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Church Office Hours: Monday: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm;

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Outreach Committee Ministry

We are collecting
SOUP, CHILI FIXINGS, CRACKERS
during the month of **JANUARY** for
L.I.F.E. Pantry.

Please place all packages in the
baskets located in the foyer.
*Any food or items you wish to donate
are welcome any month.*



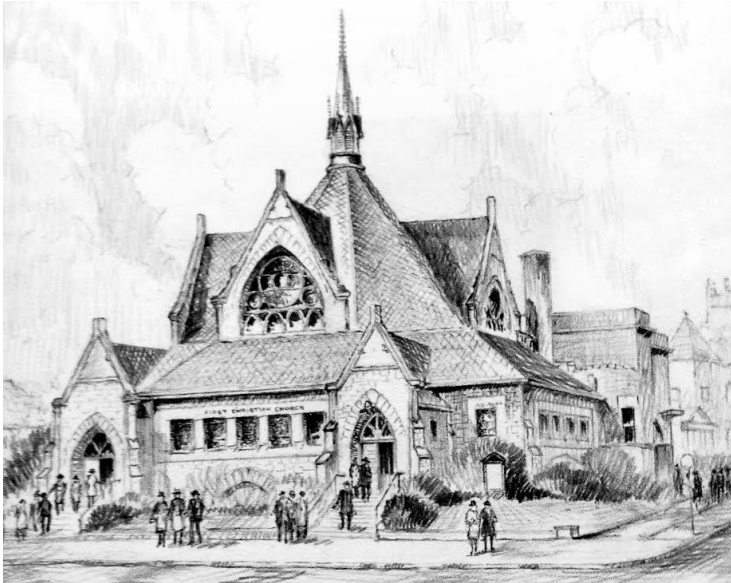
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Reaching Outward to Connect People with God's Abundance



January 21, 2024

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SERVICE OF WORSHIP

10:30 am

Please complete the cream-colored card located in the back of each pew and place it in the offering plate. Help us by filling out the card as completely as you can. You may also use the card to inform the office of any prayer requests, joys, concerns, upcoming events, changes, etc.

Turn off cell phones as they may interfere with the live stream. Thank you.

***Please Stand (as you are able)**

Prelude Be Thou My Vision - Paul Manz

Welcome and Announcements **Rev. William Brown**

***Opening Hymn** What a Friend We Have in Jesus #585 (vs.1 & 3)

***Call to Worship** **Worship Leader**

Leader O LORD, your decrees are wonderful;

ALL: Therefore our souls keep your decrees.

Leader: Turn to us and be gracious to us,

ALL: You are gracious toward those who love your name.

Leader Keep our steps steady according to your promise,

ALL: Never let sin rule over us.

Leader: Make your face shine upon all of us, your servants,

ALL: And teach us the way of the LORD.

Lord's Prayer **All**

Scripture 1 Samuel 3:1-10 NRSV **Worship Leader**

Special Music **Christmas Joy** by Michael Herma **Handbell Choir**

Message	A Future That's Bigger Than the Past	Rev. William Brown
*Hymn of Discipleship	Here I Am, Lord	#452
*Invitation to Giving		Rev. William Brown
*Doxology		All
*Prayer of Dedication		Elder
Communion Hymn	Let Us Break Bread Together	#425
Invitation to Christ's Table		Rev. William Brown
Prayer for the Bread and Cup		Elder
Communion Music	Canon in D - Pachelbel	
Words of Institution		Rev. William Brown
Taking of the Bread and Cup Together		
*Closing Hymn	I Am The Light of the World	#469 (vs. 1, 2 & 4)
*Blessings and Benediction		
*Postlude	Thy Strong Word - Paul Manz	

Upcoming Events:

Sunday:	1/21	09:30 am 10:30 am 3:00 pm	Coffee Hour Sunday Morning Worship MLK Celebration – StoneGate in Downtown Bedford
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Sunday:	1/28	09:30 am 10:30 am 2:00 pm	Coffee Hour Sunday Morning Worship Johnson Christian Village Worship Service
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The Church Office Hours have changed to:

Monday: 9 am - 2 pm
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 9 am - 12 pm
Friday: Closed

Thank you for being patient as we adapt to these changes.

Coffee Hour Sunday Morning

Coffee and treats starting
at **9:30 am.**

Sign up at the Welcome Table if you would
like to provide treats or contribute toward the
cost of purchasing them.



**SERVING SCHEDULE:
JANUARY**

Elder:

Greeters

15th St **Ron Bell**
K St **Ginny Jones**
Canopy **Treva Hooten**

Nursing Home Ministry

Stonebridge Health Campus

The first Sunday of each month

At 1:30 pm

Johnson Christian Village

7102 IN-158, Bedford

The fourth Sunday of each month

at 2:00 pm.



Those unable to be with us in Worship:

Homebound - Karen Anderson, Vivian Fishel, Leona Russell

Autumn Trace – Laverne Speer (109), Betty Wagoner (110)

Majestic Care - (Garden Villa) – Jacob Householder (611)

Stonebridge - Carol Mifflin (502), Paul Miller (516), Carolyn Tumey (109), Jimmy Wagoner (208)

Bell Trace (Bloomington) – Shirley McMunn (1118B)

***Please advise Elder Susan Maxwell-Lewis or the church office of any prayer concerns or updates.
You may also fill out a pew card & drop it in the offering plate.***

Prayer List:

Paula Beaton	Karen Hackney	Shelly Perrson
Levi Chisholm	Liam Harting	Emily Roberts
Janet Cooper	Gloria Hilkey	Rita Roberts
Leo Coulter	Ethan Holsapple	Betty Robbins
Tina Corum	Ainsley Jefferies	Sydney Sowders
Pat East	Beth Joyner	Shirley Stroud
Chantell Emberton	Judy Juranek	Candy Sykes
Olive Embree and the	Van Kavanaugh	Tim Tincher
Ryan Embree Family	Defne Leonard	Greg VanCleave
Aaron Evans' Family	Danny Lyons	Mark Wingo
Dave Facion's Family	Wanda McPike	Nathan Witt
Finney Family	Dan Merchant's Family	Ridge Wolka
Jerry Francis	William Metz	Fred Wolka Sr.
Ariene Gilbert	Cannon Mills	Roger Wykoff
James Hackney	Sheila Miskuf	
	Patricia Morris	

**Those away from home serving the church,
in military, civil service, education and work.**