

PRAYER WALL

Asa Khiero was born to Nick & Elisabeth Buono

Surgeries

- Luke Woodman
- Judy VanDalsem

Other

- Debbie Johnson

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Our children's Sunday school classes are designed to ground kids in the foundational truths of God's Word. We encourage parents to review the content of each week's lesson with their children. You can use the QR code to find helpful suggestions for continuing the discipleship process at home.



MEMORY VERSE

Isaiah 53:4-6 - Surely our griefs He Himself bore, and our sorrows He carried; yet we ourselves esteemed Him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted. But He was pierced through for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the chastening for our well-being fell upon Him, and by His scourging we are healed. All of us like sheep have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way; but the Lord has caused the iniquity of us all to fall on Him.



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Last Week's Offering: \$80,722.50 | Weekly Budget: \$74,195
Last Week Sunday Worship: 1,636

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CHURCH FAMILY NIGHT

Join us tonight at 5pm at Faith East for Church Family Night. The meal will be raviolis, salad, garlic bread, and dessert.

LIVING NATIVITY

The Lafayette Living Nativity will take place over two weekends - December 11-13 & December 18-20. We have plenty of places where you and your family can serve. To see the available serving areas and to sign up, please go to faithlafayette.org/serve.

CHRISTMAS FOR EVERYONE

Christmas for Everyone is our annual ministry that provides gifts to children of low-income families. Distribution day this year will be Saturday, December 12. Please consider serving in this ministry. Our most immediate needs include serving during registration - helping register families into the CFE program or to help with data entry. Registration sessions begin on October 26. There is always a critical need for Spanish speaking volunteers during the registration process. Sign up to serve at faithlafayette.org/serve. Beginning Sunday, November 8, you can sign up to sponsor a child between services at all three Faith locations. When you sign up to sponsor a child, you will receive the child's Christmas list. We ask that you commit to spend \$50 per child.

ORDINATION VOTE

Pastor Josh Aucoin and Pastor Ross Reeder completed the ordination council on September 19 and are recommended by the council and the pastors and deacons for ordination by Faith Church. The ordination vote and service will take place at Church Family Night tonight.

SUPPORT THE CARE TEAM THROUGH CLOTHING DONATIONS

You can help meet real needs in our community by donating clothing for all ages and sizes. Please bring items to the Faith East Community Center. All donations are passed along to the Trinity Thrift Store, where our Care Team provides clothing vouchers to those seeking assistance. Your generosity strengthens this important ministry.

INTRODUCTION TO FAITH

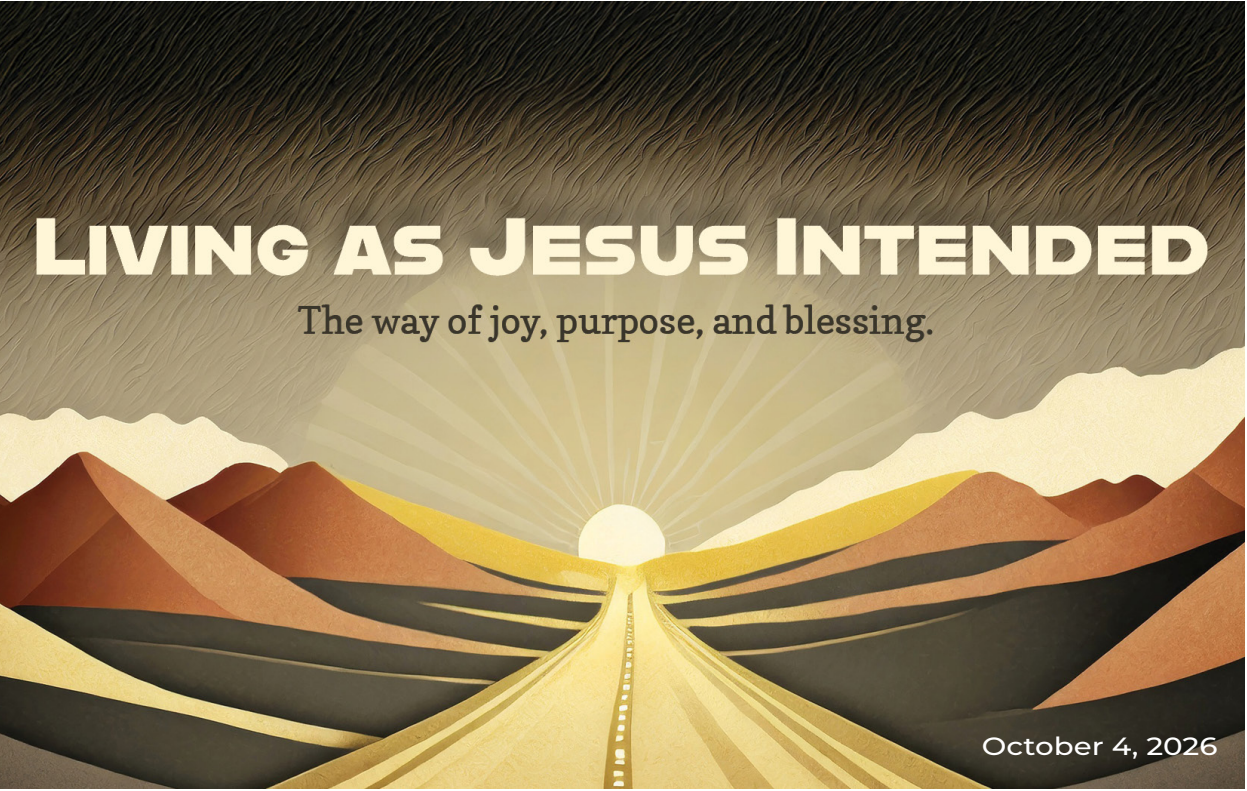
Is Faith the right church for you? This four-week course will teach you about the beliefs and ministries that make our church what it is. You will also have the opportunity to connect with our pastors and get answers to questions that matter to you. Intro to Faith at Faith West will begin on Wednesday, October 28 at 6:30pm. Learn more and sign up at faithlafayette.org/intro.

