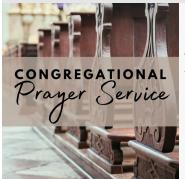
COMING UP...



Prayer Service
Jan 28th // 6-7:15pm // Sanctuary
Join us tonight in the sanctuary
at 6pm for our Prayer Service!
We love praying with and for our
church family. Childcare will be
provided for infants through third
grade.

Congregational Meeting
Jan 31st // 7pm // Sanctuary
Join us this 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 & 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.

Adult Sunday School Classes Feb 4-May 5 // 9am // Life Center

Our spring session of Adult Sunday School Classes starts next Sunday, Feb 4th. We'll have two classes in the Life Center, each reading through a book together. **Grab a book at the Pastors' Book Table and please register online.**



Communion. In Community. On Mission. \subseteq





JANUARY 28, 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!

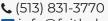
We'd be happy to personally welcome you and answer any questions you have. Our elders and members would enjoy connecting with you this morning. We hope to make ourselves known to you; don't hesitate to introduce yourself as well!

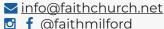
We also have a small gift for you. Stop by our podium in the lobby to pick one up.

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

STAY CONNECTED!







TODAY'S GOSPEL LITURGY Jan 28, 2024

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship: **Psalm 100**Prayer of Adoration

All The Earth

We Give Thanks

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Confession: 1 Corinthians 10:13

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Assurance of Pardon: **Romans 5:1-5** Scripture Reading & Prayer: **2 Chron. 32:1-23**

Almost Home

On Jordan's Stormy Banks

Passing the Peace*
Prayer of Intercession & Illumination

Response

Sermon | Godwin Sathianathan "Jesus the Sign-Giver and Comforter" **Mark 13:1-13** The Lord's Supper

He Will Hold Me Fast
Benediction

*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.

WAYS TO PRAY THIS WEEK:

Jesus' Return: As we enter Mark 13, we are studying the events around Jesus' return. The applications of enduring while holding fast to Christ are clear. But in addition to this, the refrain in Revelation is to beseech Jesus to come back (Rev. 22:20). Ask the Lord to bring about the completion of the story of redemption, coming in power, and resurrecting those who have died in Christ.

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

Marriages in Our Congregation: Pray for those in our church who are married. Pray that our earthly marriages would showcase the wonders of God's love for us in Christ. Pray that husbands and wives would powerfully put on display the covenant love between Christ and his bride the church (Eph. 5:22-33). Pray for those who are struggling in their marriage, that they would seek the help they need to strengthen their marriage. Even as we face increasing cultural pressures, pray we would continue to uphold God's good design to us in gender, and that we would celebrate the God-given gifts of both marriage and singleness (Gen. 2:15-25; 1 Cor. 7:8, 17-35).

Redeemer Fellowship of Kuwait: Pray for Martin Jaeger as he pastors this young church. Pray for fruit from many members doing faithful evangelism during the Christmas season. Pray for visa security for Martin and the other pastors. Pray for the congregation to grow in love for one another and fear of the Lord.

<u>Our Finances:</u> Pray that God would meet our financial needs (Phil. 4:19), so we can continue to do faithful gospel work in Cincinnati and beyond. Pray that we as a church would be faithful to contribute to the needs of the saints (Rom. 13:12).

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

WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Passing the Peace

One of the most important effects of the Gospel is not only our unity with God, but our unity with one another (Ephesians 2:14-22; Galatians 3:28-29). The peace we have vertically with God overflows into horizontal peace with others (Luke 2:14). As Christ has welcomed each of us into His family, so we too welcome each other (Rom. 15:7). During the greeting time, we take a few moments to warmly greet each other with the peace of Christ.

MEET OUR ELDERS:



RODDY BULLOCK



MIKE CHANEY



ADAM ESCOBEDO



DREW FRENCH Pastor



DOUG HAUER



RYAN HOLMAN



KEITH KRUEGER



LEON PALMER



GODWIN SATHIANATHAN Lead Pastor



RYAN TROGLIN Pastor



ANDY WILLIAMS

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	Works Cited / For Further Reading: Mark by E. Schnabel, Mark by R. Stein,

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<u>Next Week's Sermon Text:</u> Mark 13:14-27