# 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**

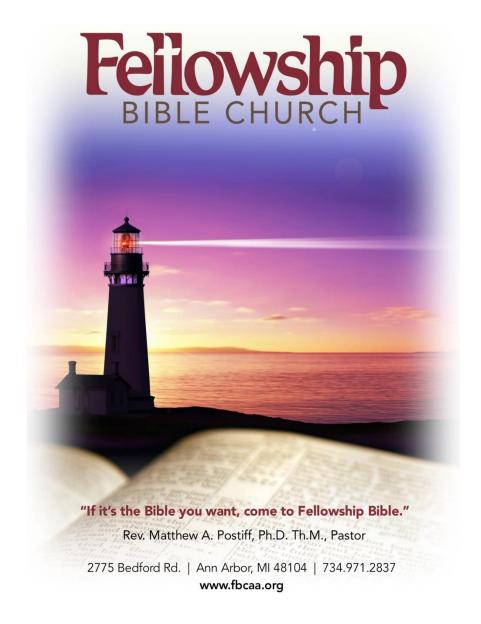
- 1. We believe the 66-book Bible is verbally inspired and inerrant in the original writings. We believe that the Bible must be interpreted literally, according to context, history, and grammar. We believe the dispensational approach to the Bible.
- 2. We believe there is one only living and true God,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



"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 Lord's Day October 10, 2021

### SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 a.m.

"Without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him." – Hebrews 11:6

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

Prelude

Announcements

Opening Prayer

Hymn \* # 19 "O for a Thousand Tongues"

Hymn \* # 113 (October Hymn of the month) "Here is Love"

Scripture Reading Ezekiel 13
Offertory and Musical Ministry "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" Jael Carnes

Pastoral Prayer

Musical Ministry "Christ Liveth in Me" Ladies' Ensemble

Hymn \*# 181 "Wonderful Words of Life"
Teaching of the Word Pastor Postiff

Hymn \* # 163 "He Is Able to Deliver Thee"

Benediction

Postlude \* Congregation Standing

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

Prelude

Hymn Sing Selections

Testimonies

Scripture Reading 1 Chronicles 13
Teaching of the Word Pastor Postiff

## **DEVOTIONAL READING - The Fear of Man: Genesis 20:1-11**

"The fear of man bringeth a snare: but whoso putteth his trust in the LORD shall be safe" (Prov. 29:25).

Sadly, we are often more afraid of offending men than we are of sinning against God. Abraham feared men and lied about his wife (Gen. 20:2). He could have trusted God, told the truth and enjoyed God's protection. When the pagan king asked why he had done this, Abraham justified himself by saying, "Because I thought the fear of God is not in this place" (Gen. 20:11). He failed to recognize that the fear of God was absent from his own heart. Like Abraham, instead of fearing God we often fear men. We begin thinking like this:

"What will they think of me? What will they say? Will they get angry? Will they be pleased? Maybe they will see me! I'm afraid of what they might do to me! Will they be upset or offended? Will they still be friendly towards me? What will they want me to say? What will they want me to do? Where will they want me to go? I'm afraid they will not be happy with me! I don't think they will approve of this! They might frown on my actions! I hope they will really appreciate what I'm about to do!"

This epitomizes the fear of men. What then is the fear of God? To answer this question, simply read the above sentences again and substitute the word "GOD" for the word "they." You will discover what the fear of God is all about. We are so concerned about the opinion others have of us. How ensnaring and enslaving is the fear of man! May we never allow man's opinions and pressures to turn us away from right conduct. Obey God no matter what men may say, think or do!

~George Zeller: www.middletownbiblechurch.org

### NURSERY MINISTRY

| Today |                  | Next Sunday |                |
|-------|------------------|-------------|----------------|
| SS    | Karen            | SS          | Karen          |
| AM    | Hillary, Sin Mei | AM          | Janette, Becky |
| PM    | Kim              | PM          | Emily          |

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WELCOME.** We have an amazing privilege to gather in worship today, and are thankful you are participating. May your day be full of the things of God.

**AMERICAN HOUSE SERVICE THIS AFTERNOON**. This afternoon Pastor will have the opportunity to once again lead a Sunday Service for the residents at American House at 3:30. This is the first Sunday service we've been able to lead since the pandemic started, and we appreciate prayers for fruit from this ministry.

**EVENING SERVICE**. Pastor Postiff will be teaching more from Matthew 9 during our 6:00 p.m. service. 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 7:30, 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.

## OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS.

- Monday, October 18, 1:30pm Bible Study at American House.
- Sunday October 31 Missionary Tim Goossen, Cristina, and their family will visit and speak during the morning services and attend with us that evening...
- Sunday October 31 Singspiration at Hiawatha Bible Church in Hamburg at 6:30, in place of our evening service here at FBC.
- Sunday, November 7, we will be joined by Dr. Mark Snoeberger, who will preach the Word for us that morning.

## MORE FOOD FOR THOUGHT.

God's requirements are met by God's enablings (Phil. 4:13).

The most deadly sins do not leap upon us; they creep upon us.

Reformation can put a new coat on a man; regeneration alone can put a new man in the coat.

Revival is just a daily experience of a soul full of Jesus and running over!