August 25, 2024 Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Watchword for the Week – Jesus said, "The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life." John 6:63

Welcome to our service of worship for this fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost - the season of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit was sent by the Risen Lord, Jesus Christ, to supply the church with everything needed to serve Him faithfully until the day of His return. As we worship today, let us pray for a fresh outpouring of the Spirit upon ourselves, our church, our community, nation and world. May more and more people everywhere hear and respond to the Good News - that Jesus is the Way; the Truth; the Life; the only source of salvation.

If you are visiting with us today we are especially glad you are here. Please take a moment to add your name, address and phone number to the blue Friendship Register as it is passed down the pew. We consider you an honored guest and hope that you will return and worship with us in the weeks to come. If you are looking for a church home, we would love to talk with you about joining the Friedberg church family.

Prelude	Where He Leads Me	Arr. Berry	
Welcome and Announcements			
Worship Sequence Hymn Hymn (Children ag	"Offering of Thanks" <i>We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise</i> <i>He Has Made Me Glad</i> ges 4-2 nd grade may leave for Children's	(Burg) # 214	
Joys and Concerns			
Pastoral Prayer			
An Invitation to Bethel Bible Study			
Giving of Our Tithes and Offering			
Prayer Offertory Doxology <i>Praise</i> (Tell It to Jesus God. from Whom All Blessinas Flow	Arr. Martin (Blue) # 817	

Holy Scripture Ephesians 6:10-20

HymnSoldiers of Christ Arise(Burg) # 723Sermon"The Key to Revival"HymnTen Thousand Times Ten Thousand(Blue) # 394BenedictionSunshine in My SoulSweney

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and with much love in memory of the 88th birthday Jim Spaugh. They are given by Dale, Susan, Jamey and family.

BEGINNING BAND CLASS will start on Tuesday September 3, 2024, at Home Moravian Church. Sponsored jointly with Salem Congregation, Beginning Band Class will once again be offered under the leadership of Robah Ogburn and Connie Merritt. Each Tuesday night, the class will meet at 6:30pm for all ages 6th grade and up (we have had students starting in their 80's). If you do not know what instrument you want to learn, the leaders will help you make that decision on the first night. Salem Congregation Chorale Band will meet at 7:30 each Tuesday and is open to all interested players This group will use both green and blue Moravian Chorale books and perhaps some band arrangements. This group is targeted for all players that have at least completed Beginning Band as well as those that have played for many years. Both the Beginning Band Class and the Salem Congregation Chorale Band will meet in the Rehearsal Room on the lower level of the Rhondthaler building. Please contact Connie (kapwing@triad.rr.com) or Robah (RobahOgburn@Yahoo.com) if you have questions or need additional information. If you are interested in learning how to play a band instrument, Friedberg has some instruments which may be borrowed. If you need an instrument, please contact Jimmie Snyder.

First Friday Breakfast is Friday, September 6th, 7AM. Jeff Vogler, Chaplain Response Team, serving fire, EMS, and law enforcement agencies of Forsyth County is our guest speaker. Join us for fellowship, inspiration, and food!

All parents who have a child in Children's Church will be <u>required</u> to physically come down to the Children's Center on the first floor of the Family Life Center and sign their child out before they are released at the end of worship.

We are seeking willing servers for the Dining Room on Saturday November 2nd at The Fall Chicken Pie Supper. This is such an important service opportunity for our church and outreach for our community. Our 1st Shift is 3:30 PM - 5:15 PM and 2nd Shift is 5:00 PM - 6:45 PM. Please consider volunteering your time. For questions/sign up please contact Angie Fishel at <u>Angiefishel61@gmail.com</u>, 336-414-4821 or Michelle Tucker at <u>Tuckedin88@yahoo.com</u>, 336-408-0477. We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sunday, August 25

9:15 a.m.	Band Prelude
9:25 a.m.	Prayer Partners-Parlor
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
11:00 a.m.	Worship/Livestream in the Sanctuary

Tuesday, August 27

7:00 p.m. Mission Co. Meeting

Wednesday, August 28

7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, September 1

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9:25 a.m.	Prayer Partners-Parlor
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
11:00 a.m.	Worship/Livestream in the Sanctuary

FRIEDBERG MORAVIAN CHURCH PRAYER CONCERNS

August 25, 2024

MEMBERS

Phil Carter Dawn Davenport Brenda Dennis Emily Essick Jerry Evans Don Faust Robbie Joyce Mark Kimel Pat Lambeth-Watson Yvonne Lemons Carolyn Mason Rebecca Mickey Ted Miller Gary Murphy Reba Payne Kolton Pennell Mary Lou Pitts Martha Plyler

