

# Fruitland Evangelical Covenant Church

**“A CROSS-SHAPED COMMUNITY”**

**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**

10:30 am Worship February 22, 2026

## WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

*“Jesus Loves Me! This I Know” #443*

## COMMUNITY LIFE

## WE WORSHIP THROUGH SONG

*“Amazing Grace” #341*

*“One Thing Remains (Your Love Never Fails)*

*“You Are My King (Amazing Love)”*

## WE WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER

Prayers Of the People

## THE LORD’S PRAYER

*Our Father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name,  
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,  
and the glory, forever. Amen*

## WE WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above ye heav’ly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

## CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

*Ronda Bonebrake*

*Children ages 4 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to join Ronda for Children’s Church. There are activities for older children available at the activity table at the back of the sanctuary.*

## WE WORSHIP THROUGH HEARING GOD’S WORD

**I Corinthians 9:19-27**

## MESSAGE

*“Living The Gospel”*

**Pastor Carl Franzon**

## WE RESPOND AND GO FORTH IN WORSHIP

*“By Faith”*

## BENEDICTION

*Please join us for coffee and cookies in the gym. All are welcome! We will also set up for tonight’s No Talent Talent Show.*

**Please pray for Ken Young, Ruthann Wikman, Bev Dennison, Vi and Joe Dado, Bobbi Moore, Charlie Carson, Sheryl Dykstra, Jan Irwin.**

Next Sunday Potluck will include our Warming Center Guests

## EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Today! No Talent Talent Show**, our annual fundraiser for kids going to Portage Lake Bible Camp, is tonight from 5:00-8:00 pm. Chili (both beef and chicken), corn bread and lemonade provided, talents, pie auction and fun pie in the face for a few special people! Fun night to support kids going to camp! Come and join the fun! Bring a friend!

**Portage Lake Bible Camp** for children finishing 1st grade through high school. Sign up at [portagelake.org](http://portagelake.org) by February 28th to receive a discount. Only \$50 required to register. Please let Bobbie Jo Misch know when you have registered your child/grandchild.

**March** will be World Relief month. Get your soup labels and tops today!

**Save the date** for our quarterly food truck, Friday, March 6th. Truck comes about 4:00 so helpers should be here by 3:45. Food distribution starts at 4:30pm! See Jake Mouw for details or to sign up.

**A HUGE THANKS** to our entire church family for being so welcoming of our unhoused guests! They reported feeling very welcomed!

Some comments by the guests were:

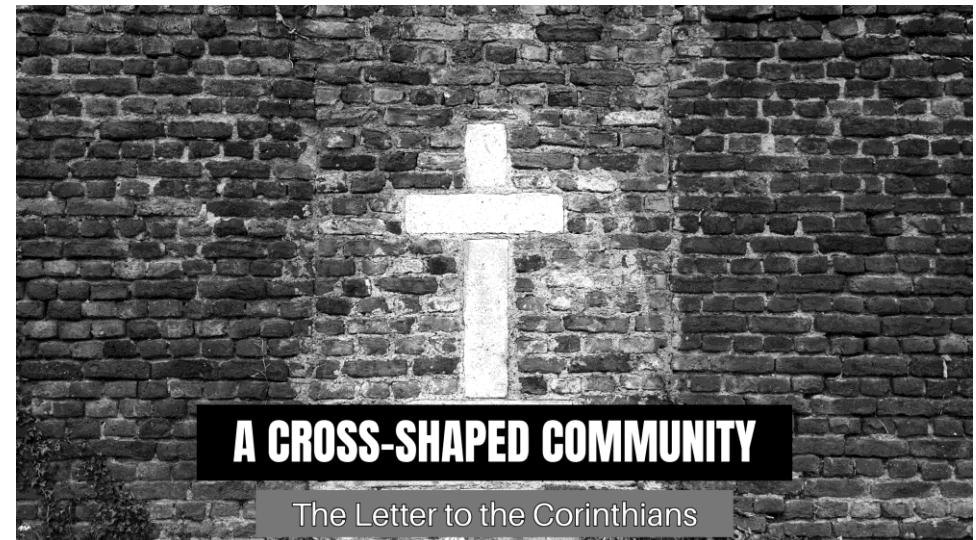
*They felt like people cared about them. They didn't feel like people were afraid of them. When invited to join the church service, but told they didn't need to, one group said 'but that's why we came.' A couple of men clapped joyfully after the singing. Two men told my son that they really liked the service. One said it made him cry. They loved having something to do - crafts, basketball, foosball - as they're often bored.*

We will be having another 'Warming Center' on Sunday, March 1st, 9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Sign-up sheets are out. For more info, contact Kara Witham (231 740-9209), between 4:30 and 7:30 p.m please, or text or email ([kara.L.witham@gmail.com](mailto:kara.L.witham@gmail.com)) anytime.

**Next Week**  
**Pastor Carl Franzon**  
**A Cross-Shaped Community**  
**"Supper Invitation"**  
**I Corinthians 11:17-34**

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