



# BAKER HEIGHTS CHURCH *of* CHRIST

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

**GREETING/SONG LEADER** - Richard Oller

**KIDS'S TIME** - Larry Sullivan

**#9** - A Wonderful Savior

**#519** - Only in Thee

**#122** - Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

**PRAYER** - Charles Goodnight

**#86** - By Christ Redeemed

**COMMUNION PRAYERS** - Ed Cowart

**CONTRIBUTION PRAYER** - Ed Cowart

**#48** - Anywhere with Jesus

**SCRIPTURE READING** - John Hanson

Psalm 40:1-5; Philippians 4:19

**SERMON** - Larry Sullivan  
2020 Vision?

**#291** - I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace

**ELDER'S PRAYER** - Charles Goodnight

**#118** - Count Your Blessings

## WEEK OF DECEMBER 27, 2020

### SUNDAY - DECEMBER 27

- Bible Class for all ages - 9 a.m.
- Worship Assembly - 10 a.m.
- Worship Assembly - 5 p.m.
  - Scripture - Galatians 5:16-26
  - Sermon - Keeping In Step With the Spirit
- NO Children's Bible Class** - Resumes January 3, 2021

### MONDAY - DECEMBER 28

- Prayer Conference Call with Floyd Miller - 8-9 p.m.  
Call (605) 313-5695 - Passcode is 718815

### TUESDAY - DECEMBER 29

- Ladies Bible Class - 10 a.m. - Resumes January 5, 2021

### WEDNESDAY - DECEMBER 30

- Bible Class for all ages - 6:30 p.m.
- Short Devotional - 7:15 p.m.

### THURSDAY - DECEMBER 31

- BHCC Offices Closed for the Holidays

### FRIDAY - JANUARY 01

- BHCC Offices Closed for the Holidays

## YOUTH HAPPENINGS

### BIBLE BOWL

Sundays, 5 p.m. - will NOT meet  
3rd - 12th grade  
Resumes January 3, 2021

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

### CBC

December 27, 2020 - will NOT meet  
Resumes January 3, 2021

### NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAYS

BHCC OFFICES will be closed all day  
December 31, 2020  
January 1, 2021

### REDEEMING THE TEARS

January 9, 2021  
10 a.m. - Fellowship Area

## MEETING TIMES

### SUNDAY MORNINGS

9 a.m. - Bible Class for all ages  
10 a.m. - Worship Assembly

### SUNDAY EVENINGS

5 p.m. - Children's Bible Class (*on break*)  
5 p.m. - Worship Assembly

### WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

5:30 p.m. - Fellowship Meal (*on break*)  
6:30 p.m. - Bible Class for all ages  
7:15 p.m. - Short Devotional

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### ALARM UPDATE:

If you use a Pin number, you **MUST** go in a "designated" door so that the alarm does not go off.

**"Designated" doors:** Front & Back door of the Ed. Bldg. & two doors near the men's restroom in Auditorium.

**"And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus. "  
Philippians 4:19**

## PRAYER REQUESTS

### MEMBERS

**Kevin Allen** - Health concerns  
**Eldon Amonett** - Would like phone calls  
**Tomorrow Boyd** - Prayers for joy  
**Dorothy Coffey** - COVID 19  
**Leroy Mason** - COVID 19  
**Dorothy McCoy** - Colon Surgery 12/17/20 - went well  
**Rick & Kacie Oller** - COVID 19  
**Nancy Taylor** - Andrews, Tx - with her son for holidays

### FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Fred Dominguez - COVID 19 - HMC  
*(Father of Former member Sam Dominguez)*  
 Martha Foreman - COVID 19  
*(Friend of Tammy Tiner)*  
 Marijin See - COVID 19  
*(Mother of Terry McGaha)*  
 Alvin Strickland - Surgery  
*(Father of Michael Strickland)*  
 John Sullivan - COVID 19  
*(Brother of Larry Sullivan)*  
 Georgann Templeton - COVID 19 & high risk  
*(Sister of Charles Goodnight)*  
 Gayle Williams - Cancer diagnosis  
*(Mother of Johanna Taylor)*

### SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF

Inez Row Barefoot - 12/13/20, Abilene  
*(Mother of Former member Tamera Hagler)*  
 Lori Kashorek - 12/13/20, Plattsburgh, NY  
*(Wife of Doug Kashorek, missionary in NY)*

### HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Brenda & Eldon Amonett	Pauline Baskett
Phyllis Bonner	Janet Bruns
Mamie Crane	Norma Dotson
Leroy & Mary Mason	Jo Potter
Frances Pruett	Melinda Simmons
Dean & Nelda Stewart	
Laveta Youngquist	

### CANCER FIGHTERS

Hank Davis	Jena Madeley
Lewis Maness	Dorothy McCoy
Kay Procter	Larry Taylor
Jesse Thomas	Minnie Woody

## FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

### NEXT PANTRY PALS

January 3, 2021

Individually wrapped snacks:  
 Applesauce, Chips,  
 Granola Bars, Cookies,  
 Fruit Snacks,  
 Gold Fish, Cheese-Its,  
 Pop-Tarts

## BE ENCOURAGED

Andor Foldes was a great Hungarian concert pianist. He once recounted a kiss that changed his life. He was 16 years old when a famous pianist named Emil von Sauer visited Budapest. Emil von Sauer was the last surviving pupil of another famous pianist, Franz Liszt.

Foldes was feeling very low because of an ongoing conflict with his piano teacher when von Sauer asked Foles to play for him. A very anxious Foldes performed some of the most difficult works of Bach, Beethoven and Schumann. When he had finished he nervously awaited the great master's response. Von Sauer got up from his chair, walked over to Foldes, kissed him on the forehead and said, "My son, when I was your age I became a student of Liszt. He kissed me on the forehead after my first lesson, saying, 'Take good care of this kiss - it comes from Beethoven, who gave it to me after hearing me play.' I have waited for years to pass on this sacred heritage, but now I feel you deserve it." It was that kiss that changed Foldes life, and spurred him to continue with his piano studies and playing even through the darkest periods of his life.

Many are going through very distressing times right now. It may be COVID-19. It may be grief over the loss of a loved one. It may be problems with children or other relatives. It may be a difficult time at work or difficulty finding work. Someone may have hurt you deeply. We feel bombarded with discouragement and depression. In fact, depression is the #1 health problem in the U.S. today. Over 200 million prescriptions have been written over the last few years just to treat the symptoms of depression.

As Christians, we are called on to be an encouragement to each other. Our job is NOT to find fault.... May God help us to find JOY! It is a most joyous thing to be God's child. Be reminded of this:

Philippians 4:19 – "And my God will meet all of your needs according to His glorious riches in Christ Jesus."

Friend -- be encouraged because God sent His Son. Be encouraged because Jesus died for our sins.

Romans 5:8 – "But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us."

Jesus died in our place. He took the punishment for us. I owed a debt I could not pay. He paid a debt He did not owe. Do you feel like life treats you badly? Do your friends bail out on you just when you need them the most?

Hebrews 13:5-6 – "...God has said, 'Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you.' So we say with confidence, 'The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can man do to me?'"

*Charles Goodnight*

BHCC Elder

## OUR LEADERSHIP

### MINISTERS

Larry Sullivan  
*(Preaching)*  
 Luke Bower  
*(Youth and Family)*

### DEACONS

Kevin Allen  
 Hank Davis  
 Marty Gray  
 Christopher Hall  
 John Hanson  
 Eric Hunt  
 Chris Jeter  
 Kenneth Longley  
 Scott McGaha  
 Dean Newman  
 Justin Rosenquist  
 James Sumners  
 Gregg Taylor

### ELDERS

Richard Bower  
 Ed Cowart  
 Robert Dennis  
 Charles Goodnight  
 Richard Oller  
 Larry Taylor  
 Stuart Tiner

**ELDER OF THE MONTH**  
 Charles Goodnight

## LAST WEEK

*All numbers reflect  
 in-person attendance*

**Bible Class - 80**

**AM Assembly - 114**

**PM Total - 44**

*Assembly - 44*

*CBC - N/C*

*University Place - N/C*

**Wednesday Devo - N/C**

**Contribution - \$5,238**

**Weekly Goal - \$9,600**

**Building Fund - \$18,000**

*Raised to date - \$15,790*