

April 16, 2023

INVITING PEOPLE IN

- PSALM 121 -
- HEBREWS 10:25 -

THIS IS CHURCH

A THREE WEEK SERMON SERIES ON
BUILDING & CARING FOR GOD'S BODY

“Inviting People In”
 Hebrews 10:25; Psalm 121

Speed limit signs and laws are not placed there by the government to exercise _____ or to demonstrate their _____ or to make our lives more difficult, they are there to _____ us and to maintain a society that _____.

- _____ is commanded in the Bible.
 -Psalm 100:1-2; 2 Kings 17:25; Hebrews 10:25
- There are _____ that are fundamental to what it means to be a follower of Jesus.
- These practices help to _____ how we live and think, as well as, to have a positive effect on the people around us.
- Gathering to worship trains us to _____.
- *“I _____ my eyes to the hills – where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.”*
 -Psalm 121:1-2
- 2 Kings 6:8-23 . . .

The Aramean army _____ Elisha and his servant.

The servant’s eyes were open and he _____.

The weekly practice of gathering to worship _____ us to look up.

- Acts 16:16-40 . . .
“About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to _____, and the other prisoners were listening to them.”
 -Acts 16:25

Others in the exact same spot as Paul and Silas were given the opportunity to _____ along with them.

As they looked up they were able to catch their _____ and think _____.

- Gathering to worship helps train us to live an ordinary life to the _____.
- Inviting people in as we gather to worship is about _____ them enough to give them a place to look up and catch their breath.



PLEASE
take a moment
to fill out an
INFORMATION
CARD

also available at
bccanderson.org/connect

ALL-CHURCH
Mother's Day
CHOIR
Wednesdays | 6:30P
Choir Room (Entry #6)

BETHANY
CHRISTIAN CHURCH

2023 VBS | JUNE 25-29

STELLAR
SHINE JESUS' LIGHT

register today at  www.bccanderson.org/vbs



TODAY, April 16 - Praise Ringers

6:00 p.m. Student Ministries Small Groups

MONDAY, April 17

5:30 a.m. Rev Boot Camp

6:15 p.m. Praise Ringers Rehearsal

7:30 p.m. Big Band Rehearsal

TUESDAY, April 18

3:30 p.m. A Heart for Kids

6:00 p.m. Rev Fit Class

WEDNESDAY, April 19

5:30 a.m. Rev Boot Camp

6:30 p.m. Anderson Christian Martial Arts (8 yrs & up)

6:30 p.m. Worship Choir Rehearsal

7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study

THURSDAY, April 20

11:30 a.m. Lydia Circle

3:30 p.m. A Heart for Kids

6:00 p.m. Rev Fit Class

FRIDAY, April 21

5:30 a.m. Rev Boot Camp

SATURDAY, April 22

SUNDAY, April 23 - Big Band

9:00 a.m. Worship
Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Worship
Sunday School

12:00 p.m. Welcome to Bethany Luncheon

6:00 p.m. Sunday Night Youth (7th-12th):
Parent/Guardian Night

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Our Sympathy To:

Kathy Tuttle on the death of her husband, Steve Tuttle, on 4/8.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Lydia Circle** will meet this Thursday, April 20 at 11:30 a.m. in the Fireside Room. We will study Lesson #12, "Spiritual Intimacy." All ladies are welcome! Please join us for lunch, fellowship, and Bible study!
- **Welcome To Bethany Luncheon:** Are you new to Bethany? Join us for lunch next Sunday, April 23, at 12 p.m. in the gymnasium. Sign up today at Connecting Point, online at bccanderson.org/lunchsignup, or call the church office at 643-5713.
- **Sunday Night Youth Parent Night:** Parents/Guardians! Come with your student to S.N.Y. next Sunday, April 23, from 6-8 p.m. in the Youth Attic for a combined night of learning about conversations with your teens. We will have snacks and spend time together learning from each other. It will be a great night of fellowship and intentional time spent together.
- **"Lasagna with the Ladies"** will be Saturday, May 6, at 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. This event is open to all women ages 18 and up. We will be having lasagna, breadsticks, Caesar salad, and cheesecake. Please sign up by April 30th at Connecting Point, by calling the church office, or online at bccanderson.org/lwtl.
- **Gentlemen Needed:** We are in need of 20 gentlemen who are willing to serve the ladies the night of "Lasagna with the Ladies" on Saturday, May 6, at 5:00 p.m. If you are interested in serving please sign up at Connecting Point, call the church office, or online at bccanderson.org/lwtl.
- **Family/Baby Dedication** will be Sunday, May 7, during both morning services. If you would like to participate or want more information, please contact the church office at 643-5713.
- **Graduation Celebration** will be Sunday, May 21, during both morning services. If you are a High School or College graduate and would like to participate in this celebration, please contact Chris Bell at the church office. Information and pictures need to be turned in by Sunday, May 7. Also, if you would like to share information about your open house, please let Chris know.
- **BCC Men's Ministry Event:** We will be going bowling on Sunday, May 21, from 3-5 p.m. at Wells Lane in Elwood. \$5 covers food, rental, and bowling. We would love all the men to join us for a day of fun! Call or text Tim Fair (765-623-7183) with any questions or to sign up.

PRAYER CONCERNS ARE ON THE INSIDE MIDDLE SECTION



If you are new to Bethany, have a prayer request to share, recently changed contact information, have questions about Jesus, volunteering, or more—***we want to connect with you!*** Simply open your smart phone's camera app and point it here or navigate to www.bccanderson.org/connect