

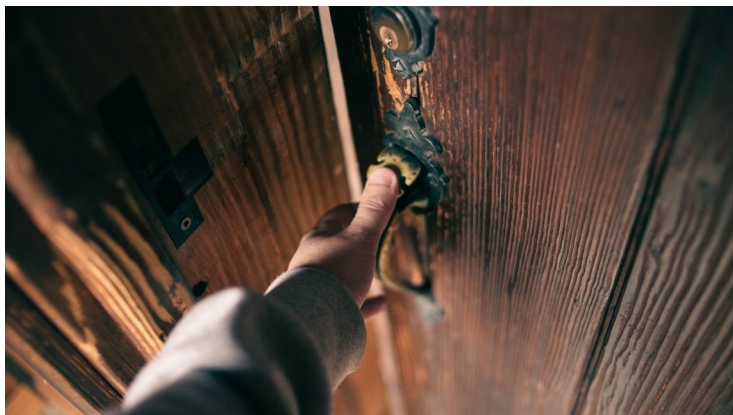


JULY 2022

# CONNECTING POINT

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST

## Standing By the Door



If you are a Christian, how did you become one? I don't mean theologically (saved by grace), but *logistically*. Did you come to Christ because of an advertisement on TV or in a newspaper? Did you come to Christ because somebody you didn't know handed you a tract or knocked on your door? Or did you come to Christ because you were invited to a church or evangelistic event by someone you knew—either a friend, relative or somebody you worked with?

I think I know your answer.

Ken Gire writes of a man by the name of Scott Manley who reached out to high school students on the campus of Arlington Heights High School in the late '60s. "He showed up in a pair of Converse All Stars, gym shorts, T-shirt, a handshake, and a smile. Several of us on the basketball team were playing a pickup game in the gym, and this young seminary student from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary worked his way into the game. Over the weeks ahead he kept showing up. At lunch. After school. In the parking lot. And before long, he worked his way into our lives."

Scott was working through a ministry called Young Life that builds relationships with high school students, establishes clubs and sponsors Bible study groups, all for the purpose of reaching out with the saving message of Christ in places where churches often cannot go. Ken reflects that he doesn't remember any of Scott's talks, only the music of the message: *I love you. I care about you. You matter. Your pain matters. Your struggles matter. Your life is sacred and dear to God. He has a future for you, plans and hopes and dreams for you, and blessings for you.* And the music streamed into Ken's heart, and Ken became a Christian, going on to Texas Christian University, where he turned around and led a Young Life club himself. Also on the leadership team was a young woman named Judy, who would one day become Ken's wife. Judy had become a Christian through a classmate, who had become a Christian through her Young Life leader, who had become a Christian through... *Scott Manley.*

One day, Ken and Judy ran into Scott at a conference they were attending together, along with three of their four

children. Judy, who had never met Scott, went up to him, and said, "You don't know me, but I'm Judy Gire, Ken Gire's wife." They hugged, then she continued. "There's something I've been wanting to tell you for a long time." Years of emotion welled up inside her. "Scott, you were instrumental in leading my husband to Christ. You led my Young Life leader to Christ. My Young Life leader led a friend of mine to Christ. And this friend told me about Christ. You are my spiritual heritage. These are three of our four children. This is Kelly, and she knows Jesus. This is Rachel, and she knows Jesus. This is Stephen, and he knows Jesus. And Gretchen, our oldest, she isn't here but she knows Jesus too. All of us know Jesus because of Scott Manley. Thank you so much. Thank you."

Scott threw his arms around her, and for a long time they wept together.

Don't let evangelism scare you or put you off. It's one of the most important and rewarding investments you can ever make—not only for your own spirituality, but for the spiritual lives of others in our world. Just ask Ken and Judy. Or ask me. Even better, just ask yourself.

