



UPCOMING EVENTS

May 13, 2018

VANDALIA

Happy Mother's Day!

● CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER GATHERING

SUNDAY // MAY 20 // 6:00PM

Our monthly Church-Wide Prayer Gathering will be May 20, at 6:00pm in the Sanctuary.

● VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION

MONDAY-THURSDAY // JULY 23 // 9:00AM-12:15PM

Kids (age 4 through 6th grade) are invited to join us July 23-26 from 9:00am to 12:15pm for Vacation Bible School. Vacation Bible School will be an exciting week as the Bible Learning, Crafts, Music, Missions, Recreation and Snack teams take the field this summer! Registration is available at fbcvandalia.net, or on the app.

● LAST WEDNESDAY NIGHT

MAY 23 // 6:00PM

May 23 is the last Wednesday night before we break for Summer. Dinner will begin at 5:00pm and Small Groups at 6:00pm.

● FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

MAY 27 // SUNDOWN

Our next Family Movie night is May 27! Invite your friends and family and join us on the Hangar Lawn for an enjoyable evening. The movie "Ferdinand" will begin at sundown.

Welcome! We're Glad You're Here!

Our biggest hope is that you will develop and deepen in a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. You're among friends; whether you're in our worship gatherings, small groups, or ministry opportunities, we have a place for you to be a part of our Faith Family. Stop by **Connection Point in the Lobby** and introduce yourself. We can't wait to meet you, and we are so grateful for your visit today.

What's My First Step?



FBC in 10

FBC in 10 is an opportunity (10 minutes or less) for guests to learn more about FBC Vandalia. FBC in 10 will be offered **after all three worship gatherings** on Sundays. If you're a guest, please go to Connection Point in the Lobby, and our greeters will take you to the FBC in 10 room.

How Can I Learn More?



Discover FBC

Would you like more information on core beliefs, membership, or the mission + vision of our church? Discover FBC is a two-week focus group that covers these topics and more. Discover FBC **meets on the third and fourth Sundays of every month** from 9:45-11:00am. If you are interested or would like more information, visit Connection Point or contact Scott Snyder at ssnyder@fbcvandalia.net.

Looking Back

Your Financial Generosity:

Budget: \$ 46,563.37

All-In: \$ 3,430.00

Thank you for giving generously to the gospel ministry at FBC Vandalia!

Contact us!

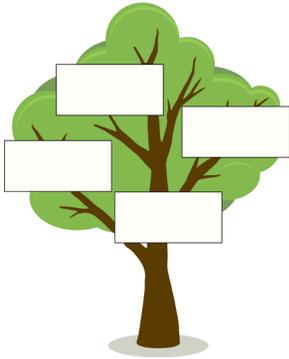
We would love to meet you and answer any questions you may have. You may contact us by calling the office at **937.898.3801**, visiting fbcvandalia.net, or emailing questions@fbcvandalia.net.

NOTES

WORTH THE MESS
2 TIMOTHY 1:3-6 (ESV)

2 Timothy 1:3—6a (ESV)

As parents we are to create an atmosphere for our children not just to grow up in, but more importantly, to _____.



_____ is a _____ that we do not take alone.

1. A Cascading Faith Must Be A _____ Faith. 2 Timothy 1:5a

A convincing faith has to be _____.

In order for our faith to be a convincing faith ...

- We must _____ it first.
- We must _____ out that faith and _____ it always.

2. A Cascading Faith Must Be A _____ Faith. 2 Timothy 1:5b

Dwelt means to _____ to live in.

When there is a strong faith in Christ _____ in an individual's life, the likelihood of others in the family coming to Christ _____.

3. A Cascading Faith Must Be A _____ Faith. 2 Timothy 1:5

_____ about Jesus Christ conveys a spiritual _____ to your children that they can never ignore.

A cascading faith must be so _____ that you just can't help but _____ it.

4. A Cascading Faith Must Be A _____ Faith. 2 Timothy 1:5c

Most times, spiritually, we can become more confident just _____ where God has _____ us from.

QUESTIONS & ACTION STEPS

- What immediately comes to mind when you think of your mom? Explain.
- Share your funniest memory about your mother.
- Share your most challenging memory about your mother.
- What type of foundation did your mom lay for you?
- Describe what your spiritual family tree looks like.
- Do you sense that God might be moving you towards something today? If so, what might that be?
- How would you describe a truly convincing type of faith?
- How difficult is it to have a faith that is consistent in the good times as well as the bad times? Explain.
- How contagious was the spiritual climate in your home growing up? How contagious is the spiritual climate in your home today?
- As an action step, describe what it is to live a better story.
- As an action step, commit to filling out your spiritual family tree and to consistently add to that tree.

NEXT STEPS

Whether this is your first time or you've been a part of the Faith Family for years, there is always a way for you to get involved, but those steps are not always clear. Below are our four steps to help you determine "What's Next" for you. *Call the church office at 937.898.3801 or email at questions@fbcvandalia.net to learn more.*



Gather

Gather regularly
for worship



Grow

Grow in a
small group



Serve

Serve others
with your gifts



Go

Go with
the Gospel!



Notes are also available on
the FBC Vandalia App