



Ministry Update

October 11, 2026

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

FALL CARNIVAL

SAT.
OCT 17
4:00-6:00PM



Volunteers
Needed!
Sign-up
Sheets are
in the
Church
Lobby

GAMES
PRIZES
CAKE WALK
CHILI COOKOFF
CARMEL APPLES
& MORE!

BEDFORD ACRES CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Golden Age

INDOOR PICNIC

FOOD, FUN, & FELLOWSHIP

Bedford Acres Christian Church
Fellowship Hall

11:30 AM, Thursday, October 8th

The meats will be supplied. Please bring a side dish, drinks, or a dessert to share.

Call Linda Moore,
859-435-5358, for more info

Tug-of-war, 3-legged races, & sack races have been banned!



"Get ready to rumble!"

"Let the games begin!"

There's no crying in picnic games!

Tuesday
October 13



MAN CHURCH

EVERY OTHER TUE 6:30-8:00

JOIN US FOR FOOD AT 5:30



MISSION TRIP:

Saposoa, Peru



INFORMATIONAL MEETING, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE CHURCH SERVICE
IN THE MAC ROOM

MEDICAL CLINICS
YOUTH SPORTS
OUTREACH
COMMUNITY MINISTRY
CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
CONSTRUCTION
PROJECTS HEALTH
CONFERENCES
EVANGELISM
OUTREACH



JUNE
17-26,
2027

email mgash@gointernational.org with questions!

BACC Serves the City

Serving Opportunity

October 15, 12:30 PM

Join Jill Hurt & Friends

at the

**Joseph Allen
Adult Day Health**

Center *(Meet at Bourbon Heights)*

Crafting, Gaming, & Loving Dear Friends

Contact Jill with
any questions

jillhurt7@gmail.com

Operation Food Basket Volunteer Week

Monday, October 26, 10am-Noon

Wednesday, October 28, 10am-Noon

Thursday, October 29, 6pm-7pm

Friday, October 30, 10am-Noon

Sign-up sheet is in the church foyer

****need two people for each day****

Address: Operation Food Basket
Paris City Building
525 High Street, Suite 3 (basement)
Paris, KY 40361





PACK A SHOEBOX!

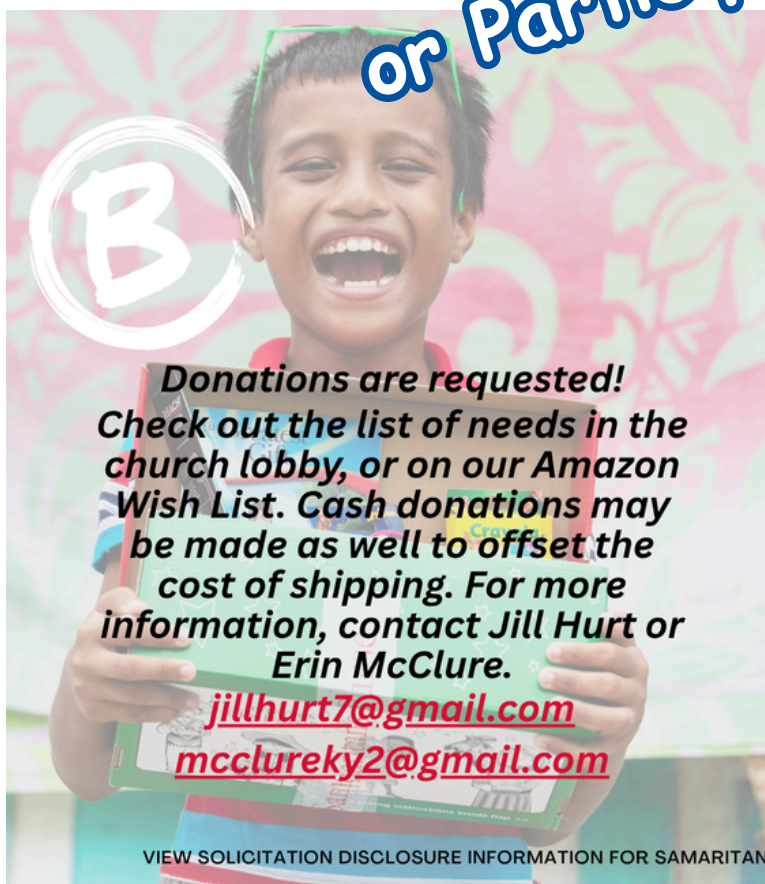
Grab shoeboxes in the church lobby and return to BACC by November 15, 2024



