

Serving Soon	Next Week	Two Weeks
Volunteers	Oct 12	Oct 19
Worship Leader	Layne Garringer	Jacob Glaspell
Opening Prayer	Hunter Stidham	John Wood
Communion	Gregg Lowe	Ted Taylor
Announcements	Dick Moore	Gary Stidham
Children's Church	Kim & Kara	Kim & Kara
Sound Booth	Kevin Johnson	Jordan Rinard
Nursery Attendant	TBD	TBD
Ushers	Bill, Jon, Jordan	Brandon, Roger, Scott

Statistics

Attendance

Sunday Bible Classes ..103  
Sunday Worship .....153  
Small Group .....35  
Wednesday Classes .....64

Budget

Contribution .....\$7,450

Leadership

Elders

Jeff Eldridge  
Dick Moore  
Gary Stidham  
Jimmy Williamson

Deacons

David Hubbard  
Kenny Hoyle  
Shane Barker  
Jamie Fee  
Jeff Felzien

Ministers

Stephen Walker  
Jacob Glaspell

Office Manager

Ashley Eldridge

Meeting Times

Sundays

Sunday Bible Classes 9:30  
Sunday Worship ..... 10:30  
Sunday Evening ..... 6:00

Wednesdays

Bible Classes ..... 7:00

Our mission is to bring people to Jesus and help them become fully devoted followers who demonstrate God's love through service.

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Sunday, October 5, 2025



This Morning

Welcome ..... Stephen Walker  
Worship Leader ..... Jamie Fee  
*How Great Is Our God*  
*Jesus We Love You*  
Prayer ..... Dennis Hilby  
*How Deep The Father's Love v1-2*  
Communion ..... Jeff Felzien  
*How Deep The Father's Love v3*  
Offering  
Children's Church ..... Kara & Cinda  
*Walking On Heaven's Road*  
Sermon ..... Stephen Walker  
*Do You Know My Jesus?*  
Announcements .....Jimmy Williamson



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# Guarding Against Temptation

An EMT was working in the Emergency Room when a father brought in his son. The boy had poked a tire from one of his toy trucks up his nose. The father was embarrassed, but the EMT assured him this was something kids often do.

The technician quickly removed the tire, and the father and son were on their way. But a few minutes later, the father was back in the ER asking to talk to the EMT in private. The two went into an examining room where the father began: “While we were on our way home I was looking at that little tire and wondering, how on earth did my son get this thing up his nose...” and then he went on to explain what the problem was.

Fortunately, it only took the EMT just a few seconds to get the tire out of the dad’s nose.

Temptations are all around us. Some lead to humorous consequences, and some to greater consequences. As Christians, we must especially guard ourselves against those temptations that hold eternal consequences.

“Therefore, beloved, since you are waiting for these, be diligent to be found by him without spot or blemish, and at peace... You therefore, beloved, knowing this beforehand, take care that you are not carried away with the error of lawless people and lose your own stability. But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.” (2 Peter 3:14, 17-18).

## Small Groups

Beavercreek Jeff Eldridge 937-603-4269 Sundays at 6:00	Bellbrook/ Sugarcreek Steve Liles 937-689-5725	Bellbrook/Xenia Gary Forrester 931-993-2080 JD Sandoval 501-827-0443 Sundays at 5:00
Teen Group Jacob Glaspell 304-917-6912 Sundays at 6:00	Sundays 5:00pm Building Group Jimmy Williamson 937-776-5021 Sundays at 6:00	Young Adult Beavercreek Dick Moore 937-609-3530 Sundays at 5:00

## Prayer Requests

Jim Villinger  
Charlie Lightle

## College Students

Caden Liles  
Kaitlyn O’Callaghan  
Ethan Byham  
Erica Moore  
Bo Frye

# News and Events

**COOKOUT:** Gary and Rhea are hosting a cookout today starting at 6 PM. Please bring a side dish, your favorite outdoor game and a lawn chair.

**XENIA FALL FESTIVAL:** Saturday, October 11th, if you can volunteer to help with our booth please sign up for a time in the foyer.

**PUMPKIN PARTY:** Kids ages 0-3 years old and their parents are invited to a Fall party hosted by Jeff and Laura Felzien on Saturday, October 18th from 3-5pm. Come play games, eat snacks, enjoy a hay ride through the woods and pick a pumpkin. Please bring a finger food to share, a blanket for the hay ride and clothes that can get messy if your child would like to paint their pumpkin. Please RSVP to Laura Felzien or Krista Peterson by October 11th. See you there!

**FISH FRY FUNDRAISER:** Come Nov. 2nd @ 5:30p to enjoy a Fish Fry at the building for a fundraising opportunity for our Winterfest trip in February.

**NIGHT OF WORSHIP:** Nov. 9th @ 5pm at the building come sing with local congregations for an area wide sing.

**HOPE RISING NEEDS:** hooded bath towels, crib sheets, 4t/5t pull ups, 5t clothes boys and size 7 diapers

**CHURCH EMAILS:** If you are not on the church distribution list for mass emails and want to be, please email the office at office@xeniachurch.org to be added.

### Fall Quarter Classes

#### Sunday morning classes:

Worship Hall: Dick, Gary, Jimmy & Jeff will teach “Growing and Maturing In Christ”

Fellowship Hall: Stephen Walker will teach “Faith Under Fire”

#### Wednesday evening classes:

Fellowship Hall (long tables): Stephen will teach “1 Samuel”

Fellowship Hall (round tables): Ladies Class lead by Arvilla Fee “Love Your Life”

## Student Ministry

*grow up, grow out, grow together*

### Mark your calendars:

**Oct 10-12:** Northwestern Youth Retreat. Weekend retreat held at the Northwestern Church Camp. Jacob will be guest speaking. See Jacob for more info.

**Young’s Dairy:** Oct. 25th evening  
**Service Retreat:** Nov 14-15. More details to come.  
**Christmas Party:** Dec. 7th