January Events

21 New Members Workshop, after worship Meeting downstairs in the fellowship hall.

Lord's Table Devotion Team Meeting, after worship Meeting in the Bible study room in the education wing.

February Events

- 3 Southern NH Rescue Mission (see foyer signup)
- 17 Ladies' Ministry, 9:15am

Weekly Bible Studies

We have two adult Bible studies working through the Book of Hebrews. Both meet at 7:00pm at the church. Mike Trask and Ray Pouliot lead on Tuesdays, and Bob Bragdon leads on Wednesday.

On Wednesdays, we also have a youth group Bible study which meets in the youth room, 7:00-8:30pm. See Shaun Mitchell for more information.

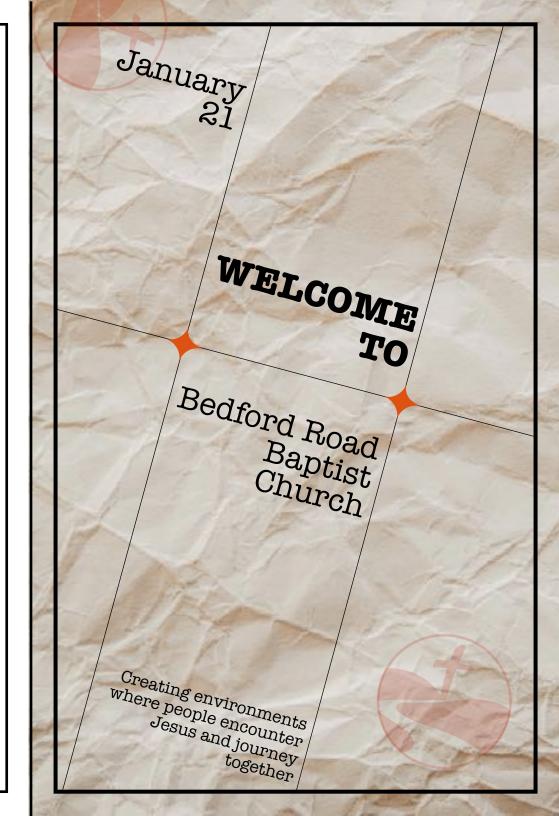
Detailed announcements are available via email. Sign up on the website or by sending us a message at info@bedfordroad.org.

Financial Summary

2024 Budget\$248,545Budget to Date\$9,560Weekly Budget\$4,780Offerings to Date\$7,140You can give via the offering box in the back of the sanctuary, via

mail, or online at bedfordroad.org/giving.

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Today's Worship

"I Sing the Mighty Power of God" (128) Public Domain, Isaac Watts, CCLI# 29097

- Lord's Table -

"Doxology"

"O Worship the King" (104) Public Domain, Robert Grant and Johann Michael Haydn, CCLI# 1486

"Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing" (549)
Public Domain, Robert Robinson, CCL# 1442738

- Missions Update -

"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" (581)
Public Domain, William James Kirkpatrick and Louisa M. R. Stead, CCLI# 22609

- Exploring the Scriptures Together -

A Short History of Our Congregation

If you are new to Bedford Road, you might hear people