

Family Fellowship Church of Christ

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MOTTO: Where love is more than just a word.

VISION: To be a church with a difference manifesting Christ's image on earth.

MISSION: We exist to exalt Jesus Christ with a mission to know him and to make him known

Identity of Family Fellowship Church of Christ

Family Fellowship Christian Church is:

1. A Pentecostal Church submitted totally to the Holy Trinity (God the Father, the Son and to the Blessed Holy Spirit)
2. Primarily an English and Kiswahili-speaking Church with a target audience among the urban populace.
3. Missions-oriented, with an outreach to the wider community within their context.
4. Communities of believers are open to people of all tribes, races, and social strata of the community.
5. A Church with a holistic Ministry. Family Fellowship Christian Church seeks to reach out to the whole person with the life-changing Gospel.

Background History

The Family Fellowship Church of Christ (FFCC) started in April 2002 in Nairobi with less than 10 members. To date, the church has expanded and currently has branches in Mombasa, Migori, Siaya, Homabay, and Kisumu counties with a diverse membership of over 748, including adults and children. The church has a burden to meet the spiritual, social, and economic needs of the communities in Nairobi, Mombasa, Migori, Siaya, Homabay, and Kisumu, where the church has branches through effective witnessing, outreach, and discipleship. Over the years, FFCC has had a positive impact in the surrounding communities through running a community kindergarten and daycare school, educating orphans, mentoring the youth as well as meeting the basic and welfare needs of the people of God. The church has made a huge contribution to the community through capacity building and empowerment seminars for the youth, men, and women.

Other FFCC Branches:

1. FFCC Nairobi
2. FFCC Mombasa
3. FFCC Busia
4. FFCC Mariwa
5. FFCC Nyarombo
6. FFCC Mbuembu
7. FFCC Siaya
8. FFCC Adiedo
9. FFCC Rongo
10. FFCC Wimagak

STATEMENT OF FAITH AND PRACTICES

The Family Fellowship Church of Christ believes in the Holy Trinity of God, the Virgin Birth of Jesus Christ, and the bible as the infallible word of God and as final authority in all matters of sin, salvation, eternal life, and relational here on earth.

The Church takes its stand on basic Christian truths which belong to God's people at all times. There are, however, certain distinctive teachings and practices that are strongly emphasized. They are stated as follows:

- a) The ultimate and final authority of the bible in all matters of faith and conduct. The bible teaches all that is necessary for our salvation (2 Timothy 3:16) and therefore, qualification for inheritance of God's kingdom.
- b) New birth for new creation through the atoning blood, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ (John 3: 1-7, Mt. 26: 26 – 29, 2 Cor. 5:17) man is born again by the Grace of God (Ephesians 2: 8 – 9), through Faith (Acts 16: 31) and repentance (Acts 3:19). This is the only way one becomes a bona-fide member of the Body of Christ referred to as the church in the New Testament and Family Fellowship Church of Christ demands the same for admission to full membership (see Article 4.0.0).
- c) The indwelling of the Holy Spirit in the life of the believer (John 14). The evidence of His indwelling is the fruit of the Spirit (Galatians 5:22-23) with attendant spiritual gifts (1 Corinthians 12) for the edification of the believers and the church as the body of Christ.
- d) Baptism of believers by immersion signifying death to the old life of sin (2 Corinthians 5:17, Romans 6: 1- 2) and resurrection to a new life in Christ within and not a means of salvation nor a qualification for membership to Family Fellowship Church of Christ.
- e) Holiness of life and conduct (Romans 6: 1, 1 Peter 1: 14-25, 1 John 2: 1-6, 3: 4-10) Walking the talk and preaching what we live. Family Fellowship Church of Christ believes that character supersedes works, however great.
- f) Divine healing of the sick according to the will of god through prayers and faith (James 5: 13 – 16, Psalms 103 2- 5, Isaiah 53:5).
- g) Unity of all born-again believers as one body in Jesus Christ (Galatians 3:28, Ephesians 4: 13 – 16, Psalms 133, John 17: 21 – 33, Corinthians 12: 13 – 26).
- h) The present reality of the Kingdom of God, the rule and reign of god in the hearts of believers (Luke 17:20-21, Romans 14:17). It is not an earthly Kingdom (John 18:36).
- i) The second coming of Jesus Christ at a time of God's own appointing to judge the world, to punish the wicked and to reward the righteous (Mathew 24: 36, 25-46, Thessalonians 4: 13- 5, 1-2).
- j) Restitutionary provision in reconciliation process as evidenced in the Bible (Luke 19:8-10, Acts 23: 1-5, Philemon 7:21, Hebrews 2:17-18, 2 Corinthians 5: 18 – 20, Ezekiel 45: 15 – 17, Daniel 9:24).
- k) The great commission and its ministerial off-shoots (Mark 16: 15 20, Mathew 28: 19 – 20)