Wanda Russell Nick Saunders Betty Sink Larry Snyder Lou Snyder Jerry & Gail Tolley Michelle Tucker Joan Tutterow

Family and Friends Prayer Concerns Submitted Since Last Sunday: Bart Collins, Pamela Quate

MEMBERS AND RELATIVES IN MILITARY

Dylan Coleman Ben Greeson Jennifer Greenwood Dakota Holtzclaw Alex Kennedy Patrick Mickey Daniel Randleman Colton Scott Jon Eric Spaar, Jr. Ryan Spach Brandon Thompson Aidan Wheeler

MISSIONARIES AND MINISTRIES RECEIVING FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM FRIEDBERG

ARMF (Armando Rusindo Mission Foundation) Safie Braima - Sierra Leone Charlie & Vicki Brent – CRU (Campus Crusade), Texas A & M University Michael and Brenda Brent – CRU (Campus Crusade), Croatia Anna Stewart Faircloth – Young Life Keith Graham - Cookies for Christ Dusty and Christin Harrison – Intervarsity, Clemson University Hoof and Paw Therapeutic Riding and Activity Center Phil III & Eunice Raiford, Commission to Every Nation (CTEN) - Mexico Michael and Ceci Tesh, Ray of Hope Orphanage – Kenya Friends of Moravian Prison Ministry Joey Yokely – Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Current prayer concerns: Brenda Dennis had kidney stone surgery on Wednesday, August 21. Carolyn Mason had an outpatient procedure on her foot on Thursday, August 22. Emily Essick is a patient at Duke Medical Center.



Do you want to...

1] ... better understand God's plan for His children?

2] ... see how the whole Bible fits together?

3] ... grow in your relationship with God?

If you answered "yes" to any of those questions, then The Bethel Bible Series is for you.

What Is The Bethel Bible Series?

The Bethel Bible Series is a program that equips students to apply the Scriptures to their lives. In fact, our textbook is the Bible. The Bethel Bible Series presents a biblical overview in a language that is easy to understand. We will begin both Old Testament and New Testaments Classes beginning September 29, 2022.

Frequently Asked Questions:



- **1. How long are the classes?** 75 minutes in length
- 2. How many classes are there? Three seven week sessions

3. How much of a commitment do I sign up for?

-Each student makes a 7 week commitment. Each new session will have a new sign up period

4. Is there a cost? – The cost for the Workbook is \$60

5. What day will it meet?

-New Testament: Thursday Evenings - 7:00pm to 8:15pm -Old Testament: Thursday Afternoons – 1:30pm to 2:45pm

8. When does it start? - October 3, 2022

If The Bethel Bible Series sounds like what you have been looking for, sign up below, or contact the office. The classes will be filled on a first



come - first served basis with any additional names being put on a waiting list.

Please Note: Successful completion of the Old Testament Class is required to sign up for the New Testament Class. -----

Name _____ Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Number of Notebooks (if you are a couple) _____

Old Testament Class

New Testament Class

Deadline to sign up for September Classes is September 8

This note will take only a few minutes to read but it might change your whole Christian life.



For the past several years Friedberg

Moravian Church has offered both Old Testament and New Testament Bethel Bible Classes. Over 100 people at Friedberg have participated in these classes in past years and we are ready to begin another round of classes. We will be offering both the Congregational Phase classes and what is called the Intensive Teacher/Discipleship Training Program. For information on the Congregational Phase classes, see the other side of this insert. For information on the Intensive Teacher/Discipleship Training Program, read on.

Students in the Intensive phase of the Bethel Series program are taken on a journey into the Scriptures through a disciplined two-year training phase.

This is your invitation to participate in the INTENSIVE TEACHER/DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING PROGRAM.

What are the requirements of those who volunteer?

1. Each trainee will spend 2 ½ hours a week in a study session with the instructors over a two-year period – 3 seven-week sessions each year.

2. Trainees can expect to spend 6-10 hours per week doing homework which includes learning about 15 Biblical concepts per week.

