

# WELCOME to FAITH

Jesus loved the church and knew it was more than a place you go, but it was about people...people like you! Here at Faith—no matter what your spiritual background or past—we would like to meet you and help you become all God intended you to be.

Whether you are single, married, single again, with or without children—no matter where you've been or what you've done—we invite you to experience Faith Community Church.

Here is what you'll find: Friendly people to help you find your way around, a message that is relevant to your life, a blend of music that is both traditional & contemporary, services that last about 75 minutes, and a range of programs from nursery to adult.

What to expect: We desire individuals and families to join with us as we journey to become fully devoted followers of Christ. Our services offer a comfortable and friendly environment that welcomes folks just starting on their path to discovering God, as well as believers that are ready to be challenged to go deeper into His truth.

*Faith Community Church is an experience...so plan to join us on a great journey! Worship with us on Sundays at 10:00AM!*

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Pastor Dennis Niles  
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# ORDER OF SERVICE

January 21, 2018

PRELUDE  
WELCOME & THE WORD  
PRAISE  
WE WORSHIP WITH OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS  
"Heaven Came Down" No. 495  
"The Old Rugged Cross" No. 186  
MESSAGE "The Seniors Are In It To Win It"  
Proverbs 4:13  
BLESSING

Worship Team  
Pastor Russ  
Worship Team  
Pastor Paul Hoyt

**GRACE AND PEACE** to you in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ! We are honored and strengthened by your presence. If you are visiting us today, please fill out the connection card in the pew and put it in the offering plate. If you have a special need, contact Pastor Niles, Pastor Russ, or Pastor Paul Hoyt.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Mindy Skow; Monte Cunningham; Eldon & Ruth Freese; Don & Jeanette Gerdes; Matt Nickles; Nancy Nelson; Linda Rohlf; Michelle Dornath; Ruth Smothers; Mary Seehusen.

**GREETERS TODAY:** Wayne & Donna Pearson, Bruce & Julie Maley; Welcome Desk: Janice Martin. **Next week:** Larry & Dee Wuebker, Steve & Joan Julius; Welcome Desk: Linda Rohlf

**ANNUAL REPORTS** are in your church member mailboxes today. Please check them over before the **Annual Meeting** which will be held next Sunday, **January 28, 12:30 p.m.** preceded by a noon meal. (Bring report to the meeting.)

**MISSING: PAGER #24** from the church nursery. If anyone accidentally forgot to return it, please let us know. Thank you!

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES BEGIN TODAY!**  
**SHEPHERDING A GODLY CHURCH: A STUDY IN 1 TIMOTHY** Led by Pastor Dennis Niles Room #11

Throughout his letter, Paul kept Timothy's eye clearly focused on the role of a shepherd and the desire of a godly congregation. Paul strived for this in every church he established. In this letter, Paul lays the mantle of shepherd across the shoulders of his protégé Timothy. This is a mantle of ministry that continues to be passed along in 2018 and in the future.

**PARENTING CLASS - GOSPEL PRINCIPLES FOR YOUR FAMILY** Led by Scott Larsen, West Fellowship Hall

"After reading Parenting by Paul Tripp, I was torn. Part of me wanted to sit, cry, and confess all of my failures as a parent. The other part wanted to scream with excitement for the tremendous insight I now have to be a better parent." -Francis Chan, Pastor, church-planter, best-selling author

**SENIORS CLASS** Led by Pastor Paul Hoyt; Library

We must challenge ourselves to not only finish our race but to find out what Jesus is asking us to teach those behind us - what and how to fully engage in the race of their lives. Paul said to be examples and teach the younger ones as part of The Journey...Truly be building the boat as we float!

**NEW MEMBERS CLASS** Led by Pastor Russell Weller; East Fellowship Hall. We look forward to our next New Members Class! It is designed to help people get acquainted with FCC and its history. Those interested in becoming new members are required to attend this class. We will recognize new members on Sunday morning, February 11.

**NEWSLETTER ARTICLES** are due to the office by Wednesday noon. Thank you.

**A WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** is held on Tuesdays, at 9:00 a.m. The six-week study, "Finding I AM" by Lysa TerKeurst will help us find freedom in difficult circumstances, discover how Jesus is the key to satisfaction, trade feelings of emptiness for the fullness of knowing who Jesus is, and grow in our faith and Bible knowledge as we explore the gospel of John. If you wish to attend, please sign up at the Welcome Desk or email Michelle Dornath at [mdornath@ncn.net](mailto:mdornath@ncn.net). Books are \$15.00.



# COMING EVENTS

- Jan. 21, 8:45 a.m.** – Sunday School for all ages  
**10:00 a.m.** – Worship Service with Kids' Church  
**5:00 p.m.** – IGNITE
- Jan. 23, Tues., 9:00 a.m.** – Women's Bible Study  
**7:30 p.m.** – Worship Team Practice
- Jan. 24, Wed., 5:30** – Christian Education Meeting  
**6:30 p.m.** – High School Bible Study; Middle School Puppet Practice  
**6:45 p.m.** – Foundations Class  
**7:30 p.m.** – High School Puppet Practice
- Jan. 26, Fri.** – Winter Jam Youth Event in Des Moines
- Jan. 28, Sun., 8:45 a.m.** – Sunday School  
**10:00 a.m.** – Worship Service with Kids' Church  
**11:30 a.m.** – Congregational Meal  
**12:30 p.m.** – Annual Meeting  
**5:00 p.m.** – IGNITE  
**6:30 p.m.** – Bible Study/LifeGate Fellowship, Humboldt

**MEMBERS & FRIENDS OF FAITH:** If you have a new address, phone number or email, please send it to the church office at [office@faithccpalmer.org](mailto:office@faithccpalmer.org). Also, if you are not a member of Faith but wish to be included in our 2018 Church Directory, please send your family information to us. The new directory will be printed within the next few weeks.

# NOTES

*January 21, 2018*

If you have ever flown, remember when the steward asked you to fasten your seatbelt? Why? In case of a crash, it could help you or in case of a rough ride would keep you safer. And as you are preparing to land — please fasten your seat belt in preparation for landing. The same instruction apply to us in our journey with Jesus. Fasten your seat belts because the JOURNEY IS NOT OVER FOR ANYONE OF US. Ministry to Seniors? Yep fellow travelers, Seniors - fasten your seat belt because we are still part of the incredible team Jesus is leading Heavenward. Make sure you are safely prepared for the rest of the journey so you can impart the wisdom you have gained from Jesus to these young souls around us and with us. We are in it to win it!

Pastor Paul Hoyt

Faith Community Church Mission:

*"Helping people grow in their relationship with Jesus Christ."*



**WELCOME**

**WE ARE  
GLAD YOU  
ARE HERE**

**"Faith is being sure of what we hope for  
and certain of what we do not see."  
Hebrews 11:1**