Samuel Shoemaker once wrote a poem that captures the importance of this for us all:

*I stand by the door.  
I neither go too far in, nor stay too far out.  
The door is the most important door in the world—  
It is the door through which men walk when they  
find God.  
There's no use my going way inside, and staying there,  
When so many are still outside and they, as much as I,  
Crave to know where the door is.  
And all that so many ever find  
Is only the wall where a door ought to be.  
They creep along the wall like blind men,  
With outstretched, groping hands,  
Feeling for a door, knowing there must be a door,  
Yet they never find it...  
So I stand by the door.  
The most tremendous thing in the world  
Is for men to find that door—the door to God.  
The most important thing any man can do  
Is to take hold of one of those blind, groping hands,  
And to put it on the latch—the latch that only clicks  
And opens to the man's own touch.  
Men die outside that door, as starving beggars die  
On cold nights in cruel cities in the dead of winter—  
Die for want of what is within their grasp.  
They live, on the other side of it—live because they have  
found it.  
Nothing else matters compared to helping them find it,  
And open it, and walk in, and find Him.  
So I stand by the door.*

And so should we all.

Blessings,

Pastor David

# Real Freedom



## Read

### Galatians 5:1 (NIV)

*It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery.*

## Reflect

*Most people want to be free so that they can do whatever they want. Is that really freedom? Where does that lead?*

On July 4<sup>th</sup>, citizens of the United States of America celebrate freedom. The Fourth of July is Independence Day—the day which marks the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Freedom is a blessing we hold dear and defend boldly. Our nation's armed forces are of one mind, that protecting our freedom is worth dying for. We

are what our national anthem proudly proclaims: “the land of the free and the home of the brave!”

But are we really free? Whoever we are and wherever we live, are we free from what really matters? On our own we are not free; all people are very much slaves. We find ourselves to be slaves to sin, and on our own, we cannot break its shackles. We are slaves to our sinful nature and cannot live a day, an hour, even a minute without our sinful nature rearing its ugly head. Thoughts that pass through our heads, words that come flowing from our mouths, self-serving deeds that we scheme to carry out—they all show our true nature. They all show just how much we are slaves to sin.

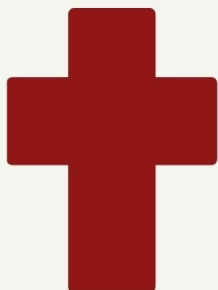
Thankfully, Jesus broke the shackles of sin and Satan. Jesus has forgiven those sinful thoughts of our minds, the devious actions from our hearts, the careless and hate-filled words that we speak. He forgives us because he lived up to God's sinless standard for us. Then Jesus willingly and lovingly allowed the punishment we deserved to be placed on him. On the cross, Jesus endured our death and hell. When he burst forth from Easter's tomb, he shattered the chains of sin and death.

In Jesus, we have eternal life with God. That's something that no power on earth or scheme of man can ever take away. That's real freedom!

## Pray

*Lord God, thank you for the real and true freedom that you give me in Jesus. Thank you for the blessings that I enjoy and the freedom to worship you. Keep safe those who celebrate this Independence Day and help me to never forget that real, lasting, eternal freedom is mine in your name. Amen.*

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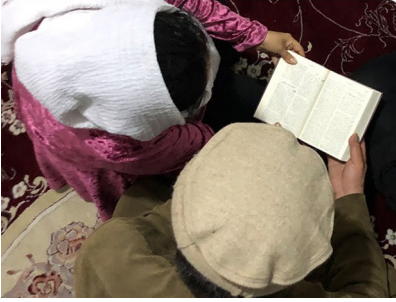
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## MISSION UPDATES

### Voice of the Martyrs Afghanistan Update



As the Taliban quickly retook control of Afghanistan last year, Christians faced the difficult question of whether to stay or leave the country. They knew the wrong decision could cost them their lives.

Many who weren't widely known as Christians made the courageous decision to stay in Afghanistan as witnesses for Christ. VOM is encouraging and equipping these believers even as the Taliban solidifies its control.

