

## WELCOME!!!

We are excited that you have chosen to join us for worship as we celebrate our Lord Jesus and God's loving plan for us.

Our prayer is that God will encourage you and give you hope, that He will bless you through His Word, and that you will know you are welcome here. Please let us know if you have any questions concerning our beliefs or practices.

*For your convenience, restrooms are located in the hallway immediately to the right of the front entrance. While the children are in class, only the handicap accessible bathroom will be available.*

*The children will be dismissed to their class just before the Pastor's sermon.*

## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY, 9:30am	WORSHIP CELEBRATION
10:40	FELLOWSHIP
11am	ADULT BIBLE STUDY
MONDAY, 6:30pm	MEN'S GROUP
TUESDAY, 6:30pm	COFFEE & A TASTE OF HONEY
FRIDAY, 6pm	YOUTH GROUP

## KEEPING YOU INFORMED!

*Attendance Last Sunday—65*

Offering Last Sunday--\$4,271      Budgeted--\$3,556

Offering This Fiscal Year--\$109,797      Budgeted--\$99,568

<sup>1</sup> There is an appointed time for everything. And there is a time for every event under heaven . . . A time to tear down and a time to build up. (Ecclesiastes 3:1, 3b)



# OPEN DOOR CHURCH

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Lisa Zabian

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## WORSHIP CELEBRATION

September 17, 2023

Call to Worship Chip Winnard

*"Here's My Heart, Lord"*

*"Amazing Grace"*

Welcome and Prayer Ali Zabian

*"Breathe"*

*"Heart of Worship"*

Dismissal of Children to Class & Introduction of Guest Speaker

Prayer Chip Winnard

### MESSAGE

**Brian Wilson**

**Philippians 3:1-11**

Opportunity for Decision Chip Winnard

Offertory Prayer Brian Wilson

Worship Through Tithes and Offerings Chip Winnard

Benediction Mitch Arseneau

### FELLOWSHIP

## THANK YOU!

We wish to express our deep appreciation to Rick Shove, our Construction Supervisor, and especially to Ted Shaw, the tractor operator, for the demolition of the old building next to the worship center. The removal of that building was the next step in the pursuit of our long-range plan for the development of our church property. Please consult the Master Plan in the church entry to see what is projected for that area.

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### A WORD FROM PASTOR JIM

Thank you for praying for Martha, me, and our family members, Ted and Sharon, as we have all experienced COVID this past week. We are better but felt that the path of wisdom was to be isolated from you today. Please welcome Brian Wilson, an experienced proclaimer of God's Word, as he shares today's Message. Brian is currently attending Immanuel Church in East Greenbush, New York.

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**Please note that our Quarterly Member's Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at 11am.**