

9:00 am Sunday School

There will be no Sunday School January 1
Grade Pre-K & under in Room 6 – *Jo Wagner*
Grades K-2 in Room 9 – *Megan Stiver*
Grades 3-5 in Room 10 – (none)
Grades 6-12 in Room 3 – *Karen Clendenning*
Adults in Room 5

10:00 am Service

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. – Acts 2:42
We offer communion to believers on the first Sunday of each month.

10:00 am Nursery

Age 0-2 in Room 7; Age 2-4 in Room 6

10:15ish am Children's Church

Kids age 4 - Grade 3 should remain in the service until dismissed

Tuesday Prayer Meeting

(Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving, Supplication)
Every Tuesday @ 11am, in-person at ACC and via Zoom.

Alliance Men

Meeting the 1st & 3rd Thursdays @ 10am.
Studying 1 & 2 Timothy, Titus. Questions? See *Pastor Lance*.

Alliance Women

Meeting the 1st & 3rd Thursdays @ 10am.
Studying the book of Judges. Questions? See *Karen Clendenning*.

Written On Your Heart

Memorize one verse of Scripture. On the 4th Sunday of the month, you'll have an opportunity to quote it to the church as a testimony of God's Word at work in your heart and mind.

Bible Reading Plan for 2023

In the year ahead, ask God each day to speak directly to you from the Scriptures. May your continual exposure to the Word reshape your attitudes and behaviors. Pick up your plan from the back table today!

"40 Days of Prayer" to start 2023

This will be a denomination-wide time of seeking the face and heart of God for our Alliance movement and our lives as His people. The focus of this 40-days is an emphasis on various aspects of the Lord's prayer. Daily devotionals with application are for adults, youth, and kids. You can sign-up at smalliance.org/40days/ to receive digital devotional prayer guides. Printed versions will also be available.

PrayerWorks Fort Wayne – 24/7 Prayer Room

This is for anyone to pray, encounter Jesus, and bring new levels of peace and unity in Fort Wayne. ACC will be part of the first 100 hours. Our slot is Monday, 1/9, 8am–9am. Questions: See *Pastor Lance*.

Bad Weather Cancellation

Service cancellations will be sent out via email, Facebook, the ACC website, and announced on www.wane.com and WANE-TV.

Membership

Would you like to become a member of ACC? If you're a believer in Jesus, it is very important for you to be connected to the local body of Christ. Questions? See *Pastor Lance*.

Email List

If you'd like to receive a weekly update and prayer requests, contact alliancechurchfw@gmail.com or *Pastor Lance*.

Generosity

Please use an offering envelope (available in the foyer), or you can give online (<https://www.alliancechurchfw.com/give.html>)
Last week: \$1,104 YTD Weekly avg: \$2,584 Weekly budget: \$2,679

Called To Serve

If you have a need or concern, please contact a pastor or an elder:

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Pastor Lance Stiver 260-348-3336 stiverdomeast@gmail.com

WiFi Info

SSID: ACC_Gate Password: 1stJohn5:11-12



SERMON NOTES:



Alliance Community Church

WHERE DO I GO FROM HERE?

READ THE BIBLE

The Bible is the story of God's love and faithfulness to His people. It provides encouragement, instruction, warning, and correction that will help you make sense of your life. As you read it, ask God to show you something you can apply to your life. If you're not sure where to begin, start with the Gospel of Mark in the New Testament.

FIND COMMUNITY

Getting connected with others who have trusted in the rescue of God is essential. A "church" is a community of Christians gathering regularly to worship God as His family. Each member of the family plays a vital role: Similar to the human body, each part helps the whole body function properly. The church is the Body of Christ.

TALK WITH GOD

Talking with God is another way you will get to know Him. He is always ready to listen and spend time with you, so you can always speak with Him. He invites you to share all your burdens and joys with Him; this is prayer.

TELL YOUR STORY

Share this news with everyone! Let them hear the amazing story of God's love and rescue and how it has changed your life.

And there were shepherds living out in the fields nearby, keeping watch over their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid. I bring you good news that will cause great joy for all the people. Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord.

Luke 2:8-11

Christmas Day!
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