# 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**

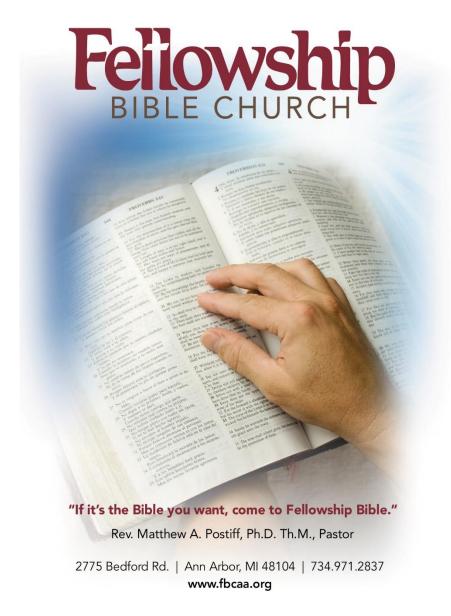
- 1. We believe the 66-book Bible is verbally inspired and inerrant in the original writings. We believe that the Bible must be interpreted literally, according to context, history, and grammar. We believe the dispensational approach to the Bible.
- 2. We believe there is one only living and true God,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



"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 September 15, 2024

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

"Now may our God and Father Himself, and our Lord Jesus Christ, direct our way to you. And may the Lord make you increase and abound in love to one another and to all, just as we do to you, so that He may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ with all His saints." – 1 Thessalonians 3:11-13

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

Prelude, Announcements, Opening Prayer "Holy, Holy, Holy" Hymn \* # 85 Hymn \* # 345 (September Hymn of the Month) "No Other Name" Scripture Reading: Daniel 5 Assistant Pastor Lorch Pastoral Prayer Offering & Musical Ministry "My Jesus, Fair" (Hymn #316) Musical Ministry "O God, My Joy" (Hymn #533) Jon Snoeberger Hymn \*# 540 "I Run to Christ" Pastor Postiff Teaching of the Word Hvmn \*# 497 "Search Me, O God" \* Congregation Standing Benediction, Postlude

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

Hymn SingSelectionsScripture Reading: Job 8Drew NelsonTeaching of the WordAsst Pastor Lorch

#### DEVOTIONAL READING - Will a man rob God? Malachi 3:8

To rob in this context means to defraud or cheat. Have you robbed Him of a place in your heart? "Behold I stand at the door, and knock" (Rev. 3:20). Have you robbed Him of your personal worship? "By Him therefore let us offer the sacrifice of praise...that is, the fruit of our lips giving thanks to His name" (Heb 13:15). Have you robbed Him of pleasure in your service? "I beseech you therefore...that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service" (Rom. 12:1). — Duncan Maxwell, *Choice Gleanings* 11/6/2006

Perhaps you know the legend, or perhaps true history of the awakening of Augustine. He dreamed that he died, and went to the gates of Heaven, and the keeper of the gates said to him, "Who are you?" And he answered, "I am a Christian."

But the porter replied, "No, you are not a Christian, you are a Ciceronian, for your thoughts and studies were most of all directed to the works of Cicero and the classics—and you neglected the teaching of Jesus. We judge men here, by that which most engrossed their thoughts, and you are judged not to be a Christian, but a Ciceronian."

When Augustine awoke, he put aside the classics which he had studied, and the eloquence at which he had aimed, and he said, "I will be a Christian!" And from that time he devoted his thoughts to the Word of God, and his pen and his tongue to the instruction of others in the truths of the gospel.

Oh I would not have it said of any of you: "Well, he may be somewhat a Christian, but he is far more a keen money-getting tradesman." I would not have it said, "Well, he may be a believer in Christ, but he is a good deal more a politician."

Perhaps he is a Christian, but he is most at home when he is talking about science, farming, engineering, horses, mining, navigation, or pleasure taking.

No, no! You will never know the fullness of the joy which Jesus brings to the soul—unless under the power of the Holy Spirit you take the Lord your Master to be your All in all, and make Him the fountain of your most intense delight! "For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also!" Matthew 6:21

- C.H. Spurgeon "Joy Born at Bethlehem"

## **NURSERY MINISTRY**

Today		Next Sunday	
SS	Karen, Selah	SS	Jael, Janette
AM	Becky, Melissa	AM	Karen, Theda
PM	Jael	PM	Jael

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WELCOME**. Another Lord's Day has arrived by the grace of God, and we rejoice to offer this day to worship the Lord. May your day be filled with the things of the Lord as you set your hearts on things above (Colossians 3). During our 6pm service our assistant Pastor Lorch will bring the message, and the children meet for Truth Trackers Bible memory program.

**THANKFUL FOR WEEK OF PRAYER**. We give thanks for the encouraging times of prayer enjoyed during our week of prayer. May we "Continue earnestly in prayer, being vigilant in it with thanksgiving" (Colossians 4:2).

### **EVENTS THIS WEEK**

- Ladies prayer fellowship at the Streamwood Parsonage at 11am Tuesday.
- Wednesday Prayer. Dinner at 5:45, then we meet at 6:30pm for prayer and Bible study.
- Saturday Men's prayer fellowship at FBC at 8:00am.
- Saturday Campus Bible study, please see Jansen or Kalee for more information.
- Sunday Sept 22 All college-age students are invited to Pastor & Naomi's home for lunch!

### OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

- A "Hackathon" is scheduled for September 28. See Pastor for more information if you'd like to know how you can be a part of this Bible translation and technology ministry.
- We join with Hiawatha Bible Church for a **Singspiration** on September 29 at 5:00.
- A Missionary Visit from Tom and Debbie Gibbons (serving with GMSA) is scheduled for October 6! Please see Pastor or Naomi if you'd like to help with hospitality.

**FALL PICNIC SATURDAY OCT. 5.** The Bush family is inviting the church family over for a picnic fellowship from 4pm till dark at their home in Milan. This is always a great time for all ages, please plan to come and enjoy! Note: this will take the place of our October potluck.

WHAT'S APP/SIGNAL GROUPS. If you are not a part of one of our church groups but would like to be, please let Pastor know and he will help you set it up. The purpose of these groups is to share prayer requests and church matters. We try to keep traffic relevant and brief.

**FBC STUDY BIBLE APP.** Our new study Bible is available for you to use on your computer or smartphone. Go to <a href="https://www.fbcaa.org/studybible">https://www.fbcaa.org/studybible</a> for more information.

**SEPTEMBER VERSE OF THE MONTH.** 1 John 5:11-12 And this is the testimony: that God has given us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. He who has the Son has life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have life.

**GREETERS**. This month we are thankful that Josh and Melissa Reeves are welcoming us and new visitors into the worship service.