



## 6.22.2026 Open Arms Weekly News

### Scripture for the week:

“Whoever claims to live in him must live as Jesus did.” 1 John 2:6

### MINISTRY NEEDS

**Vacation Bible School** needs volunteers! Would you like to help? Contact Noel Gee – [noel.granger16@gmail.com](mailto:noel.granger16@gmail.com)

### MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

**If anyone is interested in playing softball**, please sign up at the Welcome Center and be on the lookout for more information to come!

**Vacation Bible School** is NEXT MONTH – July 27, 28, 29, and 30! This year’s theme is “Faith on the Farm: Growing in God’s Love”. Scan the QR codes to register, click the tab in the Amplify app, or click this link: <https://41031.people.myamplify.io/external/form/1eb8f901-a237-44d5-93d8-0fd32c8f474b!>

**MEAL TIME** is June 24! Join us for a yummy summer dinner with your family at 5:00pm.

**UPCOMING BAPTISMS** – 6/28/2026: Theodore Robert Kelly; 7/12/2026: Nathaniel Lee Epperson

**Sunday August 2<sup>nd</sup> VBS Picnic** – join us after Worship and let the kids show you how their FAITH has grown on the farm!

The next **Blood Drive** will be held on August 8<sup>th</sup>! For more information see Princetta Morales.

**Congregation Picnic - Sunday August 30<sup>th</sup>!** More information to come – be on the lookout!

### DIG INTO THE WORD

**Youth Bible Study** (9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade) will be meeting in room 234 (North Hallway past the restrooms) after Worship on Sunday’s. Bible study lasts approximately 30 minutes. If you have any questions or want to learn more, look for Tom Griffin or Kara Garcia. Our current study is in the book of Romans.

**Men’s Bible Study** is on **summer vacation until September 2026**. Beginning this Fall, the Men’s Bible Study will initiate a new format. This format will involve group members providing the topics for study and discussion. The August Newsletters will offer further details. In the meantime, please feel free to contact Deacon Dave ([ferber\\_david@yahoo.com](mailto:ferber_david@yahoo.com)) if you have any questions and/or comments.

### PRAYER REQUESTS AND INTENTIONS

**Let’s pray for those who are grieving:** Beverly’s cousin Ted, Emma Vance

**Let’s pray for those who are sick:** Sherry and Daryl Cutter, Linda, Ron, Jason, Clydine, Gaige, Daycare children, Barbara Jean, Richard Red, Richard, Ian, Nola, Kelly, Lennie, Colton, Kevin, Bob Rayer, Knox, Charlie and his father & mother, Dean O’Kelly, Kim Hoeft, Linda Derrick, Dan Mecker, Katie and Joe O’Kelley, Eric, Martin and Karen Moro, Ryan, Dale W., Gary Bray, Cal

**Let’s pray for those in need of prayer:** Mildred, Aubree, Sarah, Tina, Danielle, Olena, Daycare Staff, Chelsey, Danielle, Christina, Tyler, World Peace