

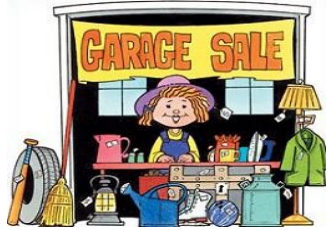
## WHAT'S COMIN' UP

### ROAD TRIP

**Sat., Sept 21, 10:00 am**

Join us as we travel for lunch to  
**Back 40 Junction**  
**Decatur, IN**

Join us for a trip to the past.  
Please connect with Lisa Hacker  
if you would like to come.



### FALL GARAGE SALE

is slated for September 13–15.

Bring in items, in good shape,  
and place them in the empty  
classroom next to the kitchen.  
Please talk with Kathy March  
about large items.

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Our extra hands for Sunday, Sept 1, 2024

Greeter Marlene Sutton  
Nursery Amy Weaks  
Kidz Church Brea Fifer & Ken/Becky Dibble  
Ushers Troy Herendeen & Jason Steinmetz  
Offering Counters Shirley Sanders & Joan O'Brien  
Sanctuary/Hall Cleaner(s) Week of 9.1 Marlene

### DIY CRAFTING

Introducing a new  
class open to all ages.

If you enjoy  
imagineering, creating  
original pieces for home  
friends, or craft shows,  
this is for you.

Crafting items will be  
supplied or feel free to  
bring your own.

Tuesdays, 6:00 pm

**Begins Sept. 3**

Fellowship Hall  
(Direct questions to  
Shirley Sanders)

### Back in the Game

**Comin' Up—Sunday, September 8**  
**Carry-In Dinner.** Football on screen,  
**Euchre, Kids Games. Bring your**  
**friends. ALWAYS A GOOD TIME!**

### Birthdays & Anniversaries

Sept 9 Sara Perez  
Sept 24 Melissa Schnitkey  
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Sept 2 Tim & Lisa Hacker  
Sept 19 Ron & Barb Krugh



# THE LIFELINE



*September 1, 2024*

## BETHEL CHURCH DEFIANCE

Tim and Lisa Hacker, Pastors

### **Sunday Worship**

10:00 a.m.

### **Bold Youth**

6:00—7:30 pm



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# WELCOME

If you are new to Bethel Defiance, we want you to know that we are honored to have you with us. Our meetings are our special times of drawing near to the presence of our God and we hope that you'll have an amazing experience with Him in this place today.

We may not be like other churches that you have visited so, if something happens that you are not familiar with, don't be afraid to say to someone, "What's up with that?"

Also, following the meeting, prayer teams will be ready to pray with you for any need that you may have. Our God is still in the miracle working business and we believe that He loves you and wants something wonderful for you today!



**NURSERY** (ages 0 to 3 years) is made available during the worship and preaching ministry time.

Come play with us ...



in the nursery and feed into the lives of our tiniest members. If you have an overwhelming desire to rock or hug these little ones, read books to them, or just enjoy play time, we have a spot for you! Talk to Shirley about jumping into the schedule, or just stop by the nursery and try it out with one of our volunteers.

**TODDLER CLASS**  
Bring kids ages 3 & 4  
after worship.  
Last classroom on the right.  
Education wing.



**BETHEL KIDZ** (ages 5 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade) is staffed with caring Christians to minister to our youngest members. Children stay with their families through worship and are released to go to class afterward when you hear, "GO GET 'EM".

*Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6*

## SMALL GROUPS

### WISE GUYS

(Men "55" and UP Meeting)  
Meetings are every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>  
Wednesday at 2:00 pm at ARBY's  
See Pastor Tim for more information.

## Snippets for Souls

"Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love." - Ephesians 4:2

**SPECIAL GUESTS September 9**  
**Blaine & Christine Bowman**



### **BOLD YOUTH**

(6<sup>th</sup> grade thru high school)  
meets Sunday evenings,  
6:00 - 7:30, in the Fellowship  
Hall. **(CHECK IT OUT!)**

## PRAYER & SOAKING

*EVERY Wednesday, 7pm*

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

1 Thes. 5:16-18

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Call the office or text:

419-784-5433 or

Pastor Tim, 419-438-6673

Email: [gotochurch@betheldefiance.com](mailto:gotochurch@betheldefiance.com)

Please share all answers to prayer with Tim or message on the church phone.

## Pray for the Body

Mike VanScoder  
Brian Carter



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## We Will Pray For You

Write down your prayer requests on the Connection Card under the seat in front of you. Drop it in the offering bag and we will pray on Wednesday nights. Praise Reports are welcome too.

## General Giving

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