

April 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> 2026

# WELCOME

*"Restoring lives and developing committed disciples of Jesus Christ"*

Lead Pastor: Logan Ames  
Pastor of Evangelism & Visitation: Benny Sorbello

## WEEKLY SERVICES & KIDS CHURCH

**SATURDAY SERVICE // 6 PM**

**SUNDAY SERVICES // 9 AM & 10:45 AM**

**CHILDREN BIRTH TO 3 YEARS**

Nursery care during the entire service

**CHILDREN PRE-K TO 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**

Kids Church during the sermon

Children should be picked up in their classrooms following the service

**TEENS GRADES 7<sup>TH</sup> TO 12<sup>TH</sup>**

Stay in for the whole service

**FRIENDSHIP COMMUNITY CHURCH**

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### LADIES LOCK - IN

May 1<sup>st</sup> 5:30 PM – May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1:30 PM  
Open to ladies 18 years and over. Bring your own bedding. Sign up at the Welcome Center. See Jen Barshinger for more details.

### NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

May 7<sup>th</sup> 5 PM - 8 PM  
This is an all ages event!

### CRAFT & BAKE SALE

May 9<sup>th</sup> 9 AM – 3 PM  
Supports the mission trip to Jamaica.

### CLOTHING GIVEAWAY

May 24<sup>th</sup> through May 30<sup>th</sup>  
Numerous volunteers needed – Sign up at the Welcome Center. See Sarah Morin or Susan Mellinger

### CHOSEN & CHERISHED

May 17<sup>th</sup> – October 18<sup>th</sup>

Every other Sunday 5 PM – 7 PM

Girls age 12 – 18 years old

Sign up at the Welcome Center

See Stacy Fink or Dana Axe

### MOTHER/DAUGHTER BANQUET

MAY 22<sup>ND</sup> AT 6:30 PM

Women interested in attending – please sign up at the Welcome Center. We're also looking for men to serve/help with this event. Men can sign up using the same sheet at the Welcome Center.

### WAYS TO GIVE

Online at [FriendshipCommunity.org](http://FriendshipCommunity.org)

Text [FCCDOVER](https://www.fccdo.org) to 1-888-364-GIVE (4483)

During the service via the box located at back of the sanctuary

Or by mail 3380 Fox Run Road  
Dover, PA 17315

### Giving Update

#### Weekly Expenses

Received Last Week: \$9,991  
Received YTD: \$176,302

#### Building Fund

Received Last Week: \$2,502  
Received YTD: \$94,878

#### Missions Fund

Received Last Week: \$175  
Received YTD: \$2,931

#### Attendance (combined services)

Last week: 294  
Average Attendance: 313

*Prayer lists and monthly birthday lists are available outside the church office.*



Foundations - Faith  
Pastor Benny Sorbello

Hebrews 11:1-6 (NIV) - Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see. This is what the ancients were commended for. By faith we understand that the universe was formed at God's command, so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible. By faith Abel brought God a better offering than Cain did. By faith he was commended as righteous, when God spoke well of his offerings. And by faith Abel still speaks, even though he is dead. By faith Enoch was taken from this life, so that he did not experience death: "He could not be found, because God had taken him away." For before he was taken, he was commended as one who pleased God. And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to Him must believe that He exists and that He rewards those who earnestly seek Him

Isaiah 7:1-9 (NIV) - When Ahaz son of Jotham, the son of Uzziah, was king of Judah, King Rezin of Aram and Pekah son of Remaliah king of Israel marched up to fight against Jerusalem, but they could not overpower it. Now the house of David was told, "Aram has allied itself with Ephraim"; so the hearts of Ahaz and his people were shaken, as the trees of the forest are shaken by wind.

Then the Lord said to Isaiah, "Go out, you and your son Shear-Jashub, to meet Ahaz at the end of the aqueduct of the Upper Pool, on the road to the Launderer's Field. Say to him, 'Be careful, keep calm and don't be afraid. Do not lose heart because of these two smoldering stubs of firewood-because the fierce anger of Rezin and Aram and of the son of Remaliah. Aram, Ephraim and Remaliah's son have plotted your ruin, saying, "Let us invade Judah; let us tear it apart and divide it among ourselves, and make the son of Tabeel king over it." Yet this is what the Sovereign Lord says: "It will not take place, it will not happen, for the head of Aram is Damascus, and the head of Damascus is Rezin. Within sixty-five years Ephraim will be too shattered to be a people. The head of Ephraim is Samaria, and the head of Samaria is only Remaliah's son. If you do not stand firm in your faith, you will not stand at all.' "

Habakkuk 2:2-5 (NIV) - Then the Lord replied: "Write down the revelation and make it plain on tablets so that a herald may run with it. For the revelation awaits an appointed time; it speaks of the end and will not prove false. Though it linger, wait for it; I will certainly come and will not delay. "See, the enemy is puffed up; his desires are not upright-but the righteous person will live by his faithfulness-indeed, wine betrays him; he is arrogant and never at rest. Because he is as greedy as a grave and like death is never satisfied, he gathers to himself all the nations and takes captive all the peoples.

Romans 3:21-26 (NIV) - But now apart from the law the righteousness of God has been made known, to which the Law and the Prophets testify.

This righteousness is given through faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe. There is no difference between Jew and Gentile, for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and all are justified freely by His grace through the redemption that came by Christ Jesus. God presented Christ as a sacrifice of atonement, through the shedding of His blood-to be received by faith. He did this to demonstrate His righteousness, because in His forbearance He had left the sins committed beforehand unpunished-He did it to demonstrate His righteousness at the present time, so as to be just and the one who justifies those who have faith in Jesus.

Job 42:7-8 (NLT) - After the Lord had finished speaking to Job, He said to Eliphaz the Temanite: "I am angry with you and your two friends, for you have not spoken accurately about Me as My servant Job has. So take seven bulls and seven rams and go to my servant Job and offer a burnt offering for yourselves. My servant Job will pray for you, and I will accept his prayer on your behalf. I will not treat you as you deserve for you have not spoken accurately about Me, as My servant Job has."

Isaiah 41:9-10 (NKJV) - You whom I have taken from the ends of the earth, And called from its farthest regions, And said to you, 'You are My servant, I have chosen you and have not cast you away: Fear not, for I am with you; Be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you, Yes, I will help you, I will uphold you with My righteous right hand.'

To Do List:

1. Trust God with all your heart, mind and soul and lean not on your own understanding!
2. Build your faith on Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior!
3. Share point one and two with the world! Starting with your family!