

*They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. – Acts 2:42*

**9:00 am Classroom or Koinonia** (schedule varies week-to-week)

#### **Classroom (teaching)**

Typically led by the elders of the church, these adult classes will explore a specific passage in the Bible or a biblical theme.

#### **Koinonia (fellowship)**

With two other believers, share one thing you're thankful for, one thing you're concerned about, and one sin you need to confess. Receive prayer and pray for others. This is one path to true community in the body of Christ.

#### **10:00 am Worship Gathering**

Because of God's gift of amazing grace to us, we'll sing, pray, and preach the Word of God. On the first Sunday of each month, we'll take communion together.

#### **10:00 am Nursery**

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

#### **10:15ish am Children's Church**

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

#### **Tuesday Prayer Meeting**

(Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving, Supplication)  
Meeting every 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday @ 11am for 1 hour.

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesdays @ PrayerWorks – ACC Coverage**

This room at Electric Works is a place to pray for our city. ACC will host the room from noon to 6pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month. Sign up for a 1-hour slot at the back table. (1626 Broadway St, Suite 135, Fort Wayne, IN 46802) Questions? See *Pastor Lance*.

#### **Mid-week Bible Study: Men & Women**

Both groups, men and women, will be meeting on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays @ 10am to separately study the book of Romans. Questions? See *Karen Clendenning* or *Pastor Lance*.

#### **“40 Days of Prayer” to start 2024**

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 these 40 days is “Now. Pray.” Daily devotionals will be available for adults, youth, and kids. You can sign up at [40days.cmalliance.org](http://40days.cmalliance.org) to receive digital devotional prayer guides. Printed versions are also available at the back table.

#### **Annual Congregational Meeting – Sunday, January 28**

Members should attend this meeting following the morning service. We'll outline plans for 2024, vote on the budget, and present the names of those being recommended for eldership. Those names include: Tyler Boss (1<sup>st</sup> term), Peter Estell (1<sup>st</sup> term), and John Heise (3<sup>rd</sup> term). This meeting will also be available on Zoom.

#### **Membership**

Would you like to become a member of ACC? If you're a believer in Jesus, you need to be connected to the local body of Christ. If you are interested, please contact one of the elders.

#### **Bad Weather Cancellation**

Service cancellations will be sent out via email, Facebook, the ACC website, and announced on [www.wane.com](http://www.wane.com) and WANE-TV.

#### **Email Updates & Prayer List**

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

#### **WiFi Info**

SSID: ACC\_Gate Password: 1stJohn5:11-12

#### **Generosity**

Please use an offering envelope (available in the lobby), or you can give online (<https://www.alliancechurchfw.com/give.html>)  
Last week: \$3,241 YTD Weekly avg: \$2,428 Weekly budget: TBA

#### **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](mailto:stiverdomeast@gmail.com)



SERMON NOTES:

*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.



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But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. Once you were not a people, but now you are the people of God; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

*1 Peter 2:9-10*

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