

THANKS FOR VISITING OUR CHURCH

We're glad you're here! Please fill out a Faith Card, found in the chair back, so we can connect with you. First time guests may also pick up a free gift and a Quick-Start Guide from our Welcome Center in the foyer.

Faith Baptist is ONE church in TWO locations. You are encouraged to participate in any of the events or activities listed for either location. Please make note of the locations below:

Faith West (8545 W. 26th Street) ← *You are here!*

Faith South (601 W. 57th Street) ← *Our church office and mailing address*

UPCOMING EVENTS AT FAITH

SUNDAY 8:15-8:45 AM 9:00 AM	NOVEMBER 28 Pre-service Prayer (Room 107) Worship ServicePastor Jayson Wittrup
MONDAY 7:00-8:30 PM	NOVEMBER 29 Men's Bible Study (Room 107)
WEDNESDAY 5:45 PM 6:30-7:45 PM 6:30-8:00 PM 6:30-7:45 PM	DECEMBER 1 Family Meal: pasta & meat sauce (Faith South, Fellowship Hall) The Gospel Project for Kids (Faith South, Upstairs Classrooms) Legacy Youth - HS & MS (Faith South, Worship Center) Adult Bible Study (Faith South, Room 225)
THURSDAY 9:00-10:30 AM	DECEMBER 2 Women's Bible Reading Group (Room 104)
FRIDAY 9:00-11:00 AM	DECEMBER 3 MOPS: Mothers of Preschoolers (Faith South, Fellowship Hall)
SATURDAY 2:00 PM	DECEMBER 4 PrimeTime's Nora Store Private Party (must be signed up)
SUNDAY 8:15-8:45 AM 9:00 AM 10:30 AM	DECEMBER 5 Pre-service Prayer (Room 107) Worship ServicePastor Jayson Wittrup <i>Lord's Supper & Share Offering</i> Faith Explored Class #1 (Room 104)

DECEMBER YOUTH EVENTS

- Dec 5: Winter Blast registrations due (use QR code to sign up →)
- Dec 15: Christmas Party (white elephant gift exchange), Faith South
- Dec 29-30: Winter Blast, Swan Lake

Grab a youth calendar near the Welcome Center for more details!



CHURCH OFFICE HOURS & MAIL

Our office is located at Faith South, and our office hours are Monday–Thursday, 9:00 AM–4:00 PM, and Friday, 9:00 AM–noon. Please address mail to our office at 601 W 57th St, Sioux Falls, 57108.

more info and events at faithsf.com/calendar

FAITH WEST NEWS

CARING FOR OUR YOUNG FAMILIES

We are happy to have your kids in the service! Children from 3 years old to kindergarten may attend Children's Worship during the sermon, if you desire. We have volunteers in our nursery to care for children under 3. If you need a place to escape with your child during the service, we have a private family room within our nursery. Room 105 is also set up to accommodate families during the service.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

You are invited to participate on Wednesday nights at Faith South!

- 5:45-6:15 **Family Meal** (all invited)
- 6:30-7:45 **The Gospel Project for Kids** (preschool through 5th grade)
- 6:30-8:00 **Legacy Youth** (High School & Middle School)
- 6:30-7:45 **Adult Bible Study**

WOMEN'S BIBLE READING GROUP

Janelle Sneller leads a Bible reading group for women on the book of Acts. They meet weekly on Thursday mornings in Room 104, from 9:00-10:30 AM. Childcare is provided. Please drop in anytime!

PRIMETIME NEW YEAR'S NACHOS

PrimeTime is a ministry for any person who has reached the prime age of 55+. PrimeTime will host a **New Year's Nachos Celebration** on January 2, at 12:15 PM at the Faith South Fellowship Hall. Get your baby pictures ready for a "Name the Baby" contest! Cost: \$10. Write "NACHOS" on your Faith card to sign up.

ONLINE DONOR MATCH

From November 1 through December 31, all new recurring online gifts will be matched by FellowshipOne Giving. Now is a *great* time to set up an online recurring gift at faithsf.com/give. Thank you!

CHRISTMAS GOODIES & FUN!

Enjoy some special Christmas treats this morning, and then head down the hallway to pick up your free family ornament. While you're there, snap a photo in front of our Christmas backdrop! **Our Christmas Eve Service will be Friday, December 24, at 5:30 PM.**

ADVENT DEVOTIONAL

To supplement our Advent teaching series through the book of Ruth, we are also offering a 25-day devotional called *Finding Hope Under Bethlehem Skies* by Robin Ham. "Each day has a short devotion, a suggested prayer and links to a response song. Come along to Bethlehem and discover the hope that shines brightly even on the darkest of nights" (from publisher). You can grab a copy while supplies last in our bookstore for \$5 or whatever you can afford.

FAITH EXPLORED CLASS NEXT WEEK

Want to dig a bit deeper and look at Faith's mission, vision, ministry philosophy, and convictions? Have questions about our church? Although completing Faith Explored is the first step to becoming a member at Faith Baptist, anyone is welcome to participate, even if membership isn't in your plans at this time. Classes will be held over three Sundays, following our worship service, in Room 104:

- **Dec 5: Intro to Faith's Vision & Mission**
- **Dec 12: The Gospel & Faith's 5 Loves**
- **Dec 19: Baptism & Church Membership**

To register, please mark "Attending an introduction to Faith Baptist class" on the back of your Faith Card. Childcare is provided.

PRAYER GUIDE FOR OUR CHURCH

Please commit to praying for our church! Pick up your *Anticipating Change Prayer Guide* this morning near the Welcome Center, or download it at faithsf.com.



Come to Bethlehem and See!

Ruth 1:1-22

"In those days there was no king in Israel. Everyone did what was right in his own eyes." – Judges 21:25

TWO HURTING WOMEN

Both have suffered tragic losses, yet...

- One is driven to _____
- One is driven to _____
- Both are drawn to _____

ONE SOVEREIGN GOD

The story of Ruth is the story of Christmas...

- God _____ his _____ on earth
- God _____ all his _____ home

Welcome to
Worship



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