Opportunities at IBC

Sunday, August 9
9:15 am The Gathering
10:30 am Worship – Blessing of the Backpacks
11:45 am Church Council

Tuesday, August 11
6:00 pm PAL Meeting

Wednesday, August 12
6:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, August 13
1:30 pm Line Dancing

Friday, August 14
3:00 pm Crafting

Saturday, August 15
9:00 am Crafting

Sunday, August 16
9:30 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship
11:40 am Business Meeting
12:15 pm Missions Team Meeting

Monday, August 17
6:00 pm Deacon's Meeting

Tuesday, August 18
6:00 pm PAL Meeting

Wednesday, August 19
6:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, August 20
1:30 pm Line Dancing

Sunday, August 23
9:30 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship

Monday, August 24
4:00 pm Staff Meeting

Tuesday, August 25
6:00 pm PAL Meeting

Wednesday, August 26
6:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, August 27
1:30 pm Line Dancing

Sunday, August 30
9:30 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship

Tuesday, September 1
6:00 pm PAL Meeting

Wednesday, September 2
6:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, September 3
1:30 pm Line Dancing

Sunday, September 6
9:30 am Bible Study
10:30 am Worship

Monday, September 7
Church Office Closed
6:00 pm Baptist Mission Women

Welcome, Friends

Welcome to all members and participants. If you are visiting with us for the first time, we are glad you are here and hope you sense the presence and love of God expressed in our fellowship and worship.

Our priority is to embody the unconditional love of God in all that we do. We are an inclusive Christian community that affirms all people as children of God and believe that loving our neighbors as ourselves and pursuing the common good for all people, especially the disenfranchised and most vulnerable, are our most important works as disciples of Jesus.

Hearing Devices

Hearing devices are available for those who need them. See the Sound Technician before the service to obtain one.

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IBC Office Hours This Week
Monday–Wednesday: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

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Sunday, August 9, 2026

The Worship of Our Lord

"A New Uniform"

Rev. Dr. Emily Holladay, Senior Pastor

Mac Stivers, Minister of Music

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August 9, 2026

10:30 a.m.

Welcome — Sam Crowe

Prelude — Sandy Altom

Call to Worship — Valerie Sommerfield

Leader: As we begin a new school year, it is good to remember that God has given us the ability to learn many things. The Bible says that Jesus learned and studied, just as we do. May this year be full of promise for students and teachers alike.

Leyna Martin: *A promise of new beginnings and a fresh start.*

Annie Juarez: *A promise of friendships with classmates and colleagues that refresh that spirit and honor God.*

Scott Rushing: *A promise of growth in knowledge and wisdom every day.*

Ellen Stevens: *A promise of safety for each classroom and mutual respect for each student and teacher.*

People: God, we pray for all office staff, nurses, officers, bus drivers, custodians, and many others who work within the schools in our community every day.

Leader: We all are called to be part of your work in the world. You have given each one of us gifts and strengths. May we seek to use these gifts to find the best in ourselves and to enhance our educational experiences.

People: Remind them that whatever their gifts, they are living in your way when they are kind and caring to others, when they respect others and themselves, and when they contribute to make their community a better place to live.

*Hymn — WIE LIEBLICH IST DER MAIEN

"We Thank you, God For Teachers"

See insert

Deacon Scripture and Prayer — Steve Dooley

Mathew 5:43-48

Women's Lectionary Translation

43 "You all have heard that it was said, '*You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy*,' 44 Yet I say to you all: Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, 45 so that you may be children of the One in heaven who begot you; for the sun-which belongs to God-rises on the evil and on the good, and God rains on the righteous and on the unrighteous woman or man. 46 For if you love those who love you, what reward do you have? Do not even the tax collectors do the same? 47 And if you greet only your sisters and brothers, what more are you doing than others? Do not the Gentiles do the same? 48 Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly sovereign is perfect."

*Hymn: — BUNESSAN

"God of All Learning"

See insert

Scripture — Annie Juarez

Ephesians 6:10-17

Women's Lectionary Translation

10 Finally, be strengthened in the Reedemer and in the strength of his power. 11 Put on the armor of God, so that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. 12 For our struggle is not against blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the overlords of this darkness, against the spiritual [forces] of evil in the heavenly [realms]. 13 Therefore take up the armor of God, so that you maybe able to resist on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand. 14 Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist and put on the breastplate of righteousness. 15 Bind on your feet preparedness to proclaim the gospel of peace. 16 With all this, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. 17 Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the spirit, which is the word of God.

Special Music — Raney

"Blessed Are They"

Sanctuary Choir

Children's Moment - Blessing of Backpacks — Sam Crowe

(Children may exit the sanctuary after the Children's Moment)

Sermon — Emily Holladay

"A New Uniform"

Pastoral Prayer — Emily Holladay

Music for Meditation — Pat Pennington

*Hymn of Response: 571 — FOUNDATION

"Let Others See Jesus in You"

(v. 1, 2, and 4)

Sending Forth to Serve — Emily Hollladay

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Membership at IBC

You may become a member of this church family in any one of the following ways:

1. Through personal commitment to discipleship to Jesus and through baptism.

2. By letter from another church where you are now a member. At your request, we write for your letter of membership.

3. By statement of previous Christian conversion experience and baptism. You may come forward during the singing of the Hymn of Response.

Deacon of the Week

Our Deacon of the Week is Steve Dooley. Please feel free to call him during the week if you have ministry needs or know of others who have needs or prayer concerns. His phone number is 502-226-0973. You also may contact the church office at 502-223-7601.

Prayer List

Sandra Altom	Jackie Hatcher	Ernie Murphy
Norma Barnes	Glenn Ison	Mason Smith
Roger Crittenden	Amie LeMaster	Chuck Wolfe
Verna Fairchild	Scarlett Moore	Joyce Wood

To view a full listing of prayer requests or to submit a request, please visit the Prayer List on our website at: www.ibcfrankfort.com/prayer.

To Experience & Express God's Unconditional Love

*All those who are able are invited to stand.

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