

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 will go directly to the Faith Kids foyer to check in for Sunday school and/or Faith Kids Worship.

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 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 Betty Cox	Family of John Streitenberger	
Jeff Ayers	Mary Chandler	Jeff Fisher
Gary Stump	Ryan Vance	Paulette Wharton

Requests received after 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

6:00 pm Faith Family Dinner every first Wednesday of the month
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



Advent Devotionals

Mary, the Mother of God, the 2023 Advent Devotional authored by Dr. David Case, is available now in the foyers. If you prefer to [read online](#), visit the church website and select Advent Devotional 2023 from the side menu.

Announcements & Activities

All Church Thanksgiving Meal, Next Sunday

Join the FAITH family for a traditional Thanksgiving meal immediately following morning worship. We will gather in Benner Fellowship Hall for a delicious meal and warm Christian fellowship. Donations to help cover the cost are welcome.



Ladies Night Out, Tue, November 28, 6:00 pm

All ladies are invited to meet at Olive Garden, Lancaster, to enjoy a meal and Christian fellowship. Sign up in the foyers. Contact Teresa Willis with any questions, 740-654-8486.

Faith Memorial Church is on Facebook

Follow and share the activities of FAITH on Facebook. There are several pages with the name Faith Memorial so be sure to select the one that displays our address or use [this link](#) for the correct page. Request to join the Church Members group where information and events specific to FAITH will be posted instead of on the public page.



Columbus Symphony Orchestra

Fri, December 15, 7:30 pm

We will host the Columbus Symphony for a Christmas concert. Tickets are on sale after worship this morning in the front foyer. They are also available through the church office or the [CSO website](#), cbusarts.com. \$30 each; age 12 and under \$10 each.

Mark Narmore, Dinner & A Christmas Concert

Sun, December 3, 6:00 pm, Benner Fellowship Hall



Kick-off the holiday season with Dinner & a Christmas Concert! Mark Narmore is an artist and songwriter who's had a career of over 37 years with Muscle Shoals Studios. Some of Mark's songs have been recorded by well-known artists like Josh Turner, Alabama and Reba McEntire. He was honored with the George Jackson Contemporary Songwriter Award by the Muscle Shoals Music Association in 2022. Please sign up in the foyers.

FK Faith Kids

What We're Teaching



Behind The Scenes: Esther

The most important part of any play is what happens "behind the scenes." There's lighting, wardrobe, casting, playwriting — so much has to happen perfectly to bring the production together! In the story of Esther, there is a whole lot going on behind the scenes, too. In this four-week series, kids will discover the most important character in Esther's story isn't always center-stage, but can often be found behind the scenes working, helping, giving support and giving peace. (Spoiler alert: It's God!)

Preteen Overnighter, January 5-6, 2024

4th-6th Graders - Cost: \$40.00

More details to come.

Advent Schedule



Sun, December 3

10:30 am First Sunday of Advent Worship

6:00 pm Mark Narmore, Dinner & A Christmas Concert (Benner Fellowship Hall)

Sun, December 10

10:30 am Faith Kids Christmas Presentation

Fri, December 15

7:30 pm Columbus Symphony Orchestra Christmas Concert

Sun, December 17

10:30 am Third Sunday of Advent Worship

2:00 pm Lancaster Community Band Christmas Concert

Sun, December 24

10:30 am Fourth Sunday of Advent Worship

6:00 pm Christmas Eve Candlelight Service



Operation Christmas Child

Drop Off Center

Mon, Nov. 13: 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM
 Tue, Nov. 14: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 Wed, Nov. 15: 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM
 Thu, Nov. 16: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 Fri, Nov. 17: 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM
 Sat, Nov. 18: 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM
 Sun, Nov. 19: 12:30 PM - 5:00 PM
 Mon, Nov. 20: 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

This Week!

Shoebox gifts from individuals, organizations and churches will come to us and be packed into shipping cartons for the next leg of the journey to North Carolina and then to children in need around the world. Contact Don Merritt to learn more about helping, 614-284-0027.

Packing Party Results

Thank you to everyone who helped set up for the packing party and to all who came out to pack shoeboxes! We had a fun time filling up those **1,230 Gospel Opportunities** (shoeboxes) for boys and girls all over the world. There were 1,005 packed in July so we are very close to our goal of 2,500. There's still time to pick up a shoebox, pray for guidance on what God wants you to pack for that child and have fun shopping to fill the box! All filled shoeboxes should be brought to the church by next Sunday, November 19. Thanks again for all you do in support of this wonderful ministry.

CD Recordings available from the Duplication Room.
 Online options at faithm.ch

This Week's Calendar

Today

- 8:30 am Worship Ensemble Rehearsal
- 9:00 am Worship Choir Rehearsal
- 9:30 am Sunday Morning Groups
- 10:30 am Morning Worship & Faith Kids Worship
- 5:00 pm Faith Kids Bible Quizzing
- 6:00 pm Church Membership Class
- 6:30 pm Young Adults

Tuesday

- 9:30 am Experiencing God Bible Study
- 9:45 am Ladies Prayer Group

Wednesday

- 5:15 pm Faith Kids Christmas Rehearsal
- 7:00 pm Adult Bible Studies, Teens of Faith, Faith Kids, Music Rehearsal

Saturday

- 8:00 am Men's Prayer Group



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Church Office Hours: 8 am – 4:30 pm Mon – Thu; 8 am – 12 pm Fri

Our Staff

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 David Case, Adult Education
 Steve Snider, Treasurer
 Debbie Zenoby, Admin. Assistant
 Carrie Clarke, FELA Director

November 12, 2023

FAITH

MEMORIAL CHURCH

Welcome &
 Announcements
 Pastor Jonathan
 Honoring Our Military

Baby Dedication
 Annalyn Mae Roark

Praise
Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus
Love the Lord
I Give You My Heart

Prayer
Jesus Messiah

Giving
Free Indeed
 Worship Choir

The Good News
 Joshua 24
 Pastor Jonathan

Our Response
Be Thou My Vision

Benediction
 Pastor Jonathan