

# Faith Family News

Sunday, December 11, 2022



## Guest Information

Thank you for coming. We're glad you're here! Our typical order of service is worship through music and prayer, worship through God's Word (sermon), worship through giving, and closing prayer.

Free coffee is available in the Journey Room behind the Worship Center, as well as other food and beverage items which are for sale. Assistive Listening devices are available; let an usher know if you would like use them.

Our 10 am service is live streamed at faith-family.org and on our Facebook page. Infants through pre-k children meet in their classrooms during the entire 10 am service. Kindergarten through 5th grade students stay with their families until they are dismissed, at about 10:30 am.

On our website, [www.faith-family.org](http://www.faith-family.org), you can find information about who we are, what we believe, archives of past sermons, online giving, a digital sermon guide, sign up for emails through Church Community Builder, and more.

### Christmas Cares Offering: November 27 – December 11

Faith Family's annual "Christmas Cares" offering concludes today. The funds collected will be shared with those in our congregation who would be blessed by having an unexpected gift of love from their church family during the Christmas season.

### Opportunity to Serve at the Fayette Food Pantry

Packing: Tuesday, December 13, 7 pm

Distribution: Thursday, December 15, 1 pm

Please sign up in the lobby if you are available to help serve in this ministry to our community. The Food Pantry is located at the Keller Building in Fayette, at the junction of Highway 5 and State Route E (Cleveland and Davis). Enter at the loading dock on Williams Street.

Next Week is **Mission Offering Sunday**

**Summit Student Ministries DNow Weekend is scheduled for January 13-15.** A signup sheet is in the lobby for students who would like to participate. The cost is \$35 per student. We are also looking for DNow Host Homes where students and their small group leaders can stay and meet during the weekend. If you are interested in opening your home and serving as a DNow Host Home, please contact Pastor Brandon.

## Save These Dates

**Christmas Service at Faith Family: Sun, Dec 18, 10 am**

No 8:30 am service on December 18

**Carols & Candles Christmas Eve Service**

Saturday, December 24, 7-8 pm

**Christmas Day Worship Service: Sunday, Dec 25, 10 am**

No 8:30 am service on Christmas Day

**New Year's Day, Sunday, January 1, 10 am**

No 8:30 am service on New Year's Day

**Winter Wednesdays: January 11, 18, and 25, 6:45 – 8 pm**

January 11: Coffee House Praise

January 18: US Supreme Court and Religious Liberty  
*Special guests Prof. Carl Esbeck and Dr. Rod Casey*

January 25: Movie Night

**Families of Faith Classes and Wednesday evening dinners will resume on February 1.** HQ @ The Summit will resume January 18.

**Celebrate Recovery: Monday evenings, 6:30 – 8 pm**

Fellowship & dinner at 6 pm

*A safe place to find freedom from life's hurts, hang-ups, and habits*

Celebrate Recovery is a Christ-centered 12-step community of people helping one another recover from painful life experiences. By applying Biblical principles, we begin to grow spiritually and become free from addictive, compulsive, and dysfunctional behaviors. This freedom creates peace, serenity, joy, and most importantly, a stronger relationship with God and often others. We discover our personal, loving, forgiving Higher Power – Jesus Christ. Meetings are open to anyone who desires change; anonymity and confidentiality are basic requirements. Newcomers are always welcome! More information in the lobby.

Celebrate Recovery Step Studies will continue to meet during December and January.

### Reminder – Our Winter Weather Policy

When Fayette dismisses school early due to weather, evening activities at Faith Family will be cancelled. A notice will be posted on our Facebook page, emailed to those who have signed up for CCB (Church Community Builder), and provided to Columbia TV stations when possible. Every attempt will be made to publicize cancellation notices, but it is recommended that you use discretion and the Lord's wisdom, as road conditions can change quickly and be rather unpredictable during winter weather.