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2 Different Options
Pick One in Both
or Participate



Donations are requested!
Check out the list of needs in the church lobby, or on our Amazon Wish List. Cash donations may be made as well to offset the cost of shipping. For more information, contact Jill Hurt or Erin McClure.

jillhurt7@gmail.com
mcclureky2@gmail.com

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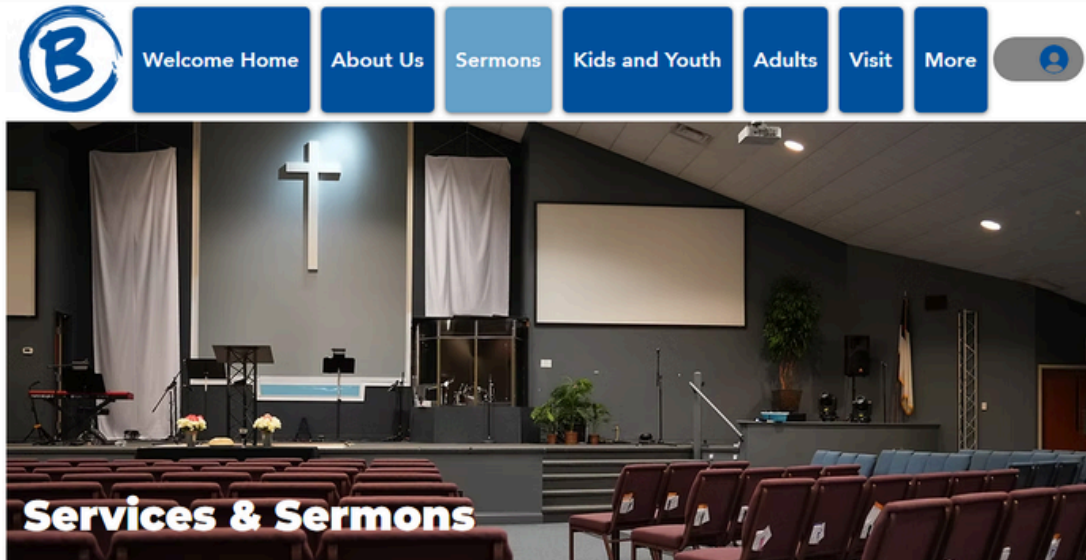
Join the American Heritage Girls for their packing party on November 15th at 1:30 to fill boxes for Operation Christmas Child. We will have an afternoon of service and fun.



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Scan Me to see the Wish List



