



BAPTISM

JANUARY 28, 2024



If you are interested in being baptized, please contact Ken Crane @: mtelpub9@gmail.com

Giving Information



Financial Update Fiscal Year (July 2023 - June 2024) YTD as of January 14, 2024		
Giving	Budget	Surplus/ Deficit
\$506,612	\$524,639	(\$18,072)

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)
- By dropping your tithe into the offering boxes by the doors as you exit the Worship Center.
- Or on our webpage: www.faithcommunity.net

Faith Community Church
1306 Riedel Road | Gambrills, MD 21054
410.451.1220 | faithcommunity.net
Sunday Services at 9 am & 10:30 am

FCC Leadership

- Al Ashe.....Deacon
- Steve Bond..... Pastor/Elder
- Adam Coleman.....Deacon
- Ken Crane.....Elder
- Cameron Dahl.....Pastor/Elder
- David Hansen.....Elder
- Jon Luman.....Deacon
- Matt Zimmerman.....Deacon

FCC Staff

- Matt Hemphill.....Student Ministry Coordinator
- Amy McDougall.....Children's Ministry Coordinator
- Kris Floyd.....Secretary

Psalms

Ancient Worship for Modern Times

Psalm 8

Extolling God's Magnificent Character

Pastor David Shive

January 21, 2024

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. Regular office hours are Monday-Thursday 9 am - 3 pm and Friday 9 am - NOON. 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 Matt Zimmerman.

Would you like to listen to the music we are using each week at home? Go to our Spotify playlist at: <https://spoti.fi/3o2jnty> or use the Spotify Code with your app.



JAZZ CAFE

January 26th
6:30pm
Dessert & Drinks Provided

LIVE Music

Sandy Cove PRESENTS

February 2nd-4th 2024

Women DIGGING DEEPER Weekend

A Weekend for Women to Deeply Study God's Word – Together!

Dig into Joshua 1 and Ephesians 3 with Bible teacher Barb Roose at Sandy Cove Ministries in North East, MD. Be encouraged through fellowship, study and worship to live a strong and courageous life in Christ!

Registration forms in foyer. Contact Veronica today for more info: fccwomensmin@gmail.com or 443.306.8963

This Week at FCC



Sunday (1/21)

- Adult Bible Study: 1 Corinthians - 9 am Activity Room #1
- Adult Bible Study: Mark - 10:30 am Activity Room #1
- Young Adult Bible Study: Romans - 10:30 am Room 8
- Small Group Potluck - 5 pm

Monday (1/22)

- AWANA Trek and Journey - 7 pm
- Contact Dave Jarvis: d2jarvis@verizon.net
- Men's Fraternity - 7 pm
- Contact Chuck Phillips: icphillips57@gmail.com

Tuesday (1/23)

- Moms and Tots - 9:30 am
- Contact Raven Bethancourt: theravieleterz@gmail.com
- Women's Bible Study - 9:30 am
- Contact Veronica Platt: FCCwomensmin@gmail.com
- AWANA Cubbies, Sparks, T&T - 6:30 pm
- Contact Dave Jarvis : d2jarvis@verizon.net
- Young Adult Small Group - 6:30 pm
- Contact Matt Hemphill: matthewhemphill.p23@gmail.com

Wednesday (1/24)

- Men's Online Bible Study - 9 am
- Contact Dave Cole: davidcole3@verizon.net
- Women's Bible Study - 9:30 am
- Contact Veronica Platt: FCCwomensmin@gmail.com
- R.O.M.E.O (Retired Old Men Eating Out) Fellowship - NOON
- Contact Brian Showler: 301-343-6479
- MS & HS Youth Group - 6:30 pm
- Contact Matt Hemphill: matthewhemphill.p23@gmail.com
- Choir Practice - 7 pm
- Contact Don Fast: fast_da@verizon.net

Thursday (1/25)

- Women's Bible Study - 7 pm
- Contact Veronica Platt: FCCwomensmin@gmail.com

Friday (1/26)

- Jazz Cafe' - 6:30 pm
- Contact the church office: office@faithcommunity.net

Saturday (1/27)

- Men's Prayer Time and Study of God's Word - 7:30 am
- Contact Bob Crane: ettabilkaknm@icloud.com

This Week's Global Partner



Kristin Bond has served in Spain since 2013 and works with her team as they develop numerous outreach events and strategies. After COVID, outreach to the lost in Spain became even more challenging. To share the love of Christ, Kristin continues to develop meaningful relationships by tutoring English, working at a homeless shelter, planning small group and virtual events, and by being involved with the Spanish church in Cáceres.

Missions Trips



See the SON in Spain 2024 Prayer Conference! June 14-23

Who can participate? Anyone ages 16yrs + desiring to see Spain transformed and new churches planted by the power of the Gospel.

Location: Madrid and beyond.

Host: Kristin Bond

Cost: Approximately \$2400. This would include airfare, meals, transportation, taxes, lodging, and ministry supplies for the trip.

Scan Code for more information



Camp Canada 2024! July 20-27

Who can participate? Anyone 6th grade+ desiring to work with missionaries, helping to meet their needs, and learn about their training process.

Location: Durham, Canada (Ethnos 360 training facility)

Hosts: Todd and Rebekah Culbertson

Cost: Based on preliminary planning, the figure will be approximately \$600.

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Student Ministry News



TODAY IS THE DEADLINE FOR THE EARLY REGISTRATION PRICE



February 16-19

For complete details contact
Matt Hemphill:
matthewhemphill.p23@gmail.com

Inclement Weather



FCC's Inclement Weather Policy:

- ***On weekdays**, if school is cancelled, in-person daytime church activities are cancelled.
- ***If schools are delayed**, in-person morning activities will be cancelled.
- ***Evening and Sunday service** modifications, cancellations, and virtual opportunities will be posted on our website: faithcommunity.net, emailed to you, and sent to your phones by our app notification.
- ***On inclement weather days** we will endeavor to have the church office open, but we need to keep our staff safe and may need to wait until safe access is assured. Please call ahead to verify any in-person visits.

***FOLLOW Christ in FAITH * SHARE the gospel of HOPE**
***UNITE in LOVE for God and one another**
WORSHIP | WALK | WORK | WITNESS | WELCOME

Extolling God's Magnificent Character

Psalm 8

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Questions for further reflection and discussion

What is the significance of Psalm 8 beginning and ending with the same phrase? (v. 1a, 9)

1. The "book-ends" to Psalm 8

v. 1, 9: "O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth."

With Psalm 7 ending with reference to the Lord's name, and Psalm 8 beginning and ending with a similar reference, and Psalm 9 beginning by mentioning the Lord's name, does this suggest an intentional organization of Psalms 7-9?

2. God's name refers to his character which gives him a fabulous reputation

In Ex. 33:18, Moses requests permission to see God's glory. In v. 19, God says "I will proclaim my name." What is the connection between "name" and "glory"?

(It is this theme that unites Psalms 7-9)

In Ex. 34:6-7, the Lord mentions seven attributes of his character. Can you list all 7?

3. God's revelation of his name to Moses: Ex. 34

1.

2.

3.

4. (1) God uses weak things to confound the mighty (v. 1b-2)

4.

5.

5. (2) God allows lowly mankind to have dominion over his creation (v. 3-8)

6.

7.

Which of the seven attributes of God's character do you find most endearing and valuable?