

VITAL SIGNS

Last week's offering \$79,376
Weekly budget \$59,997
Sunday worship 1699
Sunday school 1111

PRAYERS & UPDATES

Lorelai Elizabeth was born to Josh & Shana Greiner

Recent Deaths

- Jeff Teel's mother, Phyllis

Recent & Upcoming Surgeries

- Pam Kaminsky

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FAITH KIDS @ HOME

The following lesson was taught today in our children's Sunday School classes. If you have children, please take time this week to review the lesson with them.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON : JULY 30

Title: God Preserves Joseph

Passage: Genesis 37

Principle: God cares for His people.

Praise: "Rejoice in the Lord Always"

Prompt: Ask your child these questions:

- Which of his sons did Jacob love the most?
- What dream did Joseph have?
- Why were Joseph's brothers jealous and angry?
- What did Joseph's brothers do to him?
- How did God preserve Joseph?

Practice: Help your child apply these truths in the following ways:

- By confessing anger and jealousy.
- By trusting and honoring God even when he has problems with others.

This week: As a family, read Genesis 37.

Next week: Genesis 39–50

Memory verses: "For **wherever there is jealousy** and selfish ambition, there **you will find** disorder and **evil of every kind.**" **James 3:16***

* Preschool verse in bold print

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JULY 30, 2017
IN CHRIST ALONE

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Strategic Ministry Planning

We'd like to thank everyone who participated in the congregational input night. Go online to see the strategic ministry planning updates and initiatives at faithlafayette.org/church/about/our-plans.



HAITI ORPHANAGE LOVE OFFERING

Recently, Pastor Viars and Pastor Pena visited an orphanage serving 37 children. On Sunday, August 6, we will be receiving a love offering to meet the following needs:

\$4000 - complete the purchase of their base property.

\$3000 - construct an indoor shower facility.

\$8000 - purchase an adjoining piece of property for a future possible school and church expansion.

Anything received above this amount will go towards our ongoing Latin America Strategy.



Student Ministries

@ 9:30 & 11:00AM
Journey (6th-8th) the LOFT
Impact (9th-12th) Faith
East preschool
Faith West youth group
@ 9:30AM



Faith Groups Faith West

For information, please visit faithlafayette.org/faithgroups

8:00AM

SONRISE
FOUNDATIONS

9:30AM

AMBASSADORS
BEREANS
CAREER
COLLEGE/YOUNG ADULT
GENERATION
PEACEMAKERS
PROCLAIMERS
YOUNG COUPLES
YOUNG FAMILIES

11:00AM

ENCOURAGERS
ESTUDIO BIBLICO
FRIENDSHIP

Rob Green

Brent Smitley

Dave Jones & Guy Campbell

Jeff Baker

Lee Morrison

Keith Harmeyer

Joe Blake & Eric Seubring

Adam Murphy & Jerry Jamison
Dan Wickert & Scott Grass

Rob Green

Aaron Patton

Dustin Folden

Newton Peña

Chester Bankes & Tim Catron

Children's Ministries

Nursery-5th grade
Faith East @ 8:00AM
Both campuses @ 9:30 & 11:00AM



College & International Ministries

Fridays @ 6:45PM, Faith West

Stay Connected

Adult Bible Fellowships • Faith East

• 215/217

• 203/205

• Vision of Hope

• 207/209

• Community Center, Room 2

• Duck Room @FE Preschool

• Community Center, Room 1

• Music Suite

• 202/204

• 211/213

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Faith Church

A family of followers of Jesus Christ who desire to honor God by applying His sufficient Word to all areas of life and ministry.

Faith Bible Seminary

Equipping men to be pastors for the ministry.

Faith Community Ministries
Addressing community needs with compassion, truth, and hope.

Vision of Hope

A faith-based residential ministry that focuses on applying practical solutions from God's Word to help produce permanent change in women's lives that have been characterized by negative habits.

Faith Christian School

Helping parents raise their children to live effectively in God's world.

Faith Biblical Counseling

Providing training and counseling based on God's sufficient Word.

Bethany Farms

A faith-based residential ministry for men that is structured to bring Christ into every area of life by focusing on meaningful work, Biblical counseling, involvement in the local church, and the study of Scripture.

