Bailey Road Christian Church

OCTOBER 26, 2026

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday Morning Schedule:

- 9:00 AM Sunday School
- 10:00 AM: Morning Worship - Also available online: baileyroad.org
- 6:00 PM Sunday Evening Worship

Come to the Lord's Table

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at each Sunday service and is open to all who believe in Jesus Christ.

Wednesday Evening Schedule:

- 6:00 PM Bible Study

MONTHLY EVENTS

- Christian Women's Fellowship (CWF): See Bonnie or Jen for more information.
- Senior Luncheon (SLIC): Third Wednesday of the month at 12:00 PM
- Men's Fellowship Breakfast: Third Saturday 8:00 AM in the church Fellowship Hall.
- Spaghetti Dinner: $10.00
  4:30 to 6:30 PM
  last Friday of the month

THE JESUS WAY: BUILDING A LEGACY FOR THE NEXT GENERATION

Church family, over a period of seasons we have been learning and rededicating to walk more fully in the Jesus Way, showing compassion, practicing humility, serving others, and remaining open to God's leading. These are not new values for Bailey Road. They are part of the legacy handed to us by faithful believers who sacrificed, served, prayed, and invested in this church long before many of us arrived. We are standing on the foundation they built. As Scripture reminds us, "One generation shall praise Your works to another, and shall declare Your mighty acts" (Psalm 145:4, NKJV). Now it is our turn to ensure that the next generation receives not only our practices, but also our passion for Christ and commitment to His mission.

As we look toward the future, we see new leaders on the horizon, and this is refreshing. God is raising up men and women with unique gifts, fresh perspectives, and new ways to share the unchanging, immutable Gospel. While the message of Jesus never changes, every generation must learn how to communicate that message effectively to the people God has called them to reach. Just as those before us made sacrifices to reach us, we must be willing to encourage, support, and empower those who will lead after us. Our desire is not simply to preserve a church building or maintain familiar routines. Our desire is to leave a thriving, Christ-centered church that is equipped to testify, witness, and minister to generations we may never meet.

The greatest legacy we can leave is a church body fully devoted to Jesus and committed to His mission. Let's continue building a culture where future leaders can flourish, new ideas are encouraged, where biblical truth remains our foundation, and where every generation is invited to participate in the work of the Kingdom. Paul encouraged Timothy to entrust faithful people who would teach others also (2 Timothy 2:2). That is our calling as well. May we be faithful stewards of what God has entrusted to us today so that those who come after us will have every opportunity to know Christ, serve Him boldly, and carry His Gospel even further than we have.

FROM THE PASTOR – WAR ROOM

Our church library has now been designated as our "war room," pictured below. Note the two boards on the wall, one for prayer requests and the other for answered prayers and praises. Cindy Scott describes the function of the boards and the room:



"The table has tags, pins, and markers. When a prayer is answered, you move the tag to the praise board. There is also a Bible, topical prayer cards, three prayer booklets, and pens to write prayers in the booklets. Writing prayers can be beneficial for the writer and the person who reads them. Praying and rejoicing with and for others builds a faith bond in the family of believers. Our Father loves when His children unite."

A room dedicated to prayer, to praying for one another and one another's requests, and encouraging one another to greater devotion to prayer. A space for the children of God to grow closer to their Heavenly Father and to one another through prayer, just as Jesus taught us to pray *Our Father, who art in heaven…*This is a wonderful tool for us to grow in Christ! Thank you to those who put this in place!

I'm sure we can all agree that a prayer room is a marvelous idea! But why do we call it our "war room?" Some of us might recognize this name from the popular Christian movie *War Room* from several years ago. The main character called her prayer place her "war room." But why?

Ephesians 6:10-12 says, *Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power.* ***11*** *Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes.* ***12*** *For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.* Jesus said, near the very end of His model prayer, *And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one'(Matthew 6:13).* The Christian life is a life of spiritual warfare. Our enemy is not people, but the devil and his fallen angels. We wage spiritual warfare against these enemies when we pray, as demonstrated by what Jesus said in His prayer noted above and taught again in the Ephesians 6 spiritual warfare passage, *And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people (Ephesians 6:17).* This is why our prayer room is our war room!

Let's be sure to make use of this war room! And be sure to join us for the final weeks of our Sunday morning message series on Ephesians. The focus is on spiritual warfare, the armor of God! This may be the end of the Book of Ephesians, but we pray that our focus on spiritual warfare will be the beginning of a new chapter of spiritual power at Bailey Road as we increase our practice of spiritual warfare!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We still have several opportunities to serve together at BRCC:

- **Yard Work** – mowing, trimming, weeding, and general outdoor cleanup
- **Church Cleaning** – sanctuary, classrooms, fellowship hall, and common areas
- **Spaghetti Dinner Help** – kitchen help and servers
- **Children's Ministry** – See Emily V. or Stephen Scott

If you can lend a hand in any of these areas, please contact **Stephen Scott 330-622-1989**.

LOCAL OUTREACH - ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

CREATING A TANGIBLE DIFFERENCE

THE LAST ALL YOU CAN EAT Spaghetti Dinner for 2026 – ($10.00) October 30, 2026, from 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM – There will be no "Spaghetti Dinners" for the months of November and December.

S'mores Jesus – Saturday, October 31, 2026, from 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM. S'mores Jesus, and hot dogs over an open fire pit and music, weather permitting. What a time this will be for the kids and us adults.

Trunk or Treat – Saturday, October 31, 2026, from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM. It is that time of year again to gather in the BRCC parking lot, smuggling in the best candies available in our budget, fancy up your trunks and hatchbacks with ghostly noise, and spooky looks. I admit it is fun.

