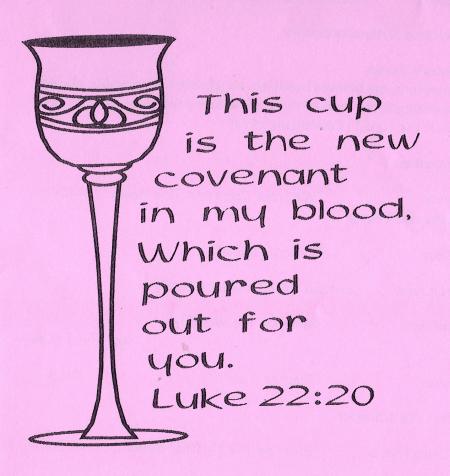
# Bethlehem Baptist Church Of Ruff Creek



The Lord's Day September 3, 2023

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Pastor: Rev. David E. Earnest

Prelude

(Please silence all electronic devices)

Welcome & Announcements

Memory Verse:

"Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord." I Corinthians 15:58

Invocation .

Hymn:

"We Have Come into This House" #224

Praise and Prayer

Hymn:

"Indescribable"

Scripture:

Leviticus 23:22 and Luke 10:25-37

Message:

"Why Do We Work?"

Rev. Bill Sulkosky

Hymn:

"Just as I am"

#488

The Lord's Supper

Closing Hymn:

"Blest be the Tie That Binds"

#426

Recordings of our Sunday service are available at: www.bbcruffcreek.org

Tithes and Offerings

Please place your tithes and offerings in the basket in the vestibule.

#### Activities This Week

Today:

8:55 AM Prayer Meeting 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:45 AM Worship

### **Crisis Pregnancy Center Drive**

September 3 thru 10 Diapers, Wipes, Winter Clothing and Boots

#### **Church Picnic**

Sunday, September 10th Worship 11 AM At Washington Township Park North of Ruff Creek on Rt. 221

We will be joining with Calvary Baptist Church for **WORSHIP** and a picnic to follow.

Please bring a covered dish or two.

Meat, drinks and paper products provided.

#### LOOKING AHEAD

September

11th

6:30 PM Board of Christian Education

13th 5:30 PM Wednesday Night Ministry Starts

14th 6:30 PM Daughters of the King

#### A Note from Pastor David

I have had a rough week. I am still not feeling well. Thank you for your continued prayers.

I heard the following from Alister Begg this week:

"Often when we pray, we only want to satisfy our own desires.

Unless prayer is a genuine expression of submission to God, then it is irrelevant."

## September 3, 2023 Prayer List:

Shut-ins: Robinson, Bea

In the Service:

George, Brian USAF
Herrod, Ryan USN
Jones, Jay ARMY
Markin, Jessica USN
McCartney, Ashton USN
Rogers, Calvin ARMY
Rumbaugh, Brad USN
Shriver, Lee USAF
Tustin, Cole USAF
Van Devender, James USMC

Missions & Ministries: Dwight & Barbara Bolick Sons Jack & Will

Washington City Mission Pastor David

Unsaved Family & Friends
Families in Crisis & Conflict
Federal, State & Local Leaders
Unspoken Requests
The People of Ukraine
Persecuted Christians
Teachers & Students

Friends & Family: Anderson, Betty Anderson, Pete Barton, Fred Corfont, Andrew Crouse, Payton - newborn Edwards, Ryan Eldrige, Sue Fike, Sue Havercheck, Patti Harper, Kathy Henderson, Rick Hixenbaugh, Shirley Johnson, Rev. Jeffrey Kelly, Larry Koratich, Tammy Logan, Claire - 4 year old McCain, Kerri McCloud, Joy Means, Sally Morris, Julie Moyer, Rev. Robert Phillips, Melissa Rogers, Rachel Sand, Frank Shepherd, Sharon Shipman, Rick Stephenson, Justin Williams, Cloe Wolfe, Jim Zollars, Peggy

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