

FAITH FELLOWSHIP CHURCH OF TENNESSEE, ILLINOIS  
JULY 5, 2026

DAVE SCOTT/PASTOR – LEE SCOTT/SONG LEADER

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**WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS & PRAYER**

The Star-Spangled Banner – 802

America, the Beautiful – 799

**QUIET BEFORE THE LORD: PIANO, PRAYER & MEDITATION ...**

COMMUNION – Let's examine our lives before the Lord and then obey him and take the bread and the cup to proclaim his death until he comes.

**MESSAGE – THE HIGHER GROUND OF HOLDING FAST**

TEXT – Philippians 1:12-20

Higher Ground – 549

CLOSING PRAYER – Randy Coplan

**DOXOLOGY**

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR JULY 5**

**TODAY:** Holiday weekend. No evening service.

**MONDAY:** Men's study @ 1 pm.

**NEXT SUNDAY:** Five church praise and worship meeting at Argyle Bible Church @ 6 pm. We will have special music, congregational singing and the pastors' quintet. Pastor Larry Rickard will be sharing the word. As with our other gatherings we will have a fellowship time afterwards. Please bring snacks and finger foods. Will be a great time.

**JULY 13:** Board meeting @ 9 am.

**JULY 19:** Kerry and Pastor Dave will be on staycation. Del Sutter will be sharing God's word that day. Del is a member of Faith Bible Church in Springfield, Illinois.

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**OUR SERVICES THIS WEEK**

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP @ 10:00 AM

**NO** SUNDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY & WORSHIP

WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETING @ 6 PM

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- **OUR CHURCH BOARD FOR 2025:** Randy Coplan (309) 776-3496 / Richard McSperritt (309) 255-8679 / Pastor Dave Scott (309) 776-3786
  - **FAITH FELLOWSHIP CHURCH ...** What are we about? We worship the Lord God Almighty every Sunday in the building he has so graciously provided for us. We love Jesus Christ, we keep his word, we do not deny his name. Our heart's desire is to be led by the Spirit and filled with the Spirit so that we know the Lord's will and so never grieve or quench the Holy Spirit of God. Our basis for everything is to love God, trust God and obey his word as we stand on the solid rock of the gospel as it is so clearly, succinctly and powerfully stated in 1 Corinthians 15:3-4.

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**WHAT IS THE GOSPEL?**

(1 Corinthians 15:3b-4 ESV) That Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

**HOW IS A PERSON SAVED?**

(Acts 16:31a ESV) And they said, "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved."

**DO I HAVE SAVING FAITH?**

(Hebrews 10:39 LSB) But we are not of those who shrink back to destruction, but of those who have faith to the preserving of the soul.

