

Serving Soon

Next Week

Two Weeks

Volunteers	Dec 14	Dec 21
Worship Leader	Wayne Hampton	Jacob Glaspell
Opening Prayer	Jamie Fee	Jeremiah Forsythe
Communion	David Hubbard	Jeff Felzien
Announcements	Jeff Felzien	Jimmy Williamson
Children's Church	Kim & Kara B	Shelly & Caden
Sound Booth	Jordan Rinard	Kevin Johnson
Nursery Attendant	Chris & Tracy	Kelley & Laura
Ushers	Bill, Jon, Jordan	Bill, Jon, Jordan

Statistics

Attendance	Budget
Sunday Bible Classes ..... 73	Contribution .....\$7,414
Sunday Worship ..... 138	
Small Group ..... 15	
Wednesday Classes .....45	

Leadership

Elders	Deacons	Ministers
Jeff Eldridge	David Hubbard	Stephen Walker
Dick Moore	Kenny Hoyle	Gary Forrester
Gary Stidham	Shane Barker	Mike Wilson
Jeff Felzien	Jamie Fee	Bill Daufen
Jimmy Williamson		
		Office Manager
		Ashley Eldridge

Meeting Times

Sundays	Wednesdays
Sunday Bible Classes 9:30	Bible Classes ..... 7:00
Sunday Worship ..... 10:30	
Sunday Evening ..... 6:00	

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, December 7, 2025



This Morning

Welcome/Come To Worship .....	Jamie Fee
<i>He Has Made Me Glad</i>	
Prayer .....	Howard Carson
<i>Joy to the World</i>	
<i>O Little Town Of Bethlehem</i>	
<i>He Loved Me So</i>	
Communion .....	Dennis Hilby
<i>O Come Let Us Adore Him</i>	
Offering	
Children's Church .....	Kim & Kara
Angels We Have Heard On High	
Sermon .....	Stephen Walker
<i>O Come All Ye Faithful</i>	
Announcements .....	Dick Moore



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# The Beatitudes

**You’re Blessed-** [Matthew 5:1-12 \(The Message\)](#)

<sup>5 1-2</sup> When Jesus saw his ministry drawing huge crowds, he climbed a hillside. Those who were apprenticed to him, the committed, climbed with him. Arriving at a quiet place, he sat down and taught his climbing companions. This is what he said:

<sup>3</sup> “You’re blessed when you’re at the end of your rope. With less of you there is more of God and his rule.

<sup>4</sup> “You’re blessed when you feel you’ve lost what is most dear to you. Only then can you be embraced by the One most dear to you.

<sup>5</sup> “You’re blessed when you’re content with just who you are—no more, no less. That’s the moment you find yourselves proud owners of everything that can’t be bought.

<sup>6</sup> “You’re blessed when you’ve worked up a good appetite for God. He’s food and drink in the best meal you’ll ever eat.

<sup>7</sup> “You’re blessed when you care. At the moment of being ‘care-full,’ you find yourselves cared for.

<sup>8</sup> “You’re blessed when you get your inside world—your mind and heart—put right. Then you can see God in the outside world.

<sup>9</sup> “You’re blessed when you can show people how to cooperate instead of compete or fight. That’s when you discover who you really are, and your place in God’s family.

<sup>10</sup> “You’re blessed when your commitment to God provokes persecution. The persecution drives you even deeper into God’s kingdom.

<sup>11-12</sup> “Not only that—count yourselves blessed every time people put you down or throw you out or speak lies about you to discredit me. What it means is that the truth is too close for comfort and they are uncomfortable. You can be glad when that happens—give a cheer, even!—for though they don’t like it, / do! And all heaven applauds. And know that you are in good company. My prophets and witnesses have always gotten into this kind of trouble.

## Small Groups

Beavercreek Jeff Eldridge 937-603-4269 Sundays at 6:00	Bellbrook/ Sugarcreek Steve Liles 937-689-5725 Sundays 5:00pm	Bellbrook/Xenia Gary Forrester 937-477-3113 JD Sandoval 501-827-0443 Sundays at 5:00pm
Young Adult Group Gary Stidham 937-728-4700 Sundays at 6:00	Building Group Jimmy Williamson 937-776-5021 Sundays at 6:00	Beavercreek Dick Moore 937-609-3530 Sundays at 5:00

## Prayer Requests

Jim Villinger	Dave Giuliani
Jerry Booher	Linda Luginbuhl
Charlie Lightle	

## College Students

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

# News and Events

**BLOOD DRIVE:** Our next blood drive is December 28th 1-7pm, in the fellowship hall. If you are able to volunteer see Howard Carson.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR:** Our Annual Birthday Dinner will be February 7th. Please see Arvilla Fee to claim your table or for any questions

**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](mailto:office@xeniachurch.org) to be added.

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

## Winter Quarter Classes

### Sunday morning classes:

Worship Hall: Barry Bergsten will lead a study of “Ephesians: New Life”

Fellowship Hall (round table side): Stephen Walker will teach a young adult class: “Challenges To Our Faith”

Fellowship Hall (brown table side): Chuck will lead a study on “The Disciplines The Draw Us Closer To God”

### Wednesday evening classes:

Fellowship Hall (brown tables): Jimmy Williamson will lead a study of “2 Samuel: David’s Coronation and Regain”

## Student Ministry

*grow up, grow out, grow together*

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**Christmas Party:** Dec. 7th