

20 September  
Sunday

## ANNOUNCEMENTS, REMINDERS AND EVENTS

**Summer's End Celebration and Hog Roast** -- next Sunday, September 27, following worship service.

**Silent Auction** -- During the Hog Roast there will be a Silent Auction to benefit the Tijuana Missions. If you have handmade items or baked goods, please use the sign up sheet in the lobby, then bring them that morning or drop them off this week. Baked good boxes will be available for packaging.

**A Call to Prayer** -- Join Christians from around Branch County to pray for our nation on Sunday, September 27 at 4:00 p.m. at the four corners in Coldwater. More information coming soon.

**Ways to help:** In lieu of large gatherings, here are some alternative events:

**"We Are Not Giving Up On Life"** -- a virtual statewide event by *Right to Life of Michigan* -- September 28 at 7:30 p.m. Sign up at [WeAreNotGivingUpOnLife.org](http://WeAreNotGivingUpOnLife.org).

**"Taste and See" Walk-Through Banquet** -- *Beginnings Care for Life* is hosting pre-scheduled small group tours of their facility and ministry on October 8, 9, and 10. Refreshments will be served. If you want to join a group, please let Linda Penn know so she can make reservations.

**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. If you would like an automatic debit once a month, pick up a *Giving Authorization Form* in the lobby and turn it into the office with a voided check.



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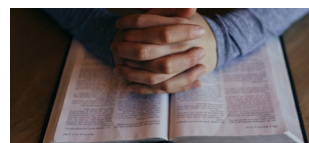
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*Live the Life*



*Be the Church*



*Extend the Kingdom*



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"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."

## Order of Worship

### Opening Worship/Communion:

*Holy Spirit You Are Welcome Here*

*Build Your Kingdom Here*

*Confidence*

*Cornerstone*

### Message: The Church in Action (The Book of Acts)

#### Introduction: The National Honors Society

*(Leadership – Scholarship – Character – Service)*

#### I. Timothy -- Aspiring to Christian Leadership

\*Leadership = Influence ("Ministry")

Called and commissioned ([Acts 16:1-3](#), [2 Timothy 1:5](#), [18-19](#))

#### II. Components of Spiritual Leadership

##### Biblical Scholarship

Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a workman who does not need to be ashamed, correctly handling the word of truth. ([2 Timothy 2:15](#))

All scripture is God breathed..... ([2 Timothy 3:16-17](#))

##### Christian Character

Set an example in speech, life, love, faith and purity. ([1 Timothy 4:12](#))

\*Godliness ([1 Timothy 4:7-8](#); [6:6](#), [11-12](#))

##### Gifted Service

Fan into flame the gift you were given.....([2 Timothy 1:6-7](#))

Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others.

([1 Peter 4:10](#))

#### III. Leadership Development

Growing F.A.T. Christians: (FAITHFUL, AVAILABLE, TEACHABLE)

The things you heard me say entrust to faithful men.....([2 Timothy 2:1-7](#))

### Application

1. Do you aspire to Christian leadership?
2. Are you committed to NHS principles? (Scholarship -- Character -- Service)
3. Are you F.A.T.? -- Faithful? Available? Teachable?

*"Every Member a Minister"*

Closing Song: *Spirit of the Living God*

## Live the Life with Prayer



### Recent additions

The family of Rick Wilcox

Dale Davis -- recuperating from carotid artery surgery

The family of Cenorina Alberran

The family of Kim Burnside

Sue Craft -- husband Bob passed away

Jennie deAraujo's cousin's son, Nate, battling infection after transplant

### Praises

Quinn Alece Dules -- born to Chance and Kylei Dules on August 20.

Byler family - recovered from Corona Virus

### Continue to Remember Those in Need

Ron Will -- being fitted for a glass eye

Jay Brinkman -- brain tumor

Steve Byler's sister, Joyce - cancer

Dan Minard -- Dave's brother; pancreatic cancer

Sharon Shyrigh -- kidney concerns

Kathy Will's sister, Chris -- heart problems

Charlie Nussbaum -- 7 year old with brain tumor

Frank Cabrera's brother - Tito, cirrhosis of liver

Melissa Houtz's cousin, Holly Haynes Lamb -- colon cancer

Diane Dudley's brother, Doug, -- lung cancer

Sarah Jane Fair - back and hip pain

Jim Wickey -- several health issues

Neil Hannah -- heart and lung issues

Kristi Long's dad -- prostate 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

