

Bible Engagement Project | My Savior

Volume 9, Week 1: 'Jesus is the Model for Our Life'

John 13.1-17

Before the Passover celebration, Jesus knew that his hour had come to leave this world and return to his Father. He had loved his disciples during his ministry on earth, and now he loved them to the very end. 2 It was time for supper, and the devil had already prompted Judas, son of Simon Iscariot, to betray Jesus. 3 Jesus knew that the Father had given him authority over everything and that he had come from God and would return to God. 4 So he got up from the table, took off his robe, wrapped a towel around his waist, 5 and poured water into a basin. Then he began to wash the disciples' feet, drying them with the towel he had around him.

6 When Jesus came to Simon Peter, Peter said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?"

7 Jesus replied, "You don't understand now what I am doing, but someday you will."

8 "No," Peter protested, "you will never ever wash my feet!"

Jesus replied, "Unless I wash you, you won't belong to me."

9 Simon Peter exclaimed, "Then wash my hands and head as well, Lord, not just my feet!"

10 Jesus replied, "A person who has bathed all over does not need to wash, except for the feet, to be entirely clean. And you disciples are clean, but not all of you." 11 For Jesus knew who would betray him. That is what he meant when he said, "Not all of you are clean."

12 After washing their feet, he put on his robe again and sat down and asked, "Do you understand what I was doing? 13 You call me 'Teacher' and 'Lord,' and you are right, because that's what I am. 14 And since I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you ought to wash each other's feet. 15 I have given you an example to follow. Do as I have done to you. 16 I tell you the truth, slaves are not greater than their master. Nor is the messenger more important than the one who sends the message. 17 Now that you know these things, God will bless you for doing them."



Vitals for August 29th

Weekly Need: \$3,200
Actual Given: \$2,578

Sunday School - 36
Worship Service - 78

3 easy ways to give:

1. 'Tithes & Offerings' box in the lobby
2. Go to newheightsconnersville.com/giving
3. Mail to the church office

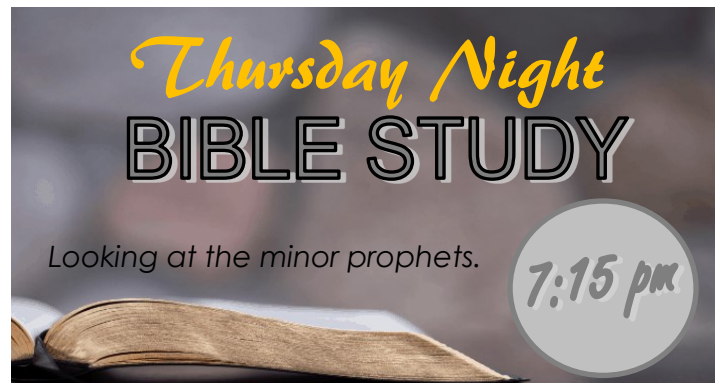


- Raymond Chew
- Paul Tinch
- Jared Robinson (Patty Robinson's son)
- Mike Lamberson - kidney stones
- Cheryl Arn (Levi Monk's aunt)
- Vicky Hull (friend of Levi Monk)
- Elijah Rader (student of Diane Burks)

*Names are left on the prayer list for only three weeks; but if you wish for a name to remain longer, please let the office know. ***If you would like a copy of the long term prayer list, you can pick one up in the lobby.***



The month of September is set aside to focus on Community Sharing. For the whole month we will be collecting toilet paper to help the pantry in supplying families and individuals who need basic hygiene items. You can drop donations in the lobby.



We're going digital! In an effort to be good stewards, we've decided to leverage the digital platform and start sending the newsletter to your email address. If you would still like to receive the 'Christian Connection' (New Heights monthly newsletter), please contact the office with your email. For those who don't have an email address, or would still prefer a hard copy, **we will have printed newsletters in the lobby.**

'WAVES of JOY'
Mahoning Valley Ladies Retreat
 Saturday, September 11th | 8:30 am - 4 pm
 Early Bird Registration (received by Sept. 4th) \$25
 On Site Registration \$30

Looking for an opportunity to reach out to our community?

New Heights has partnered up with Indiana Department of Child Services in order to help support foster parents and kids in our district.

September is Kinship & Relative Care Month. This month DCS is focusing on helping support families who have had kids from their family placed in their care. These families did not sign up or expect to become foster parents. So, DCS is taking donations of the following items to help these families.

Laundry Detergent (Free & Clear preferred)
Fabric Softener
Dish Soap/Dishwasher Pods
Toilet Paper
Clorox Wipes, and Sanitizer

Please place donations in the box located in the Lobby by September 19th, 2021



**9/11
MEMORIAL
SERVICE**
20TH ANNIVERSARY

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH**
7:00 PM

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
729 CENTRAL AVENUE
CONNSVILLE, IN 47331

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