# Otterbein United Brethren in Christ Church



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## The Lord's Day **Janurary 7, 2024**

Prelude "We Will Glorify!" (72) Prayer of Dedication Scirpture Reading Responsive Reading (screen) Kids Korner Worship Music Bible Message "Standing on the Promises" (271) Benediction

Our Wednesday evening scheudule returns to its normal rythmn this week. At 6:30 we have classes... toddlers to adults. These classes are aimed toward learning and applying the Bible to your life. Children or teens or adults... we invite you to participate and share. \* Adult choir practice will resume on Wed., 1/24, 7:40

An in depth Scriptual analysis of life issues/emotions/choices called SELF CONFRONTATION is being offered (here) on Monday evenings starting tomorrow, Jan. 8, and continuing 'till April 8.

This involves homework and heart work... 6:30 - 9:00 class time. \$20 fee for material. Led by Heather Baer and Barry Stottlemyer SIGN UP = lower lobby table

Because of weather, Christmas caroling was cancelled. HOWEVER, we are planning to sing to our shutins and it doesn't have to be pre-Christmas.

Sunday evening, January 14, 5:30

\*We will do some carols and a few familiar hymns. Meet at the church. Great blessing to all!



#### The Altar Flowers are in memory of Bob Gatta, Bob Schwalm's best friend for 60+ years.

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	This Week	Next Week
1 <sup>st</sup> Nursery		Deb Michalsky
2 <sup>nd</sup> Nursery		Jim & Sarah Rosenberger
Acolyte	Corinna Ruelas 1st Shelby Rife 2nd	Corinna Ruelas 1st Shelby Rife 2nd
Prelude	Leta Sipes	Suzanne Hess & John Piper
Greeters	Ed Witmer Family	Ben & Celina Stoops

Last Week	12/31/23	
Attendance	206	
General	\$ 9,594.00	
Missions	\$ 4,097.50	
<b>Building Fund</b>	\$ 1,525.50	
Sunday School	\$ 436.50	

In a world where people are blamed and shamed and maimed, it is tempting to live like a turtle and keep our head pulled tightly in our own shell. Dangerous world in many aspects! How can we not live in fear? Of course, the Bible tells us we should not live in fear. Let's talk about COURAGE.

Jan. 7 - When I am Walking with God

Jan. 14 - When the Hard Thing is the Right Thing

Jan. 21 - When Convictions Clash with Expectations



1 Liter, 2 Liter, Gatorade and more Common Ground wants the bottle caps from Soda and Water Galore! We are on a mission to help out our brother and sister churches in Mexico by

collecting plastic bottle caps and shipping them down. 1k plastic bottle caps = 1 chemo treatment for a cancer patient. There is a box at the top of the stairs to collect caps.

The OUB 2023 tithing tax letters will be sent within the first two weeks of January 2024.





We are very sparse for

2024 Altar Flower dedications. The signup sheets are on the upper lobby table by the water fountain.

Preschool Registration for the 2024 Fall and 2025 Spring classes is now open. Brochures and registration forms are on the lower lobby table.





Senior News!

Meet at the Parlor House on Tue., 1/16/24 at 9:00.

Please note the date changed because of the holidays. RSVP to Fran Stoner by 1/15/24.

(717) 597-0189

Women's Bible Study resumes Monday, Jan. 15, at 1:00 Revelation? Who were the two witnesses?

### When I am Walking with God

(*Psalm 91*)

Psalm 91 details God's amazing <u>protection</u> and <u>care</u> and <u>deliverance</u>. When we are walking in God's purpose and keeping a close relationship with him, we do not need to worry about any danger or design against us!

Notice these <b>conditions</b> :  √ I "dwell" in the shelter of G  √ I trust in God (2)  √ I love God and acknowledge  √ I pray ("call upon God") (15)	e him <i>(14)</i>
(10 - 13) • protection <u>from</u> da	anger
Some things that	happen (potential dangers)
will happen <u>because</u> o hand.	f God's
I live unafraid of (	sometimes not even
knowing about them)!	
(14 - 15) • deliverance <u>out</u> <u>of</u>	danger
All things that <u>do</u> happen will be	e in their
so that they will not	
injury may happen, but God's	•
my life. I am unafraid of	because God "will
be with me in trouble."	

We have to be more brave than we think we can be, because God is constantly calling us to be more than we are!