



**CHURCH-WIDE  
BIG GAME  
PARTY**

**February 11 | 4 pm For Pre- Game Fun  
Bring your family, friends and a dish**

**JAZZ CAFE**

**LIVE  
music**

February 16th  
6:30pm

**Smooth Jazz & Hot Drinks**

*Featuring Valentine Day Love Songs*

*Ladies' Craft &*  
**COMEDY**  
*night*

February 16, 2024 @ 7 PM

Giving Information



Financial Update Fiscal Year (July 2023 - June 2024) YTD as of February 4, 2024		
Giving	Budget	Surplus/ Deficit
\$558,493	\$578,912	(\$20,419)

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](http://www.faithcommunity.net)

Faith Community Church  
1306 Riedel Road | Gambrills, MD 21054  
410.451.1220 | [faithcommunity.net](http://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

**Psalms**

**Ancient Worship  
for Modern Times**

Psalm 89:1-52

Promise Made, Promise Kept

David Gough

February 11, 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 Ken Crane.

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.



# This Week at FCC



## Sunday (2/11)

**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**  
**Church Wide Game Partry - 4 pm**  
**Contact Matt Hemphill:** matthewhemphill.p23@gmail.com

## Monday (2/12)

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

## Tuesday (2/13)

**Women's Bible Study - 9:30 am**  
**Contact Veronica Platt:** FCCwomensmin@gmail.com  
**AWANA Cubbies, Sparks, T&T - 6:30 pm**  
**Young Adult Small Group - 6:30 pm**  
**Contact Matt Hemphill:** matthewhemphill.p23@gmail.com

## Wednesday (2/14)

**Men's Online Bible Study - 9 am**  
**Contact Dave Cole:** davidcole3@verizon.net  
**Women's Bible Study - 9:30 am**  
**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 (2/15)

**Young at Heart and Renewed - 11:30am**  
**Contact Brian Showler:** bkshowler@gmail.com  
**Women's Bible Study - 7 pm**

## Friday (2/16)

**Jazz Cafe - 6:30 pm**  
**Contact the church office:** office@faithcommunity.net  
**Women's Craft/Comedy Night - 7 pm**

## Saturday (2/17)

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

# This Week's Global Partner



**Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF)** is an evangelical, international, and independent organization. The purpose of CEF is to evangelize children with the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ and to disciple them in the Word of God and in the local church for Christian living. The primary programs of CEF are Good News Clubs, 5-Day Clubs, and after-school clubs.

## Missions Trips



**INTERESTED IN GOING ON A MISSION TRIP THIS SUMMER?**  
**JOIN US FEBRUARY 25, @ 5 PM TO GET ALL OF THE DETAILS AND TO SIGN UP.**

**CAMP CANADA WITH THE CULBERTSONS JULY 20-27**

**SEE THE SON IN SPAIN PRAYER CONFERENCE WITH KRISTIN BOND JUNE 14-23**

Scan the QR Code to let us know you are coming.

## Mission Trip to India Update



Join us on February 25 @ 6 pm for an update from our team who went to India in November.

# Spring Bible Conference

# SPRING

## BIBLE CONFERENCE

Being a Christian In The Age Of Nones

**MARCH 1-3, 2024**

Special Speaker Pastor Stan Smith  
 Please register by scanning the QR code (attached)



## Announcements



# Wellspring Life Ministry Volunteer Training



February 22, 2024 @ 9:30 am Faith Community Church  
 For Complete Details Contact Wellspring at: [wellspringlife.org](http://wellspringlife.org)

## Thank You!



**Dear Faith Community Church Family,**  
 We are so very humbled by your generosity in offering the staff a Christmas love gift. Words cannot express our gratitude. It is truly a blessing to be part of such an amazing family of believers. May the Lord bless you and your families abundantly!



## PROMISE MADE, PROMISE KEPT

Psalm 89:1-52 (page 586)

Pastor David Gough

February 11, 2024

### Introduction

A promise is only as good as the \_\_\_\_\_ who makes it.  
When the Lord enters into \_\_\_\_\_ agreement with His people,  
they can be assured that He will fulfill His Word because of His unflinching  
\_\_\_\_\_ and unwavering \_\_\_\_\_.

**Praise for the Lord's steadfast love (verses 1-18).** Confidence

**Promise of the Lord's everlasting covenant (verses 19-37).** Expectation

**Problem of the unrealized covenant fulfillment (verses 38-45).**

Disappointment

**Prayer for the fulfillment of the Lord's covenant (verses 46-51).** Uncertainty

**Praise for the Lord's eternal favor (vs. 52).** Confidence (renewed)

### Conclusion



"...all the promises of God find their Yes in (Jesus Christ)" 2 Corinthians 1:20.

## PROMISE MADE, PROMISE KEPT

Psalm 89:1-52

1. Describe your reaction the last time that someone made a pledge or a promise to you and did not honor it. How did it affect your relationship with that person moving forward?
2. How do the three terms "covenant," "steadfast love," and "faithfulness" relate in the 89th Psalm?
3. The Psalms are meant to be read slowly and meditatively. Whenever you come across a "Selah" in the text, be mindful that the psalmist has placed an "interlude" or a "pause" in order to get you to think about what he has written.
4. What are you able to recall about the character of God (cf. Thomas Manton's 'four pillars') which provide assurance for the Christian that He will honor His every promise?
5. The so-called "prosperity gospel" is appealing to many. What is the fallacy of that teaching that makes it such an unreliable foundation upon which to build one's life?
6. What was suggested to be the most effective antidote to discouragement, disappointment, and depression? How frequently do you avail yourself of it in times of stress?
7. Take some time to meditate on how the New Covenant has become the fulfillment of all of the prior covenants that the Lord has made with His people. To what level does this awareness evoke your praise?