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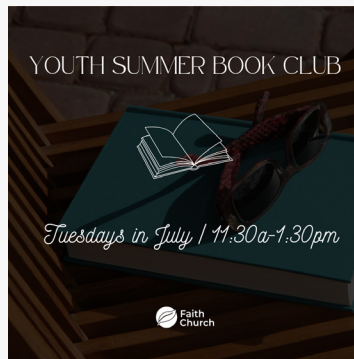
MONTHLY Prayer Service

Monthly Prayer Service July 26 // 5pm // Sanctuary

Join us next Sunday evening, July 26th, for this blessed time to pray with and for one another. Email your requests to Pastor Drew (dfrench@faithchurch.net). Register for childcare (infant-preschool) on our website by July 24.

Youth Summer Book Club Tuesdays // 11:30am-1:30pm

In the month of July, all students (7th-12th grade) are invited to the Summer Book Club led by Blake Patterson. The group is studying *How to Memorize Scripture for Life* by Andy Davis. Bring a picnic lunch and bring a friend!



Women's Prayer Retreat Aug 22 // 9am-12pm // Sanctuary

Ladies, join us for a morning set apart for prayer and personal renewal. We'll begin our time together in corporate worship and then each woman will find a quiet corner of the church to spend unhurried time alone with God. No childcare provided.



All Church Sunday School Aug 2 // 9am // MPR

Come hear from our very own Chris Phillips about his ministry in Taiwan. You can hear details about the church he is planting, the ministry workers he is training and the spiritual needs in the region. May this increase our prayer for his ministry.

ALL CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL

with Chris Phillips

Sunday, August 2nd
9:00 AM | MPR



In Communion. In Community. On Mission.

1 PETER

CHRIST'S SUFFERING SAINTS



July 19, 2026
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.

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TODAY'S GOSPEL LITURGY July 19, 2026

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship: **Lamentations 3:22-23**
Sing

God

Confession: **Psalm 37:3-6**

Man

Assurance of Pardon: **Hebrews 10:19-23**
Scripture Reading & Prayer: **Hebrews 11:23-12:2**
Speak, O Lord

Christ

It Was Finished Upon That Cross
'Tis So Sweet

Passing the Peace*

Prayer of Intercession & Illumination

Response

Sermon | Drew French
"Firm in Faith"

The Lord's Supper

O Church, Arise

Doxology (Romans 11)

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.

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

WAYS TO PRAY THIS WEEK:

Our Homebound Members: There are members who wish they could join us on Sunday mornings but are unable to do so due to health and physical limitations. Please pray for their spiritual and emotional health and strength in the midst of their difficult challenges and for their ability to be comforted by God's presence. Pray we would be intentional and faithful to visit with them and encourage them.

The Nations: Pray that all the ends of the earth will remember and turn to the Lord and that every family of every nation will worship the Lord (Psalm 22:27). Pray that every people, nation and language will serve King Jesus (Dan. 7:14). Choose one nation in particular and pray for it each day this week that Jesus might be glorified there and much good would come to the people. Rejoice and praise God that by his blood, Jesus has ransomed people for God from every tribe and language and people and nation (Rev. 5:9).

Our Staff: Pray for the faithful men and women who serve on staff at Faith Church. Thank God for their gospel partnership and willingness to lead, serve behind-the-scenes to support our church, minister God's Word and shepherd the flock (Phil. 1:3-5). Pray for them to be encouraged and find joy in their work. Pray that they will serve in the strength that God supplies and that in everything they do God will be glorified through Jesus Christ (1 Pet. 4:11).

A Loving Church: Pray we will love the Lord our God with all our hearts, all our souls, all our minds and all our strength. Pray we will love our neighbor as ourselves (Mark 12:30-31). Ask that as a church we will put on that love which binds everything together in perfect harmony (Col. 3:14). Pray that we will love one another earnestly from a pure heart (1 Peter 1:22) that by this all men may know that we are Christ's disciples (John 13:35).

Fruit from the Preaching of God's Word: Pray that God's Word, as it's preached each week, will do its work of rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness so that we would be "made complete, equipped for every good work" (2 Tim. 3:16-17). Pray for our pastors, as they labor each week, to preach faithfully, clearly, with great patience, in Christ-exalting ways, and in accordance with sound doctrine (2 Tim. 4:1-3).

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

WHY DO WE DO THAT?

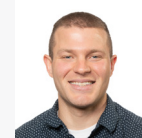
The Lord's Supper

We take the Lord's Supper each week to remind one another of the Lord's death, by proclaiming it through the bread and the cup (1 Corinthians 11:17-34). To keep this from becoming rote, think deeply about what the bread and cup represent: the broken bread illustrates his broken body and the cup portrays his shed blood. Recognize your great need for a Merciful Savior. Celebrate the good news of the Cross.

MEET OUR STAFF:



DREW FRENCH
Lead Pastor



BLAKE PATTERSON
Pastoral Assistant



JOEY HOELSCHER
Music & AV Associate



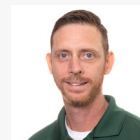
CARI MAYNARD
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CHRISTY LUCUS
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NATE BANCROFT
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MARY BETH SCHOLLER
Children's Ministry Associate



THERESA TETRAULT
Children's Ministry Associate

SERMON NOTES

“Firm in Faith”

1 Peter 5:6-14

Works Cited / For Further Reading: *1 & 2 Peter and Jude* by Thomas Schreiner; *1-2 Peter and Jude: Sharing Christ's Sufferings* by David Helm

Next Week's Sermon Text: Nahum