June 8, 2025 "Crossroads" SMITHVILLE Acts 15:1-21 9:00 a.m. Worship Problem: Bad **BRETHREN CHURCH Pianist:** Geoffrey Zimmerly Organist: Jeff Borah Welcome INTRODUCING PEOPLE TO CHRIST— Prelude: "Do You Know My Jesus?" and TOGETHER BECOMING COMPLETELY "His Eye Is on the Sparrow" - organ COMMITTED CHRISTIANS. *Invitation to Worship: For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all men. He saved us, not on the basis of deeds which we have done in righteousness, but according to His mercy; By the washing of regeneration and renewing by the Holy Spirit, Whom He poured out upon us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior. *Song: "Love Lifted Me" page 508 Solution: and Scripture: Acts 15:1-21 page 1718 Prayer Ministry in Music: "Breath of God", "Breathe on Me", and "Each Step I Take" - organ 193 E. Main St. Smithville, OH 44677 Special Music: "Nearer, My God, to Thee" -Office located at: Brian Rennecker, vocal solo 241 E. Main St. Geoffrey Zimmerly, piano Smithville, OH 44677 *Song: "He Lifted Me" page 509 330-669-2267 Children 4-9 years old are released to the E-mail: sbrethren@earthlink.net back of the sanctuary for Children's Church www.smithville.church Message: "Crossroads"

Flowers on the communion table have been given by Craig & Gwen Zimmerly in honor of Geneva's birthday.

*Closing Prayer and Response "Something Beautiful" page 507

*Song: "I'd Rather Have Jesus" page 506

June 8, 2025

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.	Kelly/Ronan White, Jenna Buss
10:15 a.m.	Beth/April Pearce, Sylvia King
11:30 a.m.	Rochelle Shane, Cassandra Gasser
Children's Church	
9:00 a.m.	Debbie Rinehart, Chin-Chin Frantz
11:30 a.m.	Chet Underwood, Kayla Hartzler

Weekly Calendar:

Sunday, June 810:15 a.m.Inquirer's Class in the Library—Week 2Monday, June 9NoonPrimetime Lunch UFHTuesday, June 106:30 p.m.CE Board MeetingWednesday, June 116:30 p.m.Prayer Meeting

Wi-Fi: SBC Guest Password: Bashful01

Prayer

Lou & Jeanne Kiba
Versil James
Ellis and Katie Border
Jacob Grande
Jacob Grande
Lou & Jeanne Kiba
Barb & Bruce Byler
Family of Wendell Fleming
Rich & Beth Busche
Donna Ru Lon



ELEMENT 412 EVENTS (6th-12th grade) Breakfast with Levi & Anna—Saturday, June 28 9:30-11:00 a.m. 1534 Jones Avenue, Wooster OH 44691 Come if you can, no need to RSVP.

Please Note: The library will be occupied during the Sunday school hour on June 1st, 8th, and 15th for the Inquirer's Class.

2025 Summer Reading Program for students Pre-K through entering 8th grade runs June 1st through August 3rd. Pick up a reading log and program details in your Sunday school class; enjoy some good books and earn great prizes! Parents may text questions to the children's librarian, Mrs. McConahay, at 330-466-5134.

One Complimentary Ticket Available for the Road to Damascus lunch and a show at the Ohio Star Theater on Tuesday, June 10th; if you are interested in attending, please contact the church office ASAP. Transportation is available if needed.

Protect Yourself: Identifying , Avoiding, and Reporting Fraud and Scams This workshop is presented by Everence and will be held at Kidron Mennonite Church, 3987 Kidron Road, Kidron, OH 44636, on Wednesday, June 25th at 6:00 p.m. RSVP by calling Everence at 800-986-9988 or by emailing glenn.black@everence.com.

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. 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. Today is the deadline to sign up for Rubber Ducks tickets. Please make your payment of \$10 per ticket through the offering by Sunday, June 15th; be sure to designate for Rubber Ducks tickets. Thank you!

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

Pastor Art Carr • e-mail: artcarr@earthlink.net Assoc. Pastor Scott Fetter • sfetter500@msn.com Ted Peplowski, Contemporary Worship Leader • tpeplowski@aol.com Wendy Kaufman, Church Administrator • e-mail: sbrethren@earthlink.net 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.

Camp Bethany summer camp season begins

soon! Below is a list of SBC campers and the dates they will be attending. Please let the office know if there are additional campers. Lift these students up in your prayers as well as camp staff and administrators; church camp is a great place for students to grow in their relationship with the Lord and with other Christians. Consider sending campers a note to let them know you are praying for them; mail items early so that students receive items during their time at camp.

> KINDLE CAMPERS—JUNE 13 - 15 Harper Shaffer, Alanna Zemancik

ILLUMINATE CAMPERS—JUNE 15 - 21 Kailyn Beichler, Aleena Mast

GLOW CAMPERS—JUNE 22 - 27

Colin Cline, Ethan Dravenstott, Makayla Dravenstott, Niko Mahas, Adria Shaffer

IGNITE CAMPERS—JUNE 29 - JULY 5

Briley Cline, Elizabeth Frantz, Nina Hart, Averie Mahas, Alaina Rice, Nora Zemancik

SPARK CAMPERS —July 6 - 11 Owen Hart, Corben Mahas, Willow McConahay

FLICKER CAMPERS —JULY 13 - 19 Stevie Frantz

Mailing address is:

Camp Bethany c/o (child's name) 5774 Twp Rd 212 Lakeville, OH 44638