Welcome to faith

Prayer Requests

RECENT DEATHS Jeremy Vegter's grandmother

RECENT & UPCOMING SURGERIES Nancy Wood Becky Arthur

Church Family Night

Join us March 6, at 5pm at Faith East for Church Family Night. New member/update photos will be in Jeremy Vegter's office from 4:15-4:45pm.

Caleb's Kin Fellowship Join us Tuesday, March 1, at 10am in the Senior Living Clubhouse for a mini concert from the FCS 4th grade choir, a challenge from Pastor Green, as well as great food and fellowship. It is \$5 for the meal, but first-time guests eat for free. Questions? Contact Alisha Vegter (765) 350-0919 or Roseanna Beecher (765) 337-1699.

FCS Friendship Celebration Join us to celebrate 25 years of Christian education at Faith Christian School! Friday, March 11, will be our Friendship Celebration banquet that includes dinner and an interactive tour to see how God the Lord is working in the lives of our students and families. This event will conclude our Friendship Week (Mar. 7-11) where our students, families, and friends will be giving and celebrating in response to God's faithfulness to FCS. Scan the QR code for more details and to purchase your tickets.



SERVE '22

Through SERVE '22 we are asking the members of our church to help us minister to kids and their families by serving in our Sunday morning and Wednesday evening nursery and children's ministries. A variety of positions and commitment levels are available. To learn more or to sign up, please visit faithlafayette.org/serve or scan the QR code.



Children's Ministry

February 27, 2022

 2^{YR} - 5^{TH} grade

Pastor Trey and his friends will be uploading encouraging videos at faithlafayette.org/kidsvids

You can find this week's online children's Sunday School lesson at blogs.faithlafayette.org/faithkids. You can use the ideas below to discuss the lesson as a family.

GOD PUNISHES JEROBOAM

Read: 1 Kings 17:1; 18:17-46

ASK YOUR CHILD:

- Why did Elijah call the priests of Baal to Mount Carmel? Elijah proposed a contest to reveal the true God.
- How was God glorified through this contest? The Lord was proven to be the only true God. Idolatry was judged and the Lord exalted.

EMPHASIZE THIS PRINCIPLE: The Lord is the only true God. Therefore, we should worship Him alone.

PRACTICE:

- Worship the Lord alone.
- Tell others that the Lord is the only true God.
- **PREPARE FOR NEXT WEEK:** 1 KINGS 17:1; 18:17 46

MEMORIZE FOR FEB 13-MAR 6: "YOUR WORD I HAVE TREASURED

IN MY HEART, THAT I MAY NOT SIN AGAINST YOU." PSALM 119:11*

* Preschool verse in Bold



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Last Week's Offering - \$82,792.97 Weekly Budget - \$74,195 Last Week Sunday Worship - 1,659

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Growing in Gospel Gratitude Making the Gospel the Center of Everything Philippians 1:27-30

Ephesians 2:4-6 - But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, even when we were dead in our wrongdoings, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), and raised us up with Him, and seated us with Him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus.

3 recentering truths of the gospel

I. The Gospel Is ______ of Changing Every Aspect of Your Life (v.27)

Philippians 1:27a - Only conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ...

A. ____ is worthy

B. The _____ is worthy

II. The Gospel Is Worth _____ Standing Up For (vv.27–28)

A. In ______ with their gospel driven believers

Philippians 1:27b - *I* will hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel.

i. Standing _____

ii. One _____

iii. One _____

Romans 14:5-7 - One person regards one day above another, another regards every day alike. Each person must be fully convinced in his own mind. He who observes the day, observes it for the Lord, and he who eats, does so for the Lord, for he gives thanks to God; and he who eats not, for the Lord he does not eat, and gives thanks to God. For not one of us lives for himself, and not one dies for himself...

iv. Striving _____

B. In ______ to opponents of the gospel

Philippians 1:28 - ... in no way alarmed by your opponents.

C. Two-fold ____

i. Assurance of ______ for believers

ii. Assurance of ______ for unbelievers

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Galatians 1:8-9 - But even if we, or an Angel from heaven, should preach to you a gospel contrary to what we have preached to you, he is to be a cursed! As we have said before so I say again now, if any man is preaching to you a gospel contrary to what you received he is to be accursed!

III. The Gospel Is Worth Engaging in the _____ That It Inevitably Will Bring (vv.29-30)

A. ______ for the gospel is a gift

Philippians 1:29 - For to you it has been granted for Christ's sake, not only to believe in Him, but also to suffer for His sake...

Ephesians 4:14 - As a result, we are no longer to be children, tossed here and there by waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of men, by craftiness in deceitful scheming...

B. _____ in the conflict is our privilege as believers

Philippians 1:30 - experiencing the same conflict which you saw in me, and now hear to be in me.