

# The Lord's Day      January 14, 2024

*But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.  
To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen. 2 Peter 3:18*

## Welcome to the Gathering of Faith Baptist Church

### Welcome

### Call to Worship

Darin Schriever

### Prayer

### What We Believe

About Man (Part 2)

### Songs

The Lord's Prayer (It's Yours)  
My Worth Is Not in What I Own (At the Cross)  
Build My Life

### Message

The Mystery of Godliness  
1 Timothy 3:14-4:10

### Prayer of Repentance and Faith

### Responding Song

#690 He Leadeth Me

### Call to Witness

### Doxology

*Rather train yourself for godliness; for while bodily training is of some value,  
godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life  
and also for the life to come. 1 Timothy 4:7b-8*

- The nursery is located upstairs by the women's restroom and is provided for children 2 years old and under.
- Faith Kids (children's church) is available for all children ages 3-PreK during the sermon. Participating children will be dismissed prior to the sermon.
- The Library is available with a livestream of the service, for parents of small children who would like to use it.

### Today (January 14)

- Prayer Time – 8:45am
- Worship Service – 9:30am
- Fellowship Time – 10:45am
- Systematic Theology – 5:00pm
- Annual Business Meeting – 7:00pm

### This Week (January 15-20)

- Study & Prayer – Jan 15, 1:30pm
- AWANA/FRED Jr – Jan 17, 6:30pm
- TV Service – January 17, 7:00pm  
(Local cable channel 12)
- FRED Sr – January 17, 8:00pm

### Next Week (January 21-27)

- Prayer Time – January 21, 8:45am
- Worship Service – Jan 21, 9:30am
- Fellowship Time – Jan 21, 10:45am
- Systematic Theol – Jan 21, 4:00pm
- Study & Prayer – Jan 22, 1:30pm
- AWANA/FRED Jr – Jan 24, 6:30pm
- FRED Sr – January 24, 8:00pm

### Happy Birthday

- Marcus Kock – January 16

### Nursery

- Tana & Morgan Meyer – January 14
- Courtney Poppinga & Mary Schriever – January 21

### Refreshments

- Rachael & Maggie McCarthy – January 14
- Nadia & Elsa Kurrle – January 21

### Faith Kids

- Brian Osterday & Eva Kock – January 14
- Rebecca Plueger & Anna Schrick – January 21

**Systematic Theology:** Join us this evening, 5:00-6:30 p.m. We will cover Chapters 28-30 and discuss these questions: What was Christ's resurrection body like? What is its significance for us? What happened to Christ when he ascended into heaven? What is meant by the states (humiliation and exaltation) of Jesus Christ? How is Christ prophet, priest, and king? What are the distinctive activities of the Holy Spirit throughout the history of the Bible? Next week, January 21, we will meet 4:00-5:30.

**Annual Business Meeting:** Our annual business meeting is tonight, 7:00 p.m. Agenda: 2024 Ballot of Officers, 2024 Budget, Audit Committee Report, continued discussion on our facility and ministry. All are welcome to attend and participate; only members can vote.

**What We Believe:** About Man (Part 2)  
...In the beginning man was innocent of sin and was endowed by his Creator with freedom of choice (Gen 2:15-17). By his free choice man sinned against God and brought sin into the human race (Gen 3:6-7; Jer 17:5). Through the temptation of Satan man transgressed the command of God, and fell from his original innocence whereby his descendants inherit a nature and an environment wholly inclined toward sin (Gen 3:1-5, 7, 14-19; Ps 51:5; Is 6:5; Rom 1:19-32; 3:10-18, 23; 5:12; 1 Cor 15:21-22).