



OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

August 7th – 14th

TODAY - Pre-service Prayer Time, 9:15 a.m.
- Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 a.m.
- Morning Communion Service, 10:40 a.m. Worship in person or on Facebook Live. Or you can view the service on the website, YouTube, or Facebook after noon.
- Money (\$20) for the Teen's Back 2 School Bash is due to Cody today. The Back 2 School Bash is August 19.

MONDAY - Morning Prayer Time, 9:00 a.m.
- Bonnie's Ladies Life Group, 10:00 a.m.
- Church Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY - VanZant Bible Study, 5:30 p.m.
- Men's Slow Pitch Softball at Ozark Park, 8:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY - "Virtual" and "In-House" Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.
- Teen Shine and Praise Team Practice, 6:30 p.m.
- Children's Gathering, 6:30 p.m. All children, ages 3 years thru 5th grade are welcome.

THURSDAY - Ministry Leadership Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY - Pre-Service Prayer Time, 9:15 a.m.
- Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 a.m.
- Morning Worship, 10:40 a.m. Worship in person or on Facebook Live. Or you can view the service on the website, YouTube, or Facebook after noon.
- Fall Session of Life Groups Kickoff, 6:00 p.m. here at the church.

COMING UP...

August

15 - Prayer Time, 9:00 a.m.
- Bonnie's Ladies Life Group, 10:00 a.m.
16 - VanZant Bible Study, 5:30 p.m.
- Men's Softball at Ozark Park. This begins the playoffs. Game time, TBA..
17- Virtual and "in person" Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.
- Teen Shine, and Praise Team Practice, 6:30 p.m.
- Children's Gathering, 6:30 p.m. All children, ages 3 years thru 5th grade are welcome.
19 - Teen "Back 2 School Bash". Registration is due August 7. See Cody for details.
20 - Teen Quiz Meet, here at the church.
21 - Pre-Service Prayer Time, 9:15 a.m.
- Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 p.m.
- Morning Worship, 10:40 a.m. Worship in person or on Facebook Live. Or you can view the service on the website, YouTube, or Facebook after noon.
- NDI Meeting after worship.
22 - Nixa Schools will begin classes for the new year today.
- Prayer Time, 9:00 a.m.
- Bonnie's Ladies Life Group, 10:00 a.m.
23 - Ozark Schools will begin classes for the new year today.
- VanZant Bible Study, 5:30 p.m.
24 - Virtual and "in person" Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.
- Teen Shine, and Praise Team Practice, 6:30 p.m.
- Children's Gathering, 6:30 p.m. All children, ages 3 years thru 5th grade are welcome.

Pray for our school personnel and the students as they start back for a new school year in the next few weeks.

IMPORTANT THINGS TO NOTE

Crisis Care Kits

With all that is happening in the world today, we have decided to make collecting for Crisis Care Kits an ongoing ministry. A list of items needed for the Kits is on the table in the foyer. You can bring in single items or everything that it takes to fill a Kit. It takes 6 Kits to fill a box. We will ship boxes as they become full, so continue to bring in your items.

Operation Christmas Child Shoebox ideas

August suggestions: School Supplies—pencils, pens, crayons, colored pencils, markers, pencil sharpeners, index cards, rulers, protractors, scissors, assorted paper (tablets, thin spiral notebooks, note pads), pencil pouches, glue sticks, tape, solar powered calculators, and erasers. If you would like a full year gift suggestion list, check the mission bulletin board.

Life Groups for the fall are coming up soon.

Our fall session of Life Groups will run from September 11 through November 6. The Kickoff and Signup for the fall gatherings will be **Sunday evening August 14 at 6:00 p.m.** Come join us for the Kickoff to learn more about what groups are available, when they will meet and what the studies will be about.

Sue will be on vacation through August 16th. Please call (417 725-4224) ahead to see if the office is occupied according to Pastor Gary's schedule.