Other Afghan Christians, especially those who had been publicly identified as followers of Christ, had to leave the country for their families' safety. Many of these believers took refuge in nearby countries that also are predominantly Muslim. Although they know serving Christ is a dangerous endeavor, they continue to proclaim His gospel among fellow Afghan refugees as well as their new neighbors. VOM is helping many of them as they build new lives. And some of the refugees are praying that God will make it possible for them to return to Afghanistan — despite the Taliban.

## MINISTRY UPDATES

### Christian Homemakers Meeting

July 14 @ 9:30 a.m.  
Bev Heschke, Hostess  
Pam Cronin, Devotions

### Esther Circle

July 20 @ 1:30 p.m.  
Mary Hasbrouck, Devotions & Missions  
Karen Weinreich, Hostess

## JULY CELEBRATIONS

### July 1

Jay B. (MCS Staff)  
Erin M. (MCS Staff)

### July 3

Betty Nelson  
Mya Briggs (BB)

### July 6

Eugene & Claudia Schulke  
Anthony F. (MCS Student)

### July 9

Brenda H. (MCS Staff)

### July 10

Joel M. (MCS Staff)

### July 11

Mark Patten  
Jozzlin Inman

### July 15

Mike Sparks

### July 17

Wren Smith

### July 19

Bob Johnston  
Kendall Henkel

### July 20

Curt & Rhonda Wiese

### July 21

Shelley Mortenson  
Bryce Curtis (BB)

### July 26

Aiden Agnitsch (BB)  
Kendall & Sharon Henkel

### July 27

Rita Pearson  
Anita Cougill

### July 28

Zayden Lewis (BB)  
Barry & Nancy Nelson



## Notes of Thanks

Thank you ladies of the church for doing Angel's graduation party. She wouldn't of had one as I was having medical issues. We are blessed to be part of this church family. Thanks for supporting her over the years.

- Polly Jansen

I would like to thank everyone who helped with my graduation. Also for your prayers, cards, and monetary gifts.

- Angel Jansen

## Many Ways to Give at First Church of



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*We love to see you!*



### Mail

*First Church of Christ  
772 N. 2nd Street*



### Our Ap

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1-888-364-GIVE (4483)*



### Online

*www.cherokeefcc.com*



# Meal Train Ministry Seeks Volunteers

It's time to rejuvenate the First Church of Christ's Meal Ministry. It is now called the "**Meal Train Ministry**." This ministry will be much the same as in past years with a few changes. For those we will serve in this ministry we are planning three meals a week for two weeks as needed. If meals are needed for a shorter period of time, that can also be arranged.

## There are a few ways you can support this ministry:

- You can volunteer to drive and/or deliver meals when needed.
- You can prepare meals for those we serve during this ministry
- You can donate cash or restaurant gift cards (*leave those donations with Nancy in the church office*)

There are sign up sheets located in the church lobby to volunteer or support the Meal Train Ministry.

Please contact any of the following Meal Train Planning Committee Members for any further questions.

Marcia Casey	712-229-7696
Shari Eldredge	712-229-7860
Jean Heschke	712-291-0399
Angela Hall	641-638-1212
Joyce Clark	712-225-3356

Thank you for all your help in making the Meal Train Ministry available at First Church of Christ.



## All-Church Tour Iowa Trip to The Shrine of the Grotto of the Redemption West Bend, Iowa Wednesday, July 27, 2022 8:00am – 2:00pm

Join us for the first of this All-Church Tour Iowa Trip series. The Grotto is frequently considered the "Eighth Wonder of the World" and **The Iowan** magazine has described the Grotto as a "*miracle in stone*." The location was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 2001 and has been included in such features as **Roadside America** and Disney's **The Straight Story**. A composite of nine separate grottos, each portrait displays a scene in the life of Christ.

We will meet at the church at 8:00am that Wednesday morning and carpool via church vans and individual vehicles (if needed) to West Bend for a guided tour of the Grotto. You will also have time to visit the Grotto Museum and explore the Grotto some more on your own.

**Cost** = FREE (though they do have boxes to collect freewill donations if you choose)

**What You Need to Bring:** A sack lunch to eat on the Grotto grounds and an adventurous spirit

**Provided for You:** Transportation to and from; bottled water

A sign-up sheet is located on the literature table in the church foyer. You may also register by calling Nancy at the church office (712) 225-2667. Don't miss out on this fun time of fellowship!

