



MIDWEEK UPDATE

OCTOBER 2, 2025

A Message From Jeff...

HARVEST TIME

This is the time of year for combines on the road transporting to soybean fields. Dust and shredded stalks blow through the air as the dried corn is picked. We are moving into fall, the deer are getting ready to rut, next month we will turn back our clocks and celebrate Thanksgiving. This is a part of a permanent rhythm, predicted by God Himself Who said...

“As long as the earth endures, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night will never cease.” Genesis 8:22

Embrace and enjoy the blessings and weather of this autumn season. Consider that they all represent gifts from our Father to be noticed and appreciated.

“Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, Who does not change like shifting shadows.” James 1:17

MITCH McVICKER CONCERT LAST SUNDAY

Mitch McVicker did a fine job providing his unique time of inspiration and worship through his unique musical talents. Thanks to those who attended, blessed him a financial gift, or bought a CD from his merchandise table.

IMPACT THE WORLD.

Remember that October is the month when BCC staffs the volunteers for the **Batesville Food Pantry**. The meals given out to local families and individuals will benefit them in a tangible way as we show God's love to those in need. Volunteering is a great way to serve our neighbors and live out BCC's Mission Statement: **LOVE GOD. LOVE PEOPLE. IMPACT THE WORLD.**

BCC 101 THIS SUNDAY

Join us for an introduction to BCC as we share lunch and I answer questions about becoming a Christian and getting more involved at Batesville Christian Church. Child care is available. To make your reservation for the next **BCC 101 Information Lunch** being offered this Sunday, October 5, 11:45 a.m., please call (812) 934-5147 ext. 30 to RSVP.

Love,

Jeff

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CURRENT MESSAGE SERIES:

August 10	Creation/Noah	Genesis 1-9	Jeff Stone
August 17	Abraham/Isaac	Genesis 12:1-4, 16:1-3, 22:1-14	Jeff Stone
August 24	10 Commandments/Moses	Exodus 19, 20, 24, 25, 32-34, 40	Jeff Stone
Sept. 7	Ruth	Ruth 1-4	Jeff Stone
Sept. 14	David: From Shepherd to King	I Samuel 16-18	Jeff Stone
Sept. 21	David: The Trials of a King	II Samuel 11, 12	Jeff Stone
Sept. 28	Solomon: The King Who Had It All	I Kings 3, 4, 10, 11	Jeff Stone
Oct. 5	A Kingdom Torn in Two	I Kings 12-16	Jeff Stone

Recent Message:

If you missed last week’s message on “Solomon: The King Who Had It All” be sure to click on the link to view it. [\(CLICK HERE\)](#)

Prayers & Praises:

[CLICK HERE](#) to view the current prayer list.

September 2025 Update	
Aug. Avg. Adult Worship	152
Aug. Avg. Online Worship	40
Aug. Avg. Children’s Worship Attendance	49
Aug. Total Worship Avg.	241
Aug. Offerings	\$32,883
Year To Date Offerings (Annualized % of Budget)	\$305,249 (92%)

A Note From The Children’s Director

Our children’s classrooms are overflowing with energy each Sunday—what a blessing!

Because our classrooms have been filling up, it’s extra important that every child goes to their age-appropriate classroom each service. This helps keep class sizes balanced, ensures safety, and allows our teachers to give the best care and lessons for each age group.

9:00 a.m.—Nursery (Birth-Age 3), Classroom 1 (Preschool-Grade 5)

10:30 a.m.—Nursery (Birth-Age 3), Classroom 1 (Preschool), Classroom 2 (Kindergarten—Grade 1), Classroom 3 (Grade 2-Grade 5), **Grades 6-12 meet downstairs in Room G6 with Justin & Carli Sutherland.

Thank you for helping us keep our classrooms safe and fun! -Brittany

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Announcements:

Congratulations to **Cole Siebert & Cami Herbert** who were married on September 27 in a ceremony officiated by **Jake Nuhring**!

Cole & Cami Siebert
1202 North East Street
Greensburg, IN 47240

BCC 101

Join us **October 5** at **11:45 a.m.** for a BCC 101 Information Orientation.

Pizza lunch served.

Email the Church Office at admin@batesvillechristianchurch.org to RSVP.

Child care available upon request.

Batesville Food Pantry

October is the month when BCC staffs the volunteers for the Food Pantry and collects items for the Food Pantry's Holiday Boxes.

This year, **we have again been asked to collect 400 jugs of Apple Juice/Sunny D**. We will also have a collection bin for paper and plastic bag donations.

We will also have a collection box open for your **plastic/paper grocery bags**.

Men for Christ Ladies Night

On **October 13**, **Dr. David Faust** will be speaking at Mahoning Valley Christian Service Camp.

A meal will be served at 6:00 p.m., and Worship begins at 7:00 p.m.

Not Too Old Seminar October 18

Dr. David Faust will be speaking at The Christian Village at Mason

“Turning Your Later Years Into Greater Years.”

Event costs \$30, which includes the program, breakfast, lunch, and a book.

Write “**Mason**” on your connection card this Sunday if interested in attending/making reservation. Sunday will be the sign-up deadline.

MMS Special Collection

If you wish to help us support the Mountain Mission School on our upcoming mission trip, here are some things you can donate which we'll take with us in October:

- Cleaning supplies (laundry detergent, fabric softener, paper towels, napkins, facial tissues, toilet paper)
- Personal care items (hand sanitizer, soap, deodorant, shampoo, toothpaste/toothbrushes, feminine hygiene products)
- School supplies (notebooks, pens/pencils, 3-ring binders)
- Miscellaneous (candy, gum)

UPDATE: A big thank you for the response so far for the items collected for Grundy. Clay Montang's truck is about half full and **we will continue to collect until October 10**. We still need items such as paper products and any other items on the list. Thanks! Mission Ministry





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