

**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 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

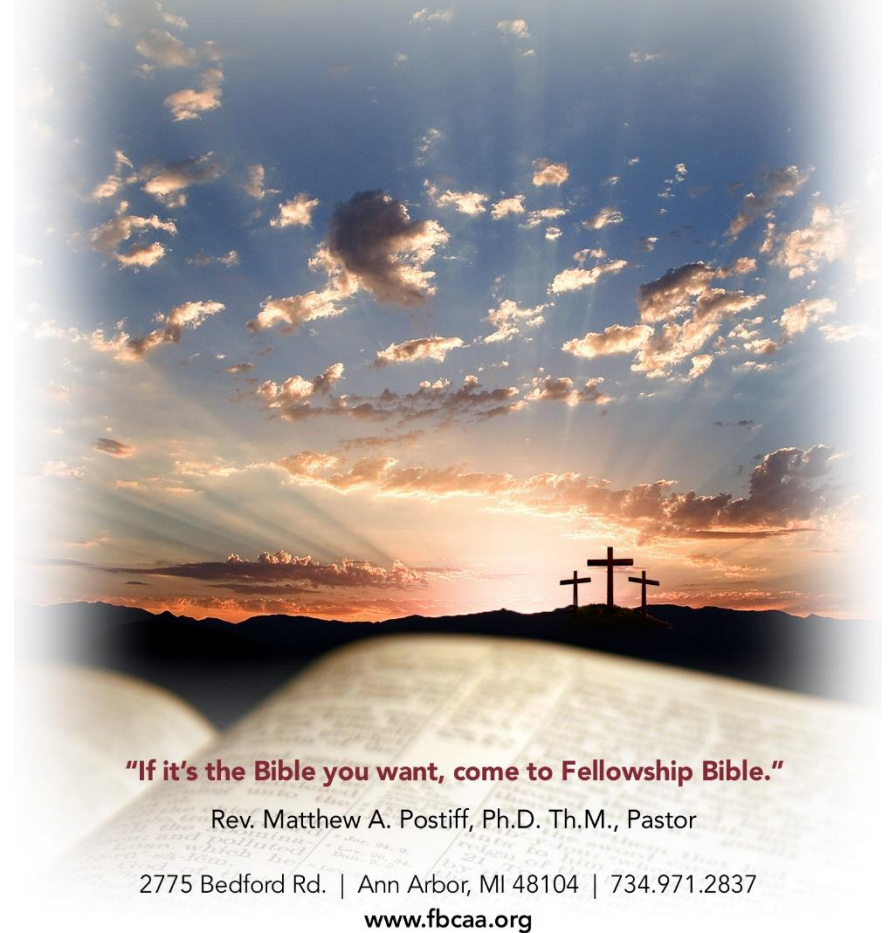
Ben Carnes and Jon Snoeberger are the deacons of Fellowship Bible Church. Jansen Lorch is assistant pastor.

### 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."**

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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. Lord's Table**

“Come, and let us return to the Lord;  
For He has torn, but He will heal us;  
He has stricken, but He will bind us up.” – Hosea 6:1

**MORNING WORSHIP – 10:45 a.m.**

Prelude	
Announcements, Opening Prayer	
Hymn * # 353	“Victory in Jesus”
Hymn * # 381	“Blessed Assurance”
Scripture Reading: 1 John 4	Asst. Pastor Jansen Lorch
Pastoral Prayer	
Offering & Musical Ministry “For All the Saints” (hymn #605)	Kristy Collins
Musical Ministry “Fountain of Grace” (Hymn #124)	Ensemble
Hymn * # 124 (October Hymn of the Month)	“Fountain of Grace”
Teaching of the Word	Pastor Postiff
Hymn *# 483	“Lord, I’m Coming Home”
Benediction, Postlude	* Congregation Standing

**WORSHIP & BIBLE STUDY– 6:00 p.m.**

Hymn Sing	Selections
Scripture Reading: Psalms 7-8	Drew Nelson
Teaching of the Word	Asst. Pastor Jansen Lorch

**DEVOTIONAL READING – Energetic Service for the Lord**

Colossians 3:15-25

Believers are to serve the Lord with enthusiasm, eagerness, excitement, passion, fervency, wholeheartedness, exuberance and zeal. Yet, how often do we find our service to be lukewarm, complacent, lackadaisical, sluggish, halfhearted and spiritless.

