



# FAITH MATTERS

Sunday, May 26, 2019

Weekly Newsletter for Faith Covenant Church of Manistee, Michigan

## SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude

\*Opening Song

Praise Team

Welcome

Pastor Herb Frost

\*Praise Songs

Giving Back to God

Pastor Paula Frost

Anthem: *I Believe in Springtime*

Youth Ensemble &  
FCC Choir

\*Hymn #408: *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

Scripture: **Joshua 3:14-17; Romans 12:1-2**

Special Music: *Bound for the Promised Land*

Youth Ensemble

Children's Moment

Pastor Paula Frost

Sermon: ***Following the Trusted Guide***

Pastor Herb Frost

\*Hymn #429: *Lead on, O King Eternal*

Sending Out

Pastor Paula Frost

\*Please stand as you are able.

Hearing assistance devices are available at the A/V Booth.

Nursery care for babies thru age 3 is provided.

## SERMON NOTES:

***Knowing and Following Jesus***

***The Path of the Disciple***

***Following the Trusted Guide***

***Joshua 3:14-17; Romans 12:1-2***

Maybe \_\_\_\_\_ people across the river?

\_\_\_\_\_ is too difficult for God. – even waters  
at \_\_\_\_\_ stage

The path of the disciple

Three things:

Intentionally \_\_\_\_\_ throughout the day,

Seeing your own personality in \_\_\_\_\_,

Not acting on your \_\_\_\_\_.

John 15:7 If you remain in me and my words remain in you,  
ask \_\_\_\_\_ you wish, and it will be done for  
you.

Mark 10:35,36

Then James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came to him.

“Teacher,” they said, “we want you to do for us  
\_\_\_\_\_ we ask.”

## SERMON NOTES, CONTINUED...

“What do you want me to do for you?” he asked.

### Following the Trusted Guide

We trust him to say “\_\_\_\_\_.” if we ask  
inappropriately

The fact that our personality might lead us to ask  
things that don’t line up with God’s bigger  
and better plans shouldn’t stop us from  
bringing as \_\_\_\_\_ of ourselves as  
we are \_\_\_\_\_ to as much of God as  
we \_\_\_\_\_

a “No” answer may well lead us to  
\_\_\_\_\_ transformational work.

Who wrote John 15:7

And 1 John 5:14,15?

Following with as \_\_\_\_\_ of ourselves as  
we are able. Romans 12:1,2

When we ask we need to believe, even if it means  
getting our feet \_\_\_\_\_ before we see the  
movement of God.

The foundational truth is that God is  
\_\_\_\_\_, and we should  
\_\_\_\_\_ him.

So what do we do with this?

What is the “whatever we ask” that is in your  
heart and mind right now? (Intentionally  
aware)

Is that in line with the revealed will of God (the  
Scriptures)? (for example - you don’t need  
to pray about whether it is God’s will for  
you to provide for your family)

If it is not what your neighbor, brother, sister,  
parent child would be asking that is ok – it is  
your personality in action

If the answer is “no” what deeper insight does it  
bring into your own impulses that need to be  
under control?

### NEXT SUNDAY - ANNUAL CAMP SUNDAY

We invite you to join us next Sunday morning at Portage Lake Covenant Bible Camp for Sunday worship at 10:30am followed by a meal served in the camp dining hall. How can you help? Please take a moment to look over the CAMP SUNDAY sign-up located in the church lobby and determine what food choice you would like to bring. **Please note that there will be no services at the church this day.**

### CHURCH BUS FOR CAMP SUNDAY

If you would like a ride to attend FCC's annual Camp Sunday on June 2<sup>nd</sup> at Portage Lake, please call Kate or Carolyn in the office to reserve your seat(s) on the church bus: 231.723.7173.

### YOUTH GROUP FOR REMAINDER OF SCHOOL YEAR

No YG this week. Last YG of the school year will be June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 6:30pm at 1st Street Beach. Beach volleyball tourney, nachos galore, and a bonfire!

### YOUTH GROUP MISSION TRIP: CAMP BARNABAS

Camp Barnabas is a 100% special needs camp in Missouri. We get to serve these campers on-on-one as missionaries for a week, July 26<sup>th</sup> - August 4<sup>th</sup>! For more information, contact Pastor KJ: 231.907.3044.

### SUMMER SCHEDULE FOR THE TEAM

Kids going into grades 5, 6, & 7 - Meet from 9:00-11:00am on Wednesdays at the church for BB and B (Breakfast Bibles and Buddies)! Our first meeting will be June 10<sup>th</sup> followed by fun outings in Frankfort! We will be back at the church by 5:00pm.

### SUMMERTIME SISTERS

Ladies - It's almost time for Summertime Sisters...informal gatherings open to all women of the church and their friends! We meet at 7:00pm on the 2nd & 4th Mondays of June, July, & August. Our first gathering will be at Shellee Seymour's home and Judy Kuiper will lead the group discussion. Copies of the full schedule are available on the Welcome Center. For more information, contact Carole Lindberg: 231.398.0958 or 231.510.7113.

