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FYI Newsletter August 21, 2026



WORSHIP

Sunday Schedule

9:00 & 10:45 Worship Services

Streamed Live at
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This Sunday

August 23, 2026

Read Ahead
Hebrews 13:1-14

Hymns & Songs

Oh, What High and Holy Privilege
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise
Before the Throne of God Above
I Set My Hope on Jesus
The Church's One Foundation
Let the Nations Be Glad

Looking forward: On Sunday, August 30, join our church family as we worship together at our 10 am One Service on Sunday. During this special service, we will welcome New Covenant Partners into the life of the church. After the service, we will gather on the front lawn of the church for our annual picnic.

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, August 30

10:00 am One Service and Church Picnic



New Session Starting
Tuesday, September 8

Meal - 6:00pm
Program - 6:30-8:00pm
Canfield Room



GRIEF SHARE GROUP STARTING

Those who have experienced the death of someone close are invited to a 13-week GriefShare program beginning Tuesday, September 8, 2026.

GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. The people of the church provide a meal for GriefShare participants on Tuesdays at 6 pm, then the program runs 6:30-8:00. Other than the \$20 workbook fee, the class is free and open to anyone, not just church members. This nondenominational group features biblical teaching on grief and recovery topics. The video seminar features nationally respected grief experts and real-life stories, followed by a small group discussion. Past participants have related how helpful the information and follow-up discussions were to them.

You don't have to go through the grieving process alone. Visit www.griefshare.org or <https://www.firstpresmaumee.org/griefshare/> to learn more. You can also register for the meetings [here](#).



PASTOR BIBLE STUDY

The Pastor's Bible study meets on Tuesdays at 9:30 am.

HEBREWS SERIES

Through the Summer HEBREWS Sermons and Study

As a Church Family, we have begun to explore the book of Hebrews as we dig into the Word each Sunday together. This Hebrews sermon series is opening our minds and hearts to how God "provided something better for us" in the person of Jesus Christ (Heb. 11:40). We invite you to join us on Sunday and hear the Word.



Homebound Communion: Information & Training

Monday, August 24 | 6:00–6:30 p.m.

The Homebound Communion Ministry extends the celebration of the gathered church to members who are unable to join us in the sanctuary. In the

few days following a Sunday Communion Service, elders, deacons, and other members of the congregation visit those who are homebound to share in Scripture, prayer, and the bread and cup.

Pastor Clint will lead a brief Homebound Communion informational and training meeting at the beginning of the upcoming Deacon meeting. We invite anyone interested in joining this ministry to come and learn more. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Clint or Kristen Woodard. Let us know you're attending on the website.



JOIN OUR ONE SERVICE CHOIR!

It's time for another One Service Choir! We will worship as one church family at a 10am One Service on Sunday, August 30. This choir is for singers of all experience levels, and ages - it's for anyone who is interested in singing with others! Music will be singable

by all, and will be easy to learn. If you don't read music, you will still be able to learn your part - and rehearsal tracks will be provided. Please add your voice to this special worship service! Please see attached for more details.



WE'RE HIRING



NEW INTERN POSITION

As we move to having three classrooms for our Sunday children's church and Wednesday evening programming, we are looking for a third ministry intern.

This person would be responsible for preparing lessons for Sunday morning and helping lead lessons on

Wednesday evening. They would also receive regular mentoring to help them grow in their faith. It is a paid position with an expectation of about eight hours of work a week, paid at \$15 an hour. If you or someone you know would be interested, please contact Landon Rohrer.

CUSTODIAL HELP NEEDED

Our Church is in need of custodial help. If you or know someone that is interested, please contact Travis Garrett Sr. or Jim Calderone.



ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC

Join us for a joyful time of fellowship at our Church Picnic on **Sunday, August 30th**, on the front lawn immediately following our 10:00 a.m. One Service. Our theme is America's 250th - red, white & blue; if anyone wants to get creative with their food dish and/or attire!

The main dish and beverages will be provided. To help make our potluck a success, we invite those who are able to bring:

- Last names A–M: Side dish
- Last names N–Z: Dessert

If you have a food allergy or dietary restriction, please contact [Holly McCollam](#) by August 16th & we will do our best to have safe options available for you. Please bring a serving utensil if needed, and be sure to label your dish with your name. Please sign up for the **Cornhole Tournament** in the gathering space or on the website.



DISH & DINE

DISH & DINE SIGN-UP TIME IS HERE

Fall Dish and Dine groups are forming soon, so now is the perfect time to join if you've been wishing you had participated! Groups of six to eight people gather once a month for four months at local restaurants, giving you a fun and informal way to get to know fellow church

members and friends outside of church. Whether your group prefers brunch, lunch, or dinner, the goal is simply to share a meal, enjoy good conversation, and build new friendships. Interested in joining this fall? Read the full article for details and contact information. [See attached]



Fellowship Hour

FELLOWSHIP HOUR

Every Sunday between services, from 10:00-11:00 am, all are welcome to head downstairs for an opportunity to get to know others in our church and enjoy coffee, donuts, and

other refreshments. We hope you will consider joining us!



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Children's Church



CHILDREN'S CHURCH ADJUSTMENTS

Beginning August 23

Beginning on August 23, Children's Church will have some small but important adjustments, including:

- Children will now need to be picked up from their classroom after the

Modern Service.

- Parents will need to grab a pager and sign their children in at our new Welcome Desk.
- Each family will need to fill out some new paperwork.

These adjustments will be discussed in more detail at the Parent Kickoff Meeting on August 16 (see above).

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