CALEB'S KIN (SENIORS 55+)

Join us Wednesday, October 7 at 10am in the Senior Living Clubhouse for our monthly fellowship. We will hear a tech presentation from Ashish Dhingra and as always, enjoy fellowship and a free lunch.

LIVING AS JESUS INTENDED

The way of joy, purpose, and blessing.



October 4, 2026

We are a family of followers of Jesus Christ who desire to honor God by applying His sufficient Word to all areas of life. At Faith, we are seeking to grow in our love for Jesus and the people around us.

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YOUR PASTORS

EAST CAMPUS - 8:00AM

Trey Garner - Children's Ministries
tgarner@faithlafayette.org 765-237-2700

Ian Woodall - Youth Ministries
iwoodall@faithlafayette.org 585-991-1838

EAST CAMPUS - 9:30AM

Dustin Folden - Adult Ministries
dfolden@faithlafayette.org 765-418-7271

Josh Aucoin - Worship Ministries
jaucoin@faithlafayette.org 765-237-1687

EAST CAMPUS - 11:00AM

Brent Aucoin - Soul Care
baucoin@faithlafayette.org 765-714-6866

Greg Wetterlin - Restoration
gwetterlin@faithlafayette.org 720-331-1035

Rob Green - Lead Pastor
rgreen@faithlafayette.org 765-413-0442

EAST CAMPUS - SPANISH 11AM

Sam Hornbrook - Hispanic Ministries
shornbrook@faithlafayette.org 765-404-8408

WEST CAMPUS

Aaron Birk - Faith West
abirk@faithlafayette.org 765-586-6767

Ross Reeder - College & Student Ministries
rreeder@faithlafayette.org 765-464-4709

NORTH CAMPUS

Rod Hutton - Faith North Ministries
rhutton@faithlafayette.org 402-972-5298

David Mora - Faith North Ministries
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LIVING AS JESUS INTENDED PROPER CARE FOR ELDER

1 Timothy 5:17-25

1 Timothy 3:15 - *I write so that you will know how one ought to conduct himself in the household of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and support of the truth.*

Main Idea: Our Lord expects heightened care for elders including pay, protection, and discipline.

I. We Biblically Care for Elders by _____ Them Generously

1 Timothy 5:17-18

- A. Because elders are worthy of double _____
- B. Because the Scripture teaches that you pay the one who _____ works

Deuteronomy 25:4 - *You shall not muzzle the ox while he is threshing.*

Luke 10:3-7

II. We Biblically Care for Elders by _____ Their Reputation and Helping Them Repent

1 Timothy 5:19 - *Do not receive an accusation against an elder except on the basis of two or three witnesses.*

- A. Just as there are legitimate cases of sin on the part of the elder, there are legitimate cases of sin on the part of the _____
- B. Accusations require two or three _____

Deuteronomy 19:15 - *A single witness shall not rise up against a man on account of any iniquity or any sin which he has committed; on the evidence of two or three witnesses a matter shall be confirmed.*

1. Witnesses are those who observed the sin or concrete evidence about it
2. The accusation goes to the elders

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C. Accusers _____ the seriousness of their accusation

Deuteronomy 19:16-21

III. We Biblically Care for Elders by _____ the Sinning Elder in Front of the Church

1 Timothy 5:20-25

- A. Rebuke the elder in front of _____
- B. _____: that all of us would fear sinning
- C. We _____ these instructions without partiality

1 Timothy 5:21 - *I solemnly charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus and of His chosen angels, to maintain these principles without bias, doing nothing in a spirit of partiality.*

- D. We are _____ about electing elders due to these heightened requirements and pressures

1 Timothy 5:22-23 - *Do not lay hands upon anyone too hastily and thereby share responsibility for the sins of others; keep yourself free from sin. No longer drink water exclusively, but use a little wine for the sake of your stomach and your frequent ailments.*

- E. Live _____ yourself

1 Timothy 5:24-25 - *The sins of some men are quite evident, going before them to judgment; for others, their sins follow after. Likewise also, deeds that are good are quite evident, and those which are otherwise cannot be concealed.*

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