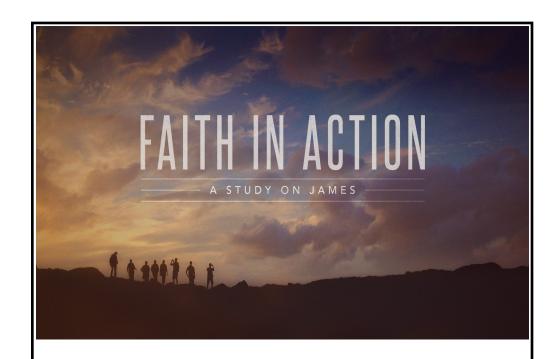
SERMON NOTES – Brad Merchant, Lead Pastor "Faith in Action: The Purpose of Trials" - James 1:1-12





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WELCOME

Welcome to Wabash Friends Church. We're glad you're here! Our purpose is partnering with God to see lives change, one relationship at a time. We are God's family. We are in process. We reach out in relationship. We care for our community. We have a heart for the nations.

THIS WEEK AT FRIENDS CHURCH

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE:

8:30 AM - Traditional Service, 10:45 AM - Contemporary Service 9:45 AM - Children & Adult Sunday School

Sunday Group, Atrium

Monday 6-8 PM: Roots Youth 6-8 PM: Open Gym Basketball

Tuesday 3:00 PM: Praver Meeting

Thursday 5:30 AM: NACMBS. Atrium

NUMBERS LAST SUNDAY

General Giving

\$25,087.66

YTD Income Less Exp. \$(3,579.84)

Total Worship Service Attendance: 419 1st: 160, 2nd: 215, Kids: 44, SS: 161



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Emmanuel Hostel Sponsors and congregation! Whether you are a sponsor or have an interest in hearing about the children at the Emmanuel Hostel, there is a meal and program planned for Sunday, March 3, after the second service, to learn more about the ministry and an update on what is going on. Mark your calendar for this event.

The main course and table service will be provided. If you can, you are asked to bring a salad or dessert to share. This is an event you do not want to miss!

2024 WFC MISSIONS BUDGET

If you missed the insert in last week's bulletin with our 2024 Mission Budget, you can find a copy at the Missions Station on the north end of the narthex.

CHURCH PRAYER CHAIN

Do you have a prayer request you would like to share so our church family can be praying for you? Would you like to be added to our prayer chain email group? Please send requests to info@wabashfriends.org.

NEWS & INFO



Roots youth group tonight from 6-8 PM. Come hang out and let's celebrate how God has been working in our lives!





CAMP FUNDRAISER

Help us to fund sending more kids to camp by purchasing Wabash Friends Church Gear (apparel & accessories). These items would make GREAT Christmas gifts! Please visit our apparel store at:

wabashfriends2023.itemorder.com

Questions, please see Brock or call Heather Edwards in the church office.



Kids Hope is seeking individuals to spend time mentoring a student at Southwood Elementary one hour a week through the school year. If you desire to make an impact on a student's life and be a support for them. Proffitt please contact Sheri sheriproffitt@hotmail.com.



The next Bridge gathering will be Wednesday, February 28, at 6:30 PM. Bridge is an opportunity for all students currently in grades 5-8 to come together, encounter Jesus, encourage one another, and have some fun!



Be sure to check in your child each Sunday morning at the Faith Street check-in desk in the Atrium.

Check out the NEW Parenting and Children's Resource area next to the Children's check-in desk! Books can be purchased by credit card online or by cash. Contact Pastor Mark with any questions.

Please see Mark Riner if you are interested in volunteering or have any questions or concerns regarding children's ministry.



"PETER'S TEAM" FUNDRAISER LUNCH! Get your best chili recipes ready! In an effort to raise support for those going to Joni & Friends Family Retreat this June, we will be having a Chili Cook Off lunch after 2nd service on Sunday, March 10, in the gym. We hope several members of our church family can provide a crockpot of chili (already prepared) to share that day. If you can provide chili, please sign up in the volunteer folders or the Google Form sent in the weekly Friday church-wide email. Prizes for the top vote-getting soups will be awarded! Extra food and drinks will be provided. If you have questions or want to learn more about this life-giving ministry, please see Phil or Shelly Boone.