

THIS WEEK AT FAITH

SUNDAY

8:00AM
9:15AM
9:15AM
10:45AM
11:00AM
6:00PM

CONNECTION CLASSES
CONNECTION CLASSES
MORNING WORSHIP
CONNECTION CLASSES
MORNING WORSHIP
EVENING WORSHIP

MONDAY

1:30PM
6:00PM
7:15PM

BEGINNERS & ADVANCED KARE KARATE - 220
BEGINNERS KARE KARATE - 220
ADVANCED KARE KARATE - 220

TUESDAY

7:00AM
10:00AM
2:00PM
6:00PM

WOMEN'S PRAYER MEETING - PRAYER ROOM
WOMEN ON MISSION - NO MEETING
BEGINNERS & ADVANCED KARATE - 220
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WEDNESDAY

5:00PM

THE GATHERING

THURSDAY

9:00AM
6:00PM
7:15PM

SENIOR FUN DAY (55+) - ROOM 122
BEGINNER KARE KARATE - 220
ADVANCED KARE KARATE - 220

FRIDAY

5:45AM
10:00AM

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST
FRIDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

SATURDAY

10:00AM

BEGINNER & ADVANCED KARE KARATE - 220

PRAY FOR THE NATIONS: ATTA BERBER IN MOROCCO



COUNTRY: MOROCCO
POPULATION: 158,000
LANGUAGE: TAMAZIGHT
MAIN RELIGION: ISLAM
STATUS: UNREACHED
CHRISTIAN ADHERENTS: 0.02%

WATCH SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES ONLINE

Go to faithbartlett.org and click on Media to watch our Sunday Worship Services or archived services.

CDS \$3 • DVDS \$5

To order CDs/DVDs call 901-386-4785. Orders may be picked up in the Church Office.

BUILDING & GROUNDS

Adam Poole
CAMPUS WATCH
Monty Gordon / Abe Solis

FAITH FAMILY MATTERS

A LOOK BACK AT DECEMBER 28, 2025

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE
915

Giving totals not available due to the Christmas holiday.

Go to faithbartlett.org to give online or scan the QR Code. Offering Envelopes are available at the Welcome Desk in the Grand Lobby & the Church Office.



FLOWERS OF THE DAY

If you would like to provide flowers for the Sanctuary or contribute toward the purchase of Gideon Bibles in honor or memory of a loved one or friend, please contact Casey Porter in the Church Office by the end of the day on Tuesdays at 531-6802 or caseyp@myfaithbaptist.org.

DEACON SPOTLIGHT

Darrell Felsburg and his wife, Tammy, have been members of Faith for 18 years. They have three kids: Matthew (Tiffany), Lynsey, and Andrew. Darrell is a Senior Aircraft Mechanic at FedEx. Tammy is a Special Education Paraprofessional with Collierville City Schools. Darrell serves on the Hospital Team with Faith's Deacons. Darrell and Tammy are Ordinance Committee Co-chairs and are members of the Caccamisi Connection Class.

SYMPATHY EXTENDED TO

Vicki Greer, Sonya (Mark) Connell, Jason (Holly) Greer, Jodie Connell, JenaBeth (Eric) Nelson and Jamie (Gary) Williams in the loss of their mother and grandmother, Mary Jane Lyons.

MISSION STATEMENT

"The Mission of Faith Baptist Church is to glorify God through passionate worship, personal evangelism, purposeful discipleship, practical ministry and participation in missions."

VISION STATEMENT

"Our Vision is to first love God supremely and love others sacrificially. Then, in fulfilling the Great Commission, we are committed to sharing the Gospel, starting new churches and ministries, strengthening existing churches and sending workers into the fields."

