

## Welcome!

We're glad you are here and hope you have sensed a warm welcome from the family of Faith!

### Some Things to Know

Children should be checked in at the Faith Kids kiosk in the front foyer. They will go with Pastor Jarod to Hermiz Chapel following the Children's Message.

Outside doors are locked at 10:45 am on Sundays for the safety of our congregation. A security team member will assist you in the center front foyer if you need to enter after 10:45 am.

If you are visiting, you are encouraged to complete a visitor's card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate, or contact our church office, email [office@faithm.ch](mailto:office@faithm.ch) or call 740-654-1711.



### Faith's Church Nursery

is staffed in Room 302.

A Nursing Mother's Room is available in the front foyer beside the Coffee Fellowship area.

### Prayer

Family of Robert Burrier

Tessie Akers	Esther Branscome	Lonnie Conkle
Ann Hubble	Nancy Linn	Those suffering in Maui

Requests added since Wednesday will be displayed on the screen.

### Groups

#### Sunday groups

9:30 am Study Groups for all ages  
6:30 pm Young Adults

#### Wednesday groups

7:00 pm - Join us weekly for adult Bible studies, Blitz Youth Gathering, Faith Kids or Music Rehearsals.

#### Prayer Groups

Ladies Prayer Group, Tuesdays, 9:45 am, Church Library  
Men's Prayer Group, Saturdays, 8:00 am, Library Annex

## Announcements & Activities

### Monthly Work Day, This Saturday, 8:30 am

Join us the last Saturday of each month taking on projects to maintain the buildings and grounds. There are jobs for all skill levels.

### New Bible Study, Experiencing God



September 5<sup>th</sup> kicks off a study entitled Experiencing God by Henry and Richard Blackaby. The challenge of this study is to bring you into a deeper and more personal relationship with the Holy Father. A relationship with God that shows you how to recognize what God is doing "where you are" versus me telling God what we want to do for Him. Learning to hear His voice speak to You!

The study book (\$20) has 5 lessons for you to do each week. It will be very beneficial to you to dedicate time to these personal studies. Then when the group gets together we can discuss and share. Signup sheets are in both foyers. The study will last 13 weeks and will begin September 5<sup>th</sup>. You have the choice of two times, Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am or Tuesday evenings at 7 pm. The facilitators are Paul Cook and Jane Forshey. We look forward to seeing you.

### Operation Christmas Child

We are praising God for the generous hearts of His people! FAITH reached the \$10,000 goal to cover the shipping costs of the recent collection of shoe box gifts. *Thank you!!*



### PDHC Annual Gala, Thu, September 14, 7:00 pm

For over 42 years, Pregnancy Decision Health Center (PDHC) has been providing life-saving services for mothers, fathers, and babies in our community. Please join us in celebrating LIFE at our upcoming Gala in Lancaster at The Tree Church. This year's keynote speaker is Melissa Ohden, abortion survivor and author of You Carried Me. Visit [supportlifepdhc.org](http://supportlifepdhc.org) for more information and register or contact Kate Hamrick, [KateH@PDHC.org](mailto:KateH@PDHC.org), 614.888.8774 ext. 6117! *All seats are complimentary!* (There is an opportunity to give a gift to PDHC at the end of the evening.)

## FK Faith Kids

### Bible Quizzing – SIGN UP NOW!

The first scheduled practice is Sun, September 3, 5-6:30 pm. Our first Quizzing Meet is Sat, November 4 at Heritage Nazarene. Contact Christy Noland or Pastor Jarod to sign up. Materials need to be ordered so please let one of us know if your child is interested.