You can visit the Grotto website at [www.westbendgrotto.com](http://www.westbendgrotto.com).



# **CERTAIN THROUGH UNCERTAINTY**

## Bible Reading Plan

1. Hebrews 11:8-10
2. Hebrews 11:11-16
3. Psalm 55:16-19
4. James 1:16-18
5. Hebrews 13:6-8
6. Psalm 102:18-28
7. Psalm 103:13-19
8. Romans 12:1-2
9. Daniel 2:17-23
10. Isaiah 43:16-24
11. Romans 8:31-37
12. 1 Peter 1:3-5
13. Isaiah 54:1-10
14. 2 Corinthians 3:1-6
15. Psalm 90:1-12
16. Judges 6:11-16
17. Ruth 1:6-18
18. Psalm 40:1-13
19. Exodus 6:1-12
20. Ecclesiastes 3:9-14
21. Luke 1:5-25
22. Acts 9:1-18
23. 1 Corinthians 15:50-58
24. Numbers 23:16-20
25. Genesis 39:19-23
26. Philippians 1:3-6
27. Psalm 27:1-6
28. Psalm 27:7-14
29. 2 Corinthians 5:6-10
30. 1 John 2:20-29
31. Hebrews 6:13-20

# BOARD OF ELDERS & DEACONS UPDATE

## Board Meeting Notes June 12, 2022

### Ministry Reports

- A bible study called You and Me Forever will begin on July 10<sup>th</sup> for 7 weeks at 7 p.m. on Sunday evenings.

### Mission Reports

- Mark Leonard from Camp Nebowa will be our guest preacher on June 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Second Quarter Ministry Team Meeting is scheduled for Monday June 20<sup>th</sup>.

### Fellowship

- There is cookout scheduled for June 26<sup>th</sup> on the parsonage lawn.

### Worship

- The board was questioned about what to do with the old pulpit now that the new one was in place. The consensus was to list it for sale on Facebook marketplace with a "make an offer" price.

### Buildings and Grounds

- There is no news about the status of the southwest lower door.

### New Business

- There was a request from an investment group to purchase a 10-foot strip of the church property line behind the Skyline Motel. The investment group thought they might offer to purchase the motel to build a new Dollar General store if the additional 10 feet could be purchased. After a brief discussion the consensus was that the board is not interested in selling any portion of the property.
- The board was asked for some funding to do a bit of landscaping around the sign next to the highway to brighten things up. Kirk Nelson offered up some landscape block that he has on hand for no cost and possibly some landscape fabric. Some plants were donated but may need to purchase more. Also there would be a need for more topsoil and mulch. Kirk Nelson motion to allow \$300.00 for landscaping materials around the sign. Mark Patten seconded the motion and the motion carried.
- Larry Heschke brought up the fact that we should put lettering on our new door that indicates office hours and worship times. The board agreed. Nancy offered to make the vinyl lettering with her crafting equipment at home.
- Kirk Nelson brought up the need for volunteers to host the monthly birthday parties at Midwest Christian Services. Normally Dennis and Wren Smith do this, however, they will be unavailable to host them for a while. Kirk Nelson said he and Marcia would take the June party and possibly the July party. Barry and Nancy Nelson volunteered for the August party with plans for archery. The MCS parties are on the third Saturday of each month at 2 p.m.