DR. LEE BRAND
Senior Pastor

TERRY EASLEY
Pastor
Worship

JAY LEMONDS
Pastor
Missions & Mobilization

HUNTER FERGUSON
Pastor
Families

WADE BUSH
Pastor
Discipleship Groups

VICKI PURIFOY
Director
Early Childhood Ministry

RICHARD MURLEY
Director
Communications & Media

WARREN KNABB
Director
Operations
Senior Adults

ANGIE LUCE
Director
First Impressions
Women's Ministry

BRYAN LINDLEY
Executive Director
Church Business

SO CHHIM
Director
Recreation

TOMMY THOMPSON
Director
Security & Safety

DR. JOHN BABLER
Director
Biblical Counseling

CHRIS TRICE
Minister
Young Adults
Biblical Counseling

IKSAN LASMANTO
Minister
Discipleship

MICHAEL CASSIE
Coordinator
Urban Ministries

KONNIE EASLEY
Coordinator
Music

CHERYL JEREB
Coordinator
Missions

WILL WHITE
Coordinator
Men's Ministry

AUSTIN REYNOLDS
Coordinator
Students

PAIGE RAINS
Coordinator
Kids Ministry

HEATHER LOADHOLT
Coordinator
Preschool Ministry

HOLLY GREER
Coordinator
Mother's Day Out

LAURA EPTING
Coordinator
Nursery

JANUARY 4 • 2026



WHERE FRIENDS BECOME FAMILY

THE GOSPEL
CLOSER TO CHRIST
OF JOHN

"LISTENING IN ON THE LORD'S PRAYER"

JOHN 17:1-6

The Gathering - January 7 - 5:00-7:00pm

the
Gathering
ALL AGES, ALL TOGETHER

The Gathering is a night where we want All Ages, All Together! We would love to see every generation, family, and ministry together in the Gym as we enjoy a meal together provided by the church, worship together, and hear a message from Pastor Lee! If you are planning to bring a dessert to share with everyone, sign up on the events page on our website. As a reminder, there will be no other activities this night, and there will be no childcare, we want everyone (even the babies!) in the Gym together for this night!

Ember 2026

Ember 2026 registration is live! This is an overnight, discipleship focused weekend filled with worship sessions, great teaching, small group times, and fun activities. The dates are February 13-15. Sign up on our website under the student tab and email students@myfaithbaptist.org if you have any questions!

Volunteers Needed

Here are some of the areas we need extra hands: Co-leading a small group, hosting a group overnight in your home (10-12 people), serving food, tear down + clean up, photographer/videographer. If you are interested in serving please contact students@myfaithbaptist.org!



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FROM OUR PASTOR'S HEART

Dear Faith Family,

As we embark upon 2026, I am sure that many of you have made commitments about how you will use this new year. You have set goals and have hopes of accomplishing so many wonderful things that you may have failed to do last year. I felt compelled to begin my letters for this year reminding you of the importance of resting in the Lord and waiting on Him.

While it is good to work hard and steward our time and resources well, it is equally important not to fall into the trap of personal performance or thinking that our activity is somehow causing God to love us more. Child of God! You are fully known and fully loved by the Lord. So, don't try to work for His love when you already have it. I encourage you to rest in Him and His love. In Psalm 62:1, the writer declared, "Truly my soul silently waits for God; from Him comes my salvation."

The writer expressed a wonderful truth here. It is a truth that gives peace to the soul. Our salvation comes from the Lord. The eternal salvation of our souls comes from Him, and our deliverance from physical dangers and troubles comes from the Lord. For that reason, our souls can wait silently for God. Some translators take that phrase silently waits and render it as rest.

Ask yourself is your soul resting in God. Are you waiting silently for Him? This soul rest comes from knowing that the Lord God will take care of you. He will provide for you, and He will protect you as you walk with Him. He will bring about your deliverance and your soul salvation. You have nothing to fear. The Lord of heaven and earth is working in your life. Wait silently for Him! Trusting in Him! Resting in Him is a refreshing aspect of this journey of GROWING IN FAITH!

In Christ,

Pastor Lee

Administrative Assistant Needed

Faith Baptist Church is seeking administrative help on a full time, part time, and interim basis. If interested, please email your resume to pastorsoffice@myfaithbaptist.org. Please indicate whether you're interested in interim, part time or full time. Thank you!

