

Sept. 17, 2023 Commissioning Sunday

GOD GATHERS US FOR WORSHIP

Welcome and God's Greeting

Holy God We Praise Your Name

God We Sing Your Glorious Praises

The Church of Christ Cannot Be Bound

Prayer of Confession

Thank you, Jesus

Blessing over the children

GOD GIVES US HIS WORD

Scripture: John 15:9-17, p. 874

Message: **"Commissioned to Love"**

Commissioning

Commissioning Prayer

Here I Am Lord

GOD SENDS US OUT TO SERVE

Offering: Shalem Mental Health Network

Benediction

Thuma mina/Send Me, Lord

BLESSING AND PRAYER



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SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 17, 2023

*"This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you."
- Jesus, John 15:12*

Welcome to Fellowship Church! Today, Pastor Mark will be sharing a message titled "Commissioned to Love." We are so glad you have joined us.

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Tuesday/Thursday September 19/21, 9:30 AM	Learn & Play Drop-in
Wednesday September 20, 10 AM	Coffee Break Bible Study
Thursday September 21, 10:30 AM	Bible Study Group
Friday September 22, 9:45 AM	Walking Group
Friday September 22, 7:00 PM	Oliver Peart Concert, 7:30 p.m.



SCHEDULES

	COFFEE SOCIAL	LIBRARY
Sunday September 17th	Hospitality Group C	Tineke
Sunday September 24th	Hospitality Group D	Nel
Sunday October 1st	Hospitality Group E	Jessie

CHURCH NEWS AND INFORMATION: UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday September 17, 10 AM	Commissioning Sunday, followed by luncheon
Friday September 22nd, 7:30 PM	Classical Piano concert featuring Oliver Peart

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY GROUP: Every Thursday at 10:30 am, a group of us meet to dig deeper into the previous Sunday's text. We talk, we laugh, we pray and we apply the Word of God to our lives.

COFFEE BREAK: It was good to see each other again this past Wednesday. We welcomed one newcomer and one lady returned after Covid. After some singing and sharing with both groups, we had a discussion on Exodus 16. We have close to 35 ladies coming now, whereas before Covid there were 68 ladies on our list. This coming week we will be discussing Chapters 17 and 18 of Exodus. Please join us at 9:30 for coffee, tea and snacks.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 17 COMMISSIONING LUNCHEON: After the commissioning service on Sun. Sept. 17, let's celebrate the wonderful things God is calling us to do in our midst and throughout the coming

year. We will be hosting a luncheon in the **Fellowship Hall**. It has been a long time since we have had an all-church gathering together, so please make every effort to come. Soup will be provided.

OFFERINGS

Your financial faithfulness is so appreciated! Please use this email address to e-transfer donations or send pre-approved monthly donations: fcrc_accounting@fellowshipchurchto.org.

Please send any passwords, etc. to our bookkeeper, Jen: jen_brodie@fellowshipchurchto.org. If you have any further questions, please contact Jen.



This week's special offering is for the **Shalem Mental Health Network**. Shalem (pronounced ShaLAME) is a beautiful Hebrew word which means "wholeness," "restoration" and "peace." In that spirit, they seek to come alongside those who are hurting and vulnerable. **Shalem**

offers individual, couple and family counselling, as well as specialized therapy for children and youth. Please remember those who are hurting in our lives. For information, please visit Shalem's **website**.

Next week's special offering will support **Denominational Shares - Safe Church Ministry (Abuse Awareness Sunday)**.