

Welcome to Faith

October 30, 2022

Prayer Requests

UPCOMING & RECENT SURGERIES

Carmen Werner

OTHER

Chelsea Reppert's mother

LOCAL COMMUNITY, NATIONAL, OR CULTURAL NEEDS

The Lord to grant fruit from our efforts to love the community through Trunk or Treat

Mid-term elections on November 8

Daylight Saving

Daylight Saving Time ends next Sunday, November 6. Please remember to set your clocks back an hour.

Stewardship Celebration

Free tickets are available in the foyer and online at faithlafayette.org/stewardship. You can also sign up to serve at that same link.

Taste of Christmas

Join us for Taste of Christmas Light in the Darkness. This year a ONE NIGHT ONLY women's festive concert and dinner. Let's fill this enormous arena with the ladies from all around Tippecanoe County to hear the hope of the gospel!! Held on Monday, November 21, at the Tippecanoe County Fairgrounds Event Center, 6:30-8:30 pm. Invite all the ladies who cross your paths! Tickets are \$12 and available in the church foyers today, November 6, and 13 or online at faithlafayette.org/toc.

Living Nativity

We're excited about another year of the Lafayette Living Nativity! We begin making assignments this week, so please sign up today. See available serving areas and sign up online at faithlafayette.org/insignup or scan the QR code.



Voting Guide

Voter guides are available at the welcome desk.

Children's Ministry 2yr - 5th grade

Our children's Sunday school classes are designed to ground kids in the foundational truths of God's Word. We encourage parents to review the content of each week's lesson with their children. You can use the QR code to find helpful suggestions for continuing the discipleship process at home.



Church Family Night

Join us November 6 at 5pm at Faith East for Church Family Night. New member/update photos will be in Jeremy Vegter's office from 4:15-4:45pm.

Deacon Vote

Our annual election of deacons will be held Sunday, November 13, in the Faith East foyer starting at 8am and the Faith West and Faith North welcome areas starting at 9:30am. Absentee ballots are available upon request by calling the church office. We will be affirming 18 men; the vote is to either affirm the entire slate or to not affirm. Scan the QR code to see the list of men.



Caleb's Kin Fellowship

Senior adults, join us for our monthly fellowship at 10am on Tuesday, November 1, in the Senior Living Clubhouse. Bring a friend, enjoy the fellowship and food (\$5 for the catered meal, but first time guests eat for free as do any seniors for whom the cost is a hardship), and be blessed as Pastor Ross Reeder shares how the Lord is working in his life and ministry. Questions? Contact Alisha Vegter (765) 350-0919 or Roseanna Beecher (765) 337-1699.

Caleb's Kin Fellowship

Senior adults, join us for a tour & lunch at the Fowler House Mansion in Lafayette on Wednesday, November 16. The buses will leave at 11:15am from the south side of the Faith East Community Center parking lot (right next to SR 26). The cost is from \$8-16 (depending on your lunch choice - the tour is included in that cost) plus \$3.00 for the bus. We should be back around 3pm. Sign up by contacting Pam Griese: pcg68@hotmail.com or (765) 491-8352.

Last Week's Offering - \$71,192.01
Weekly Budget - \$74,195
Last Week Sunday Worship - 1,479

Your Pastors

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Growing in Gospel Gratitude
Our God Who Owns Everything
1 Chronicles 29:10-20

Stewardship – God-given responsibility with accountability

Four Principles of Stewardship

1. God owns everything, you own nothing
2. God entrusts you with everything you have
3. You can either increase or diminish what God has given; He wants you to increase it
4. God can call you into account at any time, and it may be today

2 Peter 1:12-13

2 Samuel 7:12-13

3 results of affirming God's Ownership

I. God's Ownership Should Result in _____ (1 Chronicles 29:10-13)

A. Because He is our _____ heavenly Father

1 Chronicles 29:10 - *So David blessed the Lord in the sight of all the assembly; and David said, "Blessed are You, O Lord God of Israel our father, forever and ever."*

Psalms 24:1 - *The earth is the Lord's, and all it contains, the world, and those who dwell in it.*

Ephesians 4:6 - *...one God and Father of all who is over all and through all and in all.*

B. Because of His _____ attributes

- Greatness
- Power
- Glory
- Victory
- Majesty

C. Because of His _____

1 Chronicles 29:11b - *...indeed everything that is in the heavens and the earth; Yours is the dominion, O Lord, and You exalt Yourself as head over all.*

Acts 20:28 - *...to shepherd the church of God which He purchased with His own blood.*

Psalms 104:24 - *O Lord, how many are Your works! In wisdom You have made them all; the earth is full of Your possessions.*

D. Because of His _____

1 Chronicles 29:12-13

II. God's Ownership Should Result in _____ (1 Chronicles 29:14-17)

A. Because our good _____ come from God's good hand

1 Chronicles 29:14 - *But who am I and who are my people that we should be able to offer as generously as this? For all things come from You, and from Your hand we have given You.*

Luke 12:16-19

Luke 12:20-21 - *But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your soul is required of you; and now who will own what you have prepared? So is the man who stores up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God."*

B. We are simply _____ on land we do not own

1 Chronicles 29:15 - *For we are sojourners before You, and tenants, as all our fathers were; our days on the earth are like a shadow, and there is no hope.*

Leviticus 25:23 - *The land, moreover, shall not be sold permanently, for the land is Mine; for you are but aliens and sojourners with Me.*

C. Which ultimately results in _____

1 Chronicles 29:16-17

John 13:17 - *If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.*

1 Chronicles 29:21

Psalms 145:8 - *The Lord is gracious and merciful; Slow to anger and great in lovingkindness.*

III. God's Ownership Should Result in _____

1 Chronicles 29:18 - *O Lord, the God of Abraham...*

Genesis 14:17-18

Genesis 14:19-20 - *He blessed him and said, "Blessed be Abram of God Most High, Possessor of heaven and earth; and blessed be God Most High, who has delivered your enemies into your hand."*

Genesis 14:20b - *...He gave him a tenth of all.*

1 Corinthians 6:19-20