#### BIBLE FELLOWSHIP CENTER

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### THE LORD'S DAY

June 30, 2019 8:30 & 10:15 AM

## PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Organ Prelude David Schmidt Piano Wendy Baldwin

Hymns 340, 338 'Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus' 'Wonderful Grace'

Prayer

Scripture - Psalm 119:41-48; 65-72 John VanderMey

Hymn 562 'Be Thou My Vision'

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Cal VanderMey

Message Numbers 21:4-9 John Hoegg

Benediction Hymn 633 'Open Our Eye's, Lord'

### THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Monday - Youth Group 6:30 pm Tuesday Bible study at 7pm Pastor Cal teaching on the book of Micah Wednesday at 7pm VBS workshop Friday - Adult Bible study 7pm - John Woodell teaching

# **Happy Independence Day!!!**

The offering box is located in the back of the sanctuary

We welcome John and Melissa Hoegg and family today!!!

# THE MINISTRY OF MISSION

For the glory of God, Bible Fellowship Center is committed to spreading the Good News of salvation, equipping the believers, that they might become more Christ-like, worship God and enjoy Him forever.

#### **SCRIPTURE READING**

<sup>41</sup>Let Your mercies come also to me, O LORD—

Your salvation according to Your word.

<sup>42</sup> So shall I have an answer for him who reproaches me, For I trust in Your word.

<sup>43</sup> And take not the word of truth utterly out of my mouth,

For I have hoped in Your ordinances.

<sup>44</sup> So shall I keep Your law continually, Forever and ever.

<sup>45</sup> And I will walk at liberty, For I seek Your precepts.

<sup>46</sup> I will speak of Your testimonies also before kings, And will not be ashamed.

<sup>47</sup> And I will delight myself in Your commandments, which I love.

<sup>48</sup> My hands also I will lift up to Your commandments, which I love, And I will meditate on Your statutes.

<sup>65</sup> You have dealt well with Your servant, O LORD, according to Your word.

<sup>66</sup> Teach me good judgment and knowledge,

For I believe Your commandments.

<sup>67</sup> Before I was afflicted I went astray, But now I keep Your word.

<sup>68</sup> You are good, and do good; Teach me Your statutes.

<sup>69</sup> The proud have forged a lie against me,

But I will keep Your precepts with my whole heart.

<sup>70</sup> Their heart is as fat as grease, *But* I delight in Your law.

<sup>71</sup> It is good for me that I have been afflicted, That I may learn Your statutes.

<sup>72</sup> The law of Your mouth *is* better to me

Than thousands of coins of gold and silver.

The blessings of liberty are both physical and spiritual, and no nation other than the United States has ever mixed them to the point that they are inseparable.

It still says on every coin and every dollar "in God we trust," and in the Gettysburg Address and in our Pledge to the Flag.

Our Declaration of Independence states that all men are "endowed by their Creator with unalienable rights," thus recognizing that all legitimate human rights come from God.

Ironically, even those who deny the existence of the Creator will insist upon their rights! All authority, termed *mishpat* in Hebrew (Genesis 18:25), is God's because "the Lord is a God of justice."