# Welcome to Belvidere.Church

Good morning & welcome! We are thrilled you have joined us at church this morning! We know there are lots of places to go and things to do on Sundays, and we are thankful you decided to spend part of your morning with us. Please take a few moments to fill out our guest card, then place it in the offering plate, give it to an usher, or place it in the basket on the stage for us so we can thank you again for coming. In His love,

Pastor Darrell and Heather

**Name**_____

**Add**_____

**City**_____**St**_____Zip_____

**Phone**(_____)_____

**Email(s)**

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**Age Group**
Under 12 12-17 18-30 31-60 61-80 Over 80

**Life Situation**
❑ High School ❑ College ❑ Single ❑ Married
❑ Divorced/Separated ❑ Widow/Widower

**Church Situation**
❑ Just visiting ❑ Out of town visitor
❑ Looking for a new church home

**Guest Visits**
❑ 1st Time ❑ 2nd Visit ❑ 3rd Visit

**Children living at home:** (names and ages)

## Opportunities to Serve God

Where are you serving? Everyone makes a difference in their own way serving the Lord at BECC! Fill out the tear off card, write the team you are interested in, give it to any usher, or drop it in the pastor's mailbox on the left of the front platform, and we will be in touch with you.

**Children's Ministry Teacher**—Love Jesus? Love kids? We need one more teacher to join our team serving once per month.

**Thurs or Fri Office Helper** - want to fold bulletins, staple newsletters, stuff bulletins, stuff envelopes, fold letters, etc.? We need you for an hour or two per week.

**Life Group Leader** - Want to facilitate a couples' life group, men's life group, young adult group, or a women's life group anytime during the week? We need you.

**Usher/Greeter** - Welcome our guests, hand out bulletins, give directions, receive the tithes/offering. We need you.

**Worship Team** – Can you sing or play an instrument? We need you.

**Funeral Team** - Want to help plan funerals and funeral hospitality? We need you.

**Facilities: Painting Team**—Know how to paint walls? We need you.

**Facilities: Maintenance Team** - Know how to fix things? We need you.

**Facilities: Grounds Team** - Want to help keep the church grounds "spiffy" and ready for our guests? We need you.

**Special Events Team** - Want to help make special events like the chili cook-off, Pie Sunday, Christmas Eve, etc. special? We need you.

**Visitation Team** - Want to visit some of our church family who are shut in? We need you.

**Men's Ministry Leader -** Have a heart for men and creating a place for men to connect? We need you.

**Children's Ministry Leader -** Have a heart for kids and want to create a place where they can connect with Jesus and have fun while doing so? We need you.

## Prayer

We would love to pray for you. Text or call Linda Harris, 815-547-3221, prayer@belvidere.church, or fill out the tear off card. Pick up the monthly prayer list from the information table to pray for the church's needs.

**Last Week's Numbers**
Attendance November 8: 69
Tithes/Offerings November 8: $

**www.belvidere.church**
Facebook.com/belviderecovenant
After hours emergencies, call Pastor Darrell at (815) 997-2543

**Church Office Hours**
8:30 am - Noon, Tuesday - Friday
Closed Mondays & Saturdays
Other times by appointment

**Rev. Darrell M. Dunlap, Senior Pastor**
*Pastor@Belvidere.Church*
**Heather Dunlap, senior pastor's wife**
*Heather@Belvidere.Church*

# Worship & the Word

**Sunday 10:30 am**
**Worship Music**
*When We All Get to Heaven*
*Open Up the Heavens*
*Revelation Song*
*Holy Forever*
**Announcements/Prayer**
**Welcome New Members**
**Message/Prayer**
*Q&A: Why Give My Money to God?*

**Restrooms** are available downstairs, in the hospitality lobby near the rear parking lot entrance stairs (Rainbow Room), or in the room just outside rear sanctuary doors on the right.
**Video recordings of weekend messages** are available free for you to watch, listen, grow and share.

**Children's Ministry**
Drop your children off at the KidZONE so they can spend the entire service with other kids. We host children ages 3 through 11 in the Rainbow Room which is to the left of the front stage near the coffee cart. We are small but want kids to know God loves them, we love them, there's always a place for them at this church with stories from the Bible, crafts, games, toys and other run. Parents, please be sure to have your child use the restroom before church services begin.
**Our Family Room** is located at the rear of the sanctuary for parents with children under the age of three where you can enjoy the service.
**www.Belvidere.Church**

## Guest Worship Leaders

Marty Pierce is leading us in worship again this morning, Sharon Pulliam will return to lead us for our Christmas kick-off on November 29, and Marty will return on Sun, Dec. 6. Invite your friends and family to join us. Invite someone!





## Help Us Decorate a Christmas Wonderland!

We will have a church-wide decorating party on Saturday, November 28 from 8:30 am until noon-ish when we will decorate the entire church in one morning. We will offer a light continental breakfast for all to enjoy and will all work as a team to beautiful this wonderful facility to Celebrate Christ.

## Weekly Prayer Meeting

Join Pastor Darrell and Heather on Wednesday mornings each week at 9:00 am for a time of prayer in the chapel on the lower level. It is under one hour and a rich time of fellowship and prayer with the Lord. We pray for our church, our community and our nation. Why don't you join us?

# New Pastor, New Season, Same Jesus!

## "Thanksgiving Service Sunday"

Don't miss next Sunday as we gather as a church family for worship and to thank God for all He has given to us and all He has done in us and through us in 2026. Invite your friends and family to join us for a special service.

## Welcome New Members

We are excited to officially welcome new members to our church family! Join us for refreshments after the service to welcome Heather Dunlap, Mike Dunlap, Jay & Sara Hoskins, Greg Hulstedt, Ginny Kasang, Jacob Malon, Jeff & Cindy Molosz, and Debi Moorman to membership.

## Adult Education Seminars

Join Pastor Darrell this month for one of our adult education seminars to help us grow in our faith in Christ and our understanding of the world around us. RSVP via email, tear off cards or phone call to the church. (815) 547-6471. Classes are 6-8 pm.
**301-Studying the Four Gospels** will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 18. We will examine each of the four Gospels, comparing and contrasting, and learning how to study them.
**402-Becoming a Contagious Christian** will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 1. We will study how to become more outward focused in our faith and how to share our story and His Story with others.

## New Leadership Structure & By-laws

We will be hosting a congregational meeting on Sunday, January 10 immediately following the worship service in order to vote on the new church's new bylaws and leadership structure. If you have any questions or would like to confirm anything, please schedule an appointment with Pastor Darrell in November or December or attend a question/answer meeting on Wednesday, December 9 at 6 pm at the church.



## Water Baptisms

If you have not been baptized as a believer, yet you believe in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, sign up to get baptized. Your infant baptism was about your parents. This baptism is about you - you following in obedience to Jesus; you proclaiming to the church and the world that Jesus Christ is your Savior.

# Communication

**Name:** _____

❑ **Sign me up for:**

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**I'd like more information:**
❑ How can I become a Christian?
❑ How can I become a member?
❑ I'm interested in getting baptized.
❑ I'm interested in serving/volunteering.
❑ I'd like to be added to the church's E-mail News.
❑ I'd like to join a life group.
❑ I'd like to discover my spiritual gifts.
❑ Please add me to the church directory.
❑ Please update my address, email, or phone number.

**Please pray** for my need/share my praise report: ❑ Check if prayer is confidential.
**I heard about the church from:**
❑Website ❑ Signs ❑ Used to attend
❑ Google ❑ Friend ❑ Ad/Mailer
❑Other: _____

*November 15, 2026*
*Office Use:*
*Guest relations ministry:* _____

*SP:* _____