

The Vision Newsletter

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From Our Interim Pastor:

Dear Church Family,

This summer has been an encouraging season in the life of our church, and I am grateful for the steady faithfulness I see in so many of you. Rather than slowing down, we are continuing to build momentum together, and that is a clear sign of the Lord's hand at work among us.

As we look ahead, it is important that we recognize this is not just a season of stability, but a season of opportunity. God is positioning us to move forward with renewed purpose. The strengthening of our youth and children's ministries, the unity among our people, and the consistency in worship and participation all point to a church that is ready to grow in both depth and reach.

In the coming weeks, Vacation Bible School will give us a wonderful opportunity to connect with children and families in our community. Let's approach this not simply as an event, but as a mission, praying expectantly that God will change lives through the truth of His Word.

Our continued study in Ephesians is grounding us in who we are in Christ, and our upcoming Wednesday night focus on the doctrines of the church will help us better understand who we are together as His body. These are not just studies—they are foundations for the future God is preparing for us.

As we gather around the Lord's Table later this month, we will be reminded that everything we do flows from the gospel of Jesus Christ; His sacrifice, His grace, and His call for us to live as His people on mission.

Thank you for your faithfulness in this important season. Patti and I are grateful to serve alongside you, and we are excited about what lies ahead. Let us continue moving forward together with clear purpose, strong faith, and a shared commitment to all that God has called us to be.

Children's Ministry News

Our biggest week of the year is almost here! VBS is coming July 13-16, and we can't wait to discover together how God is the Light of the World. We invite all children to join us for a fun-filled week of Bible lessons, music, games, crafts, and more.



Please take a moment to pre-register your child, you can use this QR code to register online. Pre-registration helps us prepare for everyone attending and ensures your child receives a VBS t-shirt. While we will accept walk-in registrations, we cannot guarantee a shirt will be available without pre-registration.



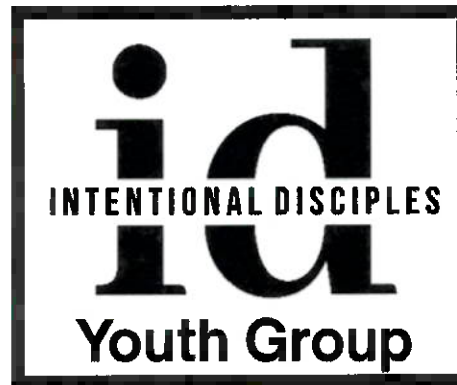
We look forward to seeing you at VBS!!

All children and parents, please be sure to read your bulletin each week, we have more fun activities planned for the children this summer.



the coming weeks.

We're planning a "Slip-N-Slide" July 29th at 6:00pm, AND a "Back to School Bash" on August 1st. Time and details will follow in



Meets each
Wednesday
at 6:30pm

Victory Sports Camp

July 6-July 10

Bethlehem Baptist Church

Sports in the morning, VBS in the afternoon. Youth participating will stay overnight at Pleasant Dale and will have worship at night.



This is an incredible week of sports, ministry, worship and fun! Workers must have completed 7th-

12th grade and workers stay at Pleasant Dale July 5th-10th. Campers must have completed 1st-6th grade. Please see Tyler for more information.

FRONTLINE BIKE NIGHT

July 24

7:00-8:00 PM

All youth are invited to Frontline Biker Church for Bike Night. Tyler

will be speaking on this night. We will eat, have a time of worship, and experience powerful ministry together. We will



carpool from Immanuel, meet at church at 6:00 PM if you would like to go.



We are going to Columbia on August 22nd to watch the Fireflies

play baseball. Don't care for baseball? No problem! There will be a Christian concert from 4:30-5:30, and fireworks following the game. Each guest will receive a free Fireflies baseball cap upon entry. Your portion of each ticket is only \$5. We will be paying the remaining \$6; therefore, your payment is due at the time of signup. They have lots of concessions so bring your spending money and enjoy some delicious ballpark snacks. Food is always better at the ballpark! Invite your friends and family and enjoy a wonderful afternoon together. If you need some extra encouragement, just ask those who went last year. I'm sure they will give this outing five stars.



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- 6 Nancy Hunter
Benji Riggins
- 8 Kay Turner
- 9 D.V. Lewis
- 10 Jo Askew
- 12 Kent Deese
Johnny Steele
- 14 Cameron Reynolds
- 17 Aaron Hegler
- 20 Quinton Rodgers
- 21 Braxton Riggins
- 22 Matt Hall
- 26 Bryce Blackmon
Jim Gheant
Landon McManus
- 27 Jenna Schwartz
- 29 Chandra Gamble
- 30 Michael Hendryx
- 31 Pam Burgess
Chucky Cox



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