Minister: Rev. William Brown E-mail: fccbedfordwill@gmail.com Choir Director: Lillie Judge E-Mail: ljudgefcc@gmail.com **Organist:** Mary Ruth Yates A/V Technician: Duncan Kane Church Office Hours: Monday: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday:10:00 am – 2:00 pm Administrative Assistants: Mitzi Flynn: Monday, Dawn Manke: Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday Bookkeeper: Linda Smith E-mail: shawswick63@gmail.com Custodian's Hours: Monday-Wednesday: 8:00 am - 11:00 am, Sunday: 1 hour Custodian: Steve Harrell Find us on: facebook. Camp Manager: Chuck Bair E-Mail: manager@campbedford.com Web Page: firstccbedford.org Camp Bedford Web Page: campbedford.com



Outreach Committee Ministry

We are collecting **CLEANING SUPPLIES & TOILET PAPER** during the month of **FEBRUARY** 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*

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Reaching Outward to Connect People with God's Abundance



February 4, 2024

February 4, 2024 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 Come Down, O Love Divine – Wilbur Held Welcome and Announcements Rev. William Brown ***Opening Hymn** Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty! #4 (vs 1, 2 & 4) *Call to Worship Worship Leader Leader How good it is to sing praises to our God! All: He heals the brokenhearted, binding up their wounds. He counts the stars, and calls them each by name. Leader: All: How great is our God! His power is absolute, and his understanding, beyond comprehension. So come, sing out your thanksgiving to God. Offer to God that worship Leader: that belongs to Him alone! Lord's Prayer Mark 1: 29-39 (NRSV) Worship Leader Scripture

Special Music

Message The Gospel that goes to the Home, to the Hearth, and to Prayer Rev. William Brown

*Hymn of Disciplesh	ip Into My Heart	#304				
*Invitation to Giving		Rev. William Brown				
*Doxology		All				
*Prayer of Dedication	ı	Elder				
Communion Hymn	Pass It On	#477				
Invitation to Christ's	Table	Rev. William Brown				
Prayer for the Bread	and Cup	Elder				
Communion Music My Shepherd Will Supply My Need - Gordon Young						
Words of Institution		Rev. William Brown				
Taking of the Bread and Cup Together						
*Closing Hymn	We Call Ourselves Disciples	#357 (vs 1,3, & 5)				
*Blessings and Benediction						
*Postlude	Praise to the Lord - Gordon Young					

Upcoming Events:

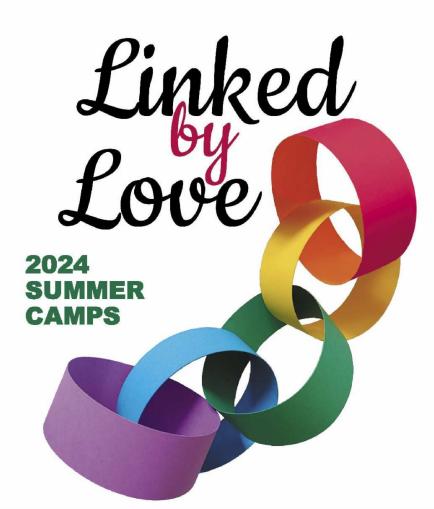
Sunday:	2/4	09:30 am 10:30 am Following Worship 1:30 pm	Coffee Hour Sunday Morning Worship Elder's Meeting - Library Stonebridge Nursing Home Worship Service
	2/6	6:30 pm	Sacred Spaces Meeting - LIbrary
Sunday:	2/11	09:30 am 10:30 am	Coffee Hour Sunday Morning Worship



The Church Office Hours have changed to:

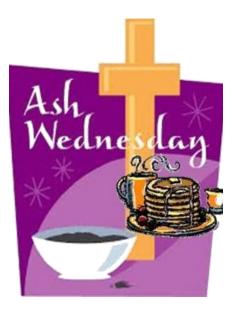
Monday: 9:00 am – 2:00 pm Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm Friday: Closed

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



You and Me 1 (3 days)	June 10-12	(age 5+ and an adult)				
New Beginnings (3 days)) June 12-14	(completed gr. 1-3)				
You and Me 2 (3 days)	June 14-16	(ages 5+ and an adult)	X			
CROSS (Sports)	June 17-22	(completed gr. 6-8; 9-12)				
Explorers	June 24-29	(completed gr. 4-5)				
High School	July 1-6	(completed gr. 9-12)				
Middle School	July 8-13	(completed gr. 6-8)				
M.A.D. (Music, Art, Drama)	July 15-20	(completed gr. 6-8; 9-12)				
ALL CAMPS AT BEDFORD						

Fees: 6-day camps: \$440; 3-day camps: \$260 (subtract \$25 before May 15th registrations) Visit indianadisciples.org for Bedford camp registration/info.



Pancakes to Ashes The Worship Ministry will host a Pancake Supper on Wednesday, February 14, 5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. You are invited to enjoy some pancakes with your church family.

At **6:30 pm** will be our Ash Wednesday Service, which marks the first day of Lent and the beginning of forty days of repentance and prayer.



The Coldest Night of the Year 5k/1m is a frostastic, family friendly fundraiser to increase awareness about homelessness and raise funds for the Men's Warming Shelter. The event will be at 5pm Saturday, Feb 24th, with start, finish, and meal following all at First Christian Church, 1101 15th St. Register today at <u>www.cnoy.com/bedford</u> and join our church team First Christian Church. Let's walk together...because it's cold out there!

Prayer List: Paula Beaton Levi Chisholm Janet Cooper Leo Coulter Tina Corum Pat East Chantell Emberton Olive Embree and the Ryan Embree Family Aaron Evans' Family Dave Facion's Family Finney Family Jerry Francis Ariene Gilbert James Hackney

Karen Hackney Liam Harting Gloria Hilkey Ethan Holsapple **Ainsley Jefferies Beth Joyner** Judy Juranek Van Kavanaugh Defne Leonard Danny Lyons Wanda McPike Dan Merchant's Family William Metz Cannon Mills Sheila Miskuf Patricia Morris

Shelly Perrson Emily Roberts Rita Roberts Betty Robbins Sydney Sowders Shirley Stroud Candy Sykes Tim Tincher Greg VanCleave Mark Wingo Nathan Witt Ridge Wolka Fred Wolka Sr. Kathy Wray Roger Wykoff

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

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 Waggoner (208)

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