

“Gospel-Shaped Warfare: The Helmet of Salvation”  
Ephesians 6:17

# Ephesians

GOSPEL - SHAPED



**OUR STRUCTURE FOR MAKING DISCIPLES: (4 G's)**

**GATHER**

We meet in-person to worship, grow, and love one another in Christ.

**GO**

We love our neighbors and help them to find and follow Christ.

**GIVE**

We use our spiritual gifts and resources to build-up the body of Christ.

**GROW**

We invest in the spiritual disciplines to mature in Christ.

May 5, 2024

## REMINDERS

### TODAY 5-5

**Common Ground Coffee Bar**—8:30 a.m.  
**Sunday School**—9:00 a.m.  
**Morning Worship Service**—10:00 a.m.  
**Hospitality Lunch**—Noon  
**Party for Hunter & Maria**—3:00-5:00 p.m.

### TUESDAY 5-7

**Senior Saints Day at Hidden Acres**  
**Community Prayer**—Noon  
**Grief Share**—6:30-8:00 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY 5-8

**Men's Fellowship**—6:15 a.m.  
**MS Youth Group**—6:30-7:30 p.m.  
**HS Youth Group**—7:30-8:30 p.m.

**SUNDAY 5-12 Communion, Mother's Day**  
**Common Ground Coffee Bar**—8:30 a.m.  
**Sunday School**—9:00 a.m.  
**Morning Worship Service**—10:00 a.m.

## GIVING

### Options for Giving:

- Offering Boxes mounted near back of Sanctuary & on the rolling mailboxes in the Foyer
- Online Giving — [www.brittfreechurch.com/give/](http://www.brittfreechurch.com/give/)
- Mail a check (address below)
- If you want to give to the Benevolence Fund, please indicate accordingly when you give.  
Weekly Budget: \$11,000 Giving Last Week—General Fund \$8,476.18

## PRAYER NEEDS

Please pray for these people with health issues or other concerns:

Ramona Carlson	Bertie Nedved	Linda Schlicht
Rita Fox	Denny Uker	Ren Kahlstorf
RuBee Schroeder	Kim Redenius	

### Please pray for:

- Spiritual revival in our churches and nation
- Missionaries/Ministries with special focus on Michael Skiba—Josiah Venture in Poland
- Pastor Steve & Carol Couch
- Pastor Michael & Shelby, Judah and Delta Foose
- Chas & Nicole, William and Daisy Wyatt
- Les & Ellen Beery

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## OPPORTUNITIES

### GOING AWAY PARTY TODAY

There will be a going away party for Hunter & Maria McNeese and their family today from 3:00-5:00 pm at Lion's Park. Hunter and Maria will be moving to Arkansas this summer.



**GRIEF SHARE**—A new 13-week session will begin on May 7 and will meet on Tuesdays from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room. Call Linda Krebs at 515-341-4975 if you have questions or would like to register. All are welcome to attend.

**BACCALAUREATE** will be May 15 at 7:30 p.m. at the West Hancock High School.

### COMMUNITY SUPPER—MAY 22, 5:00-7:00 P.M.

To volunteer, please look for the sign-up sheet in the foyer. Our goals for this ministry are to reach out and demonstrate the love, compassion and generosity of Jesus Christ to our neighbors as we serve and build relationships with them.

**THANK YOU CHURCH FAMILY** for your prayers lifted up for me at the time of my surgery and since returning home. I could definitely feel them. Also, thank you for phone calls, cards, food brought in and the love of Christ shown through His people to us.

*-Marlene & Paul Smith*

### THANK YOU

The family of Betty Nedved want you to know how much we appreciate the Britt Free Church, pastors, leadership and entire family! Betty loved her little Upper Flat Church she attended in her life. To have y'all extend welcome to use the church for her funeral day was very special. The outpouring of love in food, the beautiful lantern, memorials, cards, visits and prayers have meant so much to all of us. Thank you, it's great to be part of this family.

**THANK YOU** for so many of you for attending Rebekah Leerar's baby shower on March 30th. It was appreciated by all. We are thanking and praising God that Landen Allan Leerar arrived on April 9th. He is the grandson to Scott and Marcie Larson and great-grandson of Cal and Barb Larson. Mom and baby are home and doing well.

*-Scott & Marcie Larson*