Paul’s command is clear: “And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, as to the Lord and not unto men” (Col. 3:23). “Heartily” literally means “from the soul.” One version renders it, “enthusiastically.” We should put our whole soul into it!

Each new day of serving the Lord should be an exciting adventure as we learn what God has in store for us. We are to be “fervent in spirit, serving the Lord” (Rom. 12:11). This word fervent” comes from a verb meaning “to boil, seethe.” Spiritually, we should be on fire for the Lord, fired up, boiling, hot, zealous, glowing! God wants us to be hot, to have a godly enthusiasm and excitement for the things of the Lord. As one hymn says, “May each soul be rekindled with fire from above!” And another, “Set my soul afire, Lord.”

Apollos was such a man: “mighty in the Scriptures” and “fervent in the spirit” (Acts 18:24-25). Epaphras had an exuberant prayer life: “always laboring fervently for you in prayers, that ye may stand perfect and complete in all the will of God” (Col. 4:12).

How many of us have ineffective prayer lives due to laziness and neglect? The household of Stephanas had an addiction. They had addicted themselves to the ministry (service) of the saints (1 Cor. 16:15). What a wonderful habit! “For the love of Christ constraineth us...He died for all, that they which live should not henceforth live unto themselves, but unto Him which died for them and rose again” (2 Cor. 5:14-15).

How can we not have a godly and zealous enthusiasm to serve the One who died and rose again for us?  
~ George Zeller: [www.middletonbiblechurch.org](http://www.middletonbiblechurch.org)

**NURSERY MINISTRY**

Today		Next Sunday	
SS	Melissa	SS	Karen, Emily
AM	Jael, Karen, Makenzie	AM	Kalee, Janette
PM	Jael	PM	Kim

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WELCOME.** Welcome on our first Lord’s Day worship of October. May God be glorified as we gather in the name of Jesus. Tonight we meet at 6pm for our evening worship and Truth Trackers.

**CHOIR AFTER MORNING SERVICE.** Please meet promptly at the conclusion of service. Those who are not meeting, please make your way to the back of the auditorium and the hallway to make for the best practice environment.

**PRAYER MEETINGS THIS WEEK.** On Wednesday evening we meet at 6:30pm for a concentrated time of prayer. Bible study is around 7:30pm. A meal is offered at 5:45 also. Men also meet for prayer and Bible study on Saturday morning at 8:00am.

**FALL PICNIC SATURDAY!** Saturday Oct. 7, the Bush family is inviting the church family over for a picnic fellowship from 4pm to 7pm at their home in Milan. Drinks and taco fixings will be provided. Please bring a dish to pass and lawn chairs/blankets. RSVP to Emily or Kevin today, please.

**SINGSPARATION DATE CORRECTION!** The upcoming Singspiration at Hiawatha Bible Church in Hamburg is Sunday October 22 at 5:00pm, no the 29<sup>th</sup> as was previously announced. Please consider coming, and helping with a finger food dessert.

**UPCOMING MISSIONARY VISITS.** Missionary Scott Williquette is planning to join us October 8 for the morning service. Also, we have a virtual visit planned for Wednesday October 11 with Jack and Beverly McMahan during our 6:30 prayer meeting.

**REPORT FROM HACKATHON.** Yesterday was the 5<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our Hackathons. Pastor will share an update on the progress being made in developing Bible apps.

**BAPTISM CLASS.** Have you been thinking about receiving believer’s baptism? Pastor will soon be offering a class for anyone who is interested in learning about baptism. The class does not obligate you to be baptized. Please see him for more info.

**NO POTLUCK TODAY.** We’re taking a little break from potlucks, however, please consider reaching out to others to share some fellowship!

**OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS**

- American House Bible study 10/2 at 1pm, Worship Service 10/8 at 3:30pm
- Wednesday November 22 7pm Thanksgiving Eve Service with meal preceding. We’d love to have you participate! See Naomi Postiff if you can help with part of the meal.
- Saturday, December 9, 9:45am dress rehearsal for Christmas program.
- Sunday December 10 at 3:30 is our Christmas Program.

**FOOR FOR THOUGHT.**

- When you receive praise of men, return it to God, the Blesser of the action.