# 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.

Church Phone: 734-971-2837 Pastor Postiff's Phone: 734-975-8949

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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**

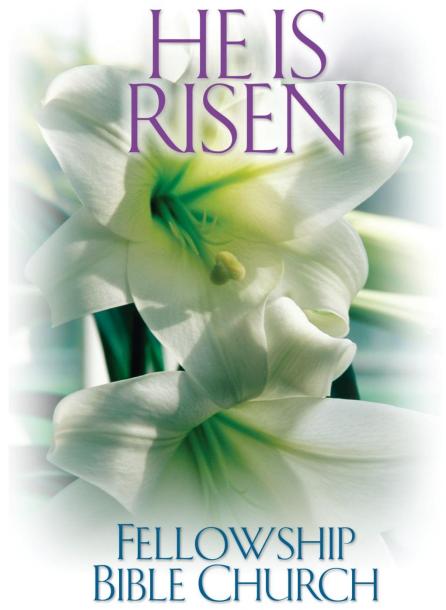
- 1. We believe the 66-book Bible is verbally inspired and inerrant in the original writings. We believe that the Bible must be interpreted literally, according to context, history, and grammar. We believe the dispensational approach to the Bible.
- 2. We believe there is one only living and true God, 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.

### **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.



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

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

2775 Bedford Rd. | Ann Arbor, MI 48104 | 734.971.2837 www.fbcaa.org **Resurrection Lord's Day** April 17, 2022

#### SUNRISE SERVICE - 8:30 a.m.

### POTLUCK BREAKFAST - 9:30am

"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His abundant mercy has begotten us again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead." – 1 Peter 1:3

### MORNING WORSHIP - 10:45 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Hymn \* # 46 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" Hymn \* # 70

"Thine Be the Glory"

Scripture Reading Matthew 28:1-15 Instrumental Ensemble

Offering/Offertory "He Arose" Pastoral Prayer

Special "Jesus Is Alive" Children's Choir

Special "It's Friday, but Sunday's Comin"

Choir "In Christ Alone"

Hymn \* # 239 Teaching of the Word

Pastor Postiff

Hymn \* # 76 (April Hymn of the Month)

"O Great God"

Benediction

Postlude \* Congregation Standing

## BIBLE STUDY - 6:00 p.m.

Hymn Sing

Scripture Reading Luke 24:13-53

Testimonies

Scripture Reading John 20:19-31 Teaching of the Word Pastor Postiff

### **DEVOTIONAL READING - The Great Magnet, John 12:23-33**

Three crosses were seen on Calvary's hill. The center cross was the cross of redemption as the Savior bore our sins in His own body on the tree (1 Pet. 2:24). The center cross was meant for Barabbas whose name means "son of the father." The Jewish people wanted Pilate to release this murderer and crucify the Holy One in his stead (Acts 3:14). As a result, the true "Son of the Father" went to the cross to suffer for sins, the Righteous One for the unrighteous ones (1 Pet. 3:18). Two criminals died, on the Lord's left and right. One malefactor refused to believe. His was the cross of rejection. The other evildoer initially hurled insults at Christ (Matt. 27:44), but later changed his mind and believed (Luke 23:39-43). His was the cross of reception.

Each cross carried a message. One Man died for sins, in the sinner's place. One man died in his sins (John 8:24); the other man died with his sins forgiven (Acts 10:43).

Our Lord once predicted that when He would be lifted up on the cross He would draw all men unto Himself (John 12:32-33). A magnet attracts metal; the center cross attracts all man**kind**. All men are drawn to the center cross where a decision must be made.

We each must answer this question: What will I do with Jesus who is called the Christ? (Matt. 27:22) Will I receive Him or reject Him? Which evildoer will I imitate? All men are drawn to the center cross where they must consider the crucified One and decide what they will do with Him. We can see the cross as foolishness or we can see the cross as the wisdom and power of God (1 Cor. 1:18,24). We can receive Him or reject Him. Our decision will determine our **destiny**. ~ George Zeller, www.middletownbiblechurch.org

#### NURSERY MINISTRY

Today		Next S	Next Sunday	
SS	n/a	SS	Jael	
AM	Becky, Melissa	AM	Karen, Theda	
PM	Opening	PM	Jael	

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



ALLELUIA, CHRIST IS RISEN! We assemble today in the joy of our risen Lord and Savior! Thank you for joining us today as we lift our hearts and voices in praise to God. We hope you have a Resurrection Lord's Day filled with the grace and presence of the Lord.

**EVENING SERVICE.** We will meet once more at 6:00pm to reflect further on the Resurrection of our Lord and offer worship.

WEDNESDAY ACTIVITIES. Wednesday dinner starts at 5:45 p.m. Prayer Meeting starts at 6:30 p.m. What a blessing it is to meet and seek the Lord together in prayer! Please feel free to use the conference call number to participate remotely if unable to meet in person.

MEN'S PRAYER FELLOWSHIP. Our men also meet for prayer and Bible study at 8am on Saturday mornings, Brother Darius Daud is hosting once again!

MISSIONARY VISIT APRIL 27! We are looking forward to a brief visit from Tom and Debbie Gibbons on Wednesday, April 27. They plan to join in our Wednesday dinner and prayer meeting, where we can hear an update from them. Tom serves as the director of GMSA.

MAY POTLUCK AND COMMUNION. We enjoyed a nice potluck breakfast today! Our next Potluck is scheduled for May 1 following the morning service. That evening we will observe communion during our 6pm service.

LILIES. We want to offer a word of thanks to all who have helped provide the lilies for today's service. If you purchased one, please feel free to take home your lily after the morning service today.

LADIES' SPRING BRUNCH. Ladies are invited to a brunch on Saturday, May 21 at 10:45am. Mrs. Jerilyn Wichert will minister the Bible message for us. Please save the date!

#### OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 18 Bible study at 1pm at American House.
- May 15 Interested in volunteering for VBS? Please meet after morning service.
- May 29 Singspiration at Hiawatha at 6:30pm. We will provide finger-food desserts.



VBS 2022 "Zoomerang" is scheduled for July 25-29! Our fbcaa.org website is now updated with information about VBS, and registration is open. Please pass the word on and sign up vour children!

Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!

In Greek: Khristós Anésti! Alithós Anésti!

In Spanish: ¡Cristo ha resucitado! ¡En verdad ha resucitado!

In German: Christus ist auferstanden! Er ist wahrhaftig auferstanden!