

06.05.2022

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, REMINDERS AND EVENTS

**Graduation Sunday:** Today we honor our graduating high school seniors and invite everyone to stay for a fellowship lunch with a special cake honoring the graduates.

**Bold Faith Praise Service** -- Join Christians from around the community for a time of worship and celebration today at 5:00 p.m. at "The Bowl" at Northview Christian Church in Coldwater. Bring a lawn chair.

**MINNET** -- Our ministry teams will meet after worship service next Sunday, June 12 to plan the summer ministries. Everyone is welcome to join a team!

**Women's Fellowship** -- Their next meeting is June 14 at 1:00 p.m. Staff from Tommy's House will given an update on their ministry. During the month of June, Women's Fellowship is collecting items for the [\*The Naomi Davis Shelterhouse\*](#). There are lists of current needs in the lobby.

**Blooming Faith** -- Six Saturday morning devotional times for women this summer at [\*Little Hands Garden\*](#). Pick up information in the lobby.

**VBS Day Camp** -- June 20-23 for kids entering kindergarden through 6th grade in the fall. Information letters and registration forms are in the lobby. Cost is \$30.00 per child if registered by June 1, \$40.00 after. Please see either of the pastors if you can help as a volunteer. **Please note:** Pastor Dave is in need of small finishing hammers for a camp craft. If you have one he can borrow, please make sure your name is on it.

**For Our Little Ones:** We have a "Cry Room" at the back of the sanctuary for parents and small children to use. Toddlers through 5th grade will be dismissed during worship if they wish to attend Children's Church.

**Ways to Give:** Offering plates are in the lobby. Donations can be made on-line by going to [bethelgilead.org](https://bethelgilead.org) (Donate tab), or by scanning the QR code to the left and using PayPal. You can authorize a monthly debit from your bank account by completing a form (on the information desk in the lobby)



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*Be the Church*

*Live the Life*

*Extend the Kingdom*

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**Call to Worship:**      *Soon and Very Soon*

**Announcements and Opening Prayer**

**Opening worship:**      *Confidence*  
                                 *Blessed Be Your Name*  
                                 *Great is Thy Faithfulness*  
                                 *Cornerstone*

**Special Music:**      *I Wish We'd All Been Ready*

### **A Matter of the Mind**

*For we have the mind of Christ. ([1 Corinthians 2:16](#))*

**Introduction:**      **"Summer-set" 2022**

- I.      The First Avenue of Spiritual Experience
  - The Gospel is a message that appeals to the mind.
  - Worship is an intellectual pursuit.
  - Discipleship is a daily decision.
  - Spiritual Growth = Head --> Heart --> Hands -->
- II. .      Clarifying Concepts
  - Mind - base of consciousness, seat of human personality
  - Soul -- capacity for intellect, emotions + will
  - Brain -- houses the mind
  - Thoughts (ideas, concepts, beliefs, choices)--functions of the mind
  - Spirit -- internal, invisible eternal aspects of our personality
- III.      The Marvels of the Human Brain

*I am fearfully and wonderfully made ([Psalm 139:14](#))*
- IV.      The Christian Life - "A Matter of the Mind"

*Love the Lord your God with all your.....mind ([Matthew 22:37](#))*  
*For we have the mind of Christ ([1 Corinthians 2:16](#))*  
*But I am afraid that...your minds might be led astray ([2Cor. 11:3](#))*

### **Application**

*Prepare your minds for action ([1 Peter 1:13](#))*

1. Offer your mind to God as an instrument of righteousness.
2. Develop and broaden your intellect..
3. Deepen your knowledge (experience) of God.

**Closing Song:**      *The Blessing*

### Our Mission

*"We honor God through regularly assembling together to worship Him as Lord,  
study and obey His word, and attend to the needs of His people.  
When we leave, we go out commissioned as Christ's representatives  
to a needy world."*

## **Live the Life with Prayer**

### Recent additions

Don Rubley -- bladder cancer  
Smith Family -- death of Emily's aunt  
Austin Greer -- emergency surgery to remove intestinal tumor  
Norm and Betty Carpenter  
Avery and Erica Rose -- pregnancy concerns

### Praises

Dee Eley -- recovering from shoulder surgery  
Becky Smotherman -- recovering from shoulder surgery  
Rick Butters - eyesight improving  
Larry Lindsey -- recovering from back surgery  
Many who have recovered from Covid-19

### Continue to Remember Those in Need

Joyce Byler -- cancer  
Tom Schoenherr --bladder concerns  
The Carpenter Family  
Al Miller -- recovery from cancer treatment  
Dale Davis -- dialysis and chemo treatments  
Russ Heckathorn -- immunotherapy for lung cancer  
Lisa Franks -- pain management

### Remember Our Homebound/Shut In Members

Norita Skinner -- Maple Lawn  
Neil Hannah -- at home on hospice

Pray for our nation and the world during these uncertain days

