This Week at FCC

Monday (11/21)

NO AWANA: Trek & Journey D2jarvis@verizon.net Men's Fraternity - 7 PM icphillips57@gmail.com

Tuesday (11/22)

NO Women's Bible Study - 9:30 AM womensministry@faithcommunity.net NO AWANA: Cubbies, Sparks, T&T D2jarvis@verizon.net

Wednesday (11/23)

NO Men's Online Bible Study - 9 AM davidcole2@verizon.net NO Women's Bible Study - 9:30 AM womensministry@faithcommunity.net Choir Rehearsal - 7 PM fast_da@verizon.net HS & MS Youth Group - 7 PM marchgutsandglory@gmail.com

Thursday (11/24) Thanksgiving Day - Office Closed Turkey Bowl - 9 AM marchgutsandglory@gmail.com

Friday (11/25) Thanksgiving Holiday - Office Closed

Saturday (11/26)

Men's Prayer Time and Study of God's Word - 7:30 AM ettabilkaknm@icloud.com Deck the Halls - 9 AM



Adult & Student Discipleship

BIBLE STUDIES TODAY:

"This is Us" I want to encourage each of you, whether you are brand new to FCC or have been here a long time, to join in one of the two "This Is Us" classes this morning at 9:00 or 10:30 in Activity room #1. We will be considering what we believe, how we are organized as a church, how decisions are made, what is our history and other interesting and important aspects of FCC. It will be so encouraging to a new pastor to know that he is stepping into a congregation that is all on the same page and clearly understands its mission and direction. Pastor Stan



WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS GATHERING: The Women's Ministry invites all women to our CHRISTMAS CAFÉ on Saturday, December 3rd at 2pm. The cost is \$10 per person. This will be a special Christmas gathering, program, and

outreach event. Sign up in the foyer, online. or email fccwomensmin@gmail.com by **November 30th**. Childcare is available with advance sign-up.

SMALL GROUPS: "FCC encourages all church family to find away to connect with each other in fellowship around God's word outside of Sunday services.



Explore opporunities to meet in a small group at church or in homes by checking out FCC's **Small Group Potluck Fellowships**. These potlucks are held in **Activity Room #1 at 5-6:30PM every other Sunday**. Our next meeting is **tonight**, **November 13**. Contact David Hansen for complete details. David.g.hansen@gmail.com

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Student & Children's Ministry



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

KIDS SERVING KIDS; We are collecting NEW UN-WRAPPED toys for the children of the Karis Home in Baltimore. You can drop your toys off November 13-December 11 in any of the bins located in front of the children's classrooms or at the table in the foyer. For more information, see Amy McDougall or visit the table in the foyer.



Global Partner of the Week



DAVID & ANNETTE HAAG, MOBILE MODULAR

MINISTRY: MINISTRY (Tri-M): As retired Director Emeritus of Tri-M, David continues to provide guidance and advice to the missionaries of Tri-M. David also continues

a ministry to First Americans that involves leadership training and medical services.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD OPPORTUNITIES: From

November 21 – December 5, one million shoe boxes will be prepared at the Baltimore-Washington Regional Processing Center Located at 6611 Cabot Drive, Baltimore, MD, 21226, These



boxes will be shipped around the world. Be a part of this exciting outreach. Individuals and small groups of five or less can walk in to volunteer. Larger groups (6+) should register for a time online at https://www.samaritanspurse. org/operation-christmas-child/volunteer-at-a-shoebox-processing-center/. You must be 13 years old or older to volunteer. Directions and hours are on the easel in the foyer. Any questions, please contact Ron or Iva Grahek at rongrahek@verizon.net.

Ministry Focus



NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND THANKSGIVING Join us TONIGHT, Sunday, November 20th, at 6:00 p.m. for an evening of sharing stories of God's faithfulness, singing praises for the hope we have through the Spirit, and reflecting on the love we have in Jesus.

Mark Your Calendar



TURKEY BOWL - Join us on Thanksgiving morning from gam-11am at the church as we host a friendly, competitive game of flag football. All are invited! The winner will have bragging rights until next year. For more information contact Matt Hemphill at marchgutsandglory@gmail.com

DECK THE HALLS – We can't wait to see the transformation of our building as we prepare it, and our hearts for Advent! Christmas is coming and this is one way we have to let



people know they are WELCOME! Saturday, November 26, from 9:00 am- NOON will also be a great time of WORKING together as we decorate. Please text (preferred) or call Nicole Peloguin at (831) 402-1395 to be part of the decorating team.



Giving Information

Financial Update Fiscal Year July 1 - June 30 YTD as of November 6, 2022 - 11/13 Information not available			
Giving	Budget	Surplus	
\$339,000	\$323,000	\$16,999	

Thank you for your faithful giving. Ministry needs continue and have increased in some areas. There are several options for giving.

- MAIL your check to the church office.
- · BILL PAY SERVICES via your bank.
- * TEXT GIVING: Just text FAITHCC to
- 1-888-364-GIVE (4483)
- **OR** by dropping your tithe into the offering boxes by the doors as you exit the Worship Center.



Interim Pastor: Dr. Stan Smith Executive Pastor: Steve Bond Worship Pastor: Dr. Cameron Dahl Children's Ministry Coordinator: Amy McDougall Church Secretary: Kris Floyd

FIVE CHARACTERISTICS OF A HEALTHY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

WORSHIP WALK HOW WE UNITE IN LOVE FOR GOD **HOW WE FOLLOW CHRIST IN FAITH**

WORK HOW WE UNITE IN LOVE FOR ONE ANOTHER

WITNESS WELCOME HOW WE SHARE THE GOSPEL OF HOPE HOW WE UNITE IN LOVE FOR ONE ANOTHER

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November 20, 2022 | Radical Hospitality | Matthew 9:9-13 & 25:1-46

Welcome to Faith Community Church! We are a

family of followers of Jesus Christ who desire to honor God by applying His sufficient Word to all areas of life. We seek to grow in our love for Jesus and in our love for the people around us. Whether you're uncertain about faith or already a follower



of Jesus, we invite you to become part of our family. Use the QR code to fill out a Connection Card so we can get to know you better!

Our pastors, elders, and deacons are available to meet with you. Make an appointment by calling the church office at 410-451-1220. After hours your call will be forwarded to one of our leaders who is on call for the week. This is for emergencies only. Our leader on call this week is Jon Luman. Regular office hours are Monday-Thursday 9 am - 3 pm and Friday 9 am-NOON.

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Would you like to listen to the music we are using each week at home? Go to our Spotify playlist at: https://spoti.fi/302inty or use the Spotify Code with your app.