### What We're Teaching



### WONDER-FULL – a Series On Worship Begins next Sunday

From the Northern Lights to the Great Barrier Reef, our world is full of so many incredible wonders! In this four week series, we'll explore the natural wonders of the world while learning from the book of Psalms that all of creation gives evidence of our wonderful God and Creator! Each week, we'll invite kids to worship because of all the "wonder-full" things God has done by **putting their hope in God, asking for God's help, remembering what God has done, and living for God!**

## Teens of Faith

### Bible Quizzing Information Meeting Tonight, 6:00 pm

Parents and teens who are interested in learning more about Quizzing should meet with Pastor Aaron in the church basement this evening starting at 6:00 pm. The first 20 minutes will be for parents. The meeting should wrap up by 7:30 pm.



### Back to School Camp Out Sun, September 3, after church Sign up now with Pastor Aaron.

We will leave immediately after Morning Worship to go to the Curry's. If you are riding with Pastor Aaron, bring all your gear to church that morning. You will need hiking clothes, change of clothes for after hiking, shoes/boots ok to get muddy, BUG SPRAY, swim stuff, outdoor sports/games equipment that you enjoy, ATV helmet if you plan to ride, camp chair, outdoor sleeping gear & tent, flashlight, personal snacks & drinks. We will provide dinner, S'mores ingredients and breakfast

### Save the Date for Fall Retreat, November 10-12!

More information will be available soon.

## Thank You

From Jamie & Jay Stoughton, Josh & Erika Peck, Jill Peck:  
*The summer season should not end without expressing our gratitude and immense satisfaction with the summer programs for the kids. It has been nothing short of fabulous. Our families have seven children at the daycare/summer camp programs. These kids have been excited to go to camp every day. The instructors/teachers have gone out of their way to make every single day an enjoyable adventure from games and activities at the church, swimming at the Lancaster Campground pool, and field trips each week to places like COSI, Smeck Historical Farm, movies, Art & Clay, trampoline place, special parks and the grand finale, the Columbus Zoo and a pizza party!*

*Ms. Becca, Ms. Abby, Mrs. Clarke & Mrs. Stover have poured themselves into making this a memorable experience for all. There was never a moment of downtime and they were always quick to rearrange things if the weather turned bad or venues changed their schedules. Pastor Jarod held a chapel service for the kids each week for their spiritual growth and daily there were Christian songs, verses and lessons from the teachers. We could not have provided a better summer for them if we tried!*

*Not all our church members have a direct connection to the daycare/summer camp and we wanted you all to know it is a stellar program that you can be very proud of.*

*Our teachers are the absolute best. All have degrees/associate degrees and true hearts for Jesus and the children. We are so fortunate to have the guidance and inspiration of our interim Director, Carrie Clarke, a genuine servant leader who is well respected by all the staff. And all this has been done at a reasonable competitive cost. They really know how to stretch a dollar!*

*We thank our church, Pastor and Daycare Board for their oversight of this priceless resource for our young families.*

CD Recordings available from the Duplication Room.  
Online options at [faithm.ch](http://faithm.ch)

## This Week's Calendar

### Today

- 9:00 am Worship Ensemble Rehearsal
- 9:30 am Sunday Morning Groups
- 10:30 am Morning Worship; Faith Kids Worship
- 6:00 pm Teens Bible Quizzing Meeting
- 6:30 pm Young Adults

### Tuesday

- 9:45 am Ladies Prayer Group

### Wednesday

- 7:00 pm Bible Studies, Faith Kids, Teens of Faith, Music Rehearsal

### Friday

- Church Office closes at noon
- 7:00 pm Faith Kids Lock In

### Saturday

- 8:00 am Men's Prayer Group
- 8:30 am Work Day

## Faith Memorial Church

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### Our Staff

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August 20, 2023

# Faith

## MEMORIAL CHURCH

### Call to Worship

*A Mighty Fortress is Our God*

### Children's Message

Pastor Jarod

### Announcements

& Invocation

Pastor Aaron

### Praise

*Come Christians Join and Sing*

*Who You Say I Am*

*Amazing Grace*

*God, You're So Good*

### Giving

*Living Hope*

### The Good News

Pastor Jonathan

### Our Response

*Fan the Flame*

### Benediction

Pastor Jonathan