A place to call home

In Christ Alone
Handling Life's Problems
Shame
Genesis 2:20-3:7

3 Keys to Handling Shame in Christ Alone

I. _____ Shame

A. God created the world _____ shame

Genesis 2:25 - *And the man and his wife were both naked and were not ashamed.*

B. _____ shame

1. You are _____

2. You are _____

3. You are _____ and it's no secret

C. The _____ of shame

Genesis 3:7 - *Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they knew they were naked...*

vv. 4-5 - *The serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die!" For God knows that in the day you eat from it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil."*

II. _____ Shame

- _____

Genesis 3:7 - *...they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves loin coverings.*

Genesis 3:8 - *They heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God among the trees of the garden.*

Matthew 7:5 - *You hypocrite first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the spec out of your brother's eye.*

Romans 3:23 - *...all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God...*

III. _____ Shame in Christ Alone

A. _____ your shame honestly

Proverbs 28:13 - *He who conceals his transgressions will not prosper. But he who confesses and forsakes them will find mercy.*

Hebrews 4:13 - *And there is no creature hidden from His sight, but all things are open and laid bare to the eyes of Him with who we have to do!*

B. _____ your feeble fig leaf coverings

Proverbs 28:13 - *But he who confesses and forsakes them will find mercy.*

Genesis 3:21 - *The LORD God made garments of skin for Adam and his wife, and clothed them.*

C. _____ Christ's substitutionary work on the cross

Isaiah 61:10 - *I will greatly rejoice in the LORD; my soul shall exult in my God, for he has clothed me with the garments of salvation; he has covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decks himself like a priest with a beautiful headdress, and as a bride adorns herself with jewels.*

2 Corinthians 5:21 - *He made Him who knew no sin to be sin on our behalf, so that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.*

Matthew 26:59-60 - *Now the chief priests and the whole Council kept trying to obtain false testimony against Jesus, so that they might put Him to death. They did not find any...*

v. 67-68 - *Then they spat in His face and they beat Him with their fists; and others slapped Him, and said, "Prophecy to us, You Christ; who is the one who hit You?"*

v.74 - *Then he began to curse and swear, "I do not know the man!"*

Matthew 27:26 - *Then he released Barabbas for them; but after having Jesus scourged, he handed him over to be crucified.*

vv. 27-30

D. Live _____ in the perfect acceptance of Jesus

Romans 8:35-39 - *Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? Just as it is written, "For Your sake we are being put to death all day long; we were considered as sheep to be slaughtered." But in all these things we overwhelmingly conquer through Him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other created thing, will be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.*

TOOLS FOR SCHOOL

FCS has become a drop-off location for the Salvation Army's "Tools for School" drive. The drive collects needed school supplies around the community and distributes them to low-income families. If you would like to drop off any school supplies, bins are located near the welcome center and school office until August 2.

FAITH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Here are some important dates for your calendar:

- K - 12th start August 14
- Preschool at Faith East and West Community Centers begins August 21. The preschool also has staff openings. If you're interested, please contact Stacy Hancock at shancock@faithlafayette.org
- Preschool-age, full-day childcare is also available

GRIEFSHARE & DIVORCECARE

We have two new Faith Community Institute classes beginning August 23 that focus on helping people who are facing the pain of divorce or the death of a loved one. Our goal is to provide a Christ-centered support group to help individuals in our church and community. For more info, go online at faithlafayette.org/fci.

CHURCH FAMILY NIGHT

Join us for our next Church Family Night, August 6, 5:00PM at Faith East. New member pictures and updates will be taken in the Faith Resource Center from 4:15-4:45PM.



CALEB'S KIN (SENIOR CITIZENS)

Join our monthly gathering at 10:00AM, July 9 at Vision of Hope for food, fellowship, and an encouraging update from Pastor Shaw. Meat, drinks, and tableware will be provided; please bring a side dish, salad, or dessert to share - bring extra-large portions since we're also sharing our meal with the Vision of Hope residents and staff. Questions? Contact Alisha Vegter 765.350.0919 or Roseanna Beecher 317.709.6810.

YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS THIS!