#### Information Slip

Please take a moment and fill out this information slip. If you are a guest, WELCOME!
Today's date
Mr/Mrs/Ms (Please circle those that apply.
Name
Address
City
State Zip
Phone
Email
Age Group: Jr High Sr High
20's 30's 40's
50's 60's over 70
Children: (Name/Age)
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How did you hear about us?
Please check any that apply.
Regular attendee
First time visitor
Visiting family and/or friends
New to the area
Looking for a church home
Vacationing in area
Home Church:

Please be sure the other side of this slip is filled out. Then tear it off and place it in the offering plate. Thank you.

## Weekly Financial Statement

Offering for January 14	4,980
Weekly needs	3,530
Budget to date	7,088
Giving to date	7,400
Community Needs Fund: January	76
Thank you for supporting God's	work
at Faith Community Church	ι!

# Offering Box

There is an offering box attached to the wall in the lobby for your convenience. It is located across from the literature rack.

#### Statement of Faith

Here is one of the ten Articles of Faith as stated in our church constitution:

Article 4. We believe that Jesus Christ is God incarnate, fully God and fully man, one Person in two natures. Jesus — Israel's promised Messiah — was conceived through the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He lived a sinless life, was crucified under Pontius Pilate, arose bodily from the dead, ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father as our High Priest and Advocate.

### **Photos**

We invite you to submit a photo of yourself and/or your family (with names on the back) to include on our Church Family Photo Wall. Send an email to Alisa Oswald at rickalisa@mchsi.com, or make an appointment with her to have your photo taken here at the church (608) 732-1982.

# Church Library

Our church library is located at the west end of the building across from the sanctuary. Donations of Christian books, movies, and music are welcome.

# Scrip Cards

If you purchase Kwik Trip gas cards from our church, 5-10% of your purchase price comes back as a donation to the church at no cost to you. Sign up at the small table in the lobby near the door.

### Praise & Prayer Updates

#### Praise God!

- \* He forgives and redeems us.
- ♣ He empowers us to obey Him.

#### Please pray for:

- Dorothea Horsfall, Eleanor Smith, Karen Redman
- \* the Pastoral Search Team.
- our Pastor, Elders, Trustees & families.
- our nation and its leaders.

# PRAY for our PERSECUTED church family throughout the world

What are the drivers of persecution?

Open Doors' World Watch List distinguishes them into two major types: government (officials at any level from local to national) and society.

Society's drivers have been categorized as follows:

- Ethnic group leaders
- Non-Christian religious leaders at any level from local to national
- Religious leaders of other churches at any level from local to national
- · Fanatical movements
- Normal citizens (people from the broader society), including mobs
- Extended family
- Political parties at any level from local to national
- Revolutionaries or paramilitary groups
- Organized crime cartels or networks
- Multilateral organizations

(Read more at <a href="https://www.opendoorsusa.org">www.opendoorsusa.org</a>)

#### Need a Bible?

It would be our privilege to provide a free Bible for you. Just ask an usher for one or pick one up at the Information Center.



# Faith Community Church (an Evangelical Free Church) A place to call home

Sunday, January 21, 2018

<u>Child Care</u> is available during the entire service for infant through pre-K.

<u>Children's Church</u> is held during the message for those 4 years old through 4th grade.

#### Celebration Service

- Opening Song, Welcome, and Prayer
- Announcements and Offering\*
- Ministry Highlight: Women
- ~ Jennifer Melgosa
- Sanctity of Human Life Sunday Recognition
- Praise and Worship
- Message: "Resisting God's Call" (Jonah 1:1-3)

~ Pastor Kevin Dick

- Closing prayer and song
- \* Offering: For those who would like to give to the ministries of Faith Community Church, there will be an opportunity during the morning service.

  If you are a quest, please feel under no obligation to give.

#### Today's Schedule

Celebration Service

10:15 a.m. 12:00 p.m.

Guatemala Fund Raiser Meal

Please silence your cell phone. Thank you.

Pastor Kevin Dick: 608-379-0153; kvndick@gmail.com 1110 E. Cass Street, Prairie du Chien, WI 53821 Church Office: 608-326-6959

Elders: George Schneider, John Goree

Wireless internet guest password under F Guest: faithinhim

Email: fefcstaff@fefconline.org Website: www.faithchurchpdc.org

"The blessing of the Lord be upon you; we bless you in the name of the Lord."

## Good Morning!

Welcome to Faith Community Church.
We are pleased that you are able to join us this Sunday morning. Our prayer is that you will be encouraged and challenged from the teaching of God's Word as well as the other elements of the service. Please take a moment to fill out the Information Slip and place it in the offering plate when it is passed during the service. If you are a guest, we extend you a special welcome.

