



BAKER HEIGHTS CHURCH of CHRIST

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

GREETING/SONG LEADER - Lacy Loudermilk
KIDS' TIME - Luke Bower

#387 - Tell Me the Story of Jesus
#314 - Beneath the Cross of Jesus

COMMUNION PRAYERS - Sean D'Entremont
CONTRIBUTION PRAYER - Sean D'Entremont

#1018 - Joy to the World

PRAYER - Justin Rosenquist

#1017 - Away in a Manager
#1001 - Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

SCRIPTURE READING
Luke 2:8-14

SERMON - Sam Dilbeck
Glory to God: Seeing Jesus in the
Shepherd's Announcement

#943 - Do You Know My Jesus?

ELDER'S PRAYER - Charles Goodnight
#853 - When We All Get to Heaven

WEEK OF DECEMBER 22, 2024

SUNDAY - DECEMBER 22

- Bible Class for all ages - 9 a.m. - NO Classes
- Worship Assembly - 10 a.m.
- Worship Assembly - 5 p.m.
- ALL Classes combined
Sam Dilbeck
- Children's Bible Class - Resumes 01/05/25*
- University Place Services - 6:30 p.m. - Taylor Group

MONDAY - DECEMBER 23

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

TUESDAY - DECEMBER 24

- Ladies Bible Class - Resumes 01/07/25
- BHCC Offices Closed

WEDNESDAY - DECEMBER 25

- BHCC Offices Closed - Merry Christmas!
- "Feeding the Flock" - Resumes 01/08/25
- Devotional - 6:30 p.m. - Fellowship Area

THURSDAY - DECEMBER 26

- Men's Brown Bag - Resumes 01/09/25
- BHCC Offices Closed

YOUTH HAPPENINGS

YOUTH LOCK-IN

Tuesday, December 31, 2024- 6th-12th gr.
Details to come

BIBLE BOWL

Sundays - 5 pm - Rm. 16

COMMUNION TO THE SHUT-INS

Sunday, January 12, 2025
After AM Worship

LTC SIGN-UP

Get forms in class
See Christopher Hall for details

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

BHCC OFFICES CLOSED

Tuesday, Dec. 24th - Thursday, Dec. 26th
Tuesday, Dec. 31st - Thursday, Jan. 2nd

NO CLASSES - HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Sunday, Dec. 22nd - 9:00 AM
Wednesday, Dec. 25th - **Devo only** in Rm. 32A
Sunday, Dec. 29th - 9:00 AM
Wednesday, Jan. 1st - No classes or devo.

24 HOURS OF PRAYER

Friday, Jan. 3, 2025 - Saturday, Jan. 4, 2025

CONGREGATION - WIDE MEETING

Sunday, Jan. 19, 2025 - 4:30 p.m. - Auditorium

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
5 p.m. - Worship Assembly

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

5:30 p.m. - Fellowship Meal
6:30 p.m. - Short Devotional
6:45 p.m. - Bible Class for all ages

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WINTER QUARTER ADULT CLASSES

Sunday 9 am - the Book of Acts (Auditorium & Rm. 32C)

Sunday 5 pm - Ephesians (Auditorium)

Sunday 5 pm - *Alive in the Spirit* by Jimmy Jividen - Young Families - Rm. 32A

Wednesday - Prayers of Jesus - January (Auditorium)



MEMBERS



VISITORS

PRAYER REQUESTS

MEMBERS

Dorothy Coffey - now home
Michael Coffey - Mesa Springs
Johnnie Feaster - HMC S
Janie Maness - HMC S - Knee surgery
Toni McAdams - Prayer of thanksgiving
Kerry & Samantha Miller - Prayer of thanksgiving
Alicia Porter - Health concerns
Randy & Jackie White - Prayers of rededication

FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Cheryl Deleon - Ex-husband passed away
(Friend of Reese Porter)
 Joy - Prayers for her grief due to loss of son & fiancée
(Visitor to BHCC)
 Rosa Doner - Health concerns
(Relative of Ian MacTavish)

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Phyllis Bonner	Billie Brown
Janet Bruns	Johnnie Feaster
Jim & Connye Hays	Curtis Johnson
Perry & Shirley Neely	Jo Potter
Melinda Simmons	

LONG TERM HEALTH CONCERNS

Vickie Courville	Amanda Fiske
Roberta Guthrie	John Hanson
Paul Klozinski	Jena Madeley
Lewis Maness	Jerry Smith
Janet Smith	Larry Sullivan
Jesse Thomas	

FRIENDS AND FAMILY CANCER FIGHTERS

Mike Baskett	Nona Barton
Zoey Courtright	Debbie Floren
Mike Layland	Ben Lilly
Abby Martin	Mike Northrup
Melissa Palomeque	Micheal Robinson
Alan See	

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

NEXT PANTRY PALS SUNDAY January 12, 2025

Instant Mashed Potatoes, Tuna, Pasta Sauce, Hamburger Helper, Spaghetti,

Vienna Sausage, Canned Chicken, Pasta, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Ketchup, Mustard, Canned Fruit, Canned Vegetables, Soup, Kool-Aid, Pancake mix, Syrup

BE ENCOURAGED

Andor Foldes was a great Hungarian concert pianist. He once recounted a kiss that changed his life. He was 16 years old and feeling very low because of an ongoing conflict with his piano teacher, when Emil von Sauer visited Budapest. von Sauer was a famous pianist, and the last surviving pupil of another famous pianist: Franz Liszt.

Von Sauer asked Foldes 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.

This is the week of Christmas. Many are celebrating with families and friends. But the reality is that many are going through very distressing times right now. 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: **Phil 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. Every Lord's Day, we remember the death, burial, and resurrection of our Lord and Savior! **JOY TO THE WORLD** the Lord has indeed come! He lived, died, and was resurrected that we might live with Him eternally. **Rom. 5:8 – "But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us."**

Charles Goodnight

BHCC Elder

OUR LEADERSHIP

MINISTERS

Sam Dilbeck
(Preaching)
 Luke Bower
(Youth and Family)

DEACONS

Will Claxton
 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 - 140

AM Assembly - 216

PM Total - 124

Auditorium - 57

CBC/Other - 34

University Place - 33

Wednesday Devo - 118

Contribution - \$6,779

Weekly Goal - \$8,613

Average YTD - \$9,401