

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

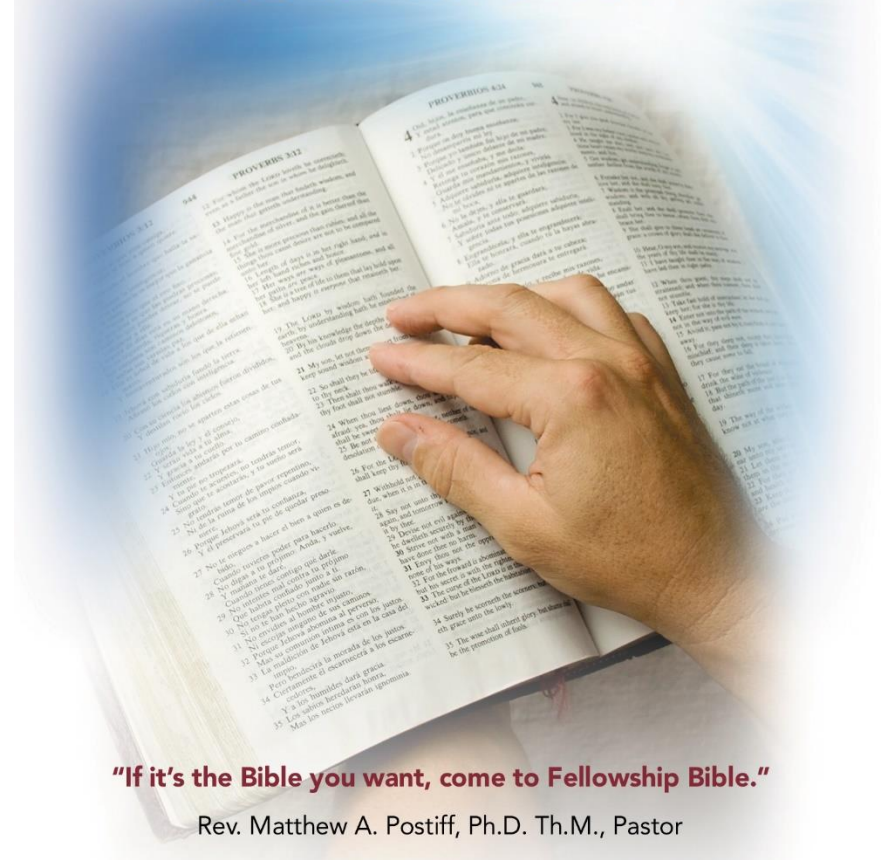
Ben Carnes and Jon Snoeberger are the deacons of Fellowship Bible Church.

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.

“Grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord, as His divine power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by glory and virtue, by which have been given to us exceedingly great and precious promises, that through these you may be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.” – 2 Peter 1:2-4

MORNING WORSHIP – 10:45 a.m.

Prelude	
Announcements	
Opening Prayer	
Hymns * # 578	“How Firm a Foundation”
Hymn * # 346 (October Hymn of the Month)	“I Stand Redeemed”
Scripture Reading	Proverbs 28
Offertory “I Love to Tell the Story”	Jael Carnes
Pastoral Prayer	
Musical Ministry “Be Thou My Vision”	John Postiff
Hymn *# 413	“Take Time to Be Holy”
Teaching of the Word (Genesis 9)	Pastor Postiff
Hymn *# 395	“Standing on the Promises”
Benediction	
Postlude	* Congregation Standing

BIBLE STUDY – 6:00 p.m.

Prelude	
Hymn Sing	Selections
Testimonies	
Scripture Reading	2 Chronicles 30
Teaching of the Word (Matthew 24-25)	Pastor Postiff

DEVOTIONAL READING – A Lack of Preparation

“So king Rehoboam strengthened himself in Jerusalem, and reigned: for Rehoboam was one and forty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned seventeen years in Jerusalem, the city which the LORD had chosen out of all the tribes of Israel, to put his name there. And his mother's name was Naamah an Ammonitess. And he did evil, because he prepared not his heart to seek the LORD.” - 2 Chronicles 12:13-14

Rehoboam had a great number of advantages when he became king over Israel. He had the example from his grandfather David of wholehearted devotion to God. He had the example from his father Solomon of the importance of wisdom. In fact he had an entire book of the Bible written primarily for his instruction—the book of Proverbs. “My son, hear the instruction of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother:” (Proverbs 1:8). Yet for most of his seventeen years on the throne, Rehoboam did not follow the good parts of the examples he had, but instead followed the bad. He did not serve God exclusively, looking to the idols worshiped by other nations instead. He did not lead the people with wisdom. The biggest problem Rehoboam had was that he had no plan to seek and follow God.

None of us live in a godly way by accident. Because of our sin nature and the temptations of the world around us, the normal course of an undirected life is toward evil. As the old hymn put it, all of us are “Prone to wander Lord I feel it, prone to leave the God I love.” If we want to honor and obey God as we should, then we must do so intentionally. We must set aside time to read, study, memorize, and meditate on the Word of God. We must set aside

time for prayer. We must set aside time for worship, for fellowship, for witnessing, and for service. If we are not diligent in this, we will end up not doing what we should.

A heart that is not prepared to intentionally follow God will be easily drawn astray by temptation. <https://devo.paulchappell.com/>

NURSERY MINISTRY

Today	Next Sunday
SS Karen, Jael	SS Jael
AM Janette, Melissa	AM Karen, Theda
PM Open	PM Naomi

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME. We are thankful you are here to worship our wonderful Lord and be transformed by the renewing of your mind as we study the Scriptures together. Today our series in Genesis continues in chapter 9.

EVENING SERVICE. Join us for more Bible study—Matthew 26—and Truth Trackers at 6pm tonight.

WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING. We pray together on Wednesdays at 6:30pm. If you cannot be here in person, please use the conference call number to join us. Dinner is available at 5:45 as a help to busy folks. Around 7:30 the Bible study is livestreamed.

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

CHOIR MEETS NEXT WEEK. If you are interested in singing with the choir for the Christmas program, we hope to start next week after the morning service. Look for an email this week, or see Dan Reeves with questions.

SINGSPARATION AT HIAWATHA BIBLE CHURCH. We are invited to Singspiration at Hiawatha Bible Church on October 30 at 6:30pm. This is an encouraging time of hymn-singing, testimonies, and a light fellowship meal with a wonderful sister church. We are to bring finger-food dessert this time. If you'd like to carpool, please see Pastor to arrange.

OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS.

- Bible Study at American House Monday October 17 at 1pm. We appreciate prayer in this outreach ministry.
- Our Thanksgiving service is Wednesday, November 23 at 7:00pm. We'll offer a light meal preceding the service.
- Looking farther ahead, the Christmas program is scheduled for December 11 at 3:30pm. Invite some friends!

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

- “Get off Facebook – and into My Book!” – God
- God's requirements are met by God's enablings (Phil. 4:13).
- Noah's belief led him into the ark, and the ark, not his belief, saved him. Christ is the ARK in which we find salvation.