### FAITH FAMILY FASHIONS

We are in need of bathing suits in girls, teens, & ladies sizes. Ladies PJs are also needed. Thank you so much for all the support!

### YOUNG LIFE MANISTEE

Young Life would work in partnership with the Armory Youth Project and the local church to reach unchurched kids. Our goal is that EVERY KID would get the opportunity to hear the Gospel of Jesus and they would have opportunities to respond to it and grow in their faith. To start Manistee Young Life, we need financial resources, committee members, and adult & high school student leaders. More information is available on the Welcome Center or you can contact Bill Kuiper, Committee Chair: wjk.kuiper@gmail.com or 616.862.8441.

### THIS WEEK'S MINISTRIES CALENDAR

#### SUNDAY, May 26

7:30am: Praise Band Rehearsal  
10:00am: Fellowship & Coffee Time  
10:30am: Worship Service

#### MONDAY, May 27 - Memorial Day

No ministries scheduled. The office is closed today.

#### TUESDAY, May 28

No ministries scheduled.

#### WEDNESDAY, May 29

9:00am: Men's Breakfast at the Bungalow Inn  
1:00pm: Staff Meeting (Library)  
3:00pm: The Team (MP Room)  
5:30pm: Youth Ensemble Rehearsal (Choir Room)  
6:30pm: Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

#### THURSDAY, May 30

No ministries scheduled.  
12:00pm: Faith Matters Weekly Deadline

#### FRIDAY, May 31

No ministries scheduled.

#### SATURDAY, June 1

9:30am: Men's Bible Study at Riemer Eye Center

#### SUNDAY, June 2 - Camp Sunday

10:30am: Worship Service

#### Upcoming Calendar Items:

06.20.19: ECC 2019 Annual Meeting  
07.18.19: ECC Triennial

### SUNDAY MORNINGS SUMMER SCHEDULE MAY 26<sup>th</sup> - SEPTEMBER 2<sup>nd</sup>

10:00am: Fellowship & Coffee Time  
10:30am: Worship Service

### SUMMER OFFICE HOURS JUNE 1<sup>st</sup> - August 31<sup>st</sup>

Mondays - Thursdays: 8:00am - 5:00pm  
(Closed for lunch from 12:00 - 1:00pm)

### *Keep in Your Prayers:*

Benny Croissant	Jennifer Reid
Paula Frost	Carol Sullivan
Stan Hagemeyer	Sue Wagner
Doug Hanna	Roy & Marlene Walters
Yolanda Harrison	Garrett Wirth
Hank & Edie Minster	Jeanne Youngberg
Milt Mosier	Sheryl Zimmerman
Tom Richert	Carol Zink



*He's got the whole world in His hands!*

## June Celebrations

### ***Birthdays***

01 Kathy B. Smith	15 Caius Johns	20 Shelli Golembiewski
04 Sarah Solberg	15 Irene Olson	21 Edward Postma
05 Keith McKenney	15 Emily Rankin	23 Julia Dye
08 Sonja Broadbent	17 Rod Gamache	24 Colleen Granada
08 Herb Lenon	18 Karen Schneider	24 Marv Malmberg
09 Ryan Johns	19 Tiffany Elo	29 Craig Smith
12 Debbie Baldwin	19 Declan McCann	29 Alyssa Tameling
13 Pete Ramon	19 DJ Williams	30 David Solberg

### ***Anniversaries***

10 Steve & Sue Fry
15 Bob & June Ribbe
17 Jim & Janet Hubbard
18 Russ & Kate Poirier
19 Doug & Julee Malm
20 Darryl & Kathy Ernst
22 Steve & Linda Rogers
23 Jim Hanson & Pat Lynett
25 Mike & Sheryl Zimmerman
30 John & Karen Schneider



### **DID YOU KNOW...?**

FCC's phone system installed 2 years ago is a VoIP System (Voice over Internet Protocol) which means the service operates over our Internet connection, not traditional phone company "land lines." We are aware that some people would like to hear a live person answer the phone, but that capability is not available on this system. You can bypass the "virtual operator" by calling the staff person directly:

Pastor Herb Frost	231.655.9819
Pastor Paula Frost	231.655.9818
Pastor Kris Johns	231.907.3044
Kate Poirier	231.735.7304
Carolyn Zink	231.735.7305

### **HORSE SENSE!**

Come see a living picture of God's truths as Pastor Erick Graham teaches an unbroken horse to accept a saddle and rider! Saturday, June 8th, 1:00pm at Birdsong Ranch, 748 Fox Farm Road, Manistee (follow the signs). Free Dial-a-Ride bus provided by First Baptist Church; call for a ride: 231.723.6525. Free food, fun, & music!

### **SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS**

Sunday	Ushers	Greeters	Nursery	Scriptures	Coffee Host	Stewards	Audio	Video
<b>May 26</b>	Ruth Minster Kevin Hildebrand	Bev Johnston	Annie Johns Pam Rankin	Rachel Nelson	Pat Krolczyk	Denis Johnson James Barker Mike Munsell		Esther Poirier
<b>June 2</b>		<i>Camp Sunday at Portage Lake Bible Camp</i>				Mike Munsell Barry Peterson		

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