

### Nursery - 0-2 years

*\*Available for Sunday and Wednesday Services.  
Located in the educational unit near the back entrance.*

### Children's Church & 3-5 year old Class

*\*11:00am service only, Children, 3yrs old -10yrs old  
You can take your children directly to the Jr. Church room at 10:50am.*

*Children's church is right off the fellowship hall, ages 6 - 10 meet here!*

*3-5 year olds will be at the end of the hall next to the nursery.*

*Leaders will not let your children leave the room after service so please go back and get them. Thank you!.*

### Rest Rooms

*Located in the middle of the educational unit.*

### Welcome Center

*Located in the vestibule you will find information about our church and other activities. Pick up a "Welcome Packet" to learn more about our church. You can fill out the "Welcome Card" and place it in the "drop off bin" located at the Center. Thank you!*

**331 Silver Street, Greenfield, MA (413) 774-6438**  
**Pastor Joseph DiDonato**

### Sunday Service

**8:45am & 11:00am**

**Growth Groups for all ages, 10:00am**

### Wednesday

**Service & Bible Study, 6:30pm**

**Kids Club & Teen Gathering, 6:30pm**

believe don't believe tree hugger non-recycler married single divorced gay filthy rich dirt poor liberal conservative just browsing lifetime attender here to impress someone need to lose a few skinny children no children couch potato athletic young old in-between inked pierced down in the dumps happy go lucky vegetarian no meat eater survival artists sings beautifully can't hold a tune just got out of jail do-gooder still addicted in recovery soccer moms single parents have it all together work parents who don't work it works too hard doesn't work at all stay at home mom tea drinkers have all the power too much power sloppy neat self serving faithful unfaithful city person prefer the country money savers money wasters rock solid beliefs still searching dreads crew cut dressed up dressed down fake real loves jesus think he's a fraud lonely connected adventurous cautious on time running late callous sympathetic generous stingy open minded closed minded polite rude proud humble

**IT DOESN'T MATTER  
YOU'RE WELCOME HERE**

### About Our Church

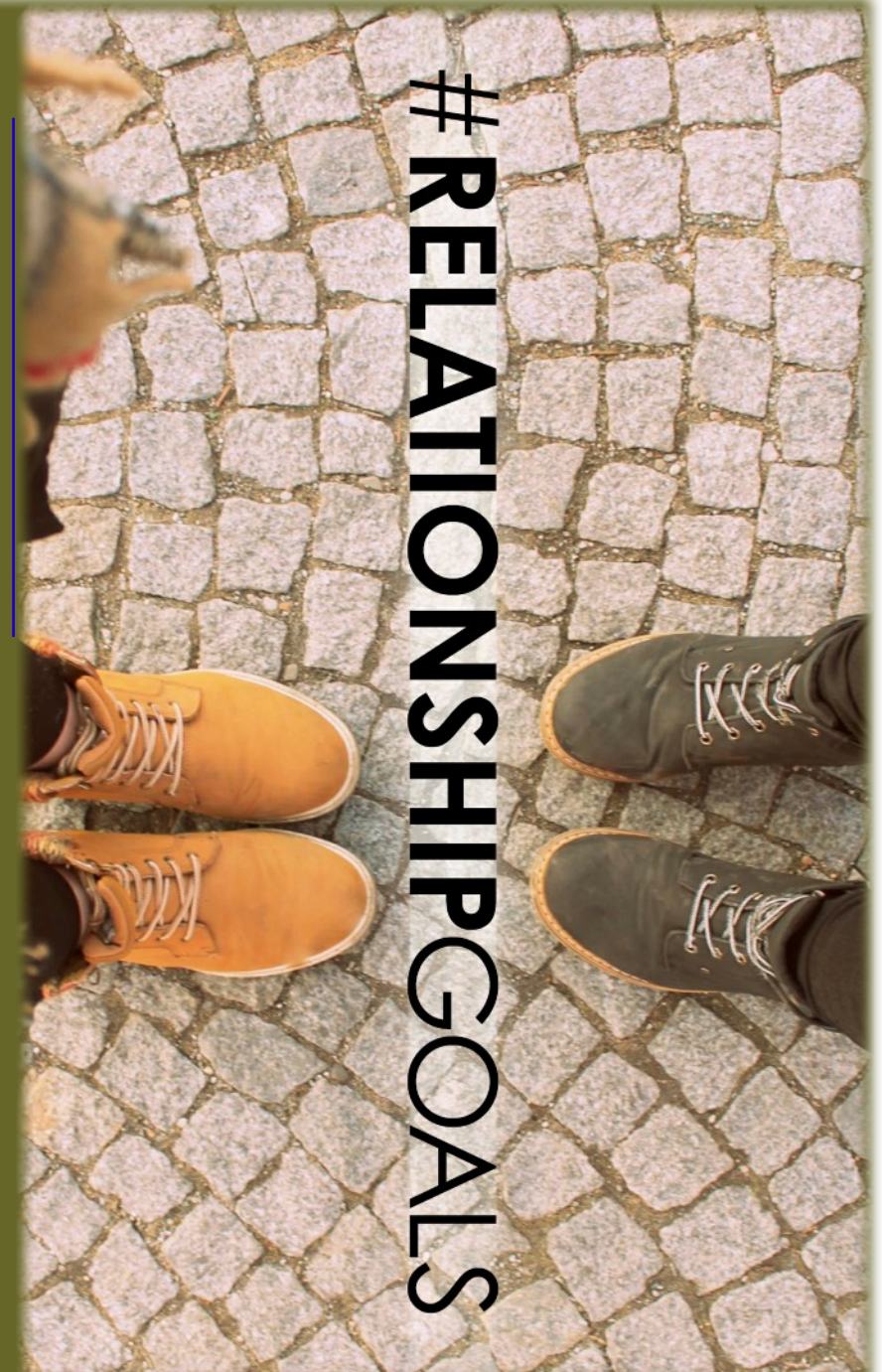
*We are a Jesus church. A church that reads the Bible in a Jesus-centered way. We believe Christianity is about Jesus and not about being Baptist or Catholic. Faith Church is not about religion but about a place for people to come and wrestle, doubt, struggle in their faith by following Jesus Christ. We want to grow our faith in becoming more and more like Jesus (Romans 8:28-29). Our church is more than a building, an organization, a name, or a Sunday. We are a group of people, a family of believers, a population of diverse individuals united by a common relationship with Jesus Christ and who are "discovering faith together."*

