

“The Mission Continuing to Move”
Acts 13:13-41

Changes in _____

A _____ that _____

A _____ that _____
to _____

Flowers on the communion table have been given
by Keith & Sharon Hamsher in honor of their 58th
wedding anniversary.

May 18, 2025

9:00 a.m. Worship

Pianist: Geoffrey Zimmerly

Organist: Phyllis Snyder

Welcome

Prelude: “The Solid Rock” - piano/organ

***Invitation to Worship:**

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance,
kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.

Against such things there is no law.

Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh
with its passions and desires.

**Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with
the Spirit.**

***Song:** “How Firm a Foundation” page 408

Scripture: Acts 13:13-41 page 1714

Prayer

Ministry in Music: “What a Friend We Have in Jesus” -
piano/organ

Special Music: “Abide in Saving Grace” - choir

***Song:** “Wonderful Words of Life” page 406

*Children 4-9 years old are released to the
back of the sanctuary for Children’s Church*

Message: “The Mission Continuing to Move”

***Song:** “Thanks to God Whose Word Was Spoken”
page 409

***Closing Prayer and Response**

“The Family of God” page 419

**If able, please stand*

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First Time @ Smithville Brethren?

Welcome, we are thrilled to have you as our guest today. Here is some information you will find helpful.

First, there is a gift waiting for you at our welcome center in the main lobby. Please stop by so we can give it to you.

Second, we would like you to know that we have two worship services here at Smithville Brethren. We have a 9:00 a.m. service in the Sanctuary with a traditional feel and an 11:30 a.m. service in the Upper Fellowship Hall with a contemporary feel.

Third, we believe that the responsibility to support the church financially rests upon the members and friends of this church and not on you, our guest. Please do not feel obligated to participate in the offering today.

Fourth, during the 9:00 & 11:30 a.m. services we have Jr. church for children ages 4-9. Jr. church begins partway through the service and allows your child a chance to learn about God in a more age appropriate environment. Jr. church is located in the lower level. You will see a slide on the screen that tells when to send your child out for Jr. church, if you desire to do so.

Fifth, we love children here at SBC so we have a nursery which is open for children from birth to 3 years old during the worship services and birth to 2 years old during the Sunday school hour. You may bring your child to the lower level during either of the worship services and Sunday school. Our nursery is staffed by loving people who would enjoy caring for your child. If you desire to keep your child in the service, that is perfectly fine also.

Volunteers for today are:

Nursery

9:00 a.m.	Lisa/Nora Zemancik, April Pearce
10:15 a.m.	Beth/April Pearce, Sylvia King
11:30 a.m.	Wendy Fetter, Julie Hostettler

Children's Church

9:00 a.m.	Emily Chenevey, Elizabeth Frantz
11:30 a.m.	Russ King, Sabrina Brandenburg

Weekly Calendar:

Sunday, May 18	
2-4 p.m.	Element 412—Mud Bogging @ Underwoods
Monday, May 19	
6:30 p.m.	Official Board Meeting
Wednesday, May 21	
11:30 p.m.	Ladies' Luncheon @ The Barn Restaurant
6:30 p.m.	Prayer Meeting
7:30 p.m.	Choir Practice

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Prayer

- Jake Cline
 - Donna RuLon
 - Nely Harris
 - Lou & Jeanne Kiba
- Versil James
 - Ellis Border

New to SBC?
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ELEMENT 412 EVENTS (6th-12th grade)

Mud Bogging—Today 2-4 p.m. at the Underwoods

Breakfast with Levi & Anna—Saturday, May 31
9:30-11:00 a.m. 1534 Jones Avenue, Wooster OH 44691
Come if you can, no need to RSVP.

Hymn Sing on Sunday, June 15th during the 9 a.m. traditional service—If you have a favorite hymn you would like to request, please complete the form available at the Information table to indicate the hymn and why it is meaningful to you. We will choose a number of the hymns to sing, interwoven with the regular elements of the service. Please place completed forms in the black church office mailbox on the Information table by Sunday, May 18th.

Inquirer's Class, for those interested in learning more about the church, including membership, is scheduled for June 1st, June 8th, and June 15th during the Sunday school hour in the library. It's not too late to participate; sign up on the church website, smithville.church, or call the office at 330-669-2267.

Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) is a free, interdenominational 30-week study for all ages and levels of Bible knowledge to explore God's Word in community. There are several opportunities in the Wayne County area for men, women and children to study through BSF. Beginning in September, SBC will be hosting a women's daytime Bible Study Fellowship satellite class each Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. Flyers are available at the Information table or you may call/text Barb Mast at 330-201-1748 or by email at barbmast@aol.com to discuss the study. You may also learn more at bsfinternational.org. We would love to have you join us!

May Ladies Luncheon will be held at The Barn Restaurant on the 21st at 11:30 p.m. All ladies are welcome to attend. We order off the menu and each pays for their own meal. No need to RSVP. Call Louise Liebhart at 330-347-8544 with questions or if you need a ride.

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OCC Suggested Donations for May: Personal Care Items, such as combs, hairbrushes, washcloths, fun adhesive bandages, eating utensils, nail clipper/file, small blankets, and water bottles. Donations may be placed in the box under the table in the entryway. Please note: Bar soap is no longer on the OCC acceptable items list as it causes the shoe boxes to be delayed in customs in many countries. Thank you!

SBC BBQ & Akron Rubber Ducks Event— It's not too late to sign up for the churchwide BBQ at SBC with the option of attending an Akron Rubber Ducks game with fireworks on Saturday, August 9th. Invite your family and friends, and attend either or both! Dinner will be served beginning at 4:30 and will include hamburgers and hot dogs and all the fixin's. All are welcome to join us for dinner. Tickets to the game are \$10 each. Game time is 7:05 in Akron. We need a count for dinner and tickets. Sign up at the Information table, on the church website, or call the church office at 330-669-2267. Deadline to sign up for Rubber Ducks tickets is Sunday, June 8th.

SBC Car Show—If you'd like, you can make a day of it on Saturday, August 9th and attend a car show as well! Hours are 9 to 2. If you have a vehicle you would like to display, please sign up online at smithville.church or at the Information table. Spectators, if you want to come and check out the vehicles, no need to sign up; please park in the west lot by the bank. No food will be available during this time. Rain date to be announced. If you are interested in helping out, we will need people to direct traffic to efficiently utilize our parking lot space. Questions? Call Colin Agnes at 330-439-9435 or the church office at 330-669-2267.

Christian Band We The Kingdom will be on the stage at the Wayne County Fair on Monday, September 8th at 8 p.m. Sign up on the church website, smithville.church, or call the church office to reserve tickets. Prices vary by location in the grandstand area. Deadline to sign-up through the church is Sunday, June 1st. The full cost must be paid prior to receiving the tickets from the church office. Admission to the fair is not included in the price of the concert ticket.