

February 7th & 8th 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 6TH GRADE

Kids Church during the sermon

Children should be picked up in their classrooms following the service

TEENS GRADES 7TH TO 12TH

Stay in for the whole service

FRIENDSHIP COMMUNITY CHURCH

3380 FOX RUN ROAD // DOVER, PA 17315

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UPCOMING EVENTS

NIGHT TO SHINE

2/13 5 PM - 9 PM

Volunteers are needed – please email
Beth and Clara at

nts@friendshipcommunity.org

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

2/18 @ 6:30 PM

LADIES GAME NIGHT

2/20 @ 6:30 PM

Bring a game and a snack to share!
Sign up at the Welcome Center

FMSC

March 12th – 14th

Sign up at the Welcome Center for
your preferred packing time.

BAPTISM

Date: TBD

Sign up at the Welcome Center for
more information!

LADIES LUNCH 2/15 AFTER 2ND SERVICE
ORDERING OUT FOR LUNCH

MEN'S BREAKFAST 2/21 AT 8 AM
SIGN UP AT THE WELCOME CENTER

MEN'S BIBLE & BILLIARDS 2/27 AT 6:30 PM
SIGN UP AT THE WELCOME CENTER

FORGE KIDS 2/28 10 AM – 1 PM
BOYS AGES 8-18 YEARS OLD

WAYS TO GIVE

Online at 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: \$8,493

Received YTD: \$35,195

Building Fund

Received Last Week: \$52,636

Received YTD: \$60,325

Missions Fund

Received Last Week: \$203

Received YTD: \$503

Attendance (combined services)

Last week: 169

Average Attendance: 266

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

Foundations - Sex Pastor Logan Ames

"Let's talk about sex for now, to the people at home or in the crowd; it keeps coming up anyhow. Don't be coy, avoid, or make void the topic, 'cause that ain't gonna stop it"
– Salt-N-Pepa

1 Thessalonians 4:3-8 (NIV) – "It is God's will that you should be sanctified: that you should avoid sexual immorality; that each of you should learn to control your own body in a way that is holy and honorable, not in passionate lust like the pagans, who do not know God; and that in this matter no one should wrong or take advantage of a brother or sister. The Lord will punish all those who commit such sins, as we told you and warned you before. For God did not call us to be impure, but to live a holy life. Therefore, anyone who rejects this instruction does not reject a human being but God, the very God who gives you His Holy Spirit".

Psalms 9:9 (NIV) – "The Lord is a refuge for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble".

Genesis 4:1-2a (NKJV) – "Now Adam knew Eve his wife, and she conceived and bore Cain, and said, 'I have acquired a man from the Lord'. Then she bore again, this time his brother Abel".

Genesis 4:1 (GENZ) – "Adam and Eve had a whole vibe going on, and she popped out Cain, saying, "I just got a whole dude from God. Lit!"

"knew" = Hebrew *yada* - "to know, to understand, to ascertain by seeing, to become acquainted with"

Genesis 2:23-25 (NIV) – The man said, "This is now bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; she shall be called 'woman', for she was taken out of man". That is why a man leaves his father and mother and is united to his wife, and they become one flesh.
Adam and his wife were both naked, and they felt no shame.

Genesis 1:28 (NIV) – God blessed them and said to them, "Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky and over every living creature that moves on the ground".

Ephesians 5:3 (NIV) – "But among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality, or of any kind of impurity, or of greed, because these are improper for God's holy people".

Matthew 15:16-20 (NIV) – "Are you still so dull?" Jesus asked them. "Don't you see that whatever enters the mouth goes into the stomach and then out of the body? But the things that come out of a person's mouth come from the heart, and these defile them. For out of the heart come evil thoughts – murder, adultery, sexual immorality, theft, false testimony, slander. These are what defile a person; but eating with unwashed hands does not defile them".

"sexual immorality" – Greek *porneia* - "immorality, fornication, prostitution (including adultery, incest, and porn)"; derived from *pernao* – "to sell off"

"Sex apart from marriage becomes a product we consume if we find someone attractive enough in quality and low enough in price. If the quality goes down or the cost goes up, we can walk away, because there is no covenant. But if sex comes only with the radical self-giving and whole-life commitment of marriage, that takes sex off the market, as it were, and makes it priceless"
– Tim Keller

Genesis 39:6b-10 (NIV) – Now Joseph was well-built and handsome, and after a while his master's wife took notice of Joseph and said, "Come to bed with me!" But he refused. "With me in charge", he told her, "my master does not concern himself with anything in the house; everything he owns he has entrusted to my care. No one is greater in this house than I am. My master has withheld nothing from me except you, because you are his wife. How then could I do such a wicked thing and sin against God?" And though she spoke to Joseph day after day, he refused to go to bed with her or even be with her.

1 Corinthians 7:1-5 (NIV) – "Now for the matters you wrote about: 'It is good for a man not to have sexual relations with a woman'. But since sexual immorality is occurring, each man should have sexual relations with his own wife, and each woman with her own husband. The husband should fulfill his marital duty to his wife, and likewise the wife to her husband. The wife does not have authority over her own body but yields it to her husband. In the same way, the husband does not have authority over his own body but yields it to his wife. Do not deprive each other except perhaps by mutual consent and for a time, so that you may devote yourselves to prayer. Then come together again so that Satan will not tempt you because of your lack of self-control".

Bottom Line – Key Points

1. If we don't know the foundation, God's plan for sex, we can't accurately understand sexual immorality.
2. Jesus didn't address every specific form of sexual immorality that exists today because he addressed them all with one Greek word, which covers everything outside of God's plan for sex.
3. Sex outside of marriage is cheap and harmful, but sex within God's intentions in the covenant of marriage is priceless.