Board Meeting – Saturday November 7, 2026, starts at 9:30 AM

Craft Sale – Saturday, November 14, 2026, from 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM. Free entry, and lunch is a $10.00 donation. To schedule a spot to sell crafts, there is a $10.00 fee for each table. Please see Jen Pykus to secure your spot.

Missions Meeting – Tuesday, November 17, 2026 – 3:30 PM

Senior Luncheon in Christ (SLIC) – Wednesday, November 18, 2026 – 12:00 PM
You do not need to be a senior citizen to join, you just need to feel like a senior citizen!

Men's Fellowship – Saturday, November 21, 2026 – 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM – Join us in the fellowship hall for a light snack, a cup of coffee and great Bible discussions.

Harvest Dinner – Sunday November 22, 2026, at 12:15 PM. Please bring a dish to share.

Thanksgiving Dinner -- Thursday November 26, 2026 – 4:00 PM. This is for everyone or couples who do not have plans with family and friends. We cordially invite to you to share a meal amongst your family in Christ Jesus. There is a sign-up sheet in the church entrance. Please make sure to sign up if you plan on joining us.

Christmas Decorations – Saturday November 28, 2026, starts 9:00 AM. Volunteers needed for this event.

WEEKLY INTERACTIVE STUDIES

Sunday Morning Bible Study: Starts at 9:00 AM (Book of Acts)

Wednesday Evening Bible Study: Starts at 6:00 PM. We'll be walking through the book of 2 Peter.

BLESSING OPPORTUNITIES

"SOCKTOBER" -- Please bring any type of new socks (children to adult) and place them in the collection box in the Narthex. They will be donated to RAHAB ministries.

Blessing Box Ministry – The community knows the Blessing Box is open for use and others are sharing their blessings as well. The collection box for donations of non-perishable items is in the Narthex.

Acme Cash-Back Program – Please bring your receipts and place them in the box on the counter in the old kitchen.

WEEKLY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Serving Schedule	Worship Leader	Communion	Scripture Reader
November 1	Bonnie Candle	Steve Surface	Nick Pykus
November 8	Steve Scott	Cindy Scott	Lynn Brown
November 15	Bob Klecan	Lee Sanborn	Bernice Sanborn
November 22	Lee Sanborn	Bob Klecan	Mary Garrett
November 29	Mark Candle	Steve Scott	Megan Bauknight

BECOMING A MEMBER OF BRCC

Pastor Bob Klecan would be happy to speak with you about church membership at your convenience. You may reach him at 330-716-0865 or brccpastor@outlook.com. We rejoice in the many new friends worshiping with us and, as the Lord leads, we would be honored to welcome you into fellowship as a member of Bailey Road Christian Church.

SUPPORTING BRCC

You can make your offering in the box at the back of the Sanctuary, mail a check to Bailey Road Christian Church (3200 Bailey Road, Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221), or pay securely online at https://baileyroad.churchcenter.com/giving. Choose a one-time or recurring gift, select your payment method, and follow the prompts. You may opt to cover transaction fees, which can affect your total contribution. For questions, contact Jen Pykus at 330-815-0949. When you support your church, you help sustain ministry, care for others, and advance the gospel. This act of giving reflects God's love and fulfills His purpose for the church as the body of Christ, working together to serve and bless the world.

PRAYER FOR OUR LEADERS AND CHURCH LEADERS

Heavenly Father,

Thank You for the faithful generations who have built and sustained this church. As we look to the future, help us invest wisely in those who will follow us. Raise up new leaders with a passion for Christ, fresh vision for ministry, and a heart for Your people. Give us the humility to encourage them, the wisdom to guide them, and the faith to embrace the opportunities You place before us. May the legacy we leave be one of faithfulness, unity, and a deep love for Jesus.

In Jesus' mighty name we pray, Amen.

OCTOBER 25 - NOVEMBER 30, 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
25 Bible Study - 9:00 am Church Service - 10:00 am Evening Service - 6:00 pm	26	27	28 Pray Walk - 4:30 pm Bible Study - 6:00 pm	Prep Day for Friday	30 Spaghetti Dinner 4:30-6:30 pm	31 S'more Jesus - 4:00 pm Trunk or Treat 6:00-8:00 pm
NOVEMBER 1 Deacon & Deaconess of the Month Rick DelMedico Barb Mansfield	2	3 Voting 6:30 am-7:30 pm	4 Finance Meeting - 4:00 pm Bible Study - 6:00 pm	5	6	7 Board Meeting - 9:30 am
8 Bible Study - 9:00 am Church Service - 10:00 am Evening Service - 6:00 pm	9	10	11 Bible Study - 6:00 pm	12	13	14 Craft Sale - 8:00 am-2:00 pm
15 Bible Study - 9:00 am Church Service - 10:00 am Evening Service - 6:00 pm	16	17 Missions Meeting - 3:30 pm	18 SLIC - 12:00 pm Bible Study - 6:00 pm	19	20	21 Men's Fellowship - 8:00 am
22 Bible Study - 9:00 am Church Service - 10:00 am Harvest Dinner - 12:15 pm No Evening Service	23	24	25 Bible Study - 6:00 pm	26 Thanksgiving Day Thanksgiving Day Dinner Start 4:00 PM Eat 5:00 PM	27	28 Christmas Decorations 9:00 am Road trip to Christian Children's Home of Ohio
29 Advent Begins Bible Study - 9:00 am Church Service - 10:00 am Evening Service - 6:00 pm	30					