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### ATTENDANCE

May 29		June 5		June 12		June 19	
On Campus	65	On Campus	55	On Campus	79	On Campus	57
Online	26	Online	21	Online	22	Online	25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>82</b>

### OFFERING

May 29		June 5		June 12		June 19	
On Campus	2187.00	On Campus	1843.86	On Campus	2096.00	On Campus	1645.00
Online	147.10	Online	-0-	Online	173.55	Online	-0-
Designated	395.00	Designated	-0-	Designated	6756.11	Designated	-0-
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 2729.10</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1843.86</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$9025.66</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1645.00</b>



## WORSHIP TEAM SCHEDULE

3-Jul	10-Jul	17-Jul	24-Jul	31-Jul
<b>Children's Church</b>	<b>Children's Church</b>	<b>Children's Church</b>	<b>Children's Church</b>	<b>Children's Church</b>
Sholeen Sparks	Polly Fishman	Dixie Draper	Angie Hall	TBD
<b>Children's Sunday School</b>	<b>Children's Sunday School</b>	<b>Children's Sunday School</b>	<b>Children's Sunday School</b>	<b>Children's Sunday School</b>
Sholeen Sparks	Polly Fishman	Dixie Draper	Angie Hall	TBD
<b>Communion Message</b>	<b>Communion Message</b>	<b>Communion Message</b>	<b>Communion Message</b>	<b>Communion Message</b>
Dennis Smith	Guy Fishman	Mike Sparks	Kirk Nelson	David Hall
<b>Worship Leader</b>	<b>Worship Leader</b>	<b>Worship Leader</b>	<b>Worship Leader</b>	<b>Worship Leader</b>
Wren Smith	Wren Smith	David Hall	Sharon Henkel	Wren Smith
<b>Keyboard</b>	<b>Keyboard</b>	<b>Keyboard</b>	<b>Keyboard</b>	<b>Keyboard</b>
Wren Smith	Wren Smith	-	Eleanor Johnston	Wren Smith
<b>Piano</b>	<b>Piano</b>	<b>Piano</b>	<b>Piano</b>	<b>Piano</b>
Eleanor Johnston	-	-	Wren Smith	-
<b>Singers</b>	<b>Singers</b>	<b>Singers</b>	<b>Singers</b>	<b>Singers</b>
Dennis Smith	Sharon Henkel	Angela Hall	Dennis Smith	Angela Hall
Angela Hall	David Hall	Sharon Henkel	David Hall	Larry Heschke
-	Nancy Nelson	-	-	Dennis Smith
<b>PowerPoint</b>	<b>PowerPoint</b>	<b>PowerPoint</b>	<b>PowerPoint</b>	<b>PowerPoint</b>
Nancy Nelson	Braella Inman	Nancy Nelson	Braella Inman	Nancy Nelson
<b>Sound</b>	<b>Sound</b>	<b>Sound</b>	<b>Sound</b>	<b>Sound</b>
Larry Heschke	Larry Heschke	Mike Sparks	Mike Sparks	Mike Sparks
<b>Janitors</b>	<b>Janitors</b>	<b>Janitors</b>	<b>Janitors</b>	<b>Janitors</b>
Angela Hall	Angela Hall	Angela Hall	Angela Hall	Angela Hall
David Hall	David Hall	David Hall	David Hall	David Hall

# The People to Whom Jesus Ministered

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every disease among the people. But when He saw the multitudes, He was moved with compassion for them, because they were weary and scattered, like sheep having no shepherd.

