

**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

James Widgeon and Ben Carnes are the deacons of Fellowship Bible Church. Jansen Lorch ministers as pastoral intern.

### 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



**"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.**

“He who is mighty has done great things for me,  
And holy is His name.  
And His mercy is on those who fear Him.”  
- Luke 1:49-50a

**MORNING WORSHIP – 10:45 a.m.**

Prelude	
Announcements	
Opening Prayer	
Hymn * # 199	“Joy to the World”
“O Come, All Ye Faithful”	John Postiff, Naomi Postiff
Scripture Reading	Luke 1:26-56
“Pat-a-Pan/He is Born”	Selah Dowell, Naomi Postiff
“Away In a Manger”	Michele Yanga, Jael Carnes
“Christmas Grace”	Steve & Debbie Monty, Rebecca Monty, Kyle & Hillary Jenney
Hymn * # 200	“Christmas Bell”
Scripture Reading by Collins Family	Luke 2:1-20
“Jesus, Joy of the Highest Heaven”	Naomi Postiff, Jael Carnes, Jon Snoeberger
“O Sing a Song of Bethlehem”	Kristy Collins
“The First Noel”	Kristy and Macy Collins
“Silent Night”	Michele Yanga, Jael Carnes
Teaching of the Word	Pastor Postiff
Hymn * #218	“Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne”
Benediction	
Postlude	* Congregation Standing

**BIBLE STUDY – 6:00 p.m.**

Prelude	
Hymn Sing	Selections
Testimonies	
Scripture Reading	Luke 1:57-80
Teaching of the Word	Jansen Lorch

**DEVOTIONAL READING**

"For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that, though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, that ye through his poverty might be rich." - 2 Corinthians 8:9

If you were to make a list of everything you want or hope to receive this Christmas, how many items on your list would be things you couldn't live without?

In truth, the only One that we cannot live without is the One whose coming we celebrate in this season of gifts. Without Jesus we have no Christmas. Without Jesus, we have no eternal life, no abundant life. In John 10:10, Jesus said, "I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly."

Every need of the human heart can be met in Jesus. First Corinthians 1:30–31 tells us, "*But of him are ye in Christ Jesus, who of God is made unto us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption: That, according as it is written, He that glorieth, let him glory in the Lord.*"

What a miracle of God's power that He—the Creator of the universe—could clothe Himself in flesh and come to us as a tiny, helpless baby, and that in that coming, He could meet

every need of our heart and soul. What love of God to desire to give us eternal life—at His expense. And what love of God to give us full, abundant life through *His* life!

As you approach Christmas this year, take a moment to reflect on the riches that we have through Jesus Christ. Christmas was God's most valuable gift delivered to Earth—to you. And in this precious Gift, you have all you need. Jesus humbled Himself to give us His great riches. Thank Him for His grace. <https://devo.paulchappell.com/devotions/day/2020-12-15>

**NURSERY MINISTRY****Today**

SS Karen  
AM Becky, Melissa  
PM Emily

**Next Sunday**

SS Jael  
AM Theda, Karen  
PM Jael

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WELCOME.** As we near Christmas, we are thankful for this time to come apart awhile and refocus our hearts on Lord Whom we worship, Jesus. We will do so with some extra musical ministries today, focused on our Lord's first Advent.

**EVENING SERVICE.** Please join us at 6:00 p.m. tonight for more worship and fellowship. Truth Trackers Club will also meet.

**REMOTE WEDNESDAY PRAYER.** We will not be meeting in person on Wednesday, but will have a call-in prayer service, followed by live-streamed Bible study. Please refer to your email and What's app messages for call instructions.

**CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE.** We will gather in person as well as through our live-stream for a special time of carols, Scripture reading, and a time focus on the birth of our Lord Jesus on Thursday evening at 7:00pm.

**MEN'S PRAYER FELLOWSHIP.** Men meet for fellowship, prayer and Bible study Saturday mornings at 8:00 a.m.

**NOTES OF THANKS.** From Jack and Bev McMahan (missionaries in New Zealand): "The package from FBC arrived in our mail yesterday (It took about 4 weeks to arrive which isn't too bad). We appreciate the notes and photos from those who wrote. It was a great joy to connect with our church family in this way. Please pass along our gratefulness to our FBC family - it was very special. We wish each of you a blessed Christmas season filled with the joy that the Holy Spirit brings as we exalt and enjoy God's greatest gift - His ONLY BEGOTTEN SON and our LORD JESUS CHRIST.

We also received a word of thanks for our Christmas notes from Arabic Bible Outreach!

**OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS.**

- January 3 We plan to observe communion during our Evening service at 6:00pm.
- January 9 Various times and locations- baby shower for Kalee Lorch. Please see Jael or Janette with questions.
- January 16 remote Hackathon 9.