

# Blueprints

A RESOURCE FOR DISCIPLESHIP

Paul encouraged Timothy, his son in the faith, to “kindle afresh” the gift of God which lay within him and resume his “holy calling.” (2<sup>nd</sup> Timothy 1: 1-12) How would Timothy start over again after he had faithfully served Jesus in ministry and have walked with Jesus for so long?

Jesus in the several calls to faith we discovered from Matthew, Mark, and Luke asked for every faithful disciple to “daily” deny self, take up his/her own Cross and follow Him. Are we not called to start over again each day? Is that not what a reset button means?

This week let’s discover some experiences within scripture of saints starting over again.

**Blueprint:** disciples learn the art of starting over again.

**Read Exodus 2-4** to see how God used Moses after Moses hit the reset button of his relationship with God.

When did Moses receive his initial call from God?

In his first 40 years how did Moses live within the Egyptian culture?

What caused Moses to leave Egypt and live in the desert? What was his occupation?

How did God get his attention to resume his calling?

What was Moses response to resetting the relationship?

Let’s see how King David was restored in his calling.

**Read 1<sup>st</sup> Sam 16** How did David receive his calling from God?

**Read 1<sup>st</sup> Samuel 19-22** How did God protect David from Saul so he could become king?

**Read 2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel 7** How did David faithfully execute his calling and relate to God?

**Read 2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel 11** When and where did David falter in his relationship with God?

**Read 2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel 12 & Psalm 51** How did David start over again, or rest his relationship with God?

**Read John 13: 31-18; 18: 12-27; 21.** The Apostle Peter answered the call to follow Jesus, but later denied even knowing Jesus.

When, where, how did Peter become a disciple of Jesus?

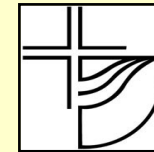
Why would Jesus warn Peter about his failure?

How did Peter restart his relationship with Jesus?

**Read 1<sup>st</sup> John 1: 5- 2:2; Revelation 2-3** What are some specific instructions for restarting your relationship with Jesus?

Evidently, from these and many other stories we can see that the call of Paul to Timothy to begin again is not strange, but an ordinary request. How would you describe the process of starting over again in your life? How would you hit the reset button?

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We welcome you today to enter into the fellowship we have with one another through Jesus Christ. During the worship service opening time of praise there is an opportunity to bring your tithes and offerings forward as an expression of worship and place them in the offering plates provided. We invite everyone to complete the communication card and place it in the offering plate also. In the narthex there is an offering plate for those who prefer to place their offering and communication card there.



**March 4, 2018**

**Entering His Courts with Praise ...Be Grateful**

Special Music “Holy, You Are Holy” Joyful Noise

Offering “Forever” [Ps.126:1](#)

“To God Be The Glory” [Ps.126:3](#)

Children’s Story Karen Chronister

**Celebrating the Finished Work of Christ ...Be Repentant**

Special Music “Glory To His Name” Joyful Noise

**Seeking the Healing of Our Hearts ...Be Cleansed**

Singing “Have Thine Own Way” [Jer.18:6](#)

**Empowering of the Word and Spirit ...Be Spirit Filled**

Scripture Romans 6: 1-11

Message Crucified: Dying To Live Pastor Jim

**Sharing in the Body of Christ ...Be Committed**

Special Music “The Christ, The Cross, The Crown” Joyful Noise

Communion

**Praying for Ourselves and Others ...Be Prayerful**

Prayer

**Resting in the Presence of God ...Be Transformed**

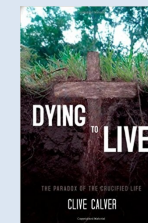
Singing “Be Thou My Vision” [Ps.16:8](#)

Hymnal 545

**Sent Out as Light and Salt**

Pastoral Blessing

Singing “Come Die, Come Live”



Dr. Calver is just the right one to take us on this journey back to the original and powerful Way, Truth, and Life. He has led great ministry organizations, such as World Relief, which cares for the most destitute. He has written many books of spiritual insight. He is pastoring a church in which he shepherds people’s souls. These qualifications might fit our need: we are desperate people looking for spiritual insight that will lead us to God’s care.