*Matthew 9:35-36*

FISHERMEN *Matt. 4:18*

EPILEPTICS *Matt. 4:24*

PARALYTICS *Matt. 4:24*

DISCIPLES *Matt. 5:1*

CENTURION *Matt. 8:8*

SERVANT *Matt. 8:8*

TAX COLLECTORS *Matt. 9:10*

SINNERS *Matt. 9:10*

MULTITUDES *Matt. 9:36*

WEARY *Matt. 9:36*

SCATTERED *Matt. 9:36*

APOSTLES *Matt. 10:2*

BLIND *Matt. 11:5*

LAME *Matt. 11:5*

LEPERS *Matt. 11:5*

DEAF *Matt. 11:5*

POOR *Matt. 11:5*

SICK *Mark 1:32*

DEMON-POSSESSED *Mark 1:32*

TEACHERS *Luke 5:17*

TORMENTED *Luke 6:18*

WIDOW *Luke 7:12*

WOMEN *Luke 8:2*

MARY MAGDALENE *Luke 8:2*

JOANNA *Luke 8:3*

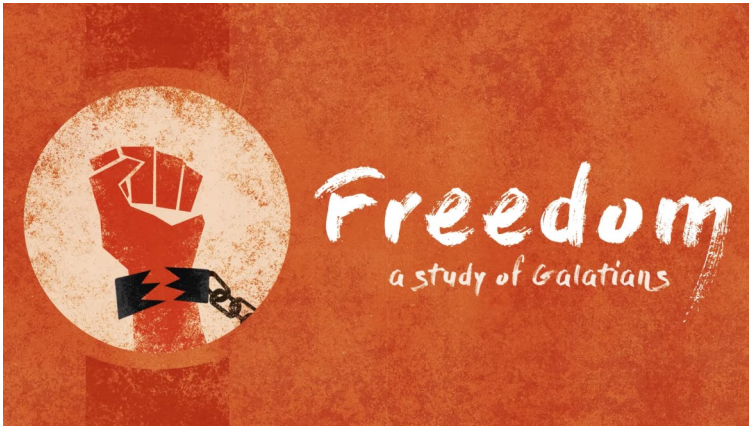
SUSANNA *Luke 8:3*

DISEASED *John 6:2*



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# Freedom: A Study of Galatians



We often feel exhausted with all that we need to do. We can feel like we don't measure up, and we carry the weight of the world on our shoulders. We cart around expectations for ourselves given by others while being quick to put expectations on other people. Life can feel heavy and burdensome at times.

There is nothing a Christian can do to add to the finished work on the cross. Galatians teaches us to experience freedom in the truth of the Gospel. It shows us how to live a life seasoned with grace for ourselves and for other people. It teaches us to walk daily with the Holy Spirit and live transformed lives. In Christ we find freedom!

**06/26/22 — The Gospel of Grace**

**07/03/22 — Pleasing God or Men?**

**07/10/22 — The Problem with Legalism**

**07/17/22 — Justified by Faith**

**07/24/22 — The Purpose of the Law**

**07/31/22 — Children of God**

**08/07/22 — Spirit-Led Freedom**

**08/14/22 — How to Grow in Grace**

***Galatians Overview***

***Galatians 1:20-24***

***Galatians 2:11-14***

***Galatians 2:15-21***

***Galatians 3:15-25***

***Galatians 3:26 - 4:7***

***Galatians 5:13-18***

***Galatians 5:16-25***

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## You and Me Forever

FRANCIS CHAN

Description

***Marriage is Great, But it's not Forever***

This seven session Bible study series, based on the book *You and Me Forever* from best-selling author Francis Chan and Lisa Chan, will challenge you to view your marriage like never before. These seven inspiring videos will help you dive deeper into the content of the book as you explore themes like:

- It's until death do us part. Then comes eternal rewards or regrets depending on how we spent our lives.
- While we cannot allow lesser things to destroy our marriages, we also cannot allow marriage to distract us from greater things.
- A jealous God asks us to pursue Him first and most. Then life makes sense, and everything falls into its proper place.
- Love, laughter, and intimacy were all created to be enjoyed. So there is a way to love family deeply without ignoring heaven.
- It all comes down to our focus.

Jesus was right. We have it all backwards. **The way to have a great marriage is by not focusing on marriage.**

This study will help you discover the adventure that you were made for --and learn how to thrive in it. Couples of all ages and stages of marriage or engagement are invited to join us at **7:00pm each Sunday evening July 10<sup>th</sup> - August 21<sup>st</sup>**. Cost for the study is \$10 per person which covers a copy of the book and study guide. A sign-up sheet is located on the table in the church foyer. You can also register by contacting the church office at (712) 225-2667.





# Camp Nebowa Supplies Needed for Remainder of Season

One of the ways that the registration fees for Camp Nebowa remain low and affordable is because area churches sponsor supply needs for the camp each year. This year **Esther Circle** would like to invite you to help them collect a supply of pancake syrup for the campers. The camp has a remaining need for **24 -36 bottles of syrup in the 24 ounce bottle sizes**. This should help them get through the remainder of the camp season for that particular supply.

