

# Name Change Process

- January 10: Present the eight names
- January 13-20: First round of voting
- January 24: Present the top three names
- January 27-30: Second round of voting
- February 7: Announce our new name!

## Membership Classes

In person: Sundays, January 3 & 10, 11pm,  
Activity Center

Zoom: Mondays, January 4 & 11, 7 pm

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## "21" Goal

For every First Member to  
**pray and fast**  
**more than they currently are**  
during  
the **21 weekdays of January**  
and throughout **all of 2021**

Access the prayer and fasting video prompts on

our new First MB **Facebook Group**  
**First MB YouTube channel,**  
or our **podcast.**

[www.firstmbchurch.org/21](http://www.firstmbchurch.org/21)

# Prayer and Worship Nights

- Tuesdays, January 5, 12, 19, and 26
- 7 pm
- in person at the church and livestreamed



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Matthew 6:2     When you give to the poor

Matthew 6:5     When you pray

Matthew 6:16    When you fast



- 1) Fasting is abstaining from food for a specific period of time
- 2) We fast for a purpose. Fasting is always connected to a prayer asking God to do something (big).
- 3) Fasting displays our depth of desire for God to answer our prayer.

“The Jews are in great trouble and disgrace. Jerusalem’s wall has been broken down, and its gates have been burned down.”

**Nehemiah 1:3**

When I heard these words, I sat down and wept. I mourned for a number of days, fasting and praying before the God of heaven.

**Nehemiah 1:4**

**Esther:**

for God to save the Jews  
from destruction

**Jesus:**

for preparation for a  
specific task

**Paul and  
Barnabas:**

for the spiritual/physical  
safety of church leaders

# Honi Hame'aggel (Honi the Circle-Drawer)

What are the hardest issues and biggest dreams or your life?