

The Lord's Day

April 12, 2026

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Isaiah 55:10-11

¹⁰ “For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven and do not return there but water the earth, making it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater, ¹¹ so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and shall succeed in the thing for which I sent it.

PREPARATION OF THE HEART

WORSHIP THROUGH SONG

All People That on Earth Do Dwell - #3

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 10:1-21

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

Deacon Don Faux

WORSHIP THROUGH SONG

Christ Our Wisdom - #627

Behold the Lamb - #315

THE LORD'S SUPPER (Lord's Prayer)

Deacon Jeff Schenck

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

** No Children's Church*

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD

Pastor Nathan Miller

“The Parable of the Sower” – Matthew 13:1-23

SONG OF RESPONSE

There Is One Gospel - #471

MEDITATION ON THE WORD

BENEDICTION

Romans 16:25-27

²⁵ Now to him who is able to strengthen you according to my gospel and the preaching of Jesus Christ, according to the revelation of the

mystery that was kept secret for long ages ²⁶ but has now been disclosed and through the prophetic writings has been made known to all nations, according to the command of the eternal God, to bring about the obedience of faith— ²⁷ to the only wise God be glory forevermore through Jesus Christ! Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wednesday Evening Bible Study

Bible study continues this Wednesday, April 15, at 6:30pm. Adults will be in Psalm 10. Children are in the gym for Bible study.

Prayer Service

Prayer service is this evening from 5-6pm. Please join us.

Women's Brunch

Women's brunch is this Saturday, April 18, from 9-11am at the Lafferty Farm. Please sign up **today** and bring a brunch dish.

Missions - Detwiler Visit

Destin and Jennifer Detwiler will be here Sunday, April 26. Destin will share an update and teach during Sunday School and then preach the Word in worship service.

Sunday School

Adults, our Sunday school class on church membership is at 9am. This is intended for both current members and those considering membership.

Visitors

Welcome! We are so thankful the Lord brought you here today. We would love to send you a thank you for worshiping with us. Please fill out the Welcome card or scan the QR code on the back of the bulletin.

Giving Options

✓ There is an offering box on the table in the narthex. ✓ You can text “TITHE” to 815-855-2403 to give ✓ Select the “GIVE” tab at www.gbferu.org. ✓ You can mail your tithe to the church.

