

PRAYER REQUESTS

Recent Deaths

- Lori Walters' mother

Recent Surgeries

- Kristen McCullough
- Rachel Wilmington

Other

- Nancy Johnston
- Dorothy Hesler

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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.



CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

Bring your family tonight to one of our 3 campuses to celebrate the birth of Jesus in song and worship. Each campus will be hosting a Candlelight service at the following times:

- Faith East – 5:00 pm & 8:00 pm
 - Service for families with children age 4 - 5th grade (Gym) – 5pm
- Faith West – 6:00 pm
- Faith North – 7:00 pm

NEW YEAR'S EVE SPECTACULAR

Join us at one of our 3 community centers for activities and fun on December 31 from 5pm - 8pm. Visit faithlafayette.org/newyear to learn more. We also need servants to help us provide a safe and fun way for families to celebrate New Year's Eve. To sign up, go to faithlafayette.org/serve.

CHURCH FAMILY NIGHT

Join us, January 7, 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.

FAITH COMMUNITY INSTITUTE

The FCI winter term begins on Wednesday, January 10, from 6:30-8pm. Consider enrolling in one of 6 courses designed to help you skillfully navigate life and grow in your walk with the Lord:

- II Timothy: Fulfill Your Ministry!
- 5 Bible Verses Every Christian Should Know
- Intro to Faith East
- Inductive Bible Study: Daniel (Women Only)
- Mom2Mom (Women Only)
- The Beauty of Biblical Womanhood (Women Only)



To sign up visit faithlafayette.org/fci or scan the QR code.

INTRODUCTION TO FAITH

Introduction to Faith begins this Wednesday, January 10, from 6:30-8pm at Faith East. Sign up online at faithlafayette.org/intro or scan the QR code.



SUNDAY WORSHIP PLAYLIST

You can find today's worship music by searching [faithchurchmusic](https://open.spotify.com/playlist/faithchurchmusic) on Spotify



COME, THOU LONG EXPECTED JESUS
CHARLES WESLEY

IT CAME UPON A MIDNIGHT CLEAR
EDMUND SEARS

O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL
JOHN FRANCIS WADE

O LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM
PHILLIPS BROOKS

OH HOLY NIGHT
PLACIDE CAPPEAU

Last Week's Offering: \$96,006.57 | Weekly Budget: \$74,195
Last Week Sunday Worship: 1,911

FAITH CHURCH EAST
5526 St. Rd. 26 East, Lafayette

Sunday Worship - 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am
Children's Ministries - 8:00, 9:30, & 11:00am
Student Ministries - 9:30 & 11:00am
Family Service - 11:00am

FAITH CHURCH WEST
1920 Northwestern Ave., West Lafayette

Sunday Worship - 9:30 & 11:00am
Children's Ministries - 9:30 & 11:00am
Student Ministries - 9:30am

FAITH CHURCH NORTH
2000 Elmwood Ave., Lafayette

Sunday Worship - 9:30 & 11:00am
Children's Ministries - 9:30 & 11:00am
Student Ministries - 11:00am

December 24, 2023

Light of the World

Grow closer
to God.

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with others.

Faith is the place for
practical Bible teaching
with real-life relevance.

One Church. Three Campuses.

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We are a diverse church family committed to biblical truth, loving this community, and supporting one another. There is a place for you here.

YOUR PASTORS

EAST CAMPUS - 8:00AM
Johnny Kjaer - FE Community Ministries
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Trey Garner - Children's Ministries
tgarner@faithlafayette.org 765-237-2700
Ian Woodall - Youth Ministries
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EAST CAMPUS - 9:30AM
Dustin Folden - Adult Ministries
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Brent Aucoin - Soul Care
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Josh Aucoin - Worship Ministries
jaucoin@faithlafayette.org 765-237-1687

EAST CAMPUS - 11:00AM
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Greg Wetterlin - Restoration
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EAST CAMPUS (GYM) - FAMILY 11:00AM
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WEST CAMPUS
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abirk@faithlafayette.org 765-586-6767

Stefan Nitzschke - College Ministries
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WEST CAMPUS

Ross Reeder - Community Development
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NORTH CAMPUS - 9:30AM
Rod Hutton - Faith North Ministries
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LIGHT OF THE WORLD

The Prince of Peace

Isaiah 9:1-7

3 truths that help us rejoice in the gift of peace

I. _____ Peace According to the Bible

A. Peace between _____ = The end of a conflict between people and groups

B. Peace between man and _____ = The end of conflict with nature

Isaiah 11:6-9 - *And the wolf will dwell with the lamb, and the leopard will lie down with the young goat, and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little boy will lead them. Also the cow and the bear will graze, their young will lie down together, and the lion will eat straw like the ox. The nursing child will play by the hole of the cobra, and the weaned child will put his hand on the viper's den. They will not hurt or destroy in all My holy mountain, for the earth will be full of the knowledge of the LORD as the waters cover the sea.*

C. Peace within _____ = The end of the conflict inside of us

Isaiah 26:3 - *The steadfast of mind You will keep in perfect peace, because he trusts in You.*

John 14:27 - *Peace I leave with you; My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Do not let your heart be troubled, nor let it be fearful.*

II. _____ that All of Our Conflict Comes from Our War with God

A. Sin brought conflict with _____

Isaiah 59:2 - *But your iniquities have made a separation between you and your God, and your sins have hidden His face from you so that He does not hear.*

B. Sin brought conflict into their own _____

Genesis 3:7 - *Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they knew that they were naked; and they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves loin coverings.*

C. Sin brought conflict with _____

Isaiah 1:7 - *Your land is desolate, your cities are burned with fire, your fields – strangers are devouring them in your presence; It is desolation, as overthrown by strangers.*

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D. Sin brought conflict with _____

Isaiah 59:6b-8 - *Their works are works of iniquity, and an act of violence is in their hands. Their feet run to evil, and they hasten to shed innocent blood; Their thoughts are thoughts of iniquity, devastation and destruction are in their highways. They do not know the way of peace, and there is no justice in their tracks; They have made their paths crooked, whoever treads on them does not know peace.*

III. _____ in the Prince of Peace Who Makes Peace for You

A. _____ that you cannot fix the brokenness yourself

Isaiah 48:22 - *"There is no peace for the wicked," says the LORD.*

Isaiah 48:18 - *If only you had paid attention to My commandments! Then your well-being would have been like a river, and your righteousness like the waves of the sea.*

B. _____ that Jesus is the Prince of Peace AND suffering Servant who came to make peace for sinners

Luke 2:13-14 - *And suddenly there appeared with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among men with whom He is pleased."*

Isaiah 9:6 - *For a child will be born to us, a son will be given to us; And the government will rest on His shoulders; And His name will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Prince of Peace.*

Matthew 8:17 - *This was to fulfill what was spoken through Isaiah the prophet: "HE HIMSELF TOOK OUR INFIRMITIES AND CARRIED AWAY OUR DISEASES."*

1 Peter 2:23-24 - *...and while being reviled, He did not revile in return; while suffering, He uttered no threats, but kept entrusting Himself to Him who judges righteously; and He Himself bore our sins in His body on the cross, so that we might die to sin and live to righteousness; for by His wounds you were healed.*

Isaiah 53:4-5 - *Surely our griefs He Himself bore, and our sorrows He carried; Yet we ourselves esteemed Him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted. But He was pierced through for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; The chastening for our well-being [peace] fell upon Him, and by His scourging we are healed.*

C. _____ peace with God through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ

Romans 5:1 - *Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ...*

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