### Volunteers this Week

Greeters: Bob & Sharon Meier

Ushers: Todd Elfstrom

John Goree Alan Olson

Cody Saylor

Nursery: Amy Olson Peggy Dick

Projector: Carrie Lessard

Trustee duties: Bob Meier

Before next Sunday:

Church Cleaning, Part 1: Slotman
Church Cleaning, Part 2: Mathre\*

Fellowship Time next Sunday:

Howard & Diane Slotman

Nursery next Sunday: Sue Mathre

Sarah Aspenson

Secretary's hours: Tue 9-12; Fri 1-4



There is a way that seems right to a man, but its end is the way of death.



# **Today**

- Sanctity of Human Life Sunday
- · Newsletter & Calendar Deadline
- Please join us for the Guatemala Missions Trip Fund Raiser Meal in the gym after the service.

# Monday

8:15 Fresh Start Fitness class6:30 Prayer Time

# **Tuesday**

6:45 Peacemaking study until 8:00

# Wednesday

Bulletin Deadline Family Night

5:45 Meal served (\$1 for children 12 and younger; \$2 for all others)

6:15 One Way Club, Bridge, and Youth classes (until 8:00)

# **Thursday**

8:15 Fresh Start Fitness class

# Next Sunday



ANNUAL MEETING followed by potluck lunch

# 2017 Annual Reports Available

You may wish to pick up a copy of our 2017 Annual Report before leaving church today. Please take only one report per family. Thanks.

# Looking Ahead

#### <u>January</u>

Fresh Start Fitness 8:15 a.m.
 Prayer Time 6:30
 Peacemakers 6:45
 Family Night 5:45
 Fresh Start Fitness 8:15 a.m.
 Annual Meeting followed by potluck lunch

### Prayer Chain Info

Prayer requests that you would like this congregation to bring to the Lord can be made passed along two ways. You may either email your prayer request to <a href="mailto:prayerfefc@gmail.com">prayerfefc@gmail.com</a> or call Paula at 608-994-2478.

# Elder Board Recommendations

The Elder Board has interviewed and provided instruction for the following people for the purpose of becoming members of our church. The congregation will be asked to approve these applicants at the Annual Meeting next Sunday, January 28:

Brandon Aspenson, Sarah Aspenson, Todd Elfstrom, Mickey Irish, Nick Johnson, Rick Knight, and Laura Moerer.

#### CDs Available

Sunday's messages are recorded on CDs. If you would like one, please talk with the person in the sound room. Sermons can also be heard on our website.

#### Christian Radio Stations

88.1 FM, 89.5 FM, 98.9 FM, 101.9 FM online: www.moodyradio.org

The devil knows your name but calls you by your sin.
God knows your sin but calls you by your name.

~ Ricardo Sanchez



23 Alyssa Collins 27 Sharon Meier

### Mission Statement

Connect, Grow, Serve

The mission of our church is to glorify Christ, proclaim the Gospel, reach the lost, and train and instruct Christians in the faith for service and daily living.

#### Attention, Ladies!

The following events are NOT part of Women's Ministries here at church, but you are encouraged to attend if you wish:

- Mother Daughter Retreat, February 9-11 (brochures available at the Information Center)
- Women's Day Seminar, Saturday, February 24, at Community EF Church in Platteville, WI http://cefcplatteville.org/ministries/ women

# Living Waters Bible Camp

Snow Days, January 21 and February 11

Sugar Bush Day, March 25. These are events for individuals or families. Each day is \$7 per person with a meal included. See more details on the bulletin board poster in the church lobby. LWBC is located in Westby, Wisconsin.

# Newsboys Concert

If you would be interested in attending this concert on Saturday, March 10, at Five Flags in Dubuque, please see Sue Mathre or Sandy Goree for more information. A sign up sheet is available at the Information Center. The cost is \$28 per ticket. The concert is from 6-9 p.m.

1/ We would like
a personal call or visit.
information on baptism.
information on membership.
information on the beliefs and teachings of this church.
to know more about becoming a Christian.
to know how I can be more involved at this church.
information on children's ministries.
information on student ministries.
to be on the church mailing list.
to be on the church email list. Email:
Please send me the church newsletter via (circle one) email or regular mail.
I would like to sign up for
Prayer Needs/Comments/Suggestions

Please check areas that apply.

Note: Thank you for entrusting us with your prayer needs. Please indicate if they are confidential and/or should NOT be put on the church Prayer Chain.

	Yes, they are confidential.
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No, you have my permission to put them on the Prayer Chain.

Please be sure the other side of this slip is filled out. Thank you.