

**Harvest Table** -- “Leave some, take some” extra produce from the garden on the table in the lobby.

**Kids Day** -- If you can help out at this year’s *Polish Festival Kids Day* on Friday, July 16 from 10:00 a.m. to noon, join the Outreach Team in the fellowship hall after worship for a short meeting.

**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](http://www.engedimusicfest.com) or see Melissa Houtz.

**LifeWalk&Run** -- Saturday, August 7 at First Baptist Church in Coldwater. A 5K run and 1 mile walk, plus lots of other activities, all to benefit Beginnings Care for Life Center. Registration forms are in the lobby or go to [www.beginningscare.com](http://www.beginningscare.com)

**Branch County Right to Life** will have a booth at the 4-H Fair, August 8-14 and could use some volunteers for shifts 11-3, 3-7 and 7 til closing. Please see Jennie deAraujo (or call 517-260-9962) if you can help.



**Ways to Give:** Offering plates are in the lobby. Donations can be made online by going to [bethelgilead.org](http://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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**Call to Worship:** Come Now is the Time  
**Opening Worship:** My Lighthouse  
One Day (When We All Get to Heaven)  
Eyes Open  
Lord I Need You

**Message:** **21 Great Saints**  
....Imitate their faith ([Hebrews 13:7](#))

*Introduction:* Daniel + Co. -- Moral Resolve  
But Daniel resolved not to defile himself...(Daniel 1:8)

- I. ([Daniel 1:7](#)) Exiled to Babylon  
\*Victims or Victors? ([2 Corinthians 3:14](#))
- II. ([Daniel 1:8-16](#)) Keeping the Faith  
\*Levels of Belief: Opinions, persuasions, convictions
- III. ([Daniel 1:17-21; 2:48-49](#)) One Fruit of the Faith = Influence!  
\*Developing God given gifts  
\*Faith under fire ([chapters 3-6](#)) Government edicts, fiery furnaces, hungry lions!  
\*Visions of the future ([chapters 7-12](#))
- IV. Standing Firm in Shaky Times ([Isaiah 7:9](#))  
([Galatians 5:1; Ephesians 6:11, 1 Corinthians 16:13, Jude 24](#))  
  
But he always leads us in triumph and through us spreads everywhere  
the fragrance of the knowledge of him. ([2 Corinthians 2:14](#))

### **Application**

1. What resolutions have you made with your life?
2. Do you tend to see yourself as a victim or a victor?
3. What shaky situation has God called you to "stand firm" in at this time?

**Closing Song:** The Blessing

## Live the Life with Prayer



### Recent additions

Sarah Jane Fair -- recovering from fall  
Jen Byler -- diverticulitis  
Becky Smotherman -- sinus infection  
Neil Hannah -- heart and lung issues  
Sue Craft -- sciatic nerve issues  
Jonas Rigg -- sciatic nerve issues  
Lisa Franks -- pain management  
Dale Davis - dialysis and chemo treatments

### Praise

Tim and Kristi Long's new son -- Mark Emmanuel -- born May 28  
Emily Britton -- successful knee transplant

### Continue to Remember Those in Need

Jennie deAraujo's cousin's son, Nate, pray for strength and immunity  
Russ Heckathorn -- immunotherapy for lung cancer  
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."

### **Come, Now is the Time to Worship**

Come, now is the time to worship  
Come, now is the time to give your heart  
Come, just as you are to worship  
Come, just as you are before your God  
Come.....

One day every tongue will confess you are God  
One day every knee will bow  
Still the greatest treasure remains for those  
who will gladly choose You now.

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Come, now is the time to give your heart  
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Come, just as you are before your God  
Come.....

One day every tongue will confess you are God  
One day every knee will bow  
Still the greatest treasure remains for those  
who will gladly choose You now. (2 x)

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Come, just as you are before your God  
Come.....

### **My Lighthouse**

In my wrestling and in my doubts  
In my failures you won't walk out  
Your great love will lead me through  
You are the peace in my troubled sea  
You are the peace in my troubled sea.

