

UNION CENTER CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN  
Corner of CR 11 & 50, 70535 CR 11  
Nappanee, IN 46550

*“Connecting People With Jesus”*

**Silent Prayer of Discernment:** Gracious God, help us to know you are present among us. Creative God, open our minds to new ideas and understanding. Loving God, fill our hearts with compassion. May we use this time together to seek Your will, do Your work, and experience Your love. Amen. Sunday, October 3, 2021

### THE CHURCH COMES TOGETHER

Gathering Music – Worship Team  
Announcements, Joys & Concerns  
Prayer for Our Snowbirds  
Birthday Offering - Prayer  
Invitation To Prayer  
Morning Prayer

Welcome  
Responsive Morning Psalm  
Invocation  
Hymn #154 – *“This is My Father’s World”*  
Reception of New Members  
Phil & Vanessa Bohannon  
Children’s Story – *“Sharing Snacks Together”* - Pastor Frank

### LISTENING TO THE WORD

Scripture Reading – Matthew 6:25-33  
Message – Let Us Pray Series: *“Without Worry!”* – Pastor Frank  
Sermon Hymn #324 - *“Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God”*

### THE CHURCH OFFERS ITS PRAISE

A Time of Offering  
Offertory Prayer  
Prayer Focus – Service to Others  
Communion  
Service of Consecration with Responses



“The Bread which we break is the communion of the Body of Christ.”  
“The Cup which we bless is the communion of the Blood of Christ.”

### RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Benediction  
A Song of Praise and Worship  
Postlude

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**Ministers:** The People of Union Center

**Pastor:** Frank Ramirez **Worship Leader:** Mark Riege

**Organist:** Evelyn Detwiler **Pianist:** Eloise Smith

**Chorister:** Gene Hollenberg  
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**Sunday, September 26, 2021**

Morning Worship – 66      Sunday School – 38      Wed. Night - 54  
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NEXT SUNDAY: Scripture: Mark 10:17-27; Message: *“Sticker Shock: The Story of the Rich Young Ruler”* Jim Davis will be preaching.

ACTIVITY BAGS are available in the narthex for pre-school through Kdg. age children. Please return the bag to the basket at the end of the service.

THE WEEKLY CONNECTION is in your mailbox. Extra copies are available on the Welcome Table.

FELLOWSHIP TIME is in the Fellowship Hall following the worship service. Coffee, cookies and bottled water are available.

THE BIRTHDAY OFFERING goes to the Deacon’s Assistance Fund to help those in need in our congregation and community.

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PRAYER CONCERNS MENTIONED TODAY:

(Prayer Cards are available on the table in the narthex. If you have a prayer concern you would like in the Weekly Connection next week, please write it down on the Prayer Card and put it in Peg Wisler's mailbox or on her desk.)