

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 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.

“That Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the width and length and depth and height—to know the love of Christ which passes knowledge; that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.” – Ephesians 3:17-19

MORNING WORSHIP – 10:45 a.m.

Prelude	
Announcements	
Opening Prayer	
Hymn * # 85	“Holy, Holy, Holy”
Hymn * # 108	“The Love of God”
Scripture Reading	Isaiah 24
Musical Ministry “Oh Wondrous Love” (#105)	Naomi Postiff
Pastoral Prayer	
Hymn *# 515	“Open My Eyes, That I May See”
Teaching of the Word	Pastor Postiff
Hymn * # 79	“To God Be the Glory”
Benediction	
Postlude	* Congregation Standing

BIBLE STUDY – 6:00 p.m.

Prelude	
Hymn Sing	Selections
Testimonies	
Scripture Reading – Pastor Postiff	Proverbs 18
Teaching of the Word	Pastor Postiff

DEVOTIONAL READING

Paul affirms that God saves us by faith, not by works (Titus 3:4-5). Thus, any good work described in this letter defines what a Christian looks like after their salvation. Note also that any sin we do can be forgiven (1 John 1:9). The point, as will be clear, is that some people can claim Christian faith while living badly and unrepentantly—that unrepentant life demonstrates a lack of true faith, a lack of the Holy Spirit indwelling our hearts.

So here is what characterizes a Christian according to Paul in his letter to Titus. Christians are:

- to be submissive to rulers and authorities,
- to be obedient,
- to be ready for every good work,
- to speak evil of no one,
- to avoid quarreling,
- to be gentle,
- and to show perfect courtesy toward all people. (Titus 3:1–2)

Each phrase above describes what a Christian acts like. The converse by implication describes what a Christian ought not to be. We all sin, of course. The key here is that sinning should bother our conscience so that we repent, change. The opposite of “be submissive to rulers and authorities” here, for example, seems to be what Paul identifies as “disobedient” in Titus 1:16 and 3:3. Lacking these qualities then likely means that we are “unfit for any good work.” More than that, they may be signals that we are denying our profession by our (evil) works.

I want to reiterate. When we sin, God always forgives us when we repent. The only unforgivable sin is unbelief! But that just proves the kindness of God’s saving Word of Salvation (Titus 3:4–5). God saves us by faith, not our works; but our works may show that we lack that faith through which the Spirit indwells us to love and desire what is good, just, and right. <https://thecripplegate.com/we-can-profess-to-know-god-but-deny-him-by-our-works-what-does-that-mean/>

NURSERY MINISTRY

Today		Next Sunday	
SS	Karen	SS	Karen
AM	Naomi, Sin Mei	AM	Becky, Janette
PM	Kim	PM	Emily

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME As we meet for worship, may the Lord be glorified, and we also trust you will be blessed. Our desire is to be a help and encouragement to you in your walk with God today.

EVENING SERVICE. Please join us at 6:00 p.m. tonight for more worship and fellowship. Matthew 3:13-17 is our subject, and any questions you might have for Pastor Postiff. Truth Trackers Club will also meet.

WEDNESDAY PRAYER. Please join in a dedicated time of prayer on Wednesday at 6:30pm. If you are unable to join in person, you are welcome to use the conference call to participate. The Bible study portion of the evening, which starts around 7:20, is livestreamed as well on the church’s website.

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

OPPORTUNITY TO MINISTER. In just a short time now, the Lorches anticipate the arrival of a new little one! A Mealtrain online signup is ready, depending on when this event occurs, so that we can be a blessing by bringing meals for the new parents! An email with a link will be sent out soon. Please see Sin Mei with any questions.

OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS.

- Virtual visit with Missionaries Mike & Marie Brunk, 9:45am, Feb 28.
- Virtual visit with Jeremie & Damaris Dodeler 9:45am on March 21.
- Friday, April 2, Good Friday worship at 7:00pm
- Sunday, April 4, Resurrection Sunrise Service at 8:30am, breakfast, 10:45 morning service.
- VBS is scheduled for July 26-30, Lord willing!

FOOD FOR THOUGHT. When you read the Bible and pray, you take time OUT to take eternity IN.