Call to Worship:Come, Now Is the Time to WorshipAnnouncements and Opening PrayerOpening Worship:Days of ElijahWe Believe

Goodness of God Good, Good Father

A Firm Foundation

(Matthew 7:24-25) BULLSEYE!

I. What's the Point?.....LIFE!

*I have come that you might have life (<u>John 10:10</u>) *Small is the gate and narrow is the road that leads to life (<u>Matthew 7:14</u>) *Two paths, one choice, three destinies. Choose wisely!

II. Jesus -- the Source of Life (John 1:3) In him was life (John 6:35) I am the bread of life. (John 10:10) I came that you might have life. (John 10:28) I give my sheep eternal life. (John 11:25) I am the resurrection and the life. (John 14:6) I am the way the truth and the life.

(<u>lohn 20:31</u>) By believing you might have life.

III. The Mission Dollar Question

What must I do to have eternal life? (<u>Matthew 19:</u>) The gift of God is eternal life..... (<u>Romans 6:23</u>) This is the testimony, God has given us eternal life..... (<u>I_John 5:11-13</u>)

Application

"The Arrowhead Test"

What kind of person are you?
What are you shooting at?

3. Will you hit the bullseye?

Closing Song: The

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"

Prayer Concerns

Recent additions

Joe Smotherman -- blood clots on lungs David and Mindy Fuchs -- moving to West Virginia Norita Skinner -- in hospice care Dawn Bennett -- recovering from surgery Bruce Kaufman -- recovering from surgery The family of Cathy Overholt, Jack Florent's sister-in-law The family of Cathy Overholt, Jack Florent's sister-in-law The family of Kathy Will The deAraujo family -- loss of grandson, Luke The family of Donna Johnson -- Doug's mother The family of Sherry McNees The Wickey Family -- loss of grandson and nephew Angelina James -- treatment for Chronic Fatigue Syndrome

Continue to Remember Those in Need

Jim Wickey -- lower back pain Tim McKinley -- treatment for digestive issues The Carpenter Family Dale Davis -- dialysis and cancer treatment Lisa Franks -- pain management

Remember Our Homebound/Shut In Members

Betty Carpenter -- Laurels Don Rubley -- at home

Pray for our nation and the world during these uncertain days

10.22.2023

Welcome to our worship service. We are glad you are joining us today! There is extra seating available in our fellowship hall. Kindly silence your phone before service.

Adult Ed Classes Today -- <u>Grief Share</u> meets in the overflow room; <u>Gear-ing Up for the Top Five Storms of Life</u> meets in the fellowship hall.

Church Council Meeting: Today following classes. The congregation is welcome to sit in on the meeting.

Video series -- If you have borrowed the "*American Heritage*" video series, please return it to the church library for use by a small group. Thank you!

Drivers needed: If you can help with rides for Sarah Boyer in the next couple of weeks, please sign up in the lobby or call the church office. Thank you!

Women's Fellowship -- During the month of October they will be collecting items for *Foster Closet of Branch County*. There is a list of current needs in the lobby. Please place your donations on the table in the fellowship hall.... thank you!

Nominations for Church Council -- Nominations are open for three positions on the church council. Nominations are open today and the forms must be turned in to a member of the Finance Team by October 29. Forms are available in the lobby.



Michigan March for Life -- Wednesday, November 8. There is a bus going to Lansing from Coldwater. More information is in the lobby.

Peace-today.com-- an online resource for podcasts, books, research and testimonials on some of the topics from this summer's sermon series. Scan the QR code to the left or pick up a flier in the lobby.



Ways to Give: Offering plates are in the lobby. Donations can be made online by going to <u>bethelgilead.org</u> (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 (contact the office).

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