



Faith Bible Baptist Church

"To make more and better disciples of Jesus Christ."
 8688 South Main Street - Eden, NY 14057 - 716-992-2091
 www.fbbc.com Pastor Art Kohl - Assistant Pastor Seth Garland

April 11, 2021
 Please pray for this weeks events:

- Sunday:**
- Prayer Meetings** 9:30 am
 - Sunday School** 10:00 am
 - Morning Service** 11:00 am
 - Primary Church for age 2-K (downstairs) 11:00 am
 - Jr. Church for grades (downstairs) 11:00 am
 - Ladies Choir Practice 5:15 pm
 - Evening Service** - The Lord's Supper to follow 6:00 pm
- Tuesday:**
- Day of Prayer & Fasting for your Church
 - After-School Bible Clubs 3:30 pm
 - Ladies Prayer Meeting 7:00 pm
- Wednesday:**
- Mid-Week Service** - Praise & Prayer Time 6:30 pm
 - Kid's Clubs: ages 2-4 & 5-12 (downstairs)
 - Adult & Teen Bible Study 7:00 pm
- Thursday:**
- Countryside Baptist Church Mid-Week Service 6:30 pm
- Saturday:**
- Young Adults Activity (see next page for details) 6:00 pm

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What is the Book of Ezra about?

The book of Ezra belongs to a group of books dealing with the **history** of the Jewish people who lived in **Babylon** and some who **returned to Palestine**. The other books in this post-captivity group are Nehemiah, Esther, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi.

In 588 B.C., some years before the events recorded in the book of Ezra, a great foreign king, called **Nebuchadnezzar**, had swept through Palestine. He killed many people and carried the wise and wealthy of the children of Israel **back as captives** to his own land. Because the Lord's people had disobeyed and rejected Him, He allowed this severe punishment to come upon them—families were torn apart, homes were burned, and there was **great sorrow**.

The greatest tragedy was the **destruction** of the beautiful temple in Jerusalem. Now after **seventy years** of exile some of the Jews, by decree of **Cyrus the Great**, were allowed to return and, after many delays and trials, the temple was **rebuilt**. Later Ezra and his group of people came back to the land. And later still Nehemiah returned.

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Events in May

- Saturday, May 1** –
 Men's Fellowship Breakfast, 9am
- May 3-10** –
 Pastor & Mrs. Kohl on vacation
- Tuesday, May 4** –
 Tablantes return from Philippines!
- Thursday, May 6** –
 Seniors Fellowship Dinner, 10:30am
- Friday, May 7** –
 First Youth Group Activity of the year - Nerf War, 7pm
- Sunday, May 9** –
 Mother's Day - Special gift and message for all moms.
- Friday, May 14** –
 Teen Tri-State Formal Banquet at Grace of Calvary Baptist Church in Erie PA. Leave at 5:30pm
- Sunday, May 16** –
 38th Anniversary Celebration.
Speaker: Dr. David Sorenson from Duluth, Minnesota. 10, 11 am
Dinner: Tent in the back field after service. More details coming soon!
- May 16-19** –
 King James Bible Conference with Dr. David Sorenson nightly.

7 Symbols of the Holy Ghost in Scripture:

- 1) **Dove** – purity, peace, love, modesty
- 2) **Water** – life giving, satisfaction
- 3) **Oil** – anointing for power, healing, light
- 4) **Seal** – ownership, security
- 5) **Wind** – an unseen power
- 6) **Earnest** – down payment money
- 7) **Fire** – purifying, presence, judgement

Hearing Impaired Devices are available for all services. See any usher.

Nursery Workers

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| <u>Sunday School</u> | <u>Sunday PM</u> |
| Becky N | Erica D |
| Susan B | Meg U |
| <u>Sunday AM</u> | <u>Wednesday</u> |
| Joan L | Faith G |
| Servant Needed | Hannah B |
| <u>Next Sunday AM</u> | |
| Gloria C | |
| Leslie K | |

Young Adults Activity

This Saturday (April 17th) at 6:00pm

Come out and join us for a good time playing nerf war! We'll be providing dinner, so please RSVP to Rachel O'Mara by **Wednesday, April 14th** if you'll be joining us.

Ladies Conference

Old Time Baptist is hosting "Apples of Gold" (Prov. 25:11) on **Sat. April 24** for ladies 12 and up.

Time: 9:30am-3pm
Cost: \$10 pre-register by April 8, \$15 at the door. Includes a parfait bar at 9:30am and lunch.

Speakers: Cathy Berry and Marger Perrotti.

Offering Plates


Plates are placed at the front and back of the auditorium at all services for the giving of tithes and offerings.

Offering envelopes can be found in the back seat pockets to be used to designate offerings.

Missionary of the Week

David & Naomi Lohman
(Philip)
 In Ukraine

We have supported them since 2016



Sermon Notes

Read the
New Testament in

April

- John 1
- John 2
- John 3
- John 4
- John 5
- John 6
- John 7
- John 8
- John 9
- John 10
- John 11
- John 12
- John 13
- John 14
- John 15
- John 16
- John 17
- John 18
- John 19
- John 20
- John 21