Prayer Concerns:

- Mary G. is gaining weight after receiving feeding tube, sees dietician on Monday
- Nate E. very thankful for letters, please keep praying for him
- Bev. L.– pray for niece Macie, who has fallen back into drug use after several years sober
- The Gills are thankful for prayers for the great-grandson that was severely injured a couple of months ago. He needs several more surgeries but is doing remarkably well.

SNOW CAMP IS COMING (WHETHER THERE'S SNOW OR NOT!)-

This year's Snow Camp for 3-6th graders will be held at Camp Shipshewana February 24-26. Registration cost is \$112. Pick up a flier in the church foyer if you know a kiddo that might want to go! For more info go to www.brethrenretreat.org.

Who doesn't love a baked potato? The youth group is planning to hold a Baked Potato Fundraiser after church on Sunday, February 19th, to raise money for this summer's Engage Conference, which will be held in Grand Rapids, Michigan July 17-20. A Baked Potato Bar, with all the toppings, will be available, as well as soup and a dessert. Donations will be put into the Youth Savings account to use for Conference. Please plan on joining us to support our youth group!





January 29th, 2023 Today's Message: God is Purifying Worship (Mark 11:12-26)

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

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

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Calendar:

Today, January 29th– Worship, 10amYouth Group, 6pmTuesday, January 31st– Butterfly Mornings, 9:30amMissions Committee Meeting, 6:30pmSunday, February 19th– Youth Baked Potato Fundraiser after morningworship– Money raised will help youth go to Engage Conference

Upcoming Birthdays!!

Monday, Jan. 30th– Bill Mullins Tuesday, Jan. 31st– Kari Miller Sunday, February 12th– Gregg Miller

We're starting a Sunday School program! Starting March 5th, Sunday School will begin at 9am, with Coffee Fellowship moved to 10am, and Worship beginning at 10:15am.

January 29, 2023 ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude-

Welcome and Announcements-

Opening Hymn- #277–The Church's One Foundation

Scripture & Prayer- Psalm 69:7-9

For I endure scorn for your sake, and shame covers my face. I am a stranger to my brothers, an alien to my mother's sons; for zeal for your house consumes me, and the insults of those who insult you fall on me.

Hymn- #66- To God Be The Glory

Message– God is Purifying Worship Pastor Jeff Estep

Responding in Worship – The 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 January: Tim & Sheila Mullins Leading Worship Today– Willie Hostetler

Sermon Notes:

By Jesus' day, the Temple system had become ______.

Just as the fig tree suddenly shriveled, ______ would be quickly and violently overthrown because of its _____

Pursue a living faith that calls upon _____, trusting in His ______ to overcome obstacles.

Daily Scripture Readings: Sunday– Mark 11:1-11 Monday– Mark 11:12-26 Tuesday– Jeremiah 8:4-13 Wednesday– Isaiah 51:1-6 Thursday– Isaiah 56:4-8 Friday– Jeremiah 7:1-11 Saturday– Hebrews 12:1-11

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