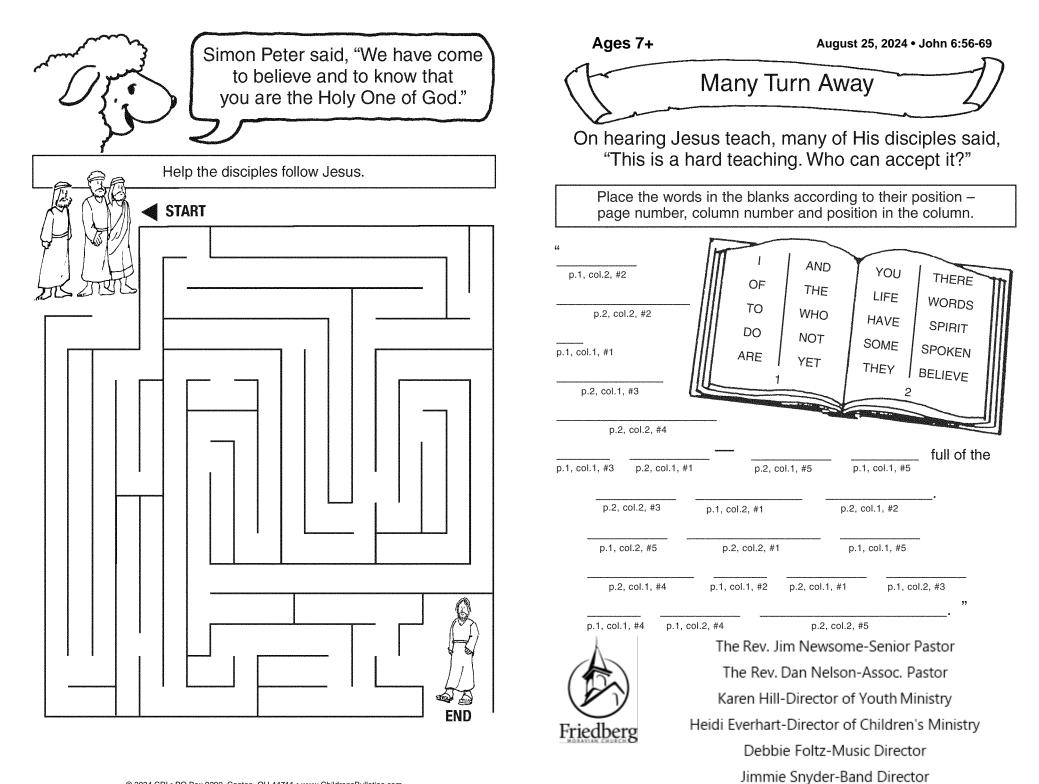
3. All members of the Intensive Class will write exams and do projects as the study progresses.

4. Each trainee will pay a registration fee of \$60 per year to cover the cost of the textbook and other teaching materials.

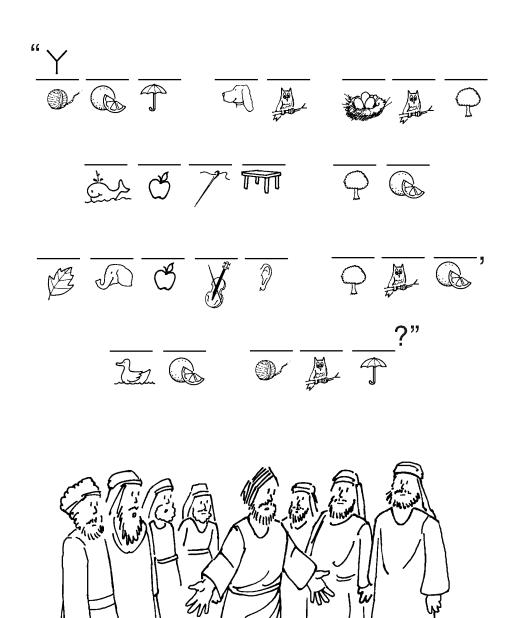
5. When the training program is completed, each trainee will be available to serve, not only through teaching other adults in our congregation using the Bethel Series as the format for their studies, but also through a demonstration of discipleship through a variety of leadership roles in our congregation.

As you can see, the requirements are demanding. It will take courage, dedication and perseverance, but IT WILL BE WELL WORTH ALL THE **EFFORT!** If you volunteer and are accepted for this teacher/discipleship training program, you will know more about the Bible than you have ever known before. You will have covered all 66 books of the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. You will be trained in teaching methods and laws of communication and will be well equipped to teach the Bible to other members of our congregation.

Pray about it. This is a challenge which can prepare you for the important work of teaching the Scriptures and serving in many other areas in our church. Contact Pastor Dan no later than September 8 for more information about the program. Please volunteer with the intent of being ready and willing to give your whole heart, mind and energy to this effort.



Write the first letter of each picture on the blank above it. Then read the question Jesus asked.



Simon Peter answered Him.

Fit the words into the puzzle. Then write the words in the numbered blanks to find out what Peter said. HINT: Not all the words in the list or puzzle will be used in the answer below.

