

### Prayer Concerns:

- Praise for a wonderful turnout at the Pancake & Sausage Fund-raiser. We raised about \$2000!
- Continued prayer for Sharon S.
- Doug– thankful for granddaughter Regan’s successful college tennis career
- Doyle & Brenda are great-grandparents! Baby Brynlee has been born!
- Megan L.– prayers for important work decision to be made

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!



### 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 7th, 2023**  
**Today’s Message:**  
**Three Young Men**

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

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### Calendar:

**Today, May 7th– Youth Group, 6-8pm**

**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

### Upcoming Anniversaries!!

Monday, May 29th– Charlie & Ruby Thompson

**A BIG THANK YOU! TO EVERYONE WHO CAME OUT TO SUPPORT OUR PANCAKE AND SAUSAGE FUNDRAISER LAST WEEK, AND FOR THE MEN WHO HELPED OUT! SO FAR WE HAVE RAISED OVER \$2000 FOR OUR CAMP SCHOLARSHIP FUND! BETWEEN THIS MONEY, AND MONEY ALREADY IN THE FUND AND CHURCH BUDGET, WE CAN PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR AT LEAST 15 CHILDREN THIS SUMMER. LET’S GET TO WORK AND PUT HEADS IN THE BEDS AT CAMP SHIPSEWANA!**

Last Week’s Attendance: Sunday School– 31 Worship– 44

**May 7th, 2023–  
ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Prelude-**

**Welcome and Announcements–**

**Entering with Praise–The Worship Team**

**Scripture & Prayer– 2 Chronicles 36:15-16**

The LORD, the God of their fathers, sent word to them through his messengers the prophets again and again, because he had pity on his people and on his dwelling place. But they mocked God's messengers, despised his words, and scoffed at his prophets until the wrath of the LORD was aroused against his people and there was no remedy.

**Hymn- #247– Spirit of the Living God (sing twice)**

**Message– Three Young Men**

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**Closing Hymn #372– Living for Jesus**

**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:*

Jeremiah was a \_\_\_\_\_ Bringer. He is unique in that he saw most of his own prophecies \_\_\_\_\_.

Daniel was a \_\_\_\_\_ to God's power, authority, and sustaining \_\_\_\_\_ during hard times.

Ezekiel was a \_\_\_\_\_ who held God's people accountable.

**Daily Scripture Readings:**

**Sunday–** 2 Chronicles 36:15-23 **Monday–** Jeremiah 7:1-19

**Tuesday–** Daniel 1:1-7 **Wednesday–** Daniel 2:19-23

**Thursday–** Ezekiel 11:16-25 **Friday–** Hebrews 12:7-13

**Saturday–** Ephesians 2:10

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