

Upcoming activities.

April 12, 2026



APRIL

- 13** Men's Fire Groups - 6PM
Men gather around the fire for food, connection, and community
- 15** Legacy Builders Seasoned Adults - 10:30AM to 12PM
A relaxed mid-morning gathering for connection and encouragement
- 17** Secret Church '26 - 7PM - 1AM
An evening of in-depth Bible teaching and prayer focused on the life of Elijah
- 18** Women's Ministry: Fill Your Cup - 8AM to 10AM
Stop by—drinks are on us; come connect, be encouraged, and grow in faith
- 19** Membership Class - 12PM
Learn more about who we are and how you can get involved
- 20** Women's Ministry Small Group - 6PM
A space for women to connect, grow in faith, and encourage one another
- 26** Baptism Sunday
Ready to take the next step in your faith? Sign up online
- 26** Special Business Meeting - 4PM
Discuss and vote on the proposed church bylaw updates.

MAY

- 07** National Day of Prayer
We encourage everyone to take time to pray for our nation & communities.
- 10** Mothers Day - Child Dedication Sunday
We'll honor moms and celebrate child dedications during the service.

For more details or to sign up, check out the **EVENTS** page of our website.

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We are glad to have you here to worship with us today!

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Church Office hours are Monday – Thursday 9 am. to 4:30 pm.
Friday 9 am. to 1 pm.



One of the best ways to CONNECT with us is by filling out our Connection Card—just scan the QR code for the digital version. If you're visiting for the first or second time, stop by a Welcome Desk on your way out with your card, and we'll have a small gift waiting for you.

APRIL SOCK DRIVE

During the month of April, our church is collecting donations of new wild and crazy socks to support local homeless shelters. This annual sock drive was started in memory of Josh Hess, who loved wearing fun and colorful socks. Josh is a friend and relative of members of our church. What began as a meaningful way to honor his life has become an opportunity to bring comfort and encouragement to others in need. Socks are consistently one of the most requested items in homeless shelters. By donating a pair of bright and cheerful socks, you can help make a difference while also sharing kindness and hope throughout our community.

MEN'S MINISTRY FIRE GROUPS

Men, we're gathering **Monday, April 13th at 6 PM** for our next Fire Group. This is a chance to step away from the noise, slow down, and build real, trusting relationships with other guys as we grow in our faith together. There will be food available that night, so come hungry and ready to connect. Cost is \$5, payable at the door, online on our EVENTS page, or via Venmo @foundation_church.

SECRET CHURCH '26

This year's Secret Church will take place on **Friday, April 17th, from 7 PM to 1 AM** focusing on the life of the prophet Elijah. It will be an evening of deep Bible teaching, prayer, and reflection alongside thousands of believers around the world. Secret Church is a unique event led by David Platt that challenges Christians to grow in their understanding of Scripture and remember the persecuted church globally. The cost is \$20 per person, and those interested can sign up on the Events page of our website or through the church app.

THINKING ABOUT GOING DEEPER AT FOUNDATION?

If you're ready to take the next step in your faith journey, our next Membership Class is **Sunday, April 19th**. Church membership isn't about perks or privileges, it's about partnership and commitment. Even if you're not ready to pursue membership, you're encouraged to attend and learn more about who we are. You can sign up on the Events page of our website or by marking your Connection Card.



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SPECIAL BUSINESS MEETING

On **Sunday, April 26", at 4 PM** we will hold a special business meeting here at the church to review, discuss, and vote on elder-approved changes to the Foundation Church Constitution and Bylaws. During these next two weeks leading up to the vote, our church members are asked to review the current and proposed bylaws. Our church congregation may also review it as well, but only Foundation Church members will be allowed to vote on these changes. Everyone is encouraged to attend the meeting on 4/26, as we will also discuss church planting, current staffing, and future planning as well as the bylaws. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Brian, Pastor Bob, Bryan Brown, or Chris Walter. Absentee ballots are available for members in the back near the café.

*Foundation Youth (7th–12th grade) meets **Sunday nights from 6–7:30 PM** here at the church for games, worship, teaching, and small groups—come be part of the best night of the week!*

LEGACY BUILDERS: CREATED WITH PURPOSE ART DAY

Wednesday, April 15 at 10:30 AM will be a meaningful morning of creativity, connection, and time in God's Word. We'll be creating together, so be sure to wear old clothes or bring an apron or smock. During our devotional, we'll walk through 1 Samuel 1–24 along with Psalms 7, 11, 27, 31, 34, 52, and 59, as we continue focusing on our word of the year: **Purpose**—remembering that everything we do matters when it's placed in God's hands, held by His faithfulness and strengthened for His purpose.

PRAYER

Please keep Sonya Oney and her family in your prayers in the passing of her mother, Julia D. Shepherd. Ask that God would surround them with His comfort and peace, strengthen them in the days ahead, and remind them of the hope we have in Christ.

We also ask that you keep Melanie Langjahr and her family in your prayers following the passing of her mother, Barbara E. Knupke. Pray that God would surround them with His peace and comfort, strengthen them in the days ahead, and remind them of the hope we have in Christ.

FOUNDATION CHURCH

03/29/26 - 04/04/26

Sunday Attendance - 679

Foundation Kids - 139

Biblical Community - 105

Foundation Youth - No Service (Easter)

General Offering - \$8,185.13

Building Offering - \$0



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