## THANKS FOR BEING OUR GUEST

We're glad you're here! Please fill out a Faith Card, found in the chair back, so we can connect with you. You may also pick up a free gift and an Informational Pamphlet from our Welcome Center in the foyer.

To serve families with children, a cry room is located in the back of the Worship Center.

## THIS WEEK AT FAITH

SUNDAY	JANUARY 5	
8:30 & 11:00 AM	Worship Services	. Pastor Mike Johnson
	Lord's Supper and Share Offering	
9:55-10:45 AM	Sunday School for all ages	

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6:00-9:00 PM	Elder Council (Conference Room)
6:!5-7:45 PM	Women's Bible Study Fellowship (BSF)

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TUESDAY	JANUARY 7
11:30-1:00 PM	Widow GALS (Fellowship Hall)

WEDNESDAY	JANUARY 8
5:45 PM	Family Meal: Subs, Carrots, Chips, Dessert (Fellowship Hall)
6:30-7:45 PM	The Gospel Project for Kids (Upstairs Classrooms)
6:30-8:00 PM	HS/MS Youth Group (The Loft)
6:30-7:30 PM	Budget Forum <i>(Fellowship Hall)</i>
6:45-7:30 PM	Praying God's Word (Zoom Meeting)

THURSDAY	JANUARY 9
9.25-11.15 AM	Community Rible Study (Worshin Center)

SUNDAY	JANUARY 12
8:30 & 11:00 AM	Worship Services Pastor Mike Johnson
9:55-10:45 AM	Sunday School for all ages

### **UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS**

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Feb. 14-17	Middle & High School Winter Retreat at Camp Judson
March 14-16	High School Ignite Youth Conference (Des Moines, IA)

#### **CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**

- Monday-Thursday. 9:00 AM-4:00 PM
- Friday 9:00-12:00 PM

Please call the office before stopping in 605-331-3800. Thanks!

#### more info and events at FaithSF.com

PRAYER FOCUS

# Thom & Ellen Schotanus Converge/Cameroon

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

#### LORD'S SUPPER & SHARE OFFERING

The elders will pass the elements for the Lord's Supper during our worship service this morning. The pre-packaged elements in the center of the tray are gluten-free. We will also take an exit offering for the **Share Fund**, which will be directed to help support the **Alpha Center**. If you feel led to give, please place those gifts in a designated offering plate as you leave this morning.

#### **FAITH U & SUNDAY SCHOOL**

From 9:55-10:45 each Sunday morning Sunday School for all ages (nursery provided):

- Children (ages 3 yr old 5th grade) meet upstairs by age
- Middle School-Room 210
- · High School -The Loft
- · Adult Faith University:
  - Concise Theology (Room 209)
  - Enriching your Marriage (224)
  - Faith Explored (Room 225)
  - The Book of James (Fellowship Hall)

#### WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

Wednesday Night Activities start again this week on **January 8**, beginning with a family meal at 5:45 PM, then:

- The Gospel Project for Kids (Pre-K through 5th Grade), 6:30-7:45 PM
- Youth Group (HS & MS), 6:30-8 PM
- 2025 Budget Forum, 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. This will be an open time to discuss any questions on the proposed annual budget. Copies of the proposed budget are available at the Information table.
- Is the Bible Reliable (Adults), 6:30-7:45 PM in the Fellowship Hall Pastor Mark will teach this class. *Please note that this class begins January 15*.
- Praying God's Word (Zoom Meeting) 6:45-7:30 PM. All are welcome!

#### 2025 ANNUAL CELEBRATION

Plan to attend our Annual Celebration on **Sunday, January 26, at 4:00 PM**. We will be voting on new members, the proposed Bylaw Revision and the 2025 Annual budget. A church potluck will follow. Details for this event can be found at **FaithSF.com/celebration**.

#### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

- BIBLE STUDY: The Exodus study will meet on Tuesdays at 9:00 AM and Thursdays at 6:30 PM, starting Jan. 14 and 16. The cost is \$10, and childcare will be provided for the morning group.
- WOMEN'S RETREAT spots are filling up fast for March 28-29.

Visit **FaithSF.com/Women** to register for either event.

#### **BAPTISM INTEREST**

Our next baptism service will be Sunday, January 26. If you have placed your faith in Jesus but have not "gone public" by immersion as an act of obedience to Christ, we encourage you to prayerfully consider following Jesus in baptism. If interested, mark this on your Faith Card or sign up at FaithSF.com/Baptism.

#### DOMESTIC MINISTRIES TRIP

There is still room for volunteers to work alongside Casa de la Esperanza on our annual trip to San Luis (February 15-22). If you are interested or have questions, contact JoAnne Tolliver at 605-201-5886.

#### **CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS**

Contribution statements for 2024 can be downloaded from your giving account online. If you want a statement printed, please make a note on your Faith card or contact the church office. Thank you!



WHERE ARE WE TO BUY BREAD