Sermon Links for Sunday Service October 4, 2026

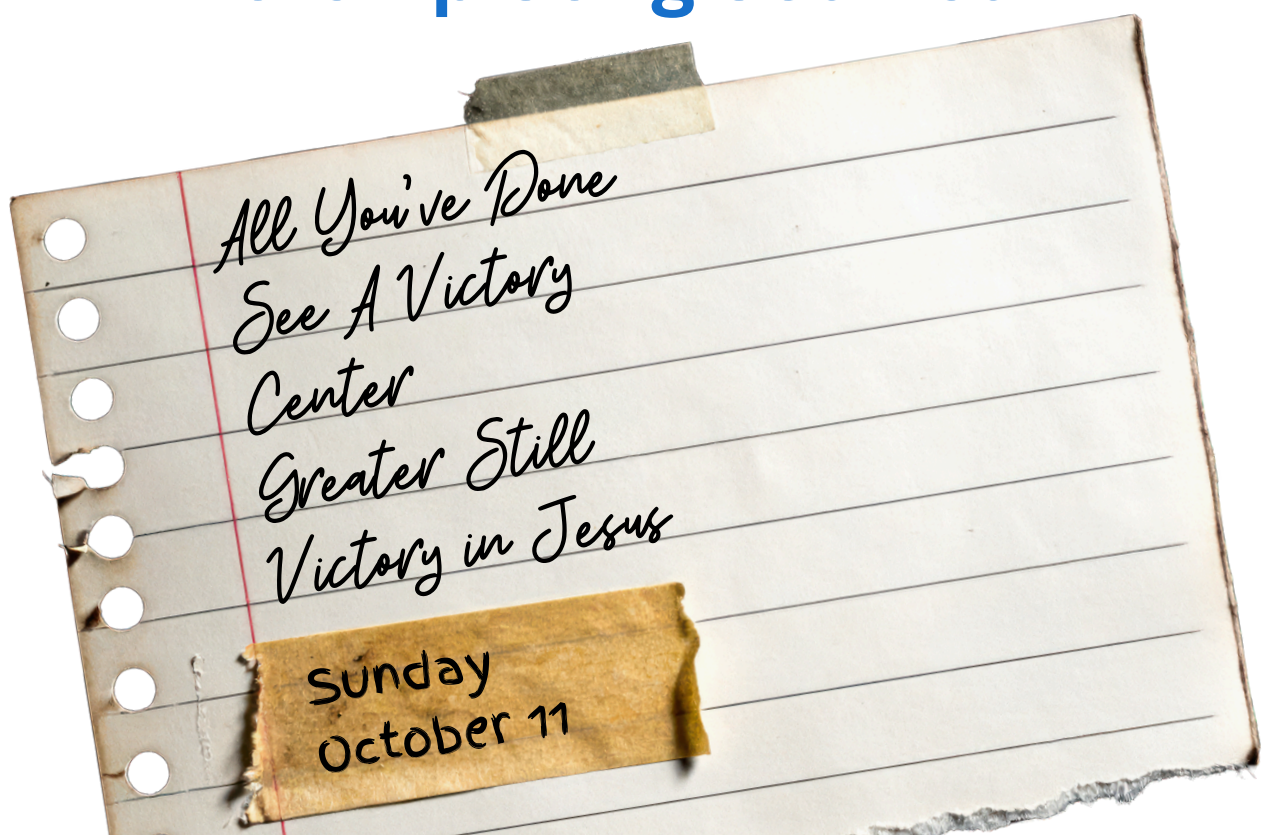
https://youtu.be/YqqmWFX_qXg

If not automatically re-directed you can copy and paste into your browser.
All sermons are available on bedfordacres.com and BACC's You Tube channel

Check out all of our Social Media Sites



Worship Song Set List



A Special Message from the Finance Team:

Marjorie Abney, Don Schaefer, Evelyn Bologna, & Bob Jespersen

Each year we are tasked to compile a yearly budget that is submitted to the Elders for their approval before it is presented to the church members for their confirmation. The weekly need is calculated by dividing the total budget by 52 (total weeks of the year) to average the weekly need.

This year we have experienced a decline in attendance and giving. As we prepare for next year's budget we are aware of some large expenses such as resealing the roof, sanctuary lighting and the repair or replacement of our numerous heat pumps. It is also important to fund a reserve for major repairs that are inevitable in maintaining a facility such as ours.

Your weekly offering goes into the general fund account and is used to pay the staff salaries, mortgage & interest payments, building & grounds expenses, youth/children's programs & outings, missionary support & community initiatives, facilities maintenance & improvements, and many other ministries along with the consumables required to execute every event.

As your Finance Team tasked to steward God's resources (your investments) provided to our church, we ask for your prayers and support as we compile the 2027 budget. Please feel free to reach out to any member of the team if you have any questions during this budgeting season.

May God be glorified in all activities here at Bedford Acres Christian Church as we strive to Love Him, Love His People, and Make Disciples of His Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ.

Hey BACC,

Save This Date!

We will be serving and
celebrating with the folks
At the Table

Monday, November 30

More details to come.
Just commit this evening
in your calendar.



**Free Weekly
Community
Dinner**

PARIS
TRANSFORMATION
CENTER

Mondays
6:30 - 7:30 pm

722 Main Street in
Downtown Paris

MENU 11/30/26

Entree & Sides

To

Be

Determined

Dessert Of Course



**Nursery is Open
at 9:00 AM**

**Parents, we would love to help you
attend one of our Sunday School Classes.**

***Our loving and caring volunteer staff look forward to
providing a safe environment for your babies all
morning through the worship service.***





For More Info Contact:
office@bedfordacres.com

Sunday's @ 9:00am
(check in begins 8:45am)
1-5th grade Sunday School

Sunday's @ 10:30am
1st - 5th grade
Kids Praise

Preschool Activities &
Nursery available too!

