

Prayer Concerns:

- Sharon S. has pneumonia, likely being put into Hospice Care
- Megan L. has agreed to accept a 3rd grade teaching position next school year!
- Pray for Mike, good friend of Bob F., who is in hospital in Indy
- April continuing to struggle with back pain
- Esteps– pray for daughter Megan, who has been unable to get arthritis medication and is having a hard time working
- Praise that GSE training went very well!

Brethren Retreat Ministries, Inc., is having their annual meeting on Saturday, May 20th, from 11am-3pm at the Brethren Retreat Center. As a contributing congregation, we are able to send delegates to vote upon important decisions, such as electing the members of the Board of Directors. If you are interested in representing our church at this meeting, please talk to Pastor Jeff!

SUMMER CAMP

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR CAMP!

SUMMER CAMP BROCHURES NOW AVAILABLE! HERE ARE THIS SUMMER'S CAMP DATES:

- * PARENT/CHILD & GRANDCAMP– JUNE 9-11
- * IGNITE (11-14 YRS) JUNE 18-24
- * FUEL (8-11 YRS) JUNE 25-JULY 1
- * SPORTS (9-13 YRS) & BLAZE (14-18 YRS) JULY 2-6
- * BLAZEX (14-18 YRS) JULY 6-8
- * ARCHERY (9-13 YRS) JULY 9-13
- * PIONEER (10-12 YRS) JULY 9-15
- * MINI BIBLE CAMP (6-8 YRS) JULY 16-18



May 14th, 2023

Today's Message:

I Knew You

**9am– Sunday School, 10am– Fellowship
10:15am– Morning Worship**

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Find us online at www.newparisfirst.com!

Calendar:

Saturday, May 20th– Brethren Retreat Ministries Annual Meeting, 11am-3pm

Sunday, May 21st– Youth Community Event, 2-5pm @ Ox Bow Park's Coffee Tree Shelter. Meet here at 1:30 to carpool.

Upcoming Birthdays!!

Sunday, May 14th– Diana Stump Thursday, May 18th– Mabel Miller
Sunday, May 21st– Bob Fowler Thursday, May 25th– Bev Deter
Friday, May 26th– Brenda Donat
Saturday, May 28th– Brenda WEaver

Upcoming Anniversaries!!

Monday, May 29th– Charlie & Ruby Thompson

Last Week's Attendance: Sunday School– 29 Worship– 49



Happy Mother's Day to all of the special women of First Brethren Church!

**May 14th, 2023–
ORDER OF WORSHIP**

Prelude-

Welcome and Announcements–

Opening Hymn #560–For the Beauty of the Earth

Scripture & Prayer– Psalm 139:15-17

My frame was not hidden from you when I was made in the secret place. When I was woven together in the depths of the earth, your eyes saw my unformed body. All the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be. How precious to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them!

Hymn- #425– In The Garden

Special Music- “Grandma’s Eyes”

Message– I Knew You

Pastor Jeff Estep

Responding in Worship– The Praise Team

Closing Prayer

If you have an offering to give this morning, please place it in the box at the back of the Sanctuary
Leading Worship Today– Willie Hostetler

Sermon Notes:

We have a God who _____ us and _____ for us infinitely.

Only the One who made you gets to _____ you.

Who you are determines _____ you _____.

Three things God’s Word says about who we are:

We were _____ to hope in Christ and to be for the praise of His glory

We are God’s _____ (Ephesians 2:10)

We are _____ of God!

Daily Scripture Readings:

Sunday– Jeremiah 1 **Monday–** Psalm 139

Tuesday– Ephesians 1:1-12 **Wednesday–** Ephesians 2:1-10

Thursday– 1 John 3:1-10 **Friday–** Galatians 3:26-29

Saturday– Galatians 4:1-7

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