

SUNDAYS @ VIOLET

Worship Services:
9:30 & 11:00 AM
Nursery – 5th Grade:
9:30 & 11:00 AM
Jr. High Youth (6th-8th Grade):
9:30 AM
Sr. High Youth (9th-12th Grade):
6:00 PM

LET'S CONNECT

Join us in person or tune in to our livestream Sunday mornings at 9:30 & 11:00 AM. We also invite you to follow us on social media.



MONTHLY @ VIOLET

Pray for the Community:
1st Saturday of every month
START HERE Membership Class:
2nd Sunday of every month
Baptisms:
last Sunday of every month

LIFE TOGETHER

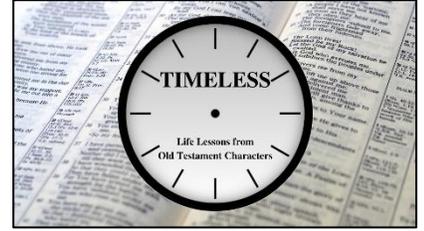
Browse our online [Small Group Directory](#) where you can narrow your search to find the Small Groups that best fit your schedule, age, interests, and more.

CHURCH CENTER APP

Download our Church Center free app today. Through the app, you can fill out our digital [CONNECT Card](#) and we'll follow up. You can also manage your giving, check-in your children on Sunday mornings, register for worship services and events, browse and sign up for a Small Group, access our members directory, and access message notes and the online bulletin.

JOIN US AGAIN NEXT WEEK

Nehemiah, Joseph, David, Abigail . . . these Old Testament names aren't just the main characters of Sunday school stories. They were real people, flawed and broken just like us. But God used each of them in powerful ways to teach timeless lessons that still apply to us today. Invite a friend to join you in person or online next Sunday, August 1, as we continue our summer series with a message on life lessons we can learn from Joseph.



JULY MISSION FOCUS: FILL A BACKPACK

This month, we have the opportunity to reach out to our community by filling backpacks for students in some of our local schools. We invite you to pick up a backpack in the Concourse this morning and pack it with all the items on the supply list found inside the pack. Return filled backpacks to the church by Sunday, August 1, and we will transport them to the schools. Please make sure to fill the backpacks with only those items on the list provided.

WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB GATHERING

Ladies, sign up to join us this Saturday, July 31, for our July Summer Book Club discussion gathering on *Witness* with local Christian author Jennifer Geiger. We'll meet for brunch and a book chat from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM in the Overflow Youth Room. Even if you did not read the book, please come and enjoy this fellowship time and the chance to meet a local author. And don't forget to register for the August Book Club meeting. Get the book title and ordering information when you sign up.

MEN'S GOLF SCRAMBLE

Men of Violet, invite a friend and join us for our first Men's Golf Scramble on Monday, August 9, for a 9:00 AM tee time at Cumberland Trail Golf Club. Sign up with a team. (Each team member must register.) You can also sign up as an individual, and we will place you on a team. Cost of \$70 per player includes golf and a cart as well as lunch and prizes afterward back at Violet.

JOY AMISH RETREAT

Registration is now open for the 2021 JOY (Just Older Youth) Amish Retreat, with the theme, "Imagine Amazing Joy with Jesus." This much-anticipated annual event will be held Thursday through Sunday, Oct. 21-24, in the peaceful comfort of the Carlisle Inn in picturesque Walnut Creek, Ohio. Join us for an amazing weekend of fun, food, and fellowship. Cost information is available when you sign up.

Check our Church Center ["Events"](#) page often for details about these and other upcoming events at Violet.

MESSAGE NOTES

TIMELESS

Life Lessons from Nehemiah
July 25, 2021 | Pastor Eric Flynn

Then I said, "O Lord, God of heaven, the great and awesome God who keeps his covenant of unfailing love with those who love him and obey his commands, listen to my prayer! Look down and see me praying night and day for your people Israel. I confess that we have sinned against you. Yes, even my own family and I have sinned!"
Nehemiah 1: 5-6 (NLT)

1. _____ is not required.

2. _____ about everything.

3. Care about the things _____.

4. _____ leads different people different ways.

5. God sees your _____.

CORE QUESTION:

What is the cause in your life that honors God but is unfinished or a mess?