YOUTH IGNITE Sunday Mornings

6th-12th grade

Bible Study
9:00am

Worship Service
10:30am

Youth will worship in the main Sanctuary
and be dismissed to the M.A.C. room.

Join us for Worship, the Word
and a great time as we grow
in Christ together!



Adult Bible Studies at BACC



**MEN'S
BIBLE STUDY**

YOU ARE INVITED
Sunday Mornings @ 9am
Conference Room
Led by Dan Giese

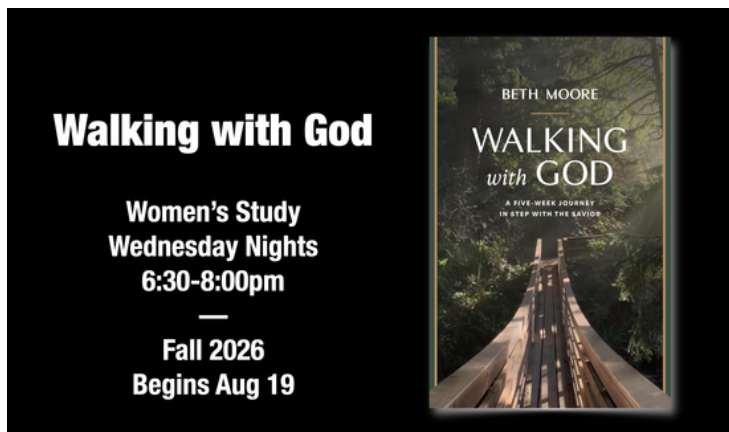


**FRIENDS
IN HIM** Adult Sunday School Class
In Person or ZOOM Option**

JOIN US AT 9:00AM
ROOM# 106

A friend is always loyal, and a brother is born to help in time of need. Proverbs 17:17 NLT

