

## So Now What?

- 1) If you are not already attending **worship**, we invite you to begin there as we feel that worship is the first and most important step in the process of becoming a disciple of Jesus.
- 2) Make your **dinner reservation**. We like to know who is coming to our dinner so we can make sure to have the right amount of food. You can call (793.8331) or e-mail (office@fbcdanville.com) the response.
- 3) **Select a class** to attend. You can find out what classes are being offered currently by calling the church (793.8331), e-mailing our Associate Pastor (j.hearne@fbcdanville.com), or logging on to the discipleship portion of the website and clicking on the Wednesday Night schedule (<http://fbcdanville.com/fbc/discipleship-ministries/>).
- 4) **Show up**. If you're attending the first session, we'll see you in the fellowship hall at 5:00 p.m. If you're attending the second session, we'll see you at 5:30 for dinner in the fellowship hall. There will be some people there to make sure you know where to go.

## Five Steps of Discipleship

1. Sunday Morning Worship
2. Wednesday Night Gathering
3. Small Group Participation
4. Service in the Church
5. Service in the World

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# Wednesday Night Gathering



*Developing People Who Love  
and Serve God and Others*

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# Let us love one another...

Francis de Sales wrote a prayer that begins:

“Divine Saviour, we come to Your sacred table to nourish ourselves, not with bread but with Yourself, true Bread of eternal life. Help us daily to make a good and perfect meal of this divine food...”

At FBC, we come together every Wednesday



night around our tables to continue the always *ongoing* process of learning to love each other. We know that this is how Christians should desire to be known—as loving people.

We share a meal together at the heart of

our evening and attend classes and discussions where we *join together as one people regardless of our differences*—different ages, different sexes, different political ideas, different passions, different backgrounds, and different callings among others.

We know that we are nourished on the food of our shared life on Wednesday night. It is this good and perfect meal of love, grace, and mercy that **we eagerly attend and gladly invite you to attend, as well.**

## The Meal

The meal begins at 5:30 and ends at 6:30. We eat together at any number of tables in the Fellowship Hall and there is no assigned seating. Sit wherever you feel comfortable. The menu changes according to who is cooking. The servers and crew change according to who has volunteered.

We charge a nominal fee (\$4 for adults, \$2 for children) to cover the cost of the meal but always offer the meal free of charge to any for whom the cost is a burden.

## The Sessions

We offer a variety of classes/sessions in two separate spots in our schedule so that we can provide a flexible and accessible experience for you. We invite you to pick a class or session and join in based on what interests you. If you have any trouble finding where to go, there are dozens of people who would love to help you. Even if you're not coming in at the beginning of a session, we invite you to show up anyway. We'll be glad to have you!

## Youth and Children (5-18)

During the two session times, the youth and children are welcome to come upstairs to “The Haven.” They'll have time and a place to work on homework if they need to do so. Plus, we'll have adults present to supervise and help them with their homework. After they finish or if they don't have

any homework, youth and children will be separate and have age-appropriate opportunities to socialize or play ping-pong, pool, air hockey, and some board games.

## Children (4 & under)

We have a nursery and paid, trained staff to watch over our youngest attendees.

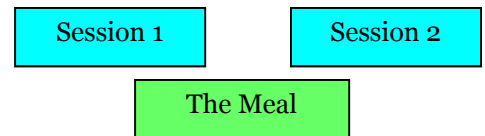
## The Schedule

5:00—5:45 — Session 1

5:30– 6:30 — Meal

6:15– 7:00 — Session 2

You can attend any combination of the above schedule. Obviously, attendance of a session will have a slight impact on when you can join us for the meal.



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