

Happy Father's Day -- Welcome to all our dads today. We have a small gift for you....please be sure to pick it up before you leave and enjoy your day!!

Thank You -- Thanks to all who helped out with the garage sale. We raised \$2500 for the Tijuana mission trip in November.

VBS/Day Camp -- This week, Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. *Cookie donations may be left in the kitchen.....thank you!!*

Women's Fellowship is collecting items for the *Shelterhouse* in the month of June. Suggested donations are personal toiletries and paper products. Please leave them in the fellowship hall.

Church Council meets next Sunday, June 27, following worship service.

En Gedi Music Festival -- a two day event in Leonidas featuring artists Mandisa, Colton Dixon and Rhett Walker is on July 23-24, 2021. For more information, go to www.engedimusicfest.com or see Melissa Houtz.

Ways to Give: Offering plates are in the lobby. Donations can be made online by going to 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 or contact the office).



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Be the Church

Live the Life

Extend the Kingdom

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Opening Worship:

Ain't It Grand to Be a Christian
He's Alive
Sea Walker
Oh How He Loves
Lord You Are
Take My Life/Fully Alive

Message:

21 Great Saints

...Imitate their faith ([Hebrews 13:7](#))

Introduction:

Finish Strong!

I. ([2 Kings 12:1-3](#)) The Story of Joash

*The context of his rise to power ([2 Kings 11:1-3](#))

*The influence of Jehoida ([2 Kings 11:4-21](#))

II. ([2 Kings 12:4-5](#)) A Royal Project

*Refurbishing the temple ([2 Chronicles 24:7](#))

III. ([2 Kings 12:6-15](#)) A Royal Problem

*The problem of procrastination

*Energizing action -- Finish what you've started

*Managing money

Unfinished Business

*Personal Projects?

*People Projects? (Needs, concerns, opportunities)

*Church Projects

Application

Run with perseverance the race marked out for you ([Hebrews 12:1](#))

1. Will you finish strong?

2. What projects are withstanding in your life?

3. Can you determine what is ultimately worth doing? If so, do it now!

Closing Song:

Take My Life/Full Alive

Live the Life with Prayer



Recent additions

Becky Smotherman -- pain in shoulders and neck
Neil Hannah -- heart and lung issues
Sue Craft -- sciatic nerve issues
Emily Britton -- knee surgery complications
Jonas Rigg -- sciatic nerve issues -- in rehab in Ft. Wayne
Lisa Franks -- pain management
Dale Davis - dialysis and chemo treatments

Praise

Tim and Kristi Long's new son -- Mark Emmanuel -- born May 28

Continue to Remember Those in Need

Jennie deAraujo's cousin's son, Nate, pray for strength and immunity
Russ Heckathorn -- immunotherapy for lung cancer
Steve Byler's sister, Joyce - cancer
Bart Burnside -- health issues
Arwen Mallay -- twelve-year-old being treated for stage 4 neuroblastoma

Remember Our Homebound/Shut In Members

Norita Skinner -- Maple Lawn
Shirley Bogen -- Drew's Place

Pray for our nation during these uncertain days

*"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."*

Ain't It Grand to Be a Christian

Ain't it grand to be a Christian
ain't it grand
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ain't it grand
On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,
Thursday, Friday, Saturday
and all day Sunday!
Ain't it grand to be a Christian
ain't it grand

He's Alive

*Chorus: He's alive (clap 10X)
I can see above the clouds
and I can hear Him call my name out loud*

*He has come that I might have life
and more life than I have had before
He's alive (clap 10X)*

Sea Walker

To see the sea walker
the blind man healer
the leper cleansing man from
Galilee, Ye Ha!
He's my soul saver,
the one who set me free
Take His hand and walk with me.

Oh How He Loves You and Me

O, how He loves you and me
O, how He loves you and me.
He gave His life
what more could He give
O, how He loves you
O, how He loves me
O, how He loves you and me.

Jesus to Calvary did go
His love for mankind to show
What He did there
brought hope from despair
O, how He loves you
O, how He loves me
O, how He loves you and me

Lord You Are

Lord, You are more precious than silver
Lord, You are more costly than gold
Lord, You are more beautiful than diamonds
And nothing I desire compares with You.

Lord, your love is deeper than the ocean
Lord, Your love is wider than the skies
Lord, Your love encompasses the nations
and nothing I desire compares with You.

Take My Life/Fully Alive

Take my life, a living sacrifice
Knowing it's the least that I can do
Take my life, a living sacrifice
Holy and acceptable to you
Holy and acceptable to you.

Fully alive in your Spirit
Lord make me fully alive
Fully aware of your presence, Lord
Totally, fully alive
Totally, fully alive.