

# Faith Family News

Sunday, November 10, 2024



## 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.

Our Sunday Service is at 9:30 am, and is live streamed on YouTube @FaithFamilyChurchFayetteMO.

Infants and pre-k children meet in their classrooms during the entire service. Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade students stay with their families until they are dismissed, at about 10 am.

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

## Coat & Blanket Drive for the Fayette Food Pantry November 3 – 24

Faith Family is collecting coats, winter clothing, blankets and sleeping bags during November to distribute at the Fayette Food Pantry Coat Room. Although children and infant sizes are preferred, we will gladly accept youth and adult items. Gently used items should be clean and in very good condition. Thanks so much for your donations to help our friends and neighbors keep warm this winter. For more information, contact the church office.

## Veteran's Day Celebration Lunch at CMU

Monday, November 11, 11 am – 1:30 pm

All veterans may enjoy a complimentary lunch in the Central Methodist University Bergsten Dining Hall on Monday, November 11, 11 am to 1:30 pm.

## Summit Student Family Feast: Sunday, December 1

Students in grades 6-12 and their families are invited to join us for a holiday feast after church on Dec. 1. Faith Family will provide ham and green beans. Sign-up sheets are in the lobby for each family to bring a side dish and/or a dessert. We look forward to this opportunity to share 2024 highlights and some exciting plans for 2025.

## The Word For You Today Daily Devotional

If you missed getting a printed version of our daily devotional while it was available in the lobby, you can access it digitally. To get started, go to [www.mydevoapp.com](http://www.mydevoapp.com), and create an account. Connect with Faith Family by entering the code "YLR", then download the app and use your log in to enjoy the devotional each day.

## Families of Faith Wednesday Evening Ministry

September 4 – November 20, 6:45 – 8 pm

Dinner served 5:15 – 6:15 pm, \$3 suggested donation

Prayer Team invites you to pray on Wednesday evenings during Families of Faith. If you have a prayer request or praise report, ask an usher for a card, and place it in the silver box at the back of the worship center. See Constance Crump for more information.

## SALT Women's Bible Study

**When You Pray** by Kelly Minter, Jackie Hill Perry, Jen Wilkin, Jennifer Rothschild, Jada Edwards, and Kristi McLelland. Study prayers in the Bible that can inspire your own. You'll learn that God welcomes your praise and lament, your thanksgiving and intercession. You'll see how to pray when you're alone and when you're gathered with others. As you draw near to God through prayer, you'll find your faith strengthened and your heart united to Christ. Study guide (optional), \$22. See Sarah Page for more information.

## Man-2-Man Bible Study: Matthew

The book of Matthew offers a unique look at the life and words of Jesus, and shares His dynamic principles for becoming a faithful subject in the kingdom of God. Study Guide, \$10. See Matt Volkmann or Byron Jones for more information.

**K - 5th grade children** are studying "Kids Like the King – Psalms & Proverbs," learning about the amazing adventures of Moses, David and Solomon. Classes and childcare for infants through PreK children are also available. See Dianna Heckman, Children's Ministry Director, for more information.

## HQ @ The Summit for 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade students

Wednesdays, 4 – 8 pm, at The Summit Building  
Dinner at 5:45 pm; Worship & The Word, 6:45 – 8 pm

## Next week is Mission Offering Sunday

## Save These Dates

## December Food Pantry Packing and Distribution

Packing: December 3 and December 10, 7 pm  
Distribution: December 5 and December 19, 1 pm

## Faith Family Adult Christmas Dinner

Saturday, December 14, 5 pm

## Faith Family Christmas Service

Sunday, December 22, 9:30 am

## Faith Family Christmas Eve Service

Tuesday, December 24, 7 pm

## Friday Focus

For a look ahead at the Sunday morning topic each week, go to [faith-family.org/focus-friday/](http://faith-family.org/focus-friday/) and select a date. Scroll to the bottom of any date-specific page and provide your email address to receive Friday Focus in your inbox each Friday.

### Celebrate Recovery

Monday evenings, 6:30 – 8 pm; Dinner at 6 pm

Find healing and 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!

**Church Community Builder (CCB)** is the best way to stay up-to-date about what's happening at Faith Family, such as emails about special events or when church is canceled due to winter weather. CCB also serves as our church directory. To get started, request a username at

<https://ffcfayette.ccbchurch.com/goto/signup>

Under "actions" you will be able to update your contact information, customize your privacy settings, and change your Communication preferences. If it's ok to send you text messages, include your cell phone provider under Communication preferences. You can unsubscribe from group emails any time you like.

If you are already in CCB, please take a moment to review your contact information and make sure it's current. Questions? Contact the church office at 660-248-2209, or email [office@faith-family.org](mailto:office@faith-family.org).

**Should an "active shooter" situation occur** at Faith Family, remember HOPE: Hit the floor; Observe the lockdown (Children's classrooms are locked when classes are meeting); Pay attention to verbal commands; and Exit the building in an orderly manner when told to do so.

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**It is our mission to invite the seeker to salvation and to disciple the believer to maturity so that each may become a fully-devoted follower of Jesus Christ.**

## Encouraging the Believers

Bill Parker

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Faith Family Church

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2 Thessalonians 1

Encouragement is given to motivate people to work towards their \_\_\_\_\_.

Our goal as believers is to \_\_\_\_\_ our faith and become more like \_\_\_\_\_.

**Encouragement through \_\_\_\_\_.** (v 3, 4)

- For their faith that is \_\_\_\_\_.
- For their love that is \_\_\_\_\_.
- For their \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

**Encouragement through \_\_\_\_\_.** (v 5-7)

- God promises \_\_\_\_\_ for persecutors.
- God promises to make them \_\_\_\_\_ of His Kingdom.
- God promises \_\_\_\_\_ for those being persecuted.

**Encouragement through \_\_\_\_\_.** (v 11,12)

- To live a life \_\_\_\_\_ of His call.
- To \_\_\_\_\_ faithfully in His power.
- To \_\_\_\_\_ a life that honors God.