# "Loving God, Loving Others"

We are honored to welcome you today. We hope you find Court Street a caring and accepting place that inspires you to love God and love others. All of the pastors are here to assist you on your spiritual journey, and we look forward to hearing more of your story.

#### **Health Precautions**

We're committed to keeping our community as safe as possible by following these guidelines:

- Please keep nose and mouth covered while indoors.
- Practice a social distance of 6ft between households.
- Use contactless greetings.

#### **Children & Youth**

Each Sunday we host groups for little ones through high school. Simply ask a greeter for details. If children choose to stay with their family in the worship service, coloring pages are available in the lobby. The Mother/Baby room is another resource in the lobby for those with infants.

### Offering

Offering Boxes are located along the exterior walls of our worship center. You can also give securely online using PushPay; just text "Courtstreet" to (833)245-8540 to get the app and set up one-time or recurring payments.

Thank you for being a part of our service today, and we look forward to seeing you next week!



## **Week 1: The Power of Encouragement**

Josh Fisher January 23, 2022

"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."

- John 16:33

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"I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come. He will glorify me because it is from me that he will receive what he will make known to you. All that belongs to the Father is min. That is why I said the Spirit will receive from me what he will make known to you.

- John 16:12-15

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A woman giving birth to a child has pain because her time has come; but when her baby is born she forgets the anguish because of her joy that a child is born into the world. So with you: Now is your time of grief, but I will see you again and you will rejoice, and no one will take away your joy."

-John 16: 21-22

3. \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ of encouragement.

Who has helped you "Take Heart" during a time when you faced hardship?

