



MIDWEEK UPDATE

JULY 16, 2026

A Message From Jeff...

Which Church is Right?

It is confusing with so many denominations of churches. They can't all be right. They all may contain some elements of truth, but aren't all true. Jesus has only one church. Throughout the past twenty centuries, men and women have fragmented the Body of believers into hundreds of special interest preferences.

How does one find a church that closely resembles the original church that is described in the second chapter of Acts? Realizing that a river is purest at its source, we want to go back to the beginning and see what Christ engineered the church to look like.

This Sunday we will study how BCC fits into this equation. Please read Acts 2:38, 41-47 in preparation for my message "What Kind of Church is This?" This would be a great topic to invite a guest to join you in worship.

Staffing Transition

Continue to keep our Staff Transition in your prayers as we watch for God to identify the person/people to help with guiding worship and the ministry to our teens. We are a month into the preliminary stage of a process that can take months. Referrals, resumes, doctrinal questionnaires, conversations, interviews, videos, references, etc., all take time to explore/research as we do our due diligence in securing the right person/people. Please be patient and above all, be prayerful!

SHINE!

There is still time to stop by our SHINE! Prayer Board to write down a name and pray for those names that are listed.

Love,
Jeff



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Middle School Bowling & Ice Cream

Incoming 6th—8th graders are invited to join us for a fun night of bowling and ice cream in Greensburg on **Wednesday, July 22!**

Meet at the church at 5:30pm, to carpool, or meet us at the Greensburg bowling alley at 6:00pm.

Grab a friend, \$10 per person, and come hang out with us— we'd love to see you there!

Please RSVP to Brittany Kurtz at (812) 212-7675



Mahoning Valley Ladies Retreat—September 12

Speaker: Love Lockman, she is known for her passion for God's Word and her heart for women.

Cost: FREE. Registration has begun. To register: go to the Camp's website, mahoningvalley.org

Recent Message:

If you missed last week's message about "SHINE from Within" be sure to click on the link to view it. [CLICK HERE](#)

Prayers & Praises:

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

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Announcements:

REMEMBER-There is still time to stop by our SHINE Prayer Board to write down a name and pray for those names that are listed.

Our **SHINE! BCC T-shirts** are available for pick-up on Sunday.

They turned out great!

Don't worry if you didn't pre-order. We have ordered additional shirts.

Our cost is \$13/shirt.



Mountain Mission School—Upcoming Mission Trip!

The BCC Missions Team is pleased to announce that we will return to Mountain Mission School in Grundy, VA from **October 25-30, 2026**.

If you are interested in joining this Mission Trip, there is a Sign-Up sheet located on the Information Counter in the Café.



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