CORE VALUES

The Church is committed to nurturing the following core values:

Family: We are committed to building strong and effective families that serve the purposes that God ordained for them. We believe that the family constitutes a union between a man and a woman who are united in marriage, and their offspring.

Ministry: We are committed to living, preaching and teaching the word of God. Our love for God and His calling shall be our driving force. The power and influence of the Holy Spirit is the key agent of transformation. We value, appreciate and recognize the diversity of gifts in the body of Christ.

The Sanctity of Life: We uphold and respect the sanctity of life from conception to natural death.

Partnership: We are committed to partnering with like-minded ministries, churches, Para-church organizations and other agencies that subscribe to our philosophy of ministry.

Excellence: In keeping with our identity and ministry target, we are committed to a culture of excellence in all our services and ministries.

Community: We exist and work in a community. We believe that it is our responsibility to impact them in a holistic manner. We stand in solidarity with those who are vulnerable within our society.

Integrity: We are committed to personal integrity and holiness. We are committed to teaching and practicing sound biblical doctrine

Accountability: We are committed to a culture of transparency and accountability with our members and the general public.

Leadership: We are committed to godly transformational leadership in Church and society that equips believers to participate in the Great Commission. People are our greatest asset both within and without the church

FFCC Ministries

Programs

1. **Prayer and Worship:** We are an assembly of worshipping community of Jesus disciples who recognize that it is all about Him. Him alone we declare His worthiness. We believe worship is both a life to live and an event to participate in. These form our foundation, that we are called to live a life that honors the father.
2. **Leadership, Governance and Sustainability:** Successful integration and effective management of sustainability at any organization requires having committed leadership, clear direction, and strategic influence. We recognize that a robust governance and leadership structure is key to the implementation of sustainable strategy across the church, manage goal-setting and reporting processes, strengthen relations with both internal and external stakeholders, and ensure overall accountability. For the church to be effective, we recognize that commitment begins at the top, accountability must be established and communicated clearly, with proper alignment between the structure and the church functions.
3. **Membership and Discipleship:** Jesus commanded us to make disciples of all nations. This is our key role and commitment. Believers would continually be shaped and sharpened by the word of God in various forums and fellowships. Our discipleship department shall also be equipped with the tools and resources to disciple. The discipleship team shall be responsible for the assimilation of new members and equipping of new believers in conjunction with other ministries under the guidance of the church leadership.
4. **Fellowship and Unity of the believers:** We are called to be one in spirit, mind, and deed. We are a family of united believers who have one purpose and focus: to love, care, and cherish one another. This shall be accomplished through pastoral ministry, the church leadership, visitations and cell groups, and the departmental/ministry leaders
5. **Missions and Outreach:** The church is the direct vehicle for carrying out God's mission here on earth. Our commitment is to reach out to as many people who have not yet accepted Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior; we must come out of closed-door gatherings and engage in social action in the community around us. The outreach ministry includes mobilization and training in person-to-person witnessing, mass evangelism, and outreach to institutions of learning, social action, and advocacy.
6. **Personal Development:** We are committed to deliberate and intentional development in all spheres of a person so that the whole Christian person may be able to make an impact in society. We encourage every believer in our assembly to continually undertake self-improvement initiatives through continuous learning, social, and economic empowerment.

Photos

1. Youth Dinner 2024 - <https://photos.app.goo.gl/hErsGN878eBsTdBg9>
2. Vuka Fiti Graduation 2025 - <https://photos.app.goo.gl/q7FRoNh3FzLkj8hC7>
3. Adiedo Mission 2022:
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4. Couples' Dinner 2022:
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5. 20th Anniversary 2022:
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