CONTACT GARY FOR INVITE CODE
859-749-7954

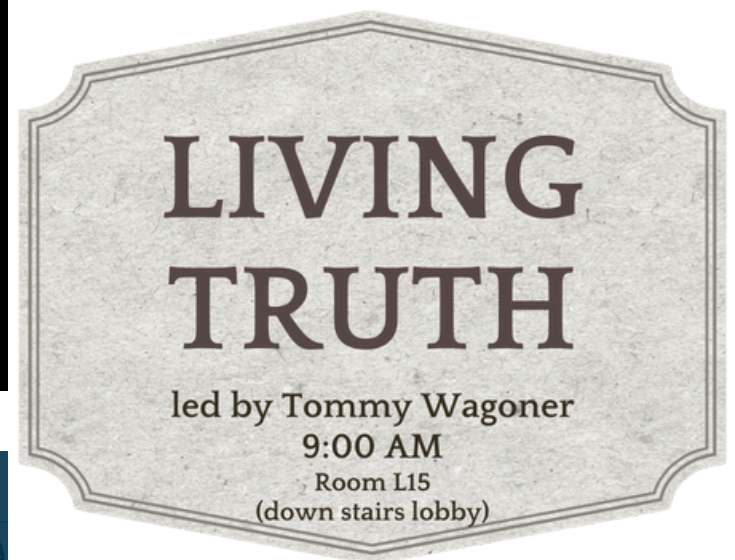


Walking with God

Women's Study
Wednesday Nights
6:30-8:00pm

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Fall 2026
Begins Aug 19

BETH MOORE
**WALKING
with GOD**
A FIVE-WEEK JOURNEY
IN STEP WITH THE SAVIOR



**LIVING
TRUTH**

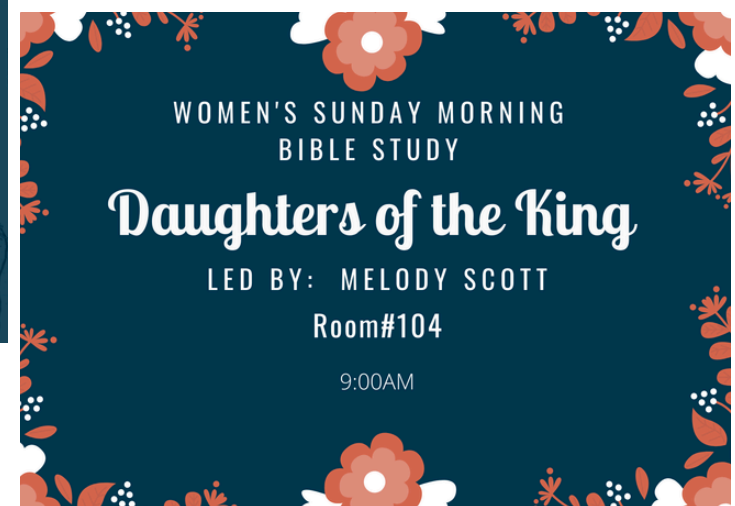
led by Tommy Wagoner
9:00 AM
Room L15
(down stairs lobby)



Journey
Adult Sunday School Class
Seekers

LED BY: DAN MCKENZIE

JOIN US 9:00AM
IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL



WOMEN'S SUNDAY MORNING
BIBLE STUDY

Daughters of the King

LED BY: MELODY SCOTT
Room#104

9:00AM

Prayer List

- Students & Teachers Returning to School
- BACC Elders
- Lexington Community Affected by Recent Shooting
- BACC Staff
- BACC Family
- Bourbon Heights
- Bourbon County Schools
- School Teachers
- Police Officers
- Military
- Our Nation
- Covid-19 patients
- Health-care providers
- First Responders
- Russell Cave Church of Christ
- Worldwide Peace
- Project Liberia
- Haiti Government & People
- Missionaries
- Nursing Home Residents & Care-Givers
- Israel & The Middle East
- Unspoken Requests
- Linda Conyers & Family
- Nancy & Barry Fox
- Stephen Innasimuthu
- 2027 Budget
- Aaron Dahlstrom
- Ace Abney
- Adamson Family
- Angie Bowman
- Anne Hunt
- Barb Sauerman
- Barry Hay
- Becca Bryan
- Bill Howard
- Billy and Lisa Heflin
- Bob Flynn
- Bobby McDonald
- Brenda Faulkner
- Buddy Peters, Jr.
- Buddy Peters, Sr.
- Carl & Debbie Smart
- Chain Family
- Charlie & Suzanne McDonald
- Charlotte Brennan
- Clarence Abney
- Clifford McFarland
- Cole Boden
- Colleen Roberts
- Crystal & Mike Blankenship
- Dawn Damron
- Debbie Boden Pentz
- Flynn Family
- Ginger Bogie
- Greg Smoot
- Hatton Family
- Jackie Ayers
- Jayden Cain
- Jenna Boden Bryan
- Jennifer Linville
- Jill McKenzie
- Jimmy Mason and Family
- Joe Faulconer
- Josh Giese
- Journie Bryan
- Judy White
- Kim Williams
- Larry Ritchie
- Larry White
- Lee Ann Ritchie
- Lee Family
- Linda Shinn
- Lori Cooper
- Lutes Family
- Lynda McDonald
- Lynn Boden Turnbull
- Madison Campbell
- Marjorie Abney
- Mary Miller
- Nancy Rhodes
- Newby Family
- Pam Easley
- Pam Ritchie and Family
- Pamela Shepherd
- Pastor Fred Mitchell
- Paul Rochner
- Paula Joy
- Perry Hutson
- Randy Brewer
- Randy Lanter
- Roger Gordon
- Roger Peters
- Shirley Stamper's Grandsons
- Stacie Snapp & Famiy
- Stacy Doose
- Steve Dozier
- Sue Holzhaue
- Sue Roe
- Sue Sams
- Susan Boden Ziemetz
- T.R. Jude
- Ted Faulconer
- The Faulconer Triplets
- The Overman Family
- Tom Rawlins
- Vicki Watkins
- Wanda Elam

If you have a prayer request to share, you may email it to:
prayer@bedfordacres.com

All prayer requests will remain for 2 weeks.

