

The Session of Faith Bible Church welcomes you today to worship the living God. We ask that you spend the time prior to the beginning of the service in silent prayer and reflection so that we can prepare our hearts to worship our Lord with reverence and in awe. Hebrews 12:28, *“Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe.”* We ask that you silence all cell phones and refrain from food and drink until after the benediction. 1 Corinthians 14:40, *“But all things should be done decently and in order.”*

If you have not read the following notices, please do so at this time.

Notices:

- Please sign the attendance book when it is passed.
- If you have any questions about FBC please contact the Pastor or one of the Elders.
- Please give your prayer requests to the Pastor before the service if you wish them to be included in the pastoral prayer.
- If you are not a member of FBC please read **“Should I Take the Lord’s Supper Here?”** on the back side of the prayer requests.
- For the Lord’s Supper, grape juice is in the outer ring and wine is in the inner rings as the elements are passed.

This Week:

- *Today — Fellowship meal following the morning service.
- *The Trustees are working on the 2019 budget. If anyone has suggestions or would like to help them, please contact Ron, Michael, or Terry. The Trustees submit a budget to the Session by the end of the year, the session approves and presents it to the congregation for approval at the annual meeting.

Ahead:

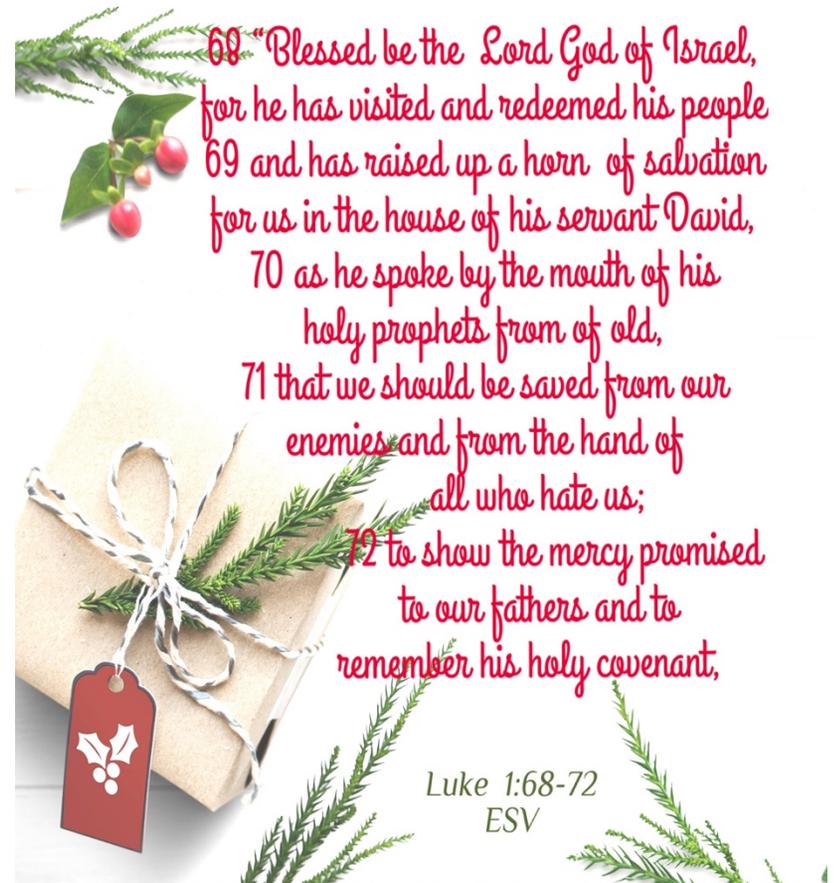
- *Dec. 24 — 6PM, Christmas Eve Service.
- *Jan. 6 — Deacon’s Fund Offering.
- *Jan. 10 – 7PM, Session meeting at the Manse.
- *Jan. 20 – Annual meeting following the morning service.
- *Jan. 20 – Fellowship meal following the annual meeting.
- *Jan. 20 – Updated Church Directories. Let Pastor Todd know if you need to make any changes or updates.

Finances:

Offering Last Week: \$987.45
Weekly Average: \$1,314.72

Attendance Last Week:

Morning Worship: 38
Sunday School: 25
Evening Worship: 11



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The Lord's Day — December 9, 2018

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements

Morning Worship 11:00 AM

Salutation
***Call to Worship** Psalm 8:1-4 pew Bible 450
***Gloria Patri** #734
***Invocation**

Old Testament Reading Genesis 43 pew Bible 36
Prayer of Confession
The Lord's Assurance of Pardon Galatians 2:20, 21 pew Bible 973
Hymn O Little Town of Bethlehem #201/202
New Testament Reading Romans 4 pew Bible 941
Corporate Confession of Faith WCF VI.VI #852
***Hymn** Silent Night #210

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Offering
***Doxology** #731
***Hymn of Preparation** O Come, O Come, Emmanuel #194

***Scripture Text** Luke 1:57-80 pew Bible 856
Prayer for Illumination
Sermon "A Horn of Salvation"
Hymn Away in a Manger #204/205

Gathering at the Lord's Table

***Closing Hymn** Angels We Have Heard on High #214

*Benediction

***Silent Prayer**

*Congregation Standing (as you are able)

Prelude

Evening Worship 6:00 PM

Salutation
***Call to Worship** Psalm 9:11-14 pew Bible 451
***Invocation**
***Opening Hymn:** Thou Who Wast Rich
beyond All Splendor #230

Scripture Reading Galatians 6 pew Bible 975
Hymn O Jesus Sweet, O Jesus Mild #232
Psalter Reading Psalm 107:1-22 #824
Hymn Saw You Never, in the Twilight #228
Pastoral Prayer

Corporate Confession of Faith WCF XXXII.I #867
***Hymn of Preparation:** As with Gladness Men of Old #226
***Scripture Text:** Philippians 1:19-26 pew Bible 966
Prayer for Illumination
Sermon "Seeing Death as Gain"

***Closing Hymn:** Gentle Mary Laid Her Child #229
*Benediction
***Silent Prayer**

*Congregational Standing (as you are able)

Weekly Ministries:

The Lord's Day:

Worship 11 am
Sunday School 1pm
Worship 6 pm

Wednesday:

Prayer Meeting
at the Manse 7 pm

Session:

Ruling Elders:

Terry Boyle
Michael Letso

Pastor:

Rev. Todd E. Smith

Deacon:

Charlie Farrell

Should I take the Lord's Supper here?

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If you are not a member of Faith Bible Church, please consider the three following questions:

Have you received Christ and are you resting upon Him alone as He is offered to you in the Gospel?

Are you a baptized member, in good standing, in a church that professes the gospel of God's free grace in Jesus Christ?

Are you striving to live a repentant life as you seek to walk in godliness before the Lord?

If you answer "yes" to all three of these questions, then you can feel free to partake in the Lord's Supper this morning.

If you answer "no" to any of these questions, we encourage you to not partake in the Lord's Supper today.

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