



Sunday, Jan. 13, 2019

WELCOME TO BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH!

*So Jacob named the place where God had spoken with him, Bethel.
Gen. 35:15*

THIS MORNING'S SERMON IS ABOUT STANDING FIRM IN YOUR FAITH.

“Stand firm and keep a strong grip,” this was the challenge Paul gave the church at Thessalonica. This particular church was under attack by false teachers as many churches in the first century were. Paul wanted them to remain strong in their faith in Jesus Christ as a powerful witness to His transforming grace.

*So then brethren, stand firm and hold to the traditions which you were taught, whether by word of mouth or by letter from us.
(2 Thes. 2.15)*

God's Word challenges us and encourages us to remain strong in our faith and belief in Christ. The world tries to pull us away from our faith; the world tries to tell us what to believe. God's Word is clear: the stronger that individual believers are in their faith, the stronger the church as a whole will be.

Thanks for being our guest today. I would love to hear your comments, so e-mail me:
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“But we should always give thanks to God for you, brethren beloved by the Lord, because God has chosen you from the beginning for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and faith in the truth.” 2 Thes. 2:13

- 8:00 am – Small Group Bible Study
- 9:00 am – Coffee & Donut Fellowship
- 9:30 am – Sunday School
- 10:30 am – Worship Service
- 12:00 pm – Church Ministry Planning Lunch
- 4:00 pm – Nursing Home Ministry
- 6:00 pm – Evening Worship/Business Meeting

WEDNESDAY EVENING

- 6:00pm – Family Meal – Adult 3
- 6:40pm – TeamKID
- 7:00 – Adult & Youth Bible Study



WEDNESDAY STUDIES
Sermon on the Mount (Co-Ed) *Led by Pastor Ben*
Love & Respect (Co-Ed) *Led by Jason & Stacy Mesnard*
Firm in Faith (Women) *Led by Jamie Cearlock*
1 Corinthians (Men) *Led by Dustin Jackson*

February 2, 2019, 7:30am-12:30pm
\$10 per person
Sign up at the Welcome Center



Report for January 6, 2019	
Sunday School Attendance	147
Worship Service Attendance	166
Weekly Budget	\$6,239.00
Giving	\$6,500.00
Building Fund Offering	\$307.00
Lottie Moon	\$0.00

Worship Service Schedule	
Nursery Jan 13	Raeann Hedgpeth & Quincy Bowen
Nursery Jan 20	Raeann Hedgpeth
Nursery Jan 16	Kate McClure & Kelli Allsop
Greeters Jan 13	Merlin & Sandy Roach
Greeters Jan 20	Jack & Susan Chism
	Morning Worship Service
Ushers-Jan	Glenn Stewart & Wayne Jackson

If you can sew and would like to be involved in a sewing project for Alzheimer's patients, please contact Catherine Bowen. She will be planning a date to make fidget blankets.

**AMERICAN RED CROSS
 BLOOD DRIVE
 VANDALIA MOOSE LODGE
 TUESDAY, JANUARY 15, 2019
 12:00-6:00PM**