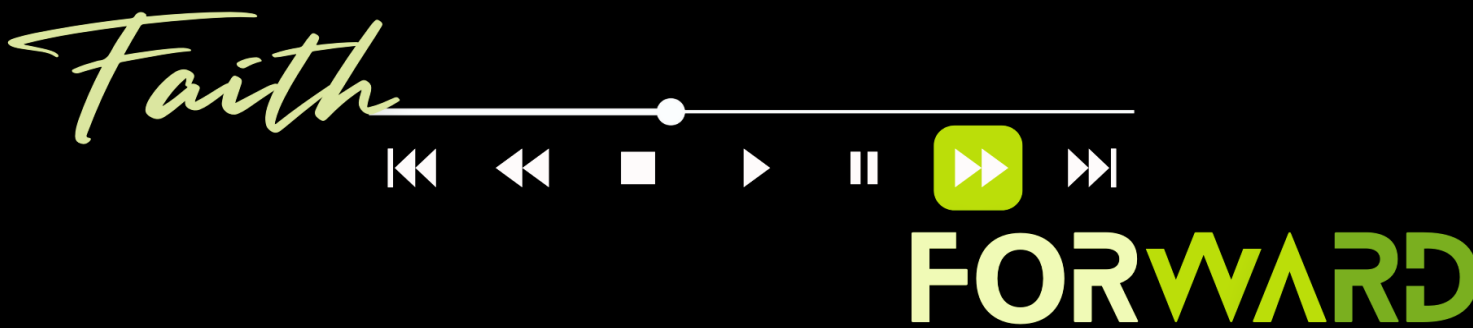


WELCOME TO BMZCHURCH



MESSAGE NOTES | Faith that Knows | February 19, 2023 | Lead Pastor Stan Pegram

HEBREWS 11:12 = <sup>12</sup> And so a whole nation came from this one man who was as good as dead—a nation with so many people that, like the stars in the sky and the sand on the seashore, there is no way to count them.

5 Phases of Faith:

- Phase #1 = \_\_\_\_\_
- Phase #2 = \_\_\_\_\_
- Phase #3 = Delay / Difficulty
- Phase #4 = Dead-End/ \_\_\_\_\_
- Phase #5 = \_\_\_\_\_

HEBREWS 11:1 = Faith shows the reality of what we hope for; it is the evidence of things we cannot see.

To Develop “Confident Assurance” in My Faith Forward, I Can:

- Remember God’s \_\_\_\_\_ In My Past
- GENESIS 21:1 = The LORD kept his word and did for Sarah exactly what he had promised.
- Realize God’s \_\_\_\_\_ for My Future
- HEBREWS 11:8 = <sup>8</sup> It was by faith that Abraham obeyed when God called him to leave home and go to another land that God would give him as his inheritance. He went without knowing where he was going.
- JEREMIAH 29:11 = <sup>11</sup> For I know the plans I have for you,” says the LORD. “They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.
- Rely on the Faith of \_\_\_\_\_
- ROMANS 1:12 = <sup>12</sup> When we get together, I want to encourage you in your faith, but I also want to be encouraged by yours
- ECCLESIASTES 4:9-10 = <sup>9</sup> Two people are better off than one, for they can help each other succeed. <sup>10</sup> If one person falls, the other can reach out and help. But someone who falls alone is in real trouble.
- Rejoice When God \_\_\_\_\_ Beyond My Comfort Zone
- COLOSSIANS 2:6-7 = <sup>6</sup> And now, just as you accepted Christ Jesus as your Lord, you must continue to follow him. <sup>7</sup> Let your roots grow down into him, and let your lives be built on him. Then your faith will grow strong in the truth you were taught, and you will overflow with thankfulness.
- Remain Focused on \_\_\_\_\_ as the \_\_\_\_\_ of My Faith
- HEBREWS 12:1b-2a = And let us run with endurance the race God has set before us. <sup>2</sup> We do this by keeping our eyes on Jesus, the champion who initiates and perfects our faith.
- GALATIANS 3:9 = <sup>9</sup> So all who put their faith in Christ share the same blessing Abraham received because of his faith.

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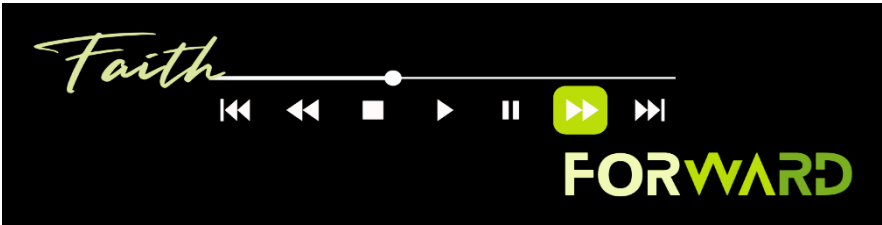
TIME/CAMPUS

- ☐ Bloomington 9:00am
- ☐ Boscobel 7:30am
- ☐ Boscobel 9:00am
- ☐ Gays Mills 9:15am
- ☐ Mt. Zion 11:00am
- ☐ North Clayton 10:30am
- ☐ Soldiers Grove 8:15am

