Sunday, October 9, 2022 Worship Bulletin

Upcoming Anniversaries!!

Tues., Oct. 24th- Gregg & Vicki Miller

Prayer Concerns-

- Our deepest sympathies to Bob Williams and family after the unexpected passing of our sister Tammi
- Megan- praise God for Pre-K conversations about Jesus!
- Pray for the victims of Hurricane Ian. Please keep our Florida Brethren churches In prayer, as well.
- Diana H. home from rehab, Gracie coming home soon
- Pray for Shelley A. as she recovers from hip replacement surgery



The Midwest Region of the Brethren Church is looking for people willing to serve on the Regional Leadership Team. RLT members serve a three year term. The RLT oversees the ordination of pastors, provides guidance to congregations, and works to see new ministries birthed within the region. For information about serving on the RLT, see the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

Officers Needed! We will be electing the 2023 Official Board in November and are looking for people to serve on the ballot. A description of the various positions is on the Fellowship Hall bulletin board.



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Today's Message: God is Focused on Saving Us (Mark 8:31-38)

9:30am– Fellowship, 10am– Morning Worship

Welcome to First Brethren Church! We're glad you're here!

Pastor Jeff Estep 831-2766 (church), 574-370-8171 (cell), email– <u>pastorjeffestep@bnin.net</u> Find us online at <u>www.newparisfirst.com</u>!

Paving the Way for Ministry Update! Goal- \$28,850

Total Money Received \$25,245, plus \$2,935 in Memorials = \$28,180 If you would like to contribute, write a check to the church with Parking Lot in the Memo line.

Calendar:

Today– Breakfast, 9:15am, Youth Community Gathering, 1-4pm (meet at Knollbrook Farm on CR 46) *Tues., Oct. 11th*– Butterfly Mornings Bible Study, 9:30am *Sun., Oct. 16th*– Threefold Communion, 5pm *Sun., Oct. 23rd*– Official Board Meeting after church

Upcoming Birthdays!!

Wed., Oct. 12th– John Cline Fri., Oct. 14th– Sierra Lantz Sat., Oct. 22nd– Larry Parcell October 9th, 2022

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude-

Welcome and Announcements-

Opening Hymn- #425- In The Garden

Scripture & Prayer–James 1:5-8

If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you. But when you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. That person should not expect to receive anything from the Lord. Such a person is double-minded and unstable in all they do.

Hymn- #335– Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Message– God is Focused on Saving Us Pastor Jeff Estep

Responding in Worship – Worship Team

Closing Prayer

If you have an offering to give this morning, please place it in the box at the back of the Sanctuary Deacons on Call for October: Tim & Sheila Mullins Leading Worship Today– Willie Hostetler

Sermon Notes:

Jesus has just confirmed He is the One the Jews have been waiting for. Now He says He is going to _____?

When Peter rebukes Jesus, he is ______ Jesus with the same thing that ______ did in Matthew 4.

You can either deny _____, or deny yourself; it's your choice.

Jesus came not just to ______ us from our sin, but our fallenness.

Daily Scripture Readings: Sunday– Mark 8:31-38 Monday– Daniel 7:1-14 Tuesday– Matthew 4:1-11 Wednesday– Luke 12:4-10 Thursday– 1 Peter 4:12-19 Friday– Psalm 49 Saturday– Psalm 37

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