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**#RELATIONSHIPGOALS**



**FaithChurch**  
loving God by loving others





### Hebrews 10:24

<sup>24</sup> And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. <sup>25</sup> Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another--and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

### Colossians 4:6

<sup>6</sup> Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone.

### Ephesians 4:29

<sup>29</sup> Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen. **Ephesians 4:29**

### 1 Thessalonians 5:11

<sup>11</sup> Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing.

**TRANSPARENCY:** how much you share  
**AUTHENTICITY:** quality of what you share  
**VULNERABILITY:** the risk of being rejected

### 1 Corinthians 15:10

<sup>10</sup> But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace to me was not without effect. No, I worked harder than all of them--yet not I, but the grace of God that was with me.

**"To encourage is to inspire with courage, spirit or hope."**

Parakaleo: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2 Timothy 4:11

<sup>11</sup> Only Luke is with me. Get Mark and bring him with you, because he is helpful to me in my ministry.

### When do Encouragement?

- \*When we fail or at a dead end.
- \*When life is tough and weary.
- \*When we are discouraged and confused.
- \*When we feel distant in our relationships.

<sup>33</sup> "I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."

**John 16:33**

<sup>9</sup> Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. **Galatians 6:9**

**Ephesians 4:29, 1 Thessalonians 5:11**

### The Science of

- \*Constructive Feedback vs. Positive Feedback
- \*Positive to Negative Ratio (6 to 10)

<sup>4</sup> Or do you show contempt for the riches of his kindness, tolerance and patience, not realizing that God's kindness leads you toward repentance?

**Romans 2:4**

<sup>20</sup> Moreover the law entered that the offense might abound. But where sin abounded, grace abounded much more, **Romans 5:20**

### The Art of

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**Hebrews 10:24-25**

### 1. in a Relationship

**Hebrews 10:24-25, Colossians 4:6**

### 2. in Relationship

**Hebrews 10:24-25, Ephesians 4:29**

### 3. in a Relationship

**Hebrews 10:24-25, Ephesians 4:29**

### 4. in a Relationship

**Hebrews 10:24-25, 1 Thessalonians 5:11**

### 5. in a Relationship

**Hebrews 10:24-25, 2 Corinthians 1:3**

- \* Church is a Place for Encouragement
- \* God is an Encourager

# LIFE IS BETTER TOGETHER

## GROWTH GROUPS

**Summer session Today at 10:00am**

# Community Meal

The next meal is September 18<sup>th</sup>  
Visit the Welcome Counter  
to sign up for donating  
or volunteering.

**Sign Up at Welcome Counter Today!**

**Fall Semester Starts Sunday, 9/22**

# WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

**All Programs Begin October 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 6:30**

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