

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 that 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.

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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ORDER OF SERVICE

May 6, 2018

PRELUDE

"I Love To Tell the Story"
"Amazing Grace"

WELCOME & THE WORD

AFFIRMANT TESTIMONIES

WE WORSHIP WITH OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

MESSAGE "Standing Fast with a Strong Grip"

2 Thess. 2:13-15

MANTLE CEREMONY

HOLY COMMUNION

BLESSING

Worship Team

No. 297

No. 202

Pastor Niles

Worship Team

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.

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.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Nancy Nelson; Michelle Dornath; Monte Cunningham; Gloria Aden, Eldon & Ruth Freese; Gloria Beekman; Mindy Skow; Don & Jeanette Gerdes; Matt Nickles; Linda Rohlfs; Mary Seehusen.

GREETERS TODAY: Willy & Linda Rohlfs, Tom & Linda Hanson; *Welcome Desk:* Beth Butcher. **Next week:** Gary Thurston, Scott Koepke, Craig & Joanne Carlson; *Welcome Desk:* Deb Francis

THIS THURSDAY, May 10, 7:00 p.m all are invited for a night of acoustic worship and prayer with CTI Music Ministry group in the church west fellowship room.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MISSIONS OPPORTUNITY: You can be a part of blessing orphans at Casa Angelina in Guatemala. Kate Sievers will be at the Welcome Center at the end of the service with slips of paper that will have a boy's name, age, shirt size, and pant size. You may choose a child to bless with a new set of clothes! Kate will personally deliver the outfits on her first trip to Guatemala in June!

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CHANGE – The adult class taught by Pastor Niles will be making a change in topic beginning this Sunday, May 6. There will be three special topics on the theme of when difficult things happen in life. They are: May 6 @ 8:45 AM – "Why Do Bad Things Happen?"
May 13 @ 8:45 AM – "When Life Is Not Fair"
May 20 @ 8:45 AM – "Rebuilding Your Life"

NEW MEMBERS CLASS – If you are interested in becoming a member at Faith Community Church please join our New Members class which begins today:

May 6 @ 8:45 AM

May 13 @ 8:45 AM

May 20 @ 8:45 AM

New Members Sunday is May 27th

LADIES: You are invited to a Bible Study on Jonah: A Life Interrupted by Priscilla Shirer at Twin Lakes Bible Camp beginning on Friday, June 8. Interruptions are aggravating and infuriating. But how we handle interruptions actually tell us more about ourselves. What do we do when God interrupts our lives? Many times, like Jonah, we run! Priscilla redefines interruption and shows that interruption is actually God's invitation to do something beyond our wildest dreams. When Jonah was willing to allow God to interrupt his life, the result was revival in an entire city. To register, call 712.297.7714.

IF YOUR STUDENT would like to receive a scholarship for Bible Camp this summer, please fill out a camp scholarship application form and return it to Tyler or Katy Bindel by May 13th. Forms are available under the church mailboxes and at the Welcome Desk. Questions, please speak to any member of the Christian Ed Team or Tyler or Katy Bindel.

COMING EVENTS

May 6, 8:45 a.m. – Sunday School for all ages

10:00 a.m. – Worship Service with Affirmation of Faith;
Holy Communion; Reception following service

6:30 p.m. – Bible Study/LifeGate Fellowship, Humboldt

May 8, Tues., 7:30 p.m. – Worship Team Practice

May 9, Wed., 6:30 p.m. – IGNITE Youth Group

May 10, Thurs. 7:00 p.m. – Worship & prayer with CTI

May 13, Sun., 8:45 a.m. – Sunday School for all ages

10:00 a.m. – Worship Service with Recognition of
Graduates; Reception following service.

1:30 p.m. – Service at Poky Manor

6:30 p.m. – Bible Study/LifeGate Fellowship, Humboldt

JOIN IN ON OUR BIBLE READING INITIATIVE! The goal is to read the whole New Testament in the time frame of April 1- December 15... Reading one chapter per day. A complete daily outline is available at the welcome desk. There are three "checkpoints" to check our reading progress and offer incentives to those who have completed the readings:

- ✓ Matthew - John by July 1
- ✓ Acts - Philemon by October 15
- ✓ Hebrews - Revelation by December 15

THIS WEEK:

May 6- Mark 8	May 10- Mark 12
May 7- Mark 9	May 11- Mark 13
May 8- Mark 10	May 12- Mark 14
May 9- Mark 11	

THANK YOU so much to those who have already volunteered to be a part of VBS this year! For those of you who have not been able to volunteer yet, let us know how you would love to help. **VBS will be July 30-August 3** this year and the theme is "Time Lab - Discovering Jesus from Eternity Past to Eternity Future". Please see the May Newsletter for more details. We are so excited to see what God has planned for this year! (Coordinators: Paula Ahlrich, Bree Back, Jeanne Elbert, Lori Janssen, Sherre Johnson, and Jill Patterson)

NOTES

May 6, 2018

Faith Community Church Mission:

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

