

## Welcome!

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

### Some Things to Know

Please bring your children to the Faith Kids foyer outside Benner Fellowship Hall to check in.

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.



### Church Nursery

is staffed in Room 302.

A Nursing Mother's Room is available in the front foyer.

### Prayer

Mark Asher    Dorothy Bruning    Lois Rogers    Rod South  
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 –Adult Bible studies, Blitz Youth Gathering, Faith Kids, Music Rehearsals.

#### Prayer Groups

Ladies Prayer Group, Tuesdays, 9:45 am, Room 201  
Men's Prayer Group, Saturdays, 8:00 am, Library Annex

CD Recordings available from the Duplication Room.

Online options at [faithm.ch](http://faithm.ch)

## Announcements & Activities

### FAITH FAMILY Dinner, This Wednesday, 6:00 pm

Gather in Benner for a meal and Christian fellowship. Our menu is: Meatloaf, Mac-n-Cheese, Salad and Dessert. Donations are welcome.

### Fill the Pantries

Thank you for supporting Maywood Mission Food Pantry and Foundation Dinners. Place your donations on the carts in the foyers.

### Sisters Without Misters, This Tuesday, 11:00 am

Meet in the church parking lot at 11:00 am to carpool to Bremen for lunch at Pub & Grub. Please sign up in the foyers. Contact Michelle Williams, 740-215-7519.

### L.I.F.E. – Phantom of the Opera, Fri, April 12, 7:00 pm, OCU

#### Purchase on or before next Sunday, March 10

L.I.F.E. Group invites adults 50 and older to OCU's production, The Phantom of the Opera.

Tickets are \$13.59 per person and may be:  
▪ [purchased online](#) through the church website; use the link in today's bulletin or select Faith Adults  
▪ Scan the QR code  
▪ Write a check payable to the church, mark your envelope *Phantom tickets*, place it in the offering plate.  
▪ Give your check to a L.I.F.E. Committee member: Jill Ailes, Kelly Bryant, Jane Forshey, Leah Harper or Robin Mathias. To sit with our group, tickets must be purchased on/before next Sunday, March 10.

### All-Church Family Skate, Sun, March 10, 6:30 pm

Faith Kids invites the church family to meet at Amanda Roller Rink for a fun evening of roller skating, games and snacks. Skate rental is \$2 and the concession stand will be open.

### Operation Christmas Child

Build shoebox gifts online at a cost of \$25 including postage. It's a great way to be involved from the comfort of your home. It's simple to do – open this link <https://sampur.se/49ii4gi> and follow the prompts. Our church receives credit and you can do it anytime.

### Pregnancy Decision Health Centers

Please return filled and empty baby bottles by the church office.

Mark your calendars for Golf for Life, Mon, May 13, at The Country Club, Muirfield Village. Registration brochures are in the foyers.

### Faith Family

Maryann Nelson's new address is: 7545 Kirtley Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45236. She is glad to be nearer to her family. Phone did not change.

## FK Faith Kids

### What We're Teaching



#### Glow In The Dark: A Series on Easter

In the dark, a world of neon colors comes to life. Whether it's the soft green of glow-in-the-dark stars or the bright colors of bioluminescent creatures, light can break through the darkness. When the world needed some light, God sent Jesus because he glows in the dark, and he can teach us how to shine with God's light, too! We will follow Jesus' life leading up to Easter to see some of the ways he can shine bright in our lives. We'll see Jesus is the light in the darkness, learn how we can choose Jesus and know God hears our cries while celebrating how Jesus died and rose again!

\*Easter Sunday will be a family service in the sanctuary

### Time to Fill Easter Eggs!

Help Faith Kids have a fun Easter Celebration by filling plastic Easter eggs with individually wrapped candies. Eggs can be picked up from Pastor Jarod or you can donate new eggs and/or bags of candy.

### Faith Kids Easter Celebration, Sun, March 24

Stay after church and enjoy a kid-friendly lunch, hear a devotional about the importance of Easter and have fun at our annual Easter Egg Hunt!

## Teens of Faith



### Blitz this Wednesday - Tyler Ratcliffe

Tyler was with us at Fall Retreat. Bring friends to hang out and enjoy his music!

### High School Sunday School

Starting this Sunday, the high school class will be part of the all-church presentations on Holy Sexuality with Dr. Caleb Friedeman. Junior high class will meet with the standard class.

### Save the Date! Spring Retreat

May 3–5, Nipgen Campground, Bainbridge, OH  
More info at [ccuyouth.org](http://ccuyouth.org)

## All Church Sunday School Today thru' March 24

Benner Fellowship Hall  
High School through Adults

### Holy Sexuality

presented by Dr. Caleb Friedeman

Human sexuality is the foremost social and ethical issue facing the Western church today. Our world is increasingly embracing an “anything goes” approach to sexuality in which all things sexual are a merely matter of personal preference. But what does God have to say about all of this? We will begin by exploring the overarching biblical vision of sexuality from Genesis to Revelation. We will then examine two major challenges facing the church today—homosexuality and transgenderism—advocating that the church must respond to these issues with Scriptural truth and holy love.

March 3

Sexuality—the Biblical Vision, pt. 1

March 10

Sexuality—the Biblical Vision, pt. 2

March 17

Homosexuality

March 24

Transgenderism



Dr. Caleb Friedeman is a pastor-theologian with a passion to teach, preach, write, and lead in service to the church. He currently serves as David A. Case Chair of Biblical Studies and Associate Research Professor of New Testament at Ohio Christian University.

Dr. Friedeman is the author of *The Revelation of the Messiah* and coauthor of *The Doctrine of Good Works* and *Holiness: A Biblical, Historical, and Systematic Theology*. He and his wife Isabella live in Circleville, OH and love reading books, drinking coffee, and lifting weights together.

## This Week's Calendar

### Today

- 8:30 am Worship Ensemble Rehearsal
- 9:00 am Worship Choir Rehearsal
- 9:30 am All Church Sunday School (Benner)  
Nursery thru' 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Sunday School
- 10:30 am Morning Worship  
Faith Kids Worship
- 6:30 pm Young Adults

### Tuesday

- 9:45 am Ladies Prayer Group
- 11:00 am Sisters Without Misters

### Wednesday

- 6:00 pm FAITH Family Dinner
- 7:00 pm Bible Studies, Music Rehearsal,  
Blitz Teen Gathering, Faith Kids

### 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

Jonathan W. Morgan, Pastor  
Mike Kotora, Worship & Music  
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Aaron Green, Teens of Faith  
David Case, Adult Education  
Steve Snider, Treasurer  
Debbie Zenoby, Admin. Assistant  
Carrie Clarke, FELA Director

March 3, 2024

# FAITH

## MEMORIAL CHURCH

### Call to Worship

*O' For A Thousand Tongues to Sing*

### Announcements & Invocation

Pastor Aaron

### Worship in Song

*Lord, I Lift Your Name on High*  
*Lion and the Lamb*

### Giving

*Is He Worthy?*

*Elizabeth Miley & The Worship Choir*

### The Good News

What Do You See in Him?

John 1:35-51

Dr. Steve McGuire

### Preparing Our Hearts

*Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

### Celebration of the Lord's Supper

### Closing Song

*Be Thou My Vision*

### Benediction

Dr. Steve McGuire

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