# Faith Baptist Church WITH ALL YOUR HEART 2024

## Jeremiah 29:13 And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart.

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As we embark on a new year, I am filled with excitement and anticipation for what lies ahead for our church family. Our theme for 2024 is "With All Your Heart," inspired by Jeremiah 29:13, which reminds us that when we seek the Lord with all our hearts, we will find Him. It is my heartfelt prayer that this theme will not just be a slogan, but a way of life for all of us. In 2024, let us commit ourselves to loving and serving Jesus with everything we have. May we give our all in love, in fellowship, in reaching out to our community, and in supporting one another. Together, we can grow in faith, deepen our relationship with our Savior, and impact lives for His glory. Let "All Your Heart" be more than a theme; let it be a rallying cry that guides our every action and draws us closer to the heart of God. I am excited to witness the journey of faith that awaits us in 2024 as we wholeheartedly follow the Lord.

Your Friend, Pastor Carlson





- Raise money towards new building.
- Increase Sunday morning adult attendance to average over 60.
- Increase bus rider attendance to average over 30.
- Expand our missions support to 14 total missionaries.
- Add 4 more volunteers to help with our ministries.
- Emphasize the importance of Bible College to our young adults.
- Increase training and communication among our different ministries.
- Expand our Outreach to more than just doorknocking to include more involvement with our community.



## "Excellence for the Lord"

We are excited to share with you the projects we have in store for Faith Baptist Church in 2024. Your generous support and dedication to our church make these improvements possible. Here's a summary of the projects, including estimated costs:

New carpet in auditorium \$3,000

Church sign upgrade \$400

Soffit for the front of the church \$500

New flooring in foyer \$1,500

Baptism changing room renovation \$2,500

Church van tire replacement \$1,000

Gutters on side of building \$300



In the spirit of our 2024 theme, "With All Your Heart," Faith Baptist Church invites you to wholeheartedly engage with our ministries. Here's how you can actively participate in our ministries:

**Outreach** - Help us reach Carlsbad for Christ through weekly opportunities to make connections with people, show them Christ, and invite them to our church.

**Altar Counselor** - Speak with those who want to accept Jesus as their Savior and lead them through the Gospel.

**Sunday School** - Be a teacher or helper in one of our Sunday School classes.

**Preaching** - On the first Sunday of each month, one of the men or several of the young men will preach during the evening church service.

**Kids Church** - Help bring a biblical lesson to our youth for the morning services.

Nursery - Care for our little ones during church services.

Cleaning - Help keep our church clean and inviting.

**Sound System & Livestream** - Contribute to the operation of audio and livestream during church services.

Security Ministry - Safeguard our church family and visitors.

**Greeter Ministry** - Welcome members and visitors to church.

**Usher Ministry** - Help with the offering and showing visitors to their seats.

**Prison Ministry** - Share hope and faith with those who are incarcerated.

**Music** - Join in singing in the choir, participating in ensembles, and leading songs.

Bus Ministry - Help bring children to church on Sunday mornings.

Lawn Care and Building Maintenance - Maintain our church grounds and facilities.

**Photography and Media Ministry** - Capture photos and videos to help document the events throughout the year.

**KEY EVENTS** IN 2024

### HEARTLAND BIBLE COLLEGE VISIT MARCH 20-22





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In 2024, we are excited to go to Heartland Baptist Bible College in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Our goal is to attend their "College Days" event, providing a unique opportunity for our young adults and their parents to see the college and experience classes for a few days. Bible College may be something that our young adults may want to pursue after high school and I highly recommend it.

There are many benefits to Bible College including:

- 1. Bible College Will Help Your Child Find and Prepare for God's Will.
- 2. Bible College Will Help Your Child Grow and Mature as an Adult.
- 3. Bible College Will Help Your Child Build a Solid Biblical Foundation.
- 4. Bible College Will Equip Your Child for Ministry Service.

### "Bible College might be the most important step into adulthood your son or daughter could take."

#### Some considerations:

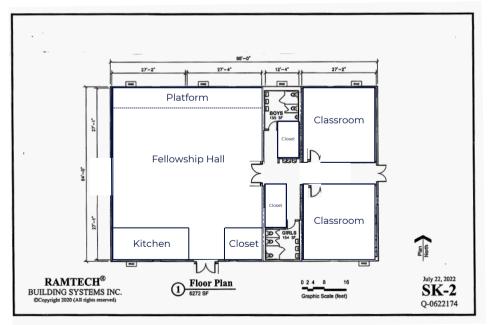
- **Affordable** -\$9,000 annually including room and board at Heartland Baptist Bible College (2023).
- Relatively Close only 8 hours away from Heartland Baptist Bible College.
- **Safe** -Bible colleges are statistically a very safe place. Many colleges offer oncampus housing and jobs especially for young ladies.
- **1-year degree options** Many Bible Colleges offer a 1-year Bible Program that I recommend to almost every person coming out of high school.
- Accreditation -Some Bible colleges like West Coast Baptist College offer fully accredited degrees.
- Gives a young person something to look forward to and plan for in their final years of high school. This can bring determination, joy, and hope for the future.
- **Pastor's Scholarship** -Pastor Carlson and Mrs. Abbi will personally pay \$500 towards your first year of Bible college.
- Bible College is often a place where someone can **meet a godly spouse, meet life-long friends, and make wonderful memories.**