In the silence You won't let go  
In the questions, Your truth will hold  
Your great love will lead me through  
You are the peace in my troubled sea  
You are the peace in my troubled sea.

My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse  
shining in the darkness  
I will follow You!  
Oh, my Lighthouse, my lighthouse  
I will trust the promise:  
You will carry me safe to shore,  
safe to shore, safe to shore, safe to shore.

I won't fear what tomorrow brings  
with each morning, I'll rise and sing  
My God's love will lead me through  
You are the peace in my troubled sea  
You are the peace in my troubled sea.

My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse  
shining in the darkness  
I will follow You!  
Oh, my Lighthouse, my lighthouse  
I will trust the promise:  
You will carry me safe to shore,  
safe to shore, safe to shore, safe to shore.

Fire before us  
You're the brightest  
You will lead us through the storms  
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Fire before us  
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You will lead us through the storms

My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse  
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I will follow You!  
Oh, my Lighthouse, my lighthouse  
I will trust the promise:  
You will carry me safe to shore,  
safe to shore, safe to shore, safe to shore.

### One Day (When We All Get to Heaven)

One day You'll make everything new Jesus  
One day You will bind every wound  
The former things shall all pass away  
No more tears

One day You'll make sense of it all Jesus  
One day every question resolved  
Every anxious thought left behind  
No more fear

When we all get to heaven  
What a day of rejoicing that will be  
When we all see Jesus  
We'll sing and shout the victory.

One day we will see face to face  
Is there a greater vision of grace  
And in a moment we shall be changed  
On that day  
And one day we'll be free, free indeed Jesus  
One day all this struggle will cease  
And we will see your glory revealed  
On that day.

When we all get to heaven  
What a day of rejoicing that will be  
When we all see Jesus  
We'll sing and shout the victory.

Yes, one day we will see face to face Jesus  
Is there a greater vision of grace  
and in a moment we shall be changed  
Yes, in a moment we shall be changed  
On that day.

When we all get to heaven  
What a day of rejoicing that will be  
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### Eyes Open

Here I am  
in this place of worship,  
Eyes open (eyes open)  
drinking in your strength and glory  
Eyes open (eyes open)

In your generous love  
I'm really living  
My lips sing Your praise  
I bless Your name (repeat vs)

Here I am  
in this place of worship,  
Eyes open (eyes open)  
drinking in your strength and glory  
Eyes open (eyes open)

Lifting my hands  
In complete surrender  
Lifting my heart  
in reverent awe (repeat vs)

Here I am  
in this place of worship,  
Eyes open (eyes open)  
drinking in your strength and glory  
Eyes open (eyes open)

Take a good look  
at God's wonders  
they'll take your breath away

Take a good look  
at God's wonders  
they'll take your breath away  
When your eyes are open

Here I am  
in this place of worship,  
Eyes open (eyes open)  
drinking in your strength and glory  
Eyes open (eyes open)

Here I am  
in this place of worship,  
Eyes open (eyes open)  
drinking in your strength and glory  
Eyes open (eyes open)

Oh, Lord You're beautiful  
Your face is all I seek  
and when Your eyes are on this child  
Your grace abounds to me

### Lord, I Need You

Lord, I come, I confess  
Bowing here I find my rest  
Without You I fall apart  
You're the One that guides my heart

Lord, I need You, oh, I need You  
Every hour I need You  
My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh God, how I need You

Where sin runs deep Your grace is more  
Where grace is found is where You are  
Where You are, Lord, I am free  
Holiness is Christ in me

Lord, I need You, oh, I need You  
Every hour I need You  
My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh God, how I need You

So teach my song to rise to You  
When temptation comes my way  
When I cannot stand I'll fall on You  
Jesus, You're my hope and stay

Lord, I need You, oh I need You  
Every hour I need You  
My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh God, how I need You

You're my one defense, my righteousness  
Oh, God how I need You  
My one defense, my righteousness  
Oh, God how I need You

### The Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you  
Make His face to shine upon you  
and be gracious to you  
The Lord turn His face toward you  
and give you peace

Amen  
Amen, Amen

Amen  
Amen, Amen