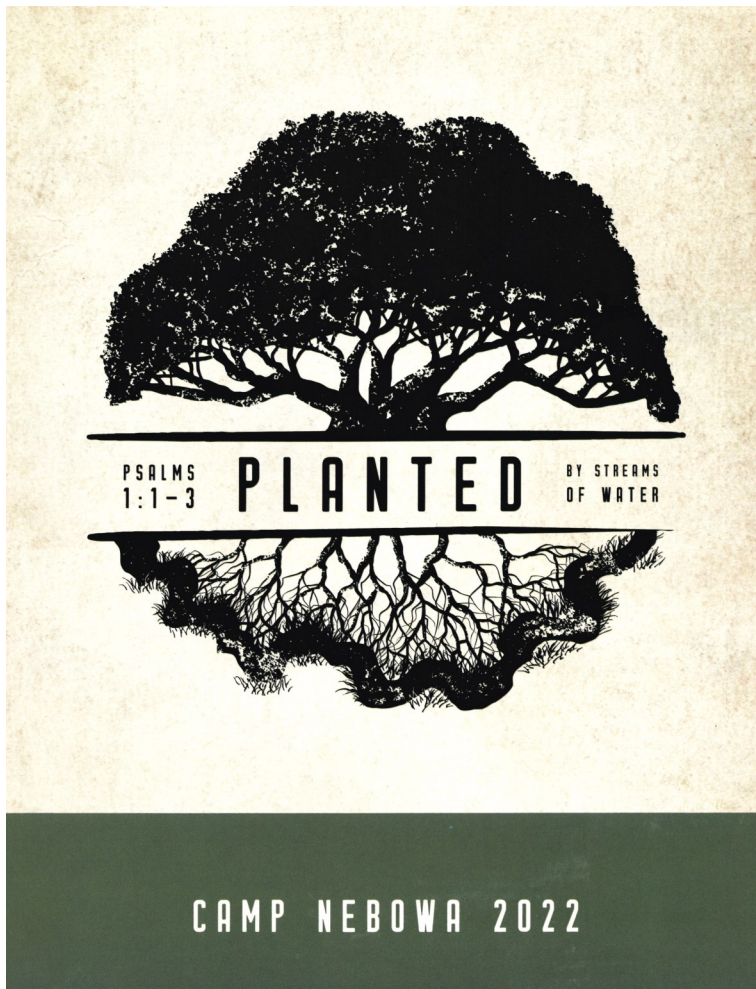
Bring your donations to the church and put them in the box located in the church office by **July 8th**.



There are many other supplies still remaining on their list and include the following. If you would like to donate some of these things as well as the syrup please bring them the church office by July 8th.

Items still needed include:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Quantity</u>
Pink lemonade	34 quart	12
Spaghetti noodles	Regular size	any
Regular boxes of Jello (no sugar free) strawberry, orange or lemon in multiples of three	3 oz or 6 oz boxes	any
Pancake syrup	24 oz	24-36
Toilet paper	Any	any



**The Office Will Be Closed  
Monday July 4, 2022  
In Observance of Independence Day**



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## BIBLE CLASSES

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10:00 a.m.

**Christian Standard Curriculum**  
Chapel

**Ladies Class**  
Room 7 - Downstairs

**Men's Class**  
Room 8 - Downstairs

**Children's Class**  
Downstairs

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## MISSIONS WE SUPPORT

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Nebowa Christian Camp  
Midwest Christian Services  
Deaf Missions  
International Disaster Emergency Services  
Rapha International  
Voice of the Martyrs

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## CHURCH INFO

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**Worship**  
Sunday Mornings  
9:00 a.m.

**Office Hours**  
Monday - Friday  
9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**Leadership**  
Pastor David Hall (641) 638-4762  
Mike Sparks, Elder (712) 261-4730  
Kirk Nelson, Elder (712) 540-9591  
Larry Heschke, Elder (712) 221-7592  
Mark Patten, Deacon  
Barry Nelson, Deacon  
Tom Mortenson, Deacon

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