Nursery This Week (August 7th)

Heather Swearengen and Susan Brubaker

Nursery Next Week (August 14th)

Jenna Allen and Gloria Cariker

ATTENDANCE:

Sunday School - 56

Morning Worship – 91

FINANCIAL REPORT: Month End Report

GENERAL CHURCH:

Beginning Balance 7-1-2022	\$32,385.94
Income for July	\$24,687.37
Expenses For July	\$22,893.11
Ending Balance 7-31-2022	\$34,090.20

OUTREACH GIVINGS:

2022-23 Faith Promise Received	\$10,168.00
A.T.I.C.	\$ 467.28
R.A.K.	\$ 570.19
Scholarship Fund	\$ 461.86

Our Mission is

- 1) to **REACH** our world for Christ and the church in the shortest time possible
- 2) to **TEACH** and **MODEL** Christ-likeness in all we do.

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship: 10:40 a.m.
Wednesday Evening: Facebook Live Bible Study, in house Bible Study, Teens Shine, and Children's Activities, 6:30 p.m.

Morning Worship

August 7, 2022

WE WELCOME YOU

Welcome

WE WORSHIP IN SONG

"Build Your Kingdom"

"The Love of God"

"Sinking Deep"

WE WORSHIP IN PRAYER

Pastoral Prayer

WE WORSHIP IN THE WORD

Message: "What Pleases God?"

Communion

"Amazed"

WE WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

Scripture: Exodus 35:5a

(You may give here, on the website or the BreezeCHMS app)

Announcements

Closing Prayer

Go out and spread the good news!

If you are a guest, with us for the first time, please fill out a Connect Card, stop by the Welcome Center and pick up a free book.

Prayer Concerns

Darrell Groves – throat procedure biopsy
Kelly Rogers – neck surgery August 5
Sue Kirk – cancer treatments
Lonnie Groves – recovery at home
Todd Groves – back surgery recovery
Gerald Geren – procedure recovery
April Parra – surgery recovery
Cheryll Eoff – migraines and mother's health
Leo & Vaunda Gardner – health issues
Iris Geren – health issues
Hazel Keen, Bonnie Burks great niece – chemo
(Praises- walking unassisted)
Henry Seevers – accident recovery
Dale Reynolds – stroke recovery
Elsie Thompson – heart issues and rehab
Pastor Bill Whetstone – post transplant issues
Thea Rasins' son Joshua –cancer
Donna & Lyle - family issues, Stacey & Dustin
Donna & Lyle's grandchildren Shelby & Patrick
John Elliot's Granddaughter – cancer/chemo
Volunteers to staff ministries and events
Renne and Betty Nance – Father's health
Tara Nichols – her and her mother's health
Hendrix's Son-in-law, Steven Brewster – chemo
Doug Gasperik, Berta Nall's Son-in-law – cancer
Mark Gardner – knee/leg problems
Roman's friend son, Josh Donelson – life choice
Essential Workers on frontlines
Peggy Aldridge – back issues
Heather Haworth – chemo
Vera Ker – health issues
Marie Horne's Mother – health concerns
Darrell Middleton – brain damage from accident
Brett Sutherland – leukemia
Victory Mission & Least of These – food & funds
Military Personnel
Our Leaders (Local, State, and National)
Gary Richards – accident recovery

WHAT PLEASURES GOD?

ISAIAH 66:2
(1 Corinthians 2:14)

HUMILITY

Numbers 12:3, 8
2 Samuel 22:28
2 Chronicles 7:14
Ephesians 4:2 James 4:10
1 Peter 5:6 Romans 12:3

SUBMISSION

2 Chronicles 30:8
Job 22:21 Romans 8:7-8
Hebrews 12:9 James 4:7

REVERENCE FOR HIS WORD

Exodus 20:18-20
Ecclesiastes 12:13-14
John 10:10
Philippians 4:7

Small Group Questions

1. Why should I want to please God?
2. What happens if I disregard what God says pleases Him?
3. How guilty are we of not taking God at His word?
4. What are the benefits of living as God's word says?



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Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship: 10:40 a.m.
Wednesday Facebook Live Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.

Gary Swearingin, Pastor
Don Daniel, Associate Pastor
David Sutton, Associate Pastor