

FELLOWSHIP means communion, sharing, contribution, partnership.

OUR SERVICES

All regular services of Fellowship Bible Church meet in our facilities at 2775 Bedford Road, Ann Arbor. The Parsonage and study of the Pastor are located at 3290 Charing Cross Rd, Ann Arbor, MI 48108.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Wed. Prayer 6:30 p.m.
Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m. Saturday Men's Prayer 8:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening, Truth Trackers 6:00 p.m.

OUR BELIEFS

1. We believe the 66-book Bible is verbally inspired and inerrant in the original writings. We believe that the Bible must be interpreted literally, according to context, history, and grammar. We believe the dispensational approach to the Bible.
2. We believe there is one only living and true God, eternally existing in three persons – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
3. We believe that man was created in the image of God, but he sinned, and thereby all human beings are born with a sin nature which is at enmity with God. Man therefore needs to be reconciled to God, released from slavery to sin, and delivered from God's wrath against sin and the guilt of sin.
4. We believe in Christ's virgin birth, physical bodily resurrection, ascension, and present intercession for us.
5. We believe that Jesus Christ died in our place at Calvary and that His sacrifice is the only ground for forgiveness of sin.
6. We believe that salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus Christ, and that all who so believe are eternally saved, transformed, and being sanctified.
7. We believe in the imminent, pretribulational rapture of the church. We believe in the personal, premillennial return of the Lord Jesus to the earth to set up His Kingdom.

OUR STAFF

Ben Carnes and Jon Snoeberger are the deacons of Fellowship Bible Church. Jansen Lorch is assistant pastor.

OUR INVITATION

We invite you to receive Jesus as your Lord and Savior, join the church membership, grow in the grace and knowledge of the Lord, and consider how you can serve to promote the gospel to the ends of the earth. Please see Pastor Postiff or one of the deacons if you have spiritual needs or questions. We are happy to serve you in whatever way we can.



Fellowship

BIBLE CHURCH

HE IS RISEN

"If it's the Bible you want, come to Fellowship Bible."

Rev. Matthew A. Postiff, Ph.D. Th.M., Pastor

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"That which we have seen and heard we declare to you,
that you also may have fellowship with us;
and truly our fellowship is with the Father,
and with His Son, Jesus Christ." 1 John 1:3

SUNDAY SCHOOL – 9:45 a.m. – Lord's Table

“Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus, who, being in the form of God, did not consider it robbery to be equal with God, but made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of men. And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross. Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth, and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.” – Philippians 2:5-11

MORNING WORSHIP – 10:45 a.m.

Prelude	
Announcements, Opening Prayer	
Hymn * # 595	“One Day”
Hymn * # 87	“He Is Lord”
Scripture Reading: Revelation 12	Jansen Lorch
Pastoral Prayer	
Offering & Musical Ministry “Praise Him/Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee”	Sam and Jael Carnes
Musical Ministry “Sacred Harp Medley” (lyrics on opposite page)	Selah Dowell
Hymn *# 440	“Jesus Calls Us”
Teaching of the Word: Luke 9:27-36	Pastor Postiff
Hymn *# 344	“My Hope is in the Lord”
Benediction	
Postlude	* Congregation Standing

WORSHIP & BIBLE STUDY – 6:00 p.m.

Hymn Sing	Selections
Scripture Reading: Psalm 49-50	Drew Nelson
Teaching of the Word	Pastor Postiff

DEVOTIONAL READING - Pure Hearts

Who shall ascend into the hill of the LORD? or who shall stand in his holy place? He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart; who hath not lifted up his soul unto vanity, nor sworn deceitfully. He shall receive the blessing from the LORD, and righteousness from the God of his salvation. This is the generation of them that seek him, that seek thy face, O Jacob. Selah.

- Psalm 24:3-6

There is a longing in the heart of every person for what only a personal relationship with God can provide. People have tried almost everything imaginable to fill the void apart from Him, but it is impossible. No amount of seeking pleasure, rising to prominence, or acquiring possessions will substitute for God. Solomon had virtually unlimited resources and power and indulged every desire he could think of, but he still found life to be empty and meaningless apart from God. If we want to have a close and personal relationship with God, we must be spending time in His presence. That requires that we keep our hearts right. Jesus said, “Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God” (Matthew 5:8).

Charles Spurgeon said, “The man whose heart is pure, will be able to see God in nature. When the heart is clean, he will hear God's footfall everywhere in the garden of the earth in the cool of the day. He will hear God's voice in the tempest, sounding in peal on peal from the tops of the mountains. He will behold the Lord walking on the great and mighty waters, or see him in every leaf that trembles in the breeze. Once get the heart right, and then God can be seen everywhere. To an impure heart, God cannot be seen anywhere; but to a pure heart God is to be seen everywhere.” If we allow sin to linger in our hearts rather than confessing and forsaking it,

we will inevitably find our fellowship with God broken. God sees our hearts, and they must be pure before Him for us to walk in closeness with Him. The closeness of our fellowship with God is conditioned on the condition of our hearts. ~ <https://devo.paulchappell.com/devotions/day/2024-04-02>

NURSERY MINISTRY

Today		Next Sunday	
SS	Melissa	SS	Karen, Emily
AM	Karen, Jael, Makenzie	AM	Kalee, Janette
PM	Jael	PM	Kim

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME. We are grateful for this time of worship, edification, and fellowship together! This morning Pastor Postiff will resume studies in the Gospel of Luke.

EVENING SERVICE. We meet again at 6pm to close out our Lord's Day with worship, Bible study, and fellowship. Truth Trackers will meet as well!

PRAYER THIS WEEK. Ladies meet Tuesday at 11 with Kalee at the Streamwood parsonage. Wednesday dinner starts at 5:45 p.m., Prayer Meeting starts at 6:30 p.m. Come when you can; it is a blessing to meet and seek the Lord together in prayer. Men also meet for prayer and Bible study at 8am on Saturday morning.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Saturday, April 20 Ladies' Spring Brunch,** 10:30 am. A sign-up sheet is posted in the hallway. Feel free to invite other ladies! Liz Thompson, who ministers with Gospel Mission of South America in Uruguay, will give a devotional message.
- **April 28 Missionaries Mike and Marie Brunk** visiting. We'll look forward to an update on their ministry in South Africa.
- **May 19 - VBS planning meeting** after morning service, note the new date.
- **May 10 – Food Drive** If you would like to participate in the Letter Carriers' food drive, please bring non-perishable items before May 10. Put them in the “glass wall office.”
- **VBS 2024 “The Great Jungle Journey”** is scheduled for July 29 - August 2, 2024! Please pass the word on and sign up your children at <https://www.fbcaa.org/vbs>

ANNUAL CALENDAR: Go to fbcaa.org. In the Connect menu select "Annual Calendar" to see when potlucks, Lord's Table services, and other special events are planned for the year.

LYRICS FOR SACRED HARP MEDLEY: These are mostly familiar words, but different tunes that are from the Sacred Harp tradition of the 1800's, First verses of the two hymns are provided here.

Come, Thou Fount of ev'ry blessing, Tune my heart to sing Thy grace. Streams of mercy, never ceasing, Call for songs of loudest praise.	Come, ye sinners, poor and needy, Weak and wounded, sick and sore, Jesus ready stands to save you, Full of pity, love and pow'r.
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I am bound for the kingdom, Will you go to glory with me? Hallelujah, praise the Lord.	He is able, He is willing, doubt no more.
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BIBLE MEMORY VERSE FOR APRIL

“I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service. 2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God. – Romans 12:1,2