

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.

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 begin @ 10:00AM and last about 75 minutes, and a range of programs from nursery to adult. We desire individuals and families to join with us as we journey to become fully devoted followers of Christ.

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ORDER OF SERVICE

March 3, 2019

PRELUDE **Worship Team**
WELCOME & THE WORD
"To God Be the Glory" **No. 66**
WE WORSHIP WITH OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS
HOLY COMMUNION **Worship Team**
BAPTISM **Emmalyn Joy Nedved**
MESSAGE, Sardis & Laodicea (Rev. 3:1-6; 14-22)
Pastor Niles

BLESSING

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 anyone has a need, please contact one of the Pastors.

TEXT "CONNECT" to 712.794.4690 to access our digital connection card.

HOLY COMMUNION - We invite to Holy Communion all who believe in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, who have examined themselves, and in good conscience believe that they are eating the bread and drinking the cup in a worthy manner (1 Cor. 11:27-29). You do not need to be a member of Faith to participate in Holy Communion.

NEXT STEPS: Have you recently started or renewed your relationship with Jesus? We want to help you take the next steps on your faith journey. Do you own a good Study Bible? Are you getting plugged in to some of the great classes we offer? Our pastors would love to connect with you to help you keep growing in your relationship with Christ.

PASTORAL VISITATIONS: Here at Faith, our pastors want to be intentional about being present for people who are in the hospital or having surgeries. In our desire to walk with you, please let our pastoral staff know how they can walk with you (i.e. – I'd appreciate a visit / I'd appreciate just a phone call / Be in prayer with me / etc.)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S BULLETINS are available from the ushers or at the Welcome Desk for ages 3-6 and 7-12.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Barb Licata, Don Gerdes, Ruth Smothers; Mark Phillips; Monte Cunningham; Gordon Jacobson; Gloria Beekman; Bette Brinkman; Cassandra Janssen; Bruce Maley; Michelle Dornath; Mitzi Ford; Mindy Skow; Linda Rohlf; Matt Nickles; Mary Seehusen.

BAPTISM today of Emmalyn Joy Nedved, daughter of Max & Kayla Nedved. May God bless her and as she grows may she come to know Jesus as her Savior & Lord.

MARCH NEWSLETTERS, Our Daily Bread devotionals, and 2019 Church Directories are in your mailboxes today.

A MIDWEEK SERVICE will be held on Wednesday, **March 6, 7:00 p.m.** Pastor Russ will close out the "Letters to the Churches" series with a message on Philadelphia.

TEXT "PRAY" to 712.794.4690 to submit a prayer request to our leadership. If you'd like submit anonymously, see the connection card in the pew.

GREETERS TODAY: Welcome Desk: Janice Martin; Dave & Mary Fevold, Tom & Linda Hanson. **Next week:** Welcome Desk: Pat Nelson Lori & Jon Kerns, Wayne & Donna Pearson.

SERVERS NEXT WEEK: Nick & Coelet Hammen, Tom & Linda Hanson, Paul & Dawn Hill

NEW BIBLE READING INITIATIVE: Here's a look at the chapters this week, and feel free to jump in on the Sunday School class (led by Pastor Russ) that is walking through the Psalms along the way! *March 4- Psalm 58, March 5- Psalm 59, March 6- Psalm 60, March 7- Psalm 61, March 8- Psalm 62, March 9- Psalm 63, March 10- Psalm 64* **First checkpoint is TODAY! (visit Welcome Desk to receive prize)**

A BABY SHOWER will be held for Jeff & Shelby Mefferd & their baby girl on Saturday, March 16, 9:00 a.m. at Faith. Everyone welcome to attend.

COMING EVENTS

Mar. 3, Today, 8:45 a.m. - Sunday School for all ages

10:00 a.m. Worship Service w/Holy Communion

11:30 a.m. - Maidrite Meal (Bible Camp Fundraiser)

5:00 p.m. - IGNITE

Mar. 5, Tues., 7:30 p.m. - Worship Team Practice

Mar. 6, Wed., 6:30 p.m. - High School Bible Study,
Middle School Puppet Practice; Women's Bible Study

6:45 p.m. - Foundations Class

7:00 p.m. - Midweek Service

7:30 p.m. - High School Puppet Practice

Mar. 7, Thurs., 7:00 p.m. - Elders' Meeting

Mar. 9, Sat., 8:00 a.m. - Men's Event

Mar. 10, Sun. 8:45 a.m. - Sunday School for all ages

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service w/Kid's Church

5:00 p.m. - IGNITE

NOTE: Daylight Savings Time begins March 10th!

ATTENTION MEN! Upcoming Events:

Men's Conference at Faith (Sat, March 9th)

We are hosting a FREE, half day conference here at the church for men! We're excited to welcome in gifted communicators (Jack Klugh from Compass Courses) and Greg Thomas (HHS Assistant Principal & Athletic Director). Jack will be share on marriage, family, and faith development and Greg will be sharing a powerful story about his late brother Ed Thomas (2005 NFL High School Coach of the Year). We plan to finish our morning with some delicious smoked BBQ! Starts at 8AM and ends with lunch at Noon! **TEXT "MEN"** to 712.794.4690 to sign up for this event!

Men's Conference in Cedar Rapids (Sat, April 6th)

We are attending the Cedar Rapids "Iron Sharpens Iron" Men's Conference on April 6th as a group. Please sign up today and join us! This one-day conference is only \$25 for adults and \$15 for students (this discounted price is only available when attending with the men of Faith). There will be sixteen different seminars for men at this conference; not to mention featured speakers (Mark Jobe: President of the Moody Bible Institute and Ray McElroy: Chaplain of the Chicago Bears)!

Both of these events are open to age 13 and up. You can sign up for these conferences online or at the Welcome Desk! Contact Pastor Russ if you have any questions. Make plans to join us!

NOTES

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Faith Community Church Mission:

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

