



Are you needing someone to drive you to a scheduled doctor appointment OR needing a prescription picked up? Are you unable to go to the grocery store? The Compassion Ministry is ready to help with situations like this....and much more. This ministry's purpose is to assist church members in need. For assistance, contact either Jim O'Donnell at 724-557-0521 or Kathleen in the church office, 724-455-2626. We're here to help!

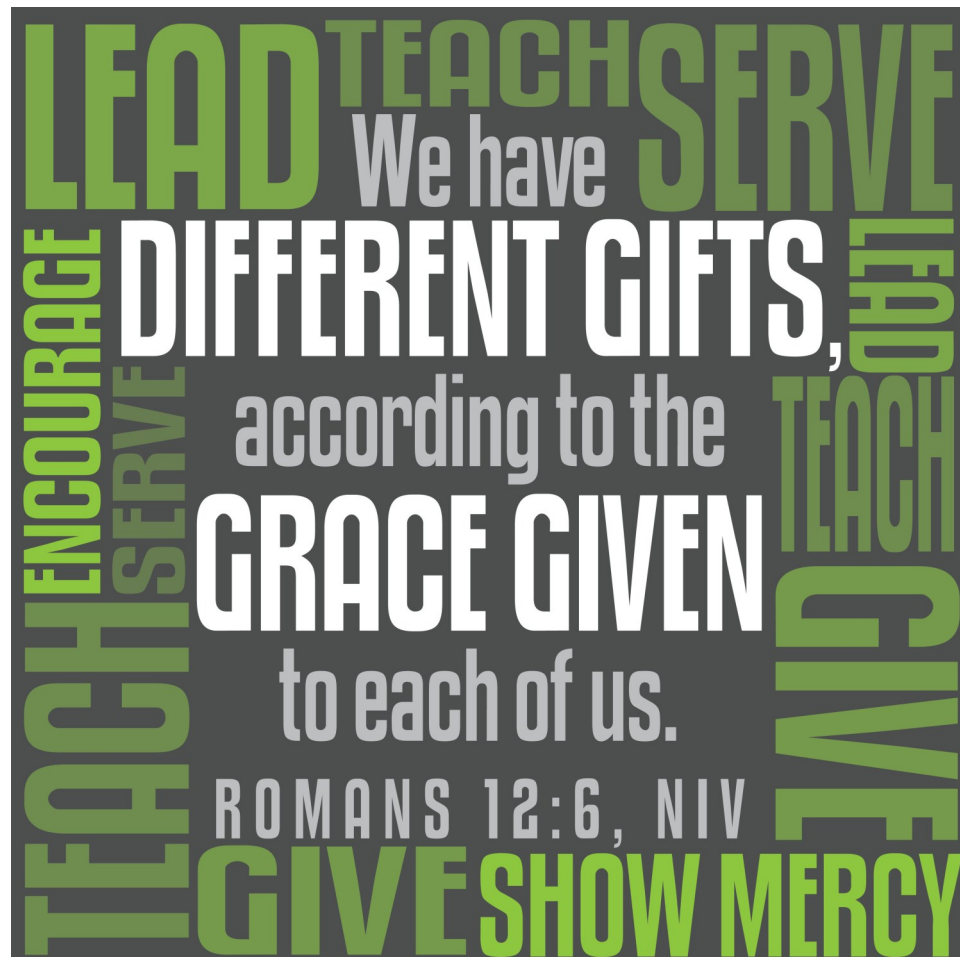
INTERCESSOR PRAYER LIST

Please note that prayer requests under the headings of Illness, Recovery, Cancer, and Extended Care will remain on the Intercessor Prayer list for four weeks. If you would like to continue to have someone on the list beyond the four weeks, please let Kathleen know.

MAKING A PRAYER REQUEST

PRAYER CARDS: There are prayer cards in the prayer card boxes on the podiums in both foyers. Please sign your name when submitting a request, as we cannot print the prayer request without a signature.

GLOO: We will also be using GLOO (group text messages) to share a prayer concern. If you would like someone to be prayed for through GLOO, please contact Kathleen or Pastor Ben. Please make sure you have permission from the person, or a member of their family, that you would like to have prayer for.



Worship Service August 23, 2026

Invitation to Worship: Psalm 138

Scripture Reading: Romans 12:1-8

Message by Pastor Ben Tobias

"Metamorphosis"

Romans 12:1-8

Can people change? God's Word says "YES!" In this passage, Paul explains how we can be transformed in our thinking and in our character, and how this affects us as individuals and as a church.

Total Commitment and Transformation (vv. 1-2)

- What does it mean to be a "living sacrifice"?
- What does Paul mean when he says this is our "spiritual act of worship"?
- This leads to a refusal to _____ and a desire to _____.
- Where does transformation begin?
- What does transformation produce?

We're in This Together! (vv. 3-8)

- How do you see yourself? Where are you in your relationship with Jesus?
- What does it mean for you to be a member of Christ's body?
- What spiritual gifts has God given to you?
- How will you use them?

Take it Home:

- Make worship a daily practice, not just weekly!
- Focus on having a renewed mind: Ask God to lead your mental habits.
- Explore your gifts and find opportunities to use them.



Indian Head Church of God

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Worship:
Saturday evening: 7:00 p.m.
Sunday morning: 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School: 10:00-10:45 a.m.



Mission Statement

The Indian Head Church of God exists to glorify God with Christ centered worship, Biblically oriented discipleship and Holy Spirit directed evangelism and mission, in a loving fellowship.

