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Today's Scripture  
**1 John 4:7-21 (ESV)**

**God Is Love**

<sup>7</sup> Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God. <sup>8</sup> Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love. <sup>9</sup> In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him. <sup>10</sup> In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins. <sup>11</sup> Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another. <sup>12</sup> No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God abides in us and his love is perfected in us.

<sup>13</sup> By this we know that we abide in him and he in us, because he has given us of his Spirit. <sup>14</sup> And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent his Son to be the Savior of the world. <sup>15</sup> Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God. <sup>16</sup> So we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him. <sup>17</sup> By this is love perfected with us, so that we may have confidence for the day of judgment, because as he is so also are we in this world. <sup>18</sup> There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear. For fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not been perfected in love. <sup>19</sup> We love because he first loved us. <sup>20</sup> If anyone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen cannot love God whom he has not seen. <sup>21</sup> And this commandment we have from him: whoever loves God must also love his brother.

**1-9** – Nurture @ Cabin  
**1-16** – Women's Min. @ Cabin  
**1-19** – Church Council 5:30

 **Junior Church**

Children ages 2-grade 5 will be dismissed prior to the sermon for worship time in the Fellowship Hall.

Helpers:

**Today:** Emily R & Carrie L  
**1-15:** Jamie R. & Deb L

 **Nursery**

The nursery is located on the east side of the sanctuary.

**Today:** JoAnn Bon./Bev H.  
**1-15:** Kim M & Brooke L

 **Coffee Bar**

Coffee, tea, and hot cocoa are offered at our coffee bar in the lobby.

 **Sunday School**

Join us for Sunday school after the service. Classes available for all ages.



**Digging Deeper: 1 John 4:7-21 (ESV)**  
**Title: A New Kingdom**

\_\_\_\_\_ starts with \_\_\_\_\_.

God's \_\_\_\_\_ is shown to us through \_\_\_\_\_.

We respond to God's \_\_\_\_\_ by loving \_\_\_\_\_ and loving \_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus is our \_\_\_\_\_ of how to \_\_\_\_\_.





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Looking Ahead

### John 13:1-19

In this passage, we see how Jesus was an example of servanthood for us.

*We are glad you are here to worship with us this morning! It is our prayer that you will experience a touch from the Lord during your time with us today and there will be a desire in your heart to reach back to Him with love. Feel free to love Him back during our singing, prayer and scripture reading in any manner you wish: standing, sitting, kneeling, raising of hands, clapping, shouting praises, head bowed or other acts of praise.*



Prayers & Praises

### -Pete & Portia

**Amstutz** – Pete – cancer

**Bill Beck** – healing from recent heart procedure

**Rod Bontrager** – thyroid cancer

**Dorothy Hooley** – Continued healing

**Dean Miller** – local man, cancer

**RYLM Re-model** - smooth transitions

**Associate Pastor search**

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Sermon Series **Prepare**

Sermon Title **Jesus Loved**

- **Offering** is collected in the box at the entrance of the sanctuary. You can also tithe through [tithe.ly.com](http://tithe.ly.com)
- **EXCUSE OUR MESS** – We are currently undergoing a renovation project to expand our Day Care. We gladly share our space upstairs with the Day Care while reno takes place. Thanks for your patience!
- **Feed our Youth** – sign up in the lobby today to feed the youth group
- **Ladies:** Sign up for a Secret Sister today in the lobby!
- **Inclement Weather Closings** will be announced by Flocknote email/text and phone calls for those without computers. We will also have a notice on our website [shorechurch-in.org](http://shorechurch-in.org). If you have not given your contact info to the office for these announcements, please see Kim Mishler.
- Be sure to pick up a **t-shirt & a sticker** (from sign up table) in the lobby to kick off the new year's theme – **He Went First!** All adult t-shirt sizes available.

### Attention

- If you are a visitor with us, please fill out a connect card from the pew pocket and place in the offering box. Thank you.
- If you have a prayer request – please fill out a prayer card and place in the designated Prayer Requests holders on the side aisles. Your request will be mentioned during prayer time.



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