AGE ☐ 17 & under ☐ 18-35 ☐ 36-65 ☐ 66+

I'M A ☐ 1<sup>st</sup> time guest ☐ 2<sup>nd</sup> time guest  
☐ regular attender ☐ member

HOW I HEARD ABOUT BMZ CHURCH:



☐ Change of information

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_


MY NEXT STEPS |

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- ☐ I will Faith Forward by signing up for GG: \_\_\_\_\_


STEWARDSHIP |

HEBREWS 12:2 = *We do this by keeping our eyes on Jesus, the champion who initiates and perfects our faith.*


ANNOUNCEMENTS | Find out more at [BMZChurch.org](http://BMZChurch.org) | Office: 608-375-4565 | Children’s Ministry: 608-375-6069




**1<sup>st</sup> TIME GUEST? | WELCOME!**  
Pick up your FREE Unshakable book as you leave today!




**KIDzKARE | 9:00am Sunday Worship, Boscobel Campus**  
For ages Infant through 4 years when Safe Sanctuary staffing is available. **Interested in serving?** Contact Ms. Nikki at 608-375-6069 or [WNSS.Nikki@BMZChurch.org](mailto:WNSS.Nikki@BMZChurch.org)



**CHILDREN’S TIME | Sundays @ 10:30am | Mt. Zion Campus**  
All kids Pre-K through Grade 5 are invited! Fellowship and coffee available for adults



**INTERCHURCHMEN’S BANQUET | February 20 @ 6:30pm**  
This 91<sup>st</sup> men’s banquet will be held at the First Congregational Church UCC in Boscobel. Tickets are \$12 and can be purchased from Briant Russell at 608-574-5149. Donations will be collected for the food bank



**SOUP SUPPER | February 23 from 5-7pm | Mt. Zion Campus**  
Don’t miss a free soup supper featuring chili




**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUNDAY SCHOOL- BOSCOBEL | 6:15-7:30pm**  
WNSS-B is each Wednesday at the Boscobel Campus for 4K thru 6<sup>th</sup> Graders. Register at [BMZChurch.org/Learn](http://BMZChurch.org/Learn) or via Ms. Nikki at [WNSS.Nikki@BMZChurch.org](mailto:WNSS.Nikki@BMZChurch.org) or 608-375-6069




**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUNDAY SCHOOL- GAYS MILLS | 4:45-6:00pm**  
K thru 5<sup>th</sup> Graders are invited to the Gays Mills Campus each Wednesday for WNSS-GM. Register at [BMZChurch.org/Learn](http://BMZChurch.org/Learn) or via Ms. Krista at [eitsert@gmail.com](mailto:eitsert@gmail.com) or 608-485-0228




**UNDERGROUND TEENS (UT) | Sundays @ Boscobel Campus**  
Usual times: Grades 6-8 at 4pm; Senior High at 4:45pm but watch [BMZChurch.org/calendar](http://BMZChurch.org/calendar) for special events. Parents are welcome. Register at [BMZChurch.org/Learn](http://BMZChurch.org/Learn)




**ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP | February 23**  
Bloomington Campus – 3:30pm | Boscobel Campus – 5:30pm  
Soldiers Grove Camps – 6:30pm | A devotional will also be available online at [BMZChurch.org](http://BMZChurch.org) and YouTube




**CANCELLATIONS |** If you think that the weather may cause cancellations or postponements for Worship or other events, check [BMZChurch.org](http://BMZChurch.org) or [Facebook.com/BMZChurch](https://www.facebook.com/BMZChurch). If we have your cell phone number on file, we will also attempt to send a text message if Worship is cancelled




**TACO TUESDAYS | March 7 and April 4 | 4:30-7pm**  
Taco Tuesdays at the Boscobel Campus are back! Enjoy an all you can eat taco meal with beverage and dessert and support youth missions. Adults: \$6; Kids: 5-11 \$4; Under 5 years: FREE  
*Carry-Outs are available*



**FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN MOBILEPACK |**  
The 2023 FMSC MobilePack will be held April 13-15 at Truvant in Boscobel. Registration opens March 2 at [FMSC.org](http://FMSC.org). Contact Bruce @ 608-485-2678 or Kathryn @ 608-485-2554 for details



**SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE | Deadline: March 8, 2023**  
High school seniors who are active at BMZ Church are invited to apply for a scholarship. Details: [BMZChurch.org/Learn](http://BMZChurch.org/Learn)



**SLEEP IN HEAVENLY PEACE QUILTING | March 19 | 12:30-5:30pm**  
**COME SEW WITH US** at the Boscobel Campus. Bring your sewing machine loaded with neutral color thread (tan, gray). Don’t sew? You can help to cut fabric and press seams. We are also looking for donations of kid’s fabric (and/or borders to match) and batting. Monetary donations toward these items are also appreciated. More than 200 beds with quilts were given to children in Grant County last year! More info: [SHPbeds.org](http://SHPbeds.org)

*Stay In the Know, No Matter Where You Go!*  
Text BMZ to 844-247-4441 | Scan for this week’s BLTN





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I’D LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT *(Include your contact info on the front of card)*

☐ Becoming a Follower

☐ Automated Giving

☐ Serving

☐ Other:

PRAYER REQUESTS AND COMMENTS:

Include my prayer request on the printed prayer list: ☐ YES ☐ NO