



*Baptized
with the Holy Spirit*

Luke
3:21-22

A Careful Investigation

Sunday, January 8th, 2023



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Welcome to Worship @ Faith UMC



Live Stream Available

The live stream of our 11 am service is available via our [Faith Methodist YouTube channel](#) for those who wish to worship at home.



Offering

Today's offering will be collected during the service, or you may give using our online option at umcfaith.com. Contact the church office if you have any questions about our giving options or ways you can support the ministries of Faith UMC.



Nursery/Children's Church

School age children will be dismissed during the 11 am service for Children's Church. Infants, toddlers, and preschoolers may be dropped off at the Nursery before the 11 am service begins. All Children's Church classes will meet in their classrooms in the Education Wing (former daycare).



Church Office Hours

M, W, Th & F - 9 am to 3 pm

Tu- 8 am to noon

(office hours may vary due to incimate weather)



Assistive Listening Devices

Listening devices are available in the sound room for those who need them. Please see a member of our Worship team if you'd like to use a device during today's service.

This Week's Small Group Meetings & Events...

Sunday, January 8th

- 9:45 am- Fearless Conversation in the Education Wing
- 9:45 am- Faith Builders in the Conference Room
- 9:45 am- Faithweaver Sunday School in the Education Wing
- 4 pm- Volleyball in the Gym
- 6 pm- The Summit Youth Group in the Youth Room

Monday, January 9th

- 4 pm- Prayer Team in the Conference Room
- 6 pm- ELT in the Conference Room

Tuesday, January 10th

- 5:30 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Amanda)
- 6 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Cliff)
- 6 pm- Stephen Ministry in the Cafe

Wednesday, January 11th

- 11 am- Covenant Discipleship group (Cindy)
- 1 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Judy)
- 6 pm- The Neighborhood Café in the Café
- 7 pm- Praise Band in the Gym
- 7:30 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Krystal & Meg)

Thursday, January 12th

- 6:30 pm- Covenant Discipleship group (Pastor Brian)
- 6:30 pm- IF:Table (Liz)

Friday, January 13th

- 1 pm- UWF Meeting in the Conference Room

About Faith UMC:

Our mission is to make and mature disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world through worship, prayer, discipleship, outreach, a welcoming atmosphere, and care for those in our congregation and community. We're glad you chose to worship with us, and we hope you find today's service to be meaningful and relevant. Our prayer is that God will bless our time together as we worship in Spirit and in Truth.

Service Times:

Sunday @ 8:30 am- Traditional Service

Formal liturgy, traditional hymns

Sunday @ 11 am- Contemporary Service

Music led by Praise Band, less formal liturgy. Nursery and Children's Church are available during this service.

Wednesdays @ 6 pm- The Neighborhood Café

Join us for a free meal and an informal service.

SMALL GROUPS at Faith

FEARLESS CONVERSATION is continuing to look forward into 2023, hoping to discover numerous interesting, practical, and spiritually uplifting study topics for our Sunday morning small group. Fearless Conversation does not follow a set, pre-determined curriculum. It's pretty much dependent on available topics that the group is curious about, or that seem to be an appropriate learning experience that we all can put into practice in our day-to-day Faith journey.

As the New Year begins, consider getting involved in our Sunday morning small group. It's very informal. All adults are invited to join us each Sunday morning at 9:45-10:50 in the Education Wing. Contact Gary Oswalt (419-524-2029) or the Church Office (419-895-1011) if further information is needed.

JANUARY Study: "Re:Solution" (January 8, 15, 22)

A 3-week video series by ANDY STANLEY. What breaks your heart? What would you want people lining up to thank you for at the end of your life? Through Andy Stanley's series, we are challenged to make a new "resolution". One that makes a real difference.

FEBRUARY Study: "Thriving in Babylon" (Jan 29, Feb 5, 12, 19, 26)

A 5-week video series by LARRY OSBORNE. These are confusing times for many Christians. Traditional biblical values are not only rejected in our society; it seems as if they are attacked on every front. It's all happened at warp speed, leaving many of us spiritually and culturally disoriented or even fearful, frustrated, and angry. How can we spiritually survive in an increasingly spiritually hostile environment? Larry Osborne's series is based on the life experiences of a man forced to live in a fast-changing and godless society. This man faced fears about the future, concern for his safety, and the discouragement of a world that seemed to be falling apart. This man was Daniel. He not only survived, but he thrived.

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2023 FOR IF:FAITH

ladies retreat

@ THE GATHERING PLACE
MANSFIELD, OH

A WEEKEND OF BIBLE TEACHING, REFLECTION, PRAYER,
FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP.
FILL OUT THE REGISTRATION FORM AND SUBMIT \$50 DEPOSIT
BY JANUARY 1, 2023 TO SECURE YOUR SPOT!
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WITH QUESTIONS.

Contact Us

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