

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

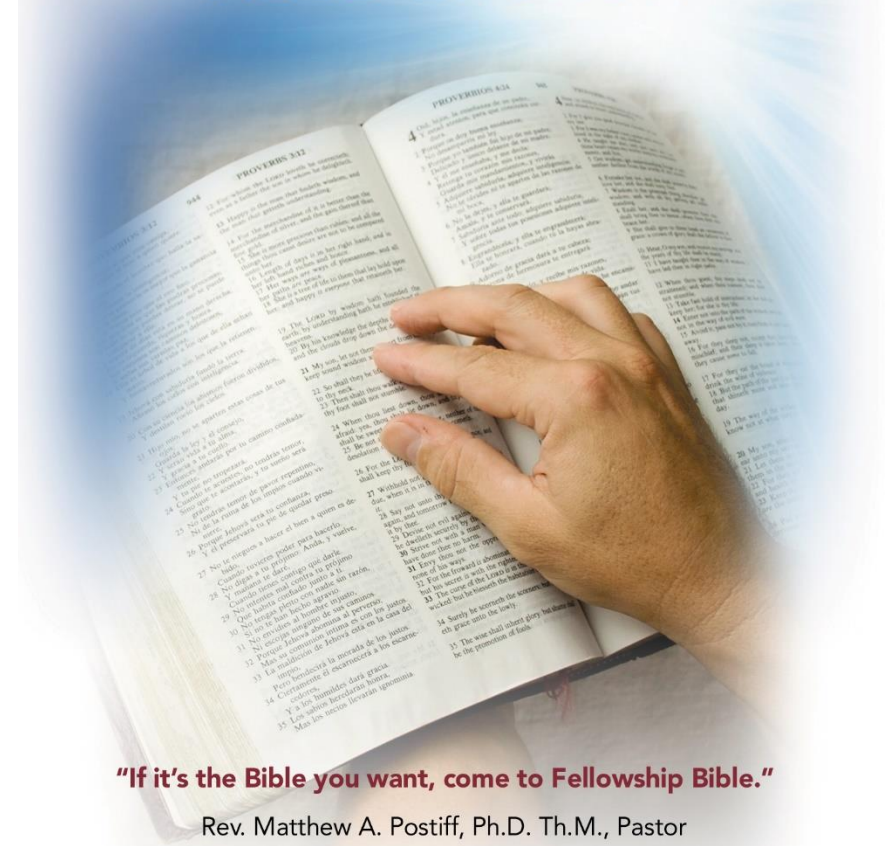
Ben Carnes and Jon Snoeberger are the deacons of Fellowship Bible Church. Jansen Lorch is assistant pastor.

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



"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.

“In this is love, not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the propitiation for our sins. Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another.”
- 1 John 4:10-11

MORNING WORSHIP – 10:45 a.m.

Prelude	
Announcements, Opening Prayer	
Hymn * # 86	“God of the Ages”
Hymn * # 146	“My Shepherd Will Supply My Need”
Scripture Reading: Revelation 3	Asst. Pastor Jansen Lorch
Pastoral Prayer	
Offering & Musical Ministry “Standing on the Promises” (hymn #395)	Kristy Collins
Musical Ministry “He Is My Strength” (hymn #166)	Naomi Postiff
Hymn *# 364	“I Will Sing of My Redeemer”
Teaching of the Word (Luke 7)	Pastor Postiff
Hymn *# 353	“Victory in Jesus”
Benediction	
Postlude	* Congregation Standing

WORSHIP & BIBLE STUDY – 6:00 p.m.

Hymn Sing	Selections
Scripture Reading: Psalm 33-34	Drew Nelson
Teaching of the Word	Asst. Pastor Jansen Lorch

DEVOTIONAL READING – What Is the State of Your Foundation?

From an article by Pastor Tim Rasmussen

Cracks in any foundation can have catastrophic effects, and the most catastrophic tragedies of all are the results of cracks in the foundations of lives. These cracks affect not only us but also those we know and love. In the busyness of life and with all the responsibilities of family and ministry, we need to ask ourselves if we are ignoring foundational issues of the heart that could lead to disaster.

