

Family Harvest Church

CHURCH WIDE FAST – August 25-September 12, 2025

Joel 1:13-14

- Matthew 5:6 – “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness for they shall be filled.
- **3 duties of every Christian – Giving, Praying, & Fasting.**
 - Matthew 6:4 – when you give...
 - Matthew 6:6 – when you pray...
 - Matthew 6:16 – when you fast...
 - Jesus expects us to do all three, but with the correct motive and attitude.
- **Fasting is done by refraining from food for a spiritual purpose!**
 - Deeper intimacy with God.
 - Obtains open doors, miraculous provision and favor.
 - Fresh encounters with the Lord – Psalms 92:10 – “...I have been anointed with fresh oil.”
 - The discipline of fasting will release greater anointing, favor, and the blessing of the Lord.
 - Psalms 42:1-3
 - Psalms 42:7 – “Deep calls unto deep at the noise of your waterfall.”
- **By dethroning King Stomach our spirit becomes uncluttered by natural things.**

Specific Fasting and Prayer Points

- Partial Fast – Information is available on our webpage with the 21-day Daniel fast for people to follow.
- Some may choose certain days of the week to do a full fast with only water and/or juices.
- Asking everyone to do a full fast on these three Fridays:
 - August 29
 - September 5
 - September 12

Prayer Focus #1 – New Church Building.

- We have available some specifics to pray for concerning a new Church Building on the webpage and Events Page.
 - Scriptures:
 - Philippians 4:19 “And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus.”
 - Proverbs 3:5-6 “Trust in the Lord with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths.”
 - Nehemiah 2:20a “So I answered them, and said to them, “The God of heaven Himself will prosper us; therefore we His servants will arise and build..”
 - Hebrews 11:1 “Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.”
 - Psalms 107:7 “And He led them forth by the right way, That they might go to a city for a dwelling place.”
 - Pray these scriptures believing God for a new building.

- FHC as an entity is a giving Church so pray
 - 2 Corinthians 9:6-10 “But this *I say*: He who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. *So let each one give* as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver. And God *is* able to make all grace abound toward you, that you, always having all sufficiency in all *things*, may have an abundance for every good work. As it is written: “He has dispersed abroad, He has given to the poor; His righteousness endures forever. Now may He who supplies seed to the sower, and bread for food, supply and multiply the seed you have *sown* and increase the fruits of your righteousness,”

Prayer Focus #2 – Breakthroughs in Finances, Health & Unity!

- Finances –
 - Philippians 4:19 “And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus.”
 - Luke 6:38 “Give, and it will be given to you: good measure, pressed down, shaken together, and running over will be put into your bosom. For with the same measure that you use, it will be measured back to you.”
 - Matthew 6:33 “But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.”
 - Deuteronomy 8:18 “And you shall remember the Lord your God, for *it is* He who gives you power to get wealth, that He may establish His covenant which He swore to your fathers, as *it is* this day.”
 - Proverbs 10:22 “The blessing of the Lord makes *one* rich, And He adds no sorrow with it.”
 - 2 Corinthians 9:6-8 “But this *I say*: He who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. *So let each one give* as he purposes in his heart, not grudgingly or of necessity; for God loves a cheerful giver. And God *is* able to make all grace abound toward you, that you, always having all sufficiency in all *things*, may have an abundance for every good work.”
- Health –
 - Isaiah 53:4-5 “Surely He has borne our griefs And carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, Smitten by God, and afflicted. But He *was* wounded for our transgressions, *He was* bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace *was* upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.
 - 1 Peter 2:24 “who Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness—by whose stripes you were healed.”
 - Matthew 8:17 “that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Isaiah the prophet, saying: ‘He Himself took our infirmities And bore *our* sicknesses’”
 - Psalms 107:20 “He sent His word and healed them, And delivered *them* from their destructions.”
 - Psalms 103:1-3 “Bless the Lord, O my soul; And all that is within me, *bless* His holy name! Bless the Lord, O my soul, And forget not all His benefits: Who forgives all your iniquities, Who heals all your diseases,”

- Unity –

- Psalms 133 “Behold, how good and how pleasant *it is* for brethren to dwell together in unity! *It is* like the precious oil upon the head, running down on the beard, the beard of Aaron, running down on the edge of his garments. *It is* like the dew of Hermon, descending upon the mountains of Zion; for there the Lord commanded the blessing—Life forevermore.
- Acts 1:14 “These all continued with one accord in prayer and supplication, with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and with His brothers.”
- Acts 2:46-47 “So continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their food with gladness and simplicity of heart, praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily those who were being saved.”
- I Corinthians 1:10 “Now I plead with you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that you all speak the same thing, and *that* there be no divisions among you, but *that* you be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment.”
- Romans 16:17 (No division) “Now I urge you, brethren, note those who cause divisions and offenses, contrary to the doctrine which you learned, and avoid them.”
- Philippians 2:2-4 “fulfill my joy by being like-minded, having the same love, *being* of one accord, of one mind. *Let* nothing *be done* through selfish ambition or conceit, but in lowliness of mind let each esteem others better than himself. Let each of you look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others.”
- Colossians 3:14 “But above all these things put on love, which is the bond of perfection.”