

Dates to Remember

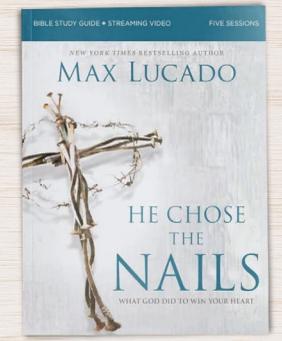
NEW STUDY!

for Women 18+

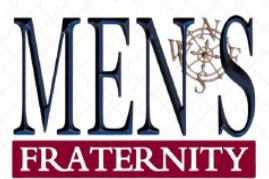
3 CLASSES AVAILABLE:
Tuesday and Wednesday 9:30 am
Thursday Evening 7 pm

Childcare is available for the Wednesday class with advanced registration.

Scan to Register!

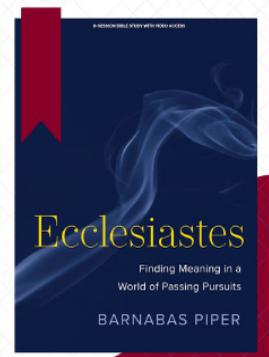


Men's Bible Study



Monday Evenings
Time: 7 pm - 9 pm

Contact: Paul Sabota paul_sabota@yahoo.com



OUR MISSION AT FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH IS TO



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Giving Information

Financial Update Fiscal Year (July 2025 - June 2026)
FYTD as of February 8, 2026

Projected Income	Giving	Surplus/Deficit
\$564,253	\$639,434	\$75,181

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

Ways you can give:

- *Dropping your tithe in the offering boxes (located by the doors as you exit the worship center)
- *Via our website www.faithcommunity.net
- *Via our app or scan the QR code



Please remember with the new tax laws, some donors are choosing to support FCC using their retirement or brokerage accounts. **This allows them to reduce their tax bill while supporting disciple-making through the ministries of FCC.** Contact your financial advisor for detailed information.

FCC Leadership

Deacons

- Brett Bujac
- Adam Coleman
- Caleb Gowan
- Mike Hite
- Jon Luman
- Kevin Williams
- Matt Zimmerman

Pastors/Elders

- Steve Bond, non-staff
- Ken Crane, non-staff
- Cameron Dahl, staff
- Chris Handel, non-staff
- David Hansen, non-staff
- Matt Webster, staff

FCC Staff

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

THE BOOK OF
MATTHEW

MATTHEW 13:53-58 FEBRUARY 22, 2026

Deacon Mike Hite
Familiarity with Jesus, Contempt for Christ

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.



Faith Community Church
1306 Riedel Road | Gambrills, MD 21054
410.451.1220 | faithcommunity.net
Worship Service & Bible Study for all Ages 9 am
Worship Service, Nursery, Kidz Zone Pre-K-5th Grade 10:45 am

This Week at FCC



Sunday (2/22)

Adult Bible Study - Galatians - 9 am - Activity Room #1
Adult Bible Study - Matthew - 9 am - Classroom #8

Monday (2/23)

Men's Fraternity- 7:00 pm
Contact Paul Sabota: men@faithcommunity.net

Tuesday (2/24)

Women's Bible Study - 9:30 am
Contact Veronica Platt: women@faithcommunity.net

Wednesday (2/25)

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
Wellspring Training - 9:30 am
Contact: Wellspringlife.org

R.O.M.E.O (Retired Old Men Eating Out) 11:30 am
Contact Brian Showler: bkshowler@gmail.com
MS & HS Youth Group - 6:30 pm
Contact Matt Hemphill: matth@faithcommunity.net
Choir Practice - 7 pm
Contact Don Fast: music@faithcommunity.net

Thursday (2/26)

Young Adult Small Group - 6:30 pm at the Dahl's house
Matt Hemphill: youngadults@faithcommunity.net
Women's Bible Study - 7 pm
Contact Veronica Platt: Women@faithcommunity.net

Friday (2/27)

No Events

Saturday (2/28)

Men's Bible Study - 7:30 am
Contact Ken Crane: walk@faithcommunity.net

FCC Events



The nursery is looking for more workers to care for our little ones.

Commitment is 1 service a month.

Contact Carolyn Meesuk for details:
cmeesuk@gmail.com



R.O.M.E.O.

(Retired Old men Eating Out)

Men, if you are retired and would like to connect with other retired men at FCC, join Brian Showler each Wednesday at 11:30 am in the Cafe. Bring a bagged lunch and enjoy some laughter and fellowship!



Wellspring Life Ministry Volunteer Training



February 25th @ 9:30 am

Faith Community Church
For Complete Details Contact Wellspring at: wellspringlife.org

FCC Events con't



All Ladies Welcome

Lunch Bunch Mondays

March 2, 2026 | NOON

Ledo's in Crofton (Rt. 3 S)

No Need To Sign Up - Just Come



MISSION TRIP TO: OSH, KYRGYZSTAN

June 21-July 1 6 SPOTS AVAILABLE

This is an opportunity to get to know the work that E. and S. are doing. We will minister alongside our Kyrg brothers and sisters as we serve and fellowship together.

- Total Cost \$2,800
- Fees for flights due March 1 \$2,300
- Balance due by May 24

Contact Steve Bond for an application:
sabond256@gmail.com or scan the QR code.



August 9-14 9 SPOTS AVAILABLE

DISASTER RELIEF MISSION TRIP BOONE, NORTH CAROLINA

Help aid in the physical work of rebuilding flooded homes.

- Total Cost \$200 Due June 28

Contact John Battan for an application:
johnbattan54@outlook.com or scan the QR code.



The Book of Matthew
Familiarity with Jesus, Contempt for Christ
Matthew 13:53-58 (pg.974)
Sunday, February 22, 2026
Deacon Mike Hite

1. Conditioned Familiarity (v. 53-56)

2. Contempt for Christ (v.57)

3. Consequence of Rejection (v.58)

For Further Discussion

1. How has your familiarity with the things of God served a positive purpose in your life? In what specific areas has it maybe led to contempt or at least forgetting the value of those things at times?
2. What are some ways that our culture has made Jesus the way they want Him to be in their own minds instead of letting the Word of God inform their view of Him?
3. How do we reach a culture with the truth that has so many preconceived ideas about who they feel Jesus is and what they think the Gospel to be?