



Morning Worship October 13, 2024

Welcome & Announcements

Ministry Minute - Operation Christmas Child

Call to Worship

Songs of Praise

His Mercy Is More Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Scripture Reading & Corporate Prayer

John 1:1-18

Songs of Praise

Joy to the World Show Us Christ

Message - Pastor Zach Dudenhofer

Divine Splendor in a Simple Birth Luke 2:1-7

Song of Praise

Praise the Father, Praise the Son

Presentation of New Members

this week's opportunities

Today 9:00a Sunday School

10:00a Kids' Worship Practice, Room 114

10:30a Worship Service

5:30 Marmon Valley Potluck & Hayrides

PM Growth Groups, Various Times

Tue. 9a/6:30 Ladies Bible Study

Wed. 7:00 Quarterly Business Mtg. | Youth Group | Bible Club

Thu. 2:30 Elders Meeting

Last Week at Grace

Sunday School: 176 AM Worship: 305 Growth Groups: 55 Wednesday: 115

Offering

General: \$11,849 Operation CC: \$200 Missions, Costa Rica: \$100 Benevolence: \$118

Children's Care

AM Infant: Kari Gantz, Kristy Gantz, Krissy Whitehead

AM Toddler: Daniel & Ashley Boy, Evie McGill

Children's Church: Donna Lou Erwin, Andrea Heater, Claire Heater

Child Check-in: Peggy Hormann

Overflow: Bethany Fitzgerald, Kimmy Tomlin

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Wed. Child Check-in: Susan Karg

Next Week: Kristen Brunner, Maddie McGill, Dixie Spain, Sarah Heater, Nancy Valentine, Brody Boy, Lisa Kitchen, April Wilson, Natalie Yoder

(Overflow: Sarah Fisher, Mary Ann McGill)

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please take note:

Flowers for this morning are presented by Jeremy and Gretchen Heater, in gratitude for the Lord's faithfulness throughout their 27 years of marriage.

Baptism – If you want to get baptized, please sign up in the foyer. Once signups are complete we will set a date for a Baptism Class.

Catechism, Week 6 – Q: Why did God give the Ten Commandments? **A:** God gave the Ten Commandments to reveal His character so that people might understand their need for forgiveness of sins through faith in Christ. **Galatians 3:24a**

Kids Christmas Musical – *The Power of the King*, Sunday, December 8th at 6:00. Kids in kindergarten-6th grade are invited to participate. Rehearsals are on Sundays at 10:00 in Room 114. There are also two mandatory Saturday rehearsals (November 30th & December 7th). See Susan Karg to fill out a participation form.

Marmon Valley Family Night – Tonight @ 5:30, we will have a potluck dinner and hayrides. This is a free event for the whole family – the church is providing hot dogs, buns, condiments, and tableware. Bring a dessert or side dish to share. Sign up in the foyer.

Operation Christmas Child – Our goal is to send 200 boxes this year and we are still about \$3000 short in our budget to reach it. Contributions can be placed in any of the offering boxes. **Shoebox Packing** is on Wednesday, October 23rd at 7:00, all teens and adults will participate. If you can help set up on Monday, October 21st, sign up in the foyer or contact Lane Yoder.

Pastor's Shelf – The Discipline of Grace, \$12.00 | "Renowned author Jerry Bridges offers a clear and thorough explanation of the gospel and what it means to the believer. A must-read for Christians wanting to grow in their faith, this book will comfort and challenge you as you learn about the disciplines of commitment, convictions, choices, adversity, and more."

Truth & Treat Outreach – Thursday, October 31st during West Liberty's Trick or Treat (6-7:30). Volunteers are needed to pass out bags of treats & tracts, and to sit in the church as a welcoming presence for those who come in to use the restroom. Sign up in the foyer.

Woman-to-Woman – Register by Oct. 21 at www.calvarybellefontaine.org.

Worship 4:24 – January 24-25 at Cedarville University. Members of the tech and musical worship teams are invited to attend; the church is covering the cost of registration. See the office to register.

This Week's Birthdays and Anniversaries:

- 13 Mia McGill, Joe & Lindsay Spiers
- 15 Victoria Chapman
- 16 Laura Holloway
- 18 Norah Janek, Aleah Prater

Our Heart: Christ Above All

Our church is driven by one great desire: to magnify and exalt Jesus Christ above all through our actions, ambitions, and affections. We long as a faith family to simply introduce people to Jesus; for we've discovered that to know Him is to love Him, and to love Him is to serve Him.

Our Spirit: A Place of Grace

We strive at Grace Chapel to be a place of grace - where everyone can come to know, grow in, and go out with the grace that is offered in Christ Jesus. In everything we do, we aim to unleash the Word, Throne, and Fellowship of Grace into others' lives, so that we might make and mature disciples of Jesus Christ.

Our Body: A Family of Faith

Our church body truly is a family: we are a vibrant and rapidly growing multigenerational church that is diverse in ages, backgrounds, and occupations, and united in the faith, love, and hope that is in Christ Jesus. We love, laugh, cry with and care for each other. And we seek to encourage one another daily in our walks with Christ so that others might know that we are His disciples.

We pray that you will taste a glimpse of the grace and love of Jesus while with us today!

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