GIVING STATS - STAFF - LEADERSHIP - CONTACT US

Weekly Giving Summary

09/06/2026 - \$12,903.81

09/13/2026 - \$11,501.72

09/20/2026 - \$7,620.46

09/27/2026 - \$7,628.89

10/04/2026 - \$16,398.98

2026 Weekly Need: \$14,531.00

2026 YTD Baptisms: 17 YTD Transfers: 3

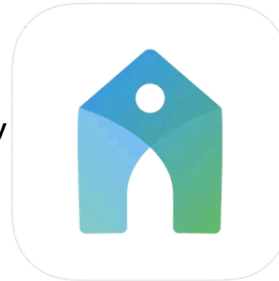
Date	Attendance	Online	Bible Study	Wednesday
08/30	217	79	91	33
09/06	231	202	90	40
09/13	205	201	74	26
09/20	242	168	71	27
09/27	244	116	92	27
10/04	226	162	82	24

Ways to Give

By Mail: 5414 Lexington Rd. Paris, KY 40361

Online via the website: bedfordacres.com

Using the Church Center App:

[Bedford Acres Christian Church | GIVE](#)

Church Center App (4+)

Join the life of your church

Ministry Centered Technologies

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Building & Grounds Ministry Team Leader Needed

- Coordinate & lead volunteers and church staff on BACC facility maintenance & improvement projects
- Negotiate contracts with service providers
- Oversee bid processes required for large projects and expenditures
- Supervise the annual budget & expenditures related to Building & Grounds

Contact any Elder or Staff Member Below

BACC Staff & Leadership

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(859) 707-7720

ELDERS

Derek Osborne**Jeff McClure****Richard Eads****Sam Bologna****Tommy Wagoner**

Sermon Notes

Dean Scott, Senior Minister

Just Walk Across the Room – The Power of the Story

I. Stories – and the words used to tell them – are _____.

Ecclesiastes 6:11; Psalms 119:130; Proverbs 12:18; 17:27

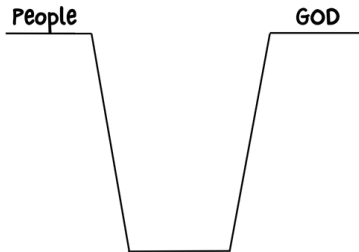
How do we explain who He is and what He has done?

How do we talk about our personal experience with God?

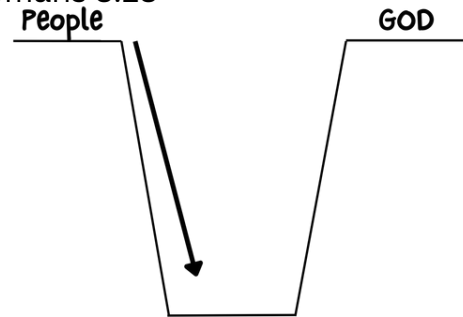
II. God has a story – learn to tell it _____.

THE BRIDGE

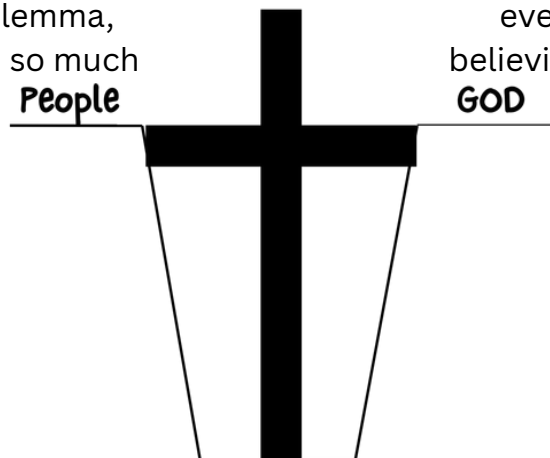
1. Between people and God is a great chasm – this division exists because people have a propensity to rebel against God's way and do their own thing instead – The Bible calls this sin. Isaiah 53:6



2. The problem we all face is that while we may want to know God – we just can't leap over the chasm. Romans 3:23



3. The good news is that God sympathized with our dilemma, and because he loved us so much he intervened so we could have a way to get close to him. Romans 6:23



4. In the gospel of John there is even a verse that says that by believing we have "crossed over" from death to life. John 5:24

III. You have a story – learn to tell it _____.

Your story is exactly like every conversion in the New Testament...

Each of these people had an element to their story that you have – they all had the before/after part.

So, what is your before/after story? 2 Corinthians 5:17-18; Philippians 3:13-14