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Today:	8/6	09:30 am 10:30 am Following Worship	Coffee Hour Worship Elders Meeting
Tuesday:	8/8	2:00 pm	Bible Study
Sunday:	8/13	09:30 am 10:30 am	Coffee Hour Worship
Tuesday	8/15	5:30 pm	Board Meeting



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Reaching Outward to Connect People with God's Abundance



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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 Voluntary on "Westminster Abbey" - Paul Manz

Welcome and Announcements Rev. William Brown

***Opening Hymn** This Is the Day #286

***Call to Worship** Worship Leader

Leader: The LORD is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

All: The LORD is good to all, and filled with compassion.

Leader: The LORD upholds all who are falling, and raises up all who are bowed down.

All: The LORD is kind and just.

Leader: The LORD is near to all who call upon the LORD.

All: The LORD hears their cries and saves them.

Leader: The LORD watches over all who love the LORD.

All: We will speak the praises of the LORD forever and ever. Amen.

Lord's Prayer All

Scripture Matthew 14:13-21 (NRSV) Worship Leader

Special Music Amazing Grace - trad./Fred Bock
Cathy Allman - Piano & Mary Ruth Yates - Organ

Proclamation	Sharing God's Abundance	Rev. William Brown
*Hymn of Discipleship	Be Thou My Vision	#595 (vs. 1, 3 & 4)
*Invitation to Giving		Rev. William Brown
*Doxology		All
*Prayer of Dedication		Elder
Communion Hymn	Bread of the World, in Mercy Broken	#387
Invitation to Christ's Table		Rev. William Brown
Prayer for the Bread and Cup		Elder
Communion Music	Be Thou My Vision - arr. Dale Wood	
Words of Institution		Rev. William Brown
Taking of the Bread and Cup Together		
*Closing Hymn	Here I Am Lord	#452
*Blessings and Benediction		
*Postlude	Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee - Beethoven/Bock	

A photograph of the entrance to Camp Bedford. Two stone pillars frame a gravel path leading into a wooded area. A sign on the left pillar reads "BEDFORD CHRISTIAN CAMP 1951".

**Camp Bedford First Christian Church
Worship and Picnic
Sunday, August 27, 2023**

Worship will be held at 10:30am

Lunch will follow at Noon

**The church will provide the Meat, Drinks, Paper Plates,
and Plastic Silverware. . .please bring a Side Dish
and/or Dessert to share.**

The pool will be open after lunch.

**Dress in your comfy clothes, bring a swimsuit, towel
and join your church family for this fun filled day at our
beautiful camp.**

SERVING SCHEDULE: AUGUST

Elder: **Barbara Sorrells**

Greeters

15th St **Pat Bell**

K St **Cathy Allman**

Canopy **Becky Wright**



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.





Outreach Committee Ministry

We are collecting
DIAPERS AND BABY FOOD
during the month of **AUGUST**
for **L.I.F.E. Pantry.**

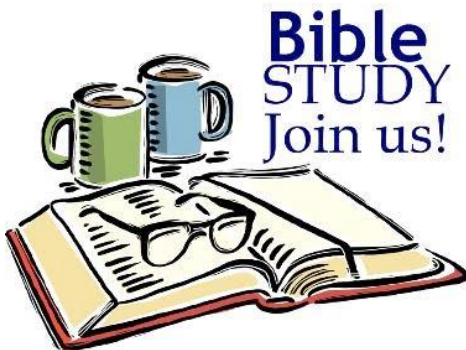
Please place all packages in the baskets located in the foyer. *Any food or items you wish to donate are welcome any month.*

Join us for Bible Study each Tuesday at 2:00 pm

We will meet in the Library or if you want to attend via zoom, please follow this link:

<https://us05web.zoom.us/j/82903218536?pwd=Ri8vTVFGbHo5Um0weVExVkZCaDNZUT09>

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Nursing Home Ministry

Johnson Christian Village
7102 IN-158, Bedford

**The third Thursday of each month
at 2:00 pm.**

If you would like to assist with Nursing Home
Worship, Pastor Will plans to leave the church
around **1:30** on Thursday. Any are welcome
to be at the service, or ride along.



The following folks are listed on our Homebound Communion List. They are visited by Pastor Will and at least once a month by the Elders and Deacons, who serve them communion. There have been a few that have requested visits more often. If anyone has a few minutes to visit these folks and make their day brighter, please do. A nursing home can be a lonely place and by taking a few minutes out of your day, for a short visit, will bring a smile to these folks and their families. They want to know they have not been forgotten. If you would like to call the nursing home before you visit, the phone numbers are listed below:

Autumn Trace 2910 Evergreen Dr, 812-329-6225

Betty Wagoner Room 110

Stonebridge Health Campus 3100 Shawnee Dr. South, 812-278-8195

Carol Mifflin Room 502

Paul Miller Room 516

Carolyn Tumey Room 109

Sharon Wagoner Room 209