Eric Smotherman -- COPD

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here  
Come flood this place  
and fill the atmosphere  
Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for  
To be overcome by Your presence, Lord  
Your presence, Lord (repeat)

Your Presence, Lord.....  
Holy Spirit, You are welcome here  
Come flood this place  
and fill the atmosphere  
Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for  
To be overcome by Your presence, Lord  
Your presence, Lord

Your Presence, Lord  
Your Presence  
Oh God, how we love Your Presence

Let us become more aware of Your Presence  
Let us experience the glory of Your Goodness (3X)  
Lord

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here  
Come flood this place  
and fill the atmosphere  
Your glory, God is what our hearts long for  
To be overcome by Your presence, Lord  
Your presence, Lord (2X)

**Build Your Kingdom Here**

Come set Your rule and reign  
In our hearts again  
Increase in us we pray  
Unveil why we're made  
Come set our hearts ablaze with hope  
Like wildfire in our very souls

We are your church  
We need your power  
in us

Build Your kingdom here  
Let the darkness fear  
Show Your mighty hand  
heal our streets and land  
Set Your church on fire  
Win this nation back  
Change the atmosphere  
Build Your kingdom here we pray

We seek Your kingdom first  
We hunger and we thirst  
refuse to waste our lives  
for You our joy and prize  
To see the captive hearts released  
The hurt, the sick, the poor at peace  
We lay down our lives for  
heaven's cause

We are Your church  
We pray revive  
This earth

Build Your kingdom here  
Let the darkness fear  
Show Your mighty hand  
heal our streets and land  
Set Your church on fire  
Win this nation back  
Change the atmosphere  
Build Your kingdom here we pray

Unleash Your kingdom's power  
Reaching the near and far  
No force of hell can stop  
Your beauty changing hearts  
You made us for much more  
than this  
Awake the kingdom see in us  
Fill us with the strength and love of Christ.

We are Your church  
we are the hope  
on earth

Build Your kingdom here  
Let the darkness fear  
Show Your mighty hand  
heal our streets and land  
Set Your church on fire  
Win this nation back  
Change the atmosphere  
Build Your kingdom here we pray

### **Confidence**

I'm not a warrior, I'm too afraid to lose  
I feel unqualified for what You're calling me to  
But Lord with Your strength  
I've got no excuse  
'Cause broken people  
are exactly who You use.

So give me faith like Daniel in the lion's den  
Give me hope like Moses in the wilderness  
Give me a heart like David  
Lord be my defense  
So I can face my giants with confidence.

You took a shepherd boy and made him a king  
So I'm gonna trust You  
and give You everything  
I'll be a conqueror,  
'cause You fight for me  
I'll be a champion claiming Your victory.

So give me faith like Daniel in the lion's den  
Give me hope like Moses in the wilderness  
Give me a heart like David  
Lord be my defense  
So I can face my giants with confidence.

I'm gonna sing and shout  
and shake the walls  
I won't stop until I see them fall  
I'm gonna stand up, step out  
when You call  
Jesus, Jesus

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and shake the walls  
I won't stop until I see them fall  
I'm gonna stand up, step out  
when You call  
Jesus

Give me faith like Daniel in the lion's den  
Give me hope like Moses in the wilderness  
Give me a heart like David  
Lord be my defense  
So I can face my giants with confidence, yeah!

Give me faith like Daniel in the lion's den  
Give me hope like Moses in the wilderness  
Give me a heart like David  
Lord be my defense  
So I can face my giants with confidence.  
I'll face my giants with confidence.

### **Cornerstone**

My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame  
But wholly trust in Jesus' name

Christ alone, Cornerstone  
Weak made strong  
in the Savior's love  
Through the storm  
He is Lord  
Lord of all

When darkness seems  
to hide His face  
I rest on His unchanging grace  
in every high and stormy gale  
My anchor holds within the veil  
My anchor holds within the veil

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Weak made strong  
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Through the storm  
He is Lord  
Lord of all

He is Lord  
Lord of all  
(repeat)

Christ alone, Cornerstone  
Weak made strong  
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Lord of all (2X)

### **Spirit of the Living God**

Spirit of the living God  
Fall fresh on me  
Spirit of the living God  
Fall fresh on me

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me  
Spirit of the living God  
Fall fresh on me.