### **"GIVING BY FAITH" BANQUET** APRIL 19

Let's Build Together: A New Space for Growth and Fellowship







### **Building Our Future Together**

Join us on a transformative journey of faith and fellowship at our Giving by Faith Banquet. As we gather on this special day, we unite with a shared vision - to create a space where our church can grow, learn, and connect.

#### The Vision: A New Space for Growth and Fellowship by 2027

We are excited to announce our ambitious project: a new metal building that will be the backbone of our church services and fellowships.

This multi-purpose facility will include:

- **Spacious Classrooms:** Enabling learning and spiritual growth for both children and adults.
- Fully Equipped Bathrooms: Designed for comfort and accessibility.
- Large Fellowship Hall: A welcoming space for gatherings, celebrations, and community events.
- **Kitchen:** To cater to our fellowship needs and support event hosting.

#### Your Role in This Journey

The Giving by Faith Banquet isn't just an event; it's the start of a three-year journey of faith and commitment. Through your generous donations and pledges, you will play a crucial role in turning this vision into a reality by 2027.

#### An Evening of Faith and Commitment

April 19, 2024, will be more than just a banquet. It's an opportunity to come together as a church, share our stories, and pledge our support to a cause that will shape the future of our church and its members.

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A mission's trip to the Navajo Nation to help our missionary Mark Haynes with their annual Vacation Bible School. This will be a great opportunity to see what it's like on the mission field.

## "Come help with a Vacation Bible School in the Navajo Reservation!"





#### Goal:

• Help Ganado Baptist Church with their Vacation Bible School in areas like teaching, driving vans, preparing food & snacks, cleaning, and most importantly showing children how to be saved through faith in Jesus.

#### Some information:

- Dates -We will most likely leave Monday July 21 and return Thursday July 24.
- **Lodging** -There are several hotels located in Window Rock Arizona about 30 minutes away to safely stay overnight for around \$100 per night.
- **Food** There are several restaurants in Ganado and Window Rock that we will be able to eat at it throughout the week.
- **Attractions** There a many beautiful natural sight that we will be able to visit while on the Navajo Reservation.
- **Time with our missionaries** Spend some quality time with our faithful missionaries, the Haynes family, who have been on the Navajo Reservation for almost 30 years.

### FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH 2024 Church Calendar

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JANUARY 7 Vision Sunday 14 Financial Meeting 19 Ladies Fellowship 20 Men's Prayer Breakfast 21-24 Missions Conference 28 Faith Promise Commitments	FEBRUARY 9 Youth Activity 11 Church Fellowship 23 Church Worker's Banquet	MARCH 8 Youth Activity 9 Spring Outreach Kickoff 10 Time Change Sunday 12 Tuesday Outreach Starts 16 Teen Fundraiser 20-22 Heartland College Days 31 Easter Sunday
APRIL 6 Men's Prayer Breakfast 12 Youth Activity 13 Church Work Day 19 "Giving by Faith" Banquet 21 Church Fellowship 28 Friend Day	MAY 2 Ladies Fellowship 11 Teen Fundraiser 12 Mother's Day Sunday 25 Teen Fundraiser 26 God and Country Sunday	JUNE 3-7 Teen Camp in Cuba, NM 15 Men's BBQ Fellowship 16 Father's Day Sunday June 30-July 3 Revival with Danford Family
JULY 12 Youth Activity 14 Church Fellowship 21-24 Missions Trip to Navajo Nation with Missionary Mark Haynes to help with V.B.S.	AUGUST 2 Youth Activity 4 Kids Fellowship 16 Couples' Date Night 25 Missionary Sunday	SEPTEMBER 2 Labor Day Conference in Albuquerque 13 Youth Activity 19 Ladies Fellowship 23-25 Spiritual Leadership Conference in CA.
OCTOBER 4-5 Ladies Retreat in Roswell 11 Youth Activity 13 Lord's Supper 20 Fall Festival 26 Men's Prayer Breakfast 29 Tuesday Outreach	NOVEMBER 3 Time Change Sunday 8 Youth Activity 23 Church Work Day 26 Thanksgiving Service & Fellowship	DECEMBER 5 Ladies Fellowship 13 Game Night 20 Christmas Caroling 22 Christmas Program 24 Candlelight Service 29 Year-in-Review Sunday

Church Workers' Meetings: 1st Sunday of each month after P.M. service

**PREVIOUS THEMES** 



## 2023 **GOD** FIRST

## Faith Baptist Church Carlsbad, NM