Vision Statement

Our vision as the Indian Head Church of God is to multiply as devoted disciples of Jesus Christ.



9:30-10:00 a.m. - Coffee House Fellowship - This is a time for fellowship, with coffee and tea. The Coffee House Fellowship is located in the Normalville foyer.



Adult Senior's Day Out Luncheon

Friday, August 28
11:30 a.m. in the Social Room.

This is open to any senior citizen in the mountain communities of Saltlick and Springfield Townships, and those seniors who attend the Indian Head Church of God. If you plan to attend, please call Brenda Miller, 724-455-2363 or Lesia Cramer, 724-366-2039.



The WCSC Ladies group will have their annual picnic on Monday, August 31 at 6:00 PM in the church pavilion (or the Social Room if inclement weather). It is a covered dish meal. Table service, hotdogs, hotdog buns and drink will be provided. All ladies are invited to attend to experience an evening of good food, fellowship, and laughter.



W.C.S.C. Calendar Party **Thursday, September 10** **6:00 p.m.** **In the Social Room**

Cost is \$25.00... with the monies going to the W.C.S.C. Ladies Group to support various ministries throughout the year.

Please see a W.C.S.C. member for a ticket. A limited number of tickets are available.

Contact person is Becky Dix at 724-455-2564, or Sherry Hess at 724-455-1710.



There will be a recap meeting of our Back to School event, tomorrow evening, Monday, Aug. 24 at 7:00 p.m. in the Social Room.

★ **Kids' Club and Youth Group** ★

Wednesday nights, Starting September 2
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

****A simple supper is available for participants at 5:30 p.m.****

Kids in Kindergarten - 5th Grade



Come learn about Jesus through singing, Bible lessons, and crafts. For more information contact Hope Dull at hopeforthekids@gmail.com or 724-880-1579.

Youth 6th Grade & Up



Enjoy games and activities as well as study the book of John. For more information contact Becky Ritenour at: beckyritenour@gmail.com or 724-322-0564.



Fifth Sunday **Combined Sunday School,** **Worship Service, and Picnic** **Next Sunday, August 30**

There will be NO 8:30 a.m. Worship Service.

9:00 a.m. - Combined Sunday School gathering in the Sanctuary.
Speakers: Addison Wilders and Braden Bell (ACTS Southwest Mission Trip), Darrin and Cathy McMillen (Brazil Mission Trip).



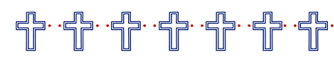
This is also Penny Pile Sunday. All monies collected for the Penny Pile goes directly to Camp Sonrise Mtn. A container will be placed in the back of the Sanctuary for donations.

10:00 a.m. - Worship Service at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary, including:



Kids, don't forget to bring your Backpacks!!

and



Recognition of our Sunday School Teachers!

11:30 a.m. - A Picnic will follow over in our Pavilion. Please bring a covered dish.



Operation Christmas Child upcoming Shoebox Events:

Project Leader Workshop: Sunday, August 30 at Faith Bible Church of Connellsville, 425 S. Arch St., Connellsville, Pa., 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. RSVP to Denise if attending.

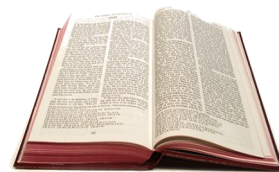
Full Circle Speaker Event: Friday, September 25, 6:30 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, Pa. Ekaterina, from former Soviet Union, will share. Everyone is invited.

Shoebox packing down in the Youth Room:

Nov. 8 - 2 to 4 year olds
Nov. 9 - 10 to 14 year olds
Nov. 11 - 5 to 9 year olds

National Collection Week: Prayer and Praise Event, Friday, Nov. 13, 6:30 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, Uniontown, Pa.

National Shoebox Collection Week is November 16-23. Here at our church we will be participating again, that week, for our area. Our times will be posted at a later date.



If you would like to read ahead...
Scriptures for next Sunday, August 30

Psalm 26:1-8
Matthew 16:21-28
Psalm 105
Romans 12:1-8



CAMP SONRISE MOUNTAIN **2026 ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT** **Saturday, September 12, 2026**

at Kings Mountain Golf Course

Cost: \$300 per team

The Registration form, along with the Sponsorship Form and all other information needed, are in both Foyers on the information racks, and are printed on yellow paper.



The **Youth Group** is still needing someone to help Becky Ritenour. If you are interested in knowing more, please talk to Becky.



Pastor Ben is leading a CHURCH 101 Sunday School class for adults. This class is for those who are interested in learning more about our church, and/or interested in joining as members. Please let Pastor Ben know if you would like more information.



ICV Food Pantry Collection: The item being collected for August is Juice. There are containers in the Indian Head side Foyer for the collections.



Join Gloop! The Church Office is using a service **Gloop** to send out group text messages and prayer request. If you have not been added to our list, and would like to be added, text the message **"I want to join"** to 844-804-2335. You will get a response asking for your full name, and when you send it you will be automatically added to the list. Please send another message if you want to be added to the **"Prayer Warriors"** list.



We have a **Hearing Assistant System** for anyone who would like to use it. Please see the person who is at the sound board for assistance.

Online Giving is available for the Indian Head Church of God - 1 of 3 ways
1. **VANCO** 844-788-2914
2. **VANCO Mobile Faith Engagement app** (Google Play Store or Apple App Store)
3. Through our website: **Indianheadchurch.org** and click on the **Donate** button

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