

Mark Your Calendar

Save the date

Sports Camp 2024



Save the Date
June 24- June 28
5:30 pm - 8 pm

July 8-12, 2024
5:30 pm - 8:30 pm

TO REGISTER, VISIT:
FAITHCOMMUNITY.NET

KIDZ KAMP

FOR ALL KIDS
ENTERING K-5TH
GRADE DURING THE
2023/2024 SCHOOL YEAR



Save the Date
Worship Arts Camp 2024
August 4 - August 9
5:30 pm - 8 pm
For kids entering 2nd- 8th grade

Giving Information



Financial Update Fiscal Year (July 2023 - June 2024) YTD as of March 17, 2024 (info from 3/24 not yet available)		
Giving	Budget	Surplus/ Deficit
\$662,298	\$680,541	(\$18,243)

Giving is a spiritual act of worship. We don't ask our guests to support the church, instead of passing an offering plate, there are offering boxes located on the wall next to the doors as you exit or you can scan the QR code.



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
- Brett Bujac.....Deacon
- Adam Coleman.....Deacon
- Ken Crane.....Elder
- Cameron Dahl.....Pastor/Elder
- Chris Handel.....Elder
- David Hansen.....Elder
- Jon Luman.....Deacon
- Kevin Williams.....Deacon
- Matt Zimmerman.....Deacon

FCC Staff

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



Easter Sunday
March 31, 2024

He is not here, for he has risen Matthew 28:6

Pastor David Shive

Psalm 16

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.

Would you like to listen to the music we are using each week at home? Go to our Spotify playlist by scanning the QR code.



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

This Week at FCC



Sunday (3/31)

Adult Bible Study: Genesis - 9 am Activity Room #1
Adult Bible Study: Genesis - 10:30 am Activity Room #1
Young Adult Bible Study: Romans - 10:30 am Room 8

Monday (4/1)

Ladies Lunch Bunch - NOON - Ledo's Crofton
Contact Sue Hornberger: grandmasue29@verizon.net
AWANA Trek and Journey - 7 pm
Contact Dave Jarvis: d2jarvis@verizon.net
Men's Fraternity - 7 pm
Contact Chuck Phillips: men@faithcommunity.net

Tuesday (4/2)

Women's Bible Study - 9:30 am
Contact Veronica Platt: women@faithcommunity.net
AWANA Cubbies, Sparks, T&T - 6:30 pm
Contact Dave Jarvis: d2jarvis@verizon.net

Wednesday (4/3)

Men's Online Bible Study - 9 am
Contact Dave Cole: davidcole3@verizon.net
Women's Bible Study - 9:30 am
Contact Veronica Platt: women@faithcommunity.net
R.O.M.E.O (Retired Old Men Eating Out) Fellowship - 11:30 am
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 (4/4)

Women's Bible Study - 7 pm
Contact Veronica Platt: women@faithcommunity.net

Saturday (4/6)

Men's Prayer Time and Study of God's Word - 7:30 am
Contact Bob Crane: ettabilkaknm@icloud.com
Free Flea Market - 9 am
Contact Amy Jenkins: abjenkins5@gmail.com

Newcomers' Lunch



WELCOME LUNCH: On April 7th, we invite all who have begun attending FCC in the last 6 months to an informal get-acquainted time and light lunch in **Activity Room #1 at NOON.** Sign up in the foyer or scan the QR Code by April 4th. Child care is provided.



Ladies' Lunch Bunch



Summer Service Time Change



Summer Service Time Change

Beginning June 2, 2024

8:30 am-9 am Fellowship with coffee

9 am-10 am Bible Study for ALL ages

10-10:30 am Fellowship with coffee and snacks

10:30 am - 11:45 am Worship Service & Kidz Zone

for Pre-K - 5th grade

FCC's Free Flea



Donations of anything one adult can lift: clothing, toys, housewares, etc. will be accepted. **NO LARGE FURNITURE or car seats.** Donations can be made **April 3rd beginning at 9 am through NOON April 5th. Friday at 6:30 pm.** The FCC family is invited for fellowship, to pray over the donations and their recipients, and shop. Dinner will be served in **Activity Room 1 until 7:15 pm (donations accepted).** During dinner, **Bluegrass Light** will entertain! **On Saturday, April 6th from 9-11 am,** the free flea will be open to the community. **We need YOU to make this event a success.** Scan the QR code to see where you can help.

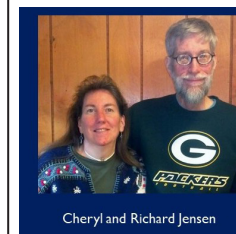
Children's Ministry



WE HAVE OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU THIS SUMMER! The FCC Kids' Ministry Team of teachers and assistants serve from September through May. We want to give our team the summer off to be refreshed and renewed for the next year.

You have the opportunity to fulfill a role and also have the joy of ministering to kids! **Please sign up in the foyer on the Sundays you are available in June, July, and August** or contact Amy McDougall at amy@faithcommunity.net for more information.

This Week's Global Partners



Cheryl and Richard Jensen

RICHARD & CHERYL JENSEN, MIDWEST INDIAN MISSION, Crandon, WI: Richard and Cheryl have served with MWIM since 2003. Their heart is to reach first Americans for Christ and disciple them to become leaders in their tribes and communities.

The Resurrection and God's Lavish Mirth

Psalm 16 (Page 535)

March 31, 2024

Pastor Dave Shive

Questions for further reflection and discussion

*A great devotional starting point is to read through Psalm 16 each day for the next week. One reading takes less than 2 minutes. Read slowly. Record any insights.

*Notice the two major sections to the psalm (as presented in the outline). Does the flow of the psalm make sense?

*Why do you think David talks about death so freely in v. 9-11? What situation might he be in that makes him think of dying?

*How do you think about your own dying? Are you willing to talk openly about it? Would you write about it the way David did in v. 9-11?

*Note Peter's reference to Ps. 16:8-11 in Acts 2:25-28. What made Peter select Ps. 16 when he came to defending Jesus' resurrection?

*Note Paul's quoting of Ps. 16:10 in Acts 13:35 as he argued for Jesus' bodily resurrection.

*Contemplate David's vision of God's presence (v. 11) where there is an excess of mirth. Is that how you view eternity with God?

I. David Trusted God with his Life 16:1-8

A. He declares his loyalty to God v. 1-2

B. He delighted in God's people v. 3

C. He shunned the idolatrous practices of pagan worshipers v. 4

D. He trusted the Lord because God is his inheritance v. 5-6

E. His trust in God assured him that he would not be shaken v. 7-8

II. David Trusted God with his Death 16: 9-11

A. He felt he could joyfully commit his body to the grave v. 9-10

B. He trusted that he could anticipate an eternal surplus of delight in God's Presence v. 11

III. The Apostles believed portions of Psalm 16 were David's prediction of Jesus' resurrection

A. Peter quoted Ps. 16:8-11 to convince his audience of Jesus' resurrection Acts 2:25-28

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