Remember as you read this book that it speaks to a very personal journey. Clive does not write as an academic, but as one who is as needy as we are. Ultimately, the Christian life is not about what is or is not working; it is rather about who we really are in Christ, and who he is in us. The Christian life is not mechanical; it is personal. And the life God has for us is not about being good, it is about being loved.

**Joel C. Hunter, D. Min.**  
Senior Pastor, Northland  
A Church Distributed

*Pastor: Jim Chronister*

*Ministers: Every member of the Church*

*Our Vision: Glorifying God through faithful Discipleship.*

Brookville Church of the Brethren is a place where children are valued and safe. We provide classes and childcare for all ages. All persons who work with our children and youth are trained in our **Child Protection Policy** and must pass a background check. We ask that parents help by signing their children in and out at the **Welcome Center** whenever they attend. If you have questions or would like to see our written policy, please ask anyone in the children's department.



## Prayer Points

### Prayer requests received for this week:

Nellie Parks; Belinda Harrison; Family of Dave Keener; John Locker; Cassidy Adkins; Jessi Green; Virginia Jenkins; Dee Barnhart, Bob and Ingrid

### Continue to pray for:

Families mourning the loss of loved ones  
 Individuals living permanently in care centers  
 Our Nation – repent & turn to God – seek His will in all things  
 People facing spiritual battles/satanic attacks-for deliverance from addictions  
 Pres. Trump, VP Pence, political leaders & judges – for protection & wise decisions  
 Salvation for unsaved family and friends

### Praying for Churches of the District:

Brookville

### Birthday Prayer List:

April Nihiser, March 3  
 Jakob Herbert, March 8  
 Bob Hammond, March 9

### Today!

### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Prayer Service, 9:00 A.M.-9:30 A.M.  
 Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.  
 Worship, 10:35 A.M.

### Mon.

### Tues.

**Prison Ministry**

### Wed.

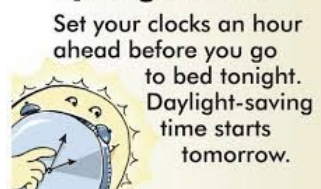
### Thurs.

**Joyful Noise**

### Fri.

### Sat.

### Spring ahead



### Sun.

### Small Groups

Every week folks gather to grow in their relationships with God, self and others. Below is a list of the leaders and meetings. Please feel free to consult with any one of them. The topic each week is found on page 4 with a Blueprint for growth as a follower of Jesus.



**Tues.** Study Group (Jeff Barnhart), at church, 7:00 PM  
**Wed.** Study Group (Aaron Osswald); various places, 6:30 PM  
**Fri.** Study Group (Chris Sievers); various places, 6:30 PM

### THIS WEEK'S SERVANTS

Worship Leader  
 Becky Osswald

Greeters for March 4  
 Kevin Tomlin and Hannah Tomlin  
Greeters for March 11  
 Charles Middlestetter and Becky Dull

Attendance last Sunday, SS 40, Worship 91

### Offering Last Week

	<u>Regular</u>		<u>Special</u>	
Regular	4635.00	Scholarship		150.00
Weekly Need	2859.00			
Year to Date	3749.00			

# Announcements and Activities

**The FISH pantry** is beginning to run low on several items. If you would like to donate, please bring the items to the church:

- Jello
- Pudding
- Cakes Mixes & Frosting
- Saltine Crackers
- Spaghetti & Sauce
- Corn Muffin Mix
- Spaghetti O's
- Canned Vegetables – do not need corn
- Canned Manwich or Sloppy Joe
- Canned Chicken or Beef Broth
- Canned Tomatoes & Sauce
- Canned Soup – vegetable, chicken & noodle and tomato
- Canned fruit – peaches, pears, fruit cocktail

### Special District Meeting

The District Board and the Program and Arrangements Committee, including the District conference Officers, are calling a special all District meeting this spring. The date for this event is

**Saturday, March 17**  
**1:30-4:00 PM**  
**at Happy Corner CoB.**

The next **Gospel Mission Workday** will be on March 31<sup>st</sup>. A sign-up sheet is on the window in the narthex.



### CHOSEN PEOPLE MINISTRIES

On March 21, 2018 at 7PM Jason Rose will be here at the church to present — Messianic Prophecy and it's Relevance for Sharing the Gospel with our Jewish Friends. Jason Rose will take a moment or two during the presentation to share about the exciting work being done to reach Jewish people for Messiah Jesus. More information coming.