sanctuary**  
Join us next Sunday in the sanctuary for our Prayer Service! Please email your prayer requests to Pastor Godwin ([godwin@faithchurch.net](mailto:godwin@faithchurch.net)) by Sat. Jan 27th. **Childcare will be provided for infants through third grade.**

## **Congregational Meeting** **Jan 31st // 7pm // Sanctuary**

Join us Wednesday, January 31st, for our congregational meeting at 7pm in the sanctuary. The Elders will lead us through church updates since our September meeting. **Please register for childcare (0-3rd grade) online.**



## **CHILI COOK OFF &**

**G A M E  
N I G H T**



**Chili Cook Off & Game Night**  
**Feb 3rd // 5-8pm // MPR**  
We'll have an evening full of fellowship, food, and fun. The Miami Township Fire Department will judge the different chilis and show off their firetruck to kids and families. Families are encouraged to bring their favorite games to play. **Please register online.**

## **Women's Ministry Events** **February 8 & 10 // At Church** **Spring Women's Bible Studies**

are starting Feb. 8th! We have four morning and two evening options. The **Women's Prayer Morning** is Feb. 10th! Come spend some time in prayer for this upcoming year. **Visit our website for more details and registration.**



In Communion. In Community. On Mission.



JANUARY 21, 2024  
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

Jan 21, 2024

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship: **Psalm 110**

Prayer of Adoration

***Come Praise And Glorify***

***All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name***

Scripture Reading & Prayer: **2 Samuel 7:8-16**

Confession: **Psalm 51:1-12**

Assurance of Pardon: **Luke 1:31-33, Matt. 1:20-21**

***His Mercy Is More***

***Jesus Messiah***

Passing the Peace\*

Prayer of Intercession & Illumination

Sermon | Ryan Dennis

"Jesus the True Messiah" **Mark 12:35-44**

The Lord's Supper

***All I Have Is Christ***

Benediction

God

Man

Christ

Response

## WAYS TO PRAY THIS WEEK:

**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 (Rom. 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 Jn. 3:17). Pray for the ministry of LifeForward to be effective in this work.

**Nisin and Joanna Mathew:** Pray for Nisin as he leads FOCUS ministries reaching college students in the UAE with the gospel (John 3:16). As there are students from many countries closed to the gospel, or where there is minimal gospel witness, pray that God would use the ministry of FOCUS to reach the nations (Matthew 28:19). Pray that the FOCUS team would be encouraged in their ministry and bold with the gospel (1 Corinthians 2:2).

**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).

**Conversions:** Pray by name for unbelievers in your life. Pray for God to miraculously regenerate particular unbelievers who are connected to our members, as we welcome them to church or in our homes (Jn. 3:1-15). Pray that our unbelieving friends, neighbors, co-workers, and loved ones would hear the gospel and receive it with faith and repentance (Mark 1:14-15). Pray that Faith Church folks would be bold in their evangelism and intentional in their invitations to church (Acts 4:23-31).

**Unity in Diversity:** Pray for our church to continue on in a spirit of love and unity (Romans 12:3-8). May we grow in diversity across many different cultural dividing lines. Pray that the unifying power of the gospel would be the thing that binds us together. (John 17:20-26).

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

## WHY DO WE DO THAT?

### Gospel Liturgy

"Liturgy" literally means "the work of the people" or "public" (leito) "works" (ergos). Author Bryan Chapell defines it as the public way a church honors God in its times of gathered praise, prayer, instruction, and commitment. It's the work of the people to give praise and honor that God is due. We use "gospel liturgy" to mean that its parts work together to disciple people in the movements of the gospel: God; Man; Christ; Response. These four elements shape our worship services, which we want to humble us and exalt the grace of God that is in Christ Jesus. Our hope each week is for people to be formed and re-formed by the gospel of Jesus Christ.

## MEET OUR STAFF:



GODWIN  
SATHIANATHAN  
Lead Pastor



DREW FRENCH  
Associate Pastor  
Children, Community Groups, Care Ministries



RYAN TROGLIN  
Associate Pastor  
Students, Membership, Adult Education



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Associate



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