These cracks may not be visible yet to our family and friends, but the cracks are there nonetheless and have the potential to cause irreparable harm if not properly addressed. This is why Paul warned Timothy, “Take heed unto thyself, and unto the doctrine; continue in them: for in doing this thou shalt both save thyself, and them that hear thee” (1 Timothy 4:16).

A wise man will faithfully and conscientiously inspect his foundation and will be honest with himself and God when cracks are discovered.

We would demonstrate great wisdom to inspect our lives for the following cracks, all indicators of a deeper spiritual need:

We no longer have a vibrant and growing walk with the Lord.

We have stopped guarding our hearts from temptation.

We have allowed our thought lives to wander.

We rationalize thoughts and behaviors that previously would have convicted our conscience.

We put a priority on temporal things such as money, position, or recognition over essentials like holiness, godliness and integrity.

We emphasize the public over the private.

We dismiss “small” sins in order to protect our reputation.

We stop seeking counsel from others and discourage others from requiring accountability of us.

We begin to pridefully look to ourselves rather than focusing on Jesus.

If we continue to ignore cracks in our integrity, we are positioning ourselves for an inevitable and monumental collapse, bringing great reproach—to our families, to our congregations, and to the cause of Christ. We are in grave danger of not finishing the race God has given us to complete...

Paul wrote of his daily decision to inspect his foundation and prevent cracks in his life: “But I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection: lest that by any means, when I have preached to others, I myself should be a castaway” (1 Corinthians 9:27). To be continued, from <https://ministry127.com/what-is-the-state-of-your-foundation>

NURSERY MINISTRY

Today		Next Sunday	
SS	Jael	SS	Melissa
AM	Karen, Theda	AM	Karen, Jael
PM	Jael	PM	

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME. As we gather in worship today, may the Lord bless you with a fuller understanding of His Word, and growth in grace. Please join us once more for worship at 6:00pm as our Asst. Pastor Lorch teaches us more sound doctrine.

HACK REPORT. At FBC Howell yesterday during the 18th “Hackathon,” there were 15 people serving the Lord by recovering an old Bible translation and building Bible apps for four languages. The team also performed maintenance tasks on many other Bible programs. Around 68,000 people have been impacted by the work of this team. “Hackathon” is our catchy name for this event where everyone has one (or two) computers and is busily at work all day.

WEDNESDAY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING. The annual business meeting is scheduled for January 31, 2024 at 6:30pm. Dinner will precede at 5:45 (please let Pastor or Naomi know if you plan to come for this). Please make it a priority to participate if you are a member.

SATURDAY MORNING, 8 AM. Please consider joining us for this edifying and valuable time. Brother Michael Samborn will lead our next meeting! Much of our material this first quarter will focus on the critical matter of *stewardship* in every area of our lives.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Our next **Communion service** is planned for February 4 at 9:45am during Sunday School. There is no potluck lunch; how about arranging some fellowship with others after church?
- The semiannual **Week of Prayer** is coming up February 5-9 at 7pm via Teleconference (except normal prayer service on Wednesday at 6:30 at the building).
- **Ladies’ prayer** time February 13! Ladies, be on the lookout for more information.
- **Little Lights Service.** February 18 at 3:30 we are offering a special service for comfort and outreach for those experienced a miscarriage or other loss of a precious child. See fbcaa.org/lights for details.
- **Vacation Bible School!** July 29-Aug 2 - 9:30am - Noon.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

- “Our perspective is out of focus in all of life if we do not see through the eyes of Christ.”
– Bernice Worthington

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE FOR JANUARY: 2 Corinthians 5: ¹⁴For the love of Christ compels us, because we judge thus: that if One died for all, then all died; ¹⁵and He died for all, that those who live should live no longer for themselves, but for Him who died for them and rose again.