MyFaith Podcast - Now Available on Apple!

This week on the My Faith podcast we are joined by Bryan, Sarah, and Micah Lindley. Listen as we discuss how to approach media and screen time with a Biblical perspective.

Faith Journey Class

Our upcoming Faith Journey Class will be on Sunday, February 8, from 9:15am to 12:15pm. This class is for those interested in becoming members of Faith. It is an integral part of our membership process in which you'll learn who we are, what we believe, and how we minister. Please use the QR Code or visit our website to register. Please contact our Discipleship Office for more information.



MISSIONS MINISTRY

Mission Trip Interest Meeting - January 11 at 4:00pm in Room 213/214

We have planned five short-term mission trips for 2026. If you are interested in joining one of the teams, please come to the meeting to learn more about them.

MEN'S MINISTRY

Wednesday Night Bible Study

January 21, kicks off BetterMan Defined 3, A Real Man Excels at God's Work, Lower Fellowship Hall. Books are \$10 at the door.

Mark your calendar and set a reminder for January 9, 2026, the Men's Prayer Breakfast will kick off the 26th year of fellowship, food, and a new message series.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Indwell: Women's Weekend 2026 - February 27-28

Register today for the Women's Weekend 2026 entitled Indwell: the Person, Presence, and Power of the Holy Spirit will be February 27-28. Use coupon code EARLYINDWELL in the month of December to register for just \$30! The price goes up to \$40 in January. Visit faithbartlett.org to sign up!

NEXTGEN MINISTRY

Phoenix Mission Trip - March 16-20, 2026

High schoolers our spring break mission trip sign ups are live! We will be going to Phoenix, Arizona March 16-20, 2026! This trip is open to older highschoolers (ages 16+) who are followers of Jesus, have a heart for missions, and are already serving or involved in the local church. We'll be partnering with King's Church, one of our Faith on Mission partners. This is a great opportunity for students to experience national missions! Go to our website's mission page to register!

RECREATION MINISTRY

Spring Sports

Coming soon! Coaches for soccer and baseball are needed! Contact So Chhim if interested!

Buckhead Pavilion Rentals

Rentals are now open for Faith Members. Contact So Chhim if you're interested in renting a pavilion or field for your event!

DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRY

Community Group Leaders Luncheon - Sunday, January 11 at 12:15pm

Community group leaders, please join us in the Lower Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP to confirm your attendance and childcare arrangements. For more information, please contact our Discipleship Office.

GriefShare - Starts January 25, 2026

Need help dealing with grief and loss? Faith will host a support group that meets on Sundays at 4 PM from January 25 through April 26, 2026. To register, please go to find.griefshare.org/groups/284488. For more information, please contact Cathy Peace at 901-734-3821 or croberts13@aol.com.

Family Kick-Off - Wednesday, January 14, & Sunday, January 18

We'd love for you to be a part of our Family Ministry Kick Off with Brian Housman.

Brian is a speaker and author, focusing on faithful parenting in a tech-driven world. He will share lessons about spiritual legacy and practical wisdom for navigating the ever-evolving door of technology, social media, and screen time.

This event is free except a \$5 per person charge for the meal (\$25 max per family). RSVP for childcare and the meal on Sunday evening when you register. Reach out to Pastor Hunter or anyone from our NextGen ministries for more information.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 4, 2026

Please Print

(Circle one) Mr. Mrs. Miss Ms.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Date of Birth _____

Are you a member of a church? _____

Church _____

I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT:

☐ A personal relationship with Jesus

☐ Baptism

☐ How to join this church

PLEASE PRAY FOR ME CONCERNING:

☐ Request for Ministry Staff only

☐ Request for Wed. Night Prayer Meeting

WEDNESDAY MEAL

JANUARY 7

Join us at The Gathering from 5:00-7:00pm for a meal together provided by the church, worship together, and hear a message from Pastor Lee!