

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, 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.

Text "CONNECT" or "MEMBERSHIP" to 712.794.4690 to receive more info about getting involved or becoming a member at FCC.
Text "PRAY" to 712.794.4690 to submit a prayer request.

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ORDER OF SERVICE

December 13, 2020

PRELUDE

WELCOME & THE WORD

Pastor Russ

ADVENT READING & CANDLE LIGHTING

“While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks”

No. 135

“The First Noel”

No. 136

BABY DEDICATION: Charles John Wolter

NEW MEMBER RECOGNITION

CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

Pastor Russ

“Unlikely Vessels: The Prostitute”

PRAYER & WORSHIP

Worship Team

CLOSING ANNOUNCEMENTS

DOXOLOGY

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 bring it to the Welcome Table as we have a gift for you. If anyone has a need, please contact one of the Pastors.

DEDICATION today of Charles John Wolter, son of Jim & Gina Wolter. We pray God's blessings upon him and his family and that as he grows he will come to know Jesus as his Savior and Lord.

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS: Perry Barrett, Dwain Christopherson, Deb Garber, Jim & Kelly Howard, Mark & Sarah Larson, Jim & Kari Swanson. We pray God's blessings upon you and your families.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Jim Aden; Brian (Lisa) Buske, Ruth Lynn; Michelle (Jeff) Dornath; Eldon (Ruth) Freese; Jeanette Gerdes; Cassandra (Andrew) Janssen; Martha Johnson; Bruce (Julie) Maley; Matt (Katherine) Nickles; Mary Seehusen; Mindy (John) Skow; Gary (Sandy) Thurston.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE EXTEND our love and sympathy to Kyle & Candace Brinkman and their family, as Kyle's mother, Bette Brinkman, passed away on Tuesday. Private funeral services will be held here at Faith on Friday, Dec. 18th. (The service will be live-streamed at 1:30 p.m.)

A SERVICE OF HOPE will be held at Faith on Thursday, Dec. 17, 7:00 p.m. for any families in the church or community who have lost someone special this year. Christmas traditions without the presence of a loved one can be very difficult. This service will be a great encouragement and reminder of the HOPE of Jesus Christ in the midst of it all. For those who RSVP, we will acknowledge your loved one that passed away this year and prepare a special gift for your family.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING: If you would like to carol, please meet at the church at 1:30 p.m. today.

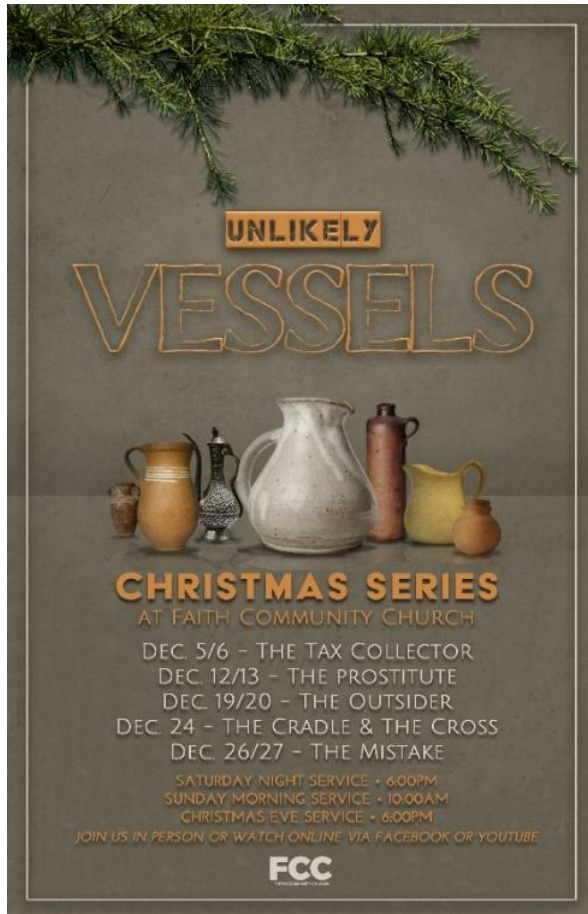
SEND US YOUR VIDEOS! Families (w/kids 6th grade & under) - we want to hear from you! We are putting together a special Christmas video to be used Sunday, December 20th and Christmas Eve! If you are unable to join us in person, this is a great way we can still connect with you! Send your 30 second videos to Tyler at techdirector@faithccpalmer.org by today! Questions? Contact Jane Larson or Jeanne Elbert.

DID YOU KNOW? We have 63 adults serving in our children's ministry, 14 youth....77 total! We REJOICE in God's good provision. If you're one of those 77 -you are part of an important team in our church family. Thank you for saying YES! to the Lord! Kids Church - All Kids Church programs (Toddlers, Preschool/K, and Elementary are celebrating Christmas all month long! It's a special time! If you have children 6th grade or younger and have not yet given us an RSVP that you would like to pick up our Children's Ministry gift to you - please do! An email was sent this past week. We have a JOT form for your reply. Thank you!

REMINDER: Please check your church mailboxes on a regular basis. If you are not a member, but attend regularly, let the church office know if you want a mailbox. Thanks!

COMING EVENTS

- Dec. 13, Sun., 8:45 a.m.** - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service with Kids' Church
1:30 p.m. - Christmas Caroling
3:30 p.m. - Ignite for 7th-9th Graders
5:00 p.m. - Ignite for 10th-12th Graders
- Dec. 15, Tues. 9:30 a.m.** - Women's Bible Study
7:30 p.m. - Worship Team Practice
- Dec. 16, Wed., 6:30 p.m.** - Foundations
- Dec. 17, Thurs., 7:00 p.m.** - Service of HOPE
- Dec. 19, Sat., 6:00 p.m.** - Evening Worship Service
- Dec. 20, Sun., 8:45 a.m.** - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Worship Service w/ Kids Church
5:00 p.m. - Grade 7-12 Ignite Christmas Party



NOTES

Faith Community Church Mission:

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

