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Monday, Wednesday, Friday
 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
 Article Deadline for the Shoreline:
 Wednesday morning by 9 a.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Support Elijah Haven's Car, Truck & Bike Show. August 20, 2023, 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Music, Food Trucks. Giveaways. Accepting donations for Cars and Bike Registration. Location: Around the LaGrange County Courthouse 105 N Detroit Street, LaGrange IN. For More information call 260-463-8700.

If you'd like to donate a gift certificate for the raffle part of this fundraiser please contact Dora Martin-Eash.

Gospel Echoes invites you to the Gospel Echoes Homecoming All Team Sing weekend with concerts scheduled for: 3:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. on Sunday July 16 at Maple City Chapel.

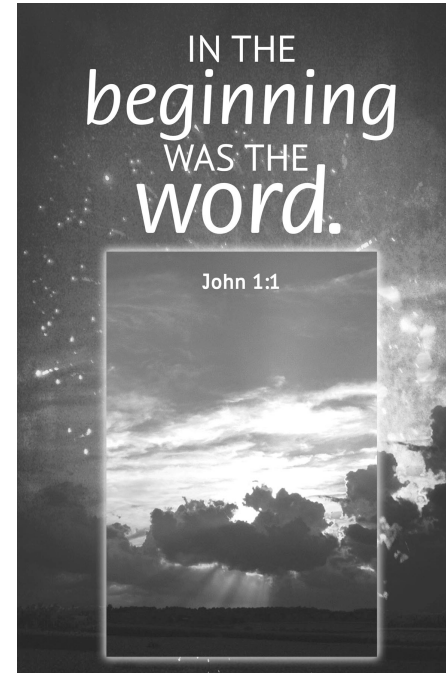
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Loving God - Loving Others



- **Rod Bontrager** - continued healing
- **Johnetta Henard** - waiting for lung transplant
- **Mark Liechty's family** - death of his mom
- **Nellie** - Rod Snider's sis in law -health concerns
- **Sarah Schlabach** - continued healing
- **Rosalie Yoder & Marcia Miller families** - grief
- **RYLM upcoming move in day**
- **Associate Pastor Search**

A prayer for today: "Jesus, show me who needs a special word of friendship today so I may share your lovingkindness with them." Amen

Stewardship Report July 2, 2023	
General:	\$5875.00
Class #24	\$275.00
Class #25	\$45.00
Sharing One Hope	\$24.00



JULY 15 - Church at the Cabin
4 p.m. - Carnival Games begin
4:30 - 5:45 - Tacos, chips & salsa
 and Ice Cream sundaes!!
6:00 Worship

What to bring: A lawn chair

Mark your calendars for the third
 Church at the Cabin happening on
 August 12!

**Please note - all food will be
 provided for you. All you
 need to bring is your
 appetite, and a heart ready
 for fellowship and worship.**

**(Oh yes, and, don't forget the
 lawn chair!)**



Don't worry ladies - we will still have our fun and relaxing lunch! We have been

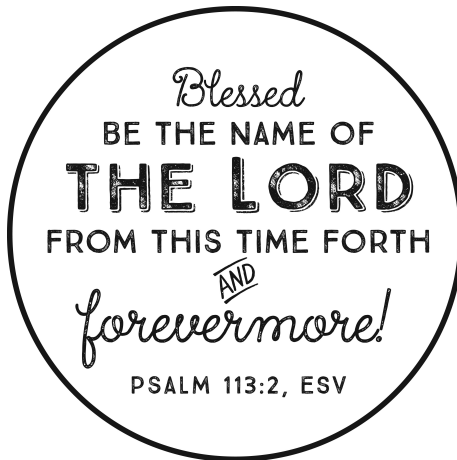
made aware of a date conflict. So, we are currently discerning the date and location! We hope to let you know of the change next Sunday! In the meantime... keep practicing your iced tea and lemonade slurping techniques!! :)

LIVING AS POETRY OF GOD

For Christians, the Scriptures are our first source of guidance for how to live, and within them, Jesus is primary. But God speaks through non-biblical voices too: preachers and teachers not found in the Bible, and even literature that isn't directly Christian. God, who used King Cyrus of Persia to free the exiled Israelites, can use *anyone* to call us to right living. Take, for example, Walt Whitman's description of life as poetry when we live certain ways, and God as "the greatest poet":

"This is what you shall do: Love the earth and sun and the animals, despise riches, give alms to every one that asks, stand up for the [vulnerable], devote your income and labor to others, hate tyrants, argue not concerning God, have patience and indulgence toward the people, ... and your very flesh shall be a great poem and have the richest fluency. ... The known universe has one complete lover and that is the greatest poet. ... His love above all love has leisure and expanse." (From the preface to *Leaves of Grass*, 1855)

July 2, 2023	
Attendance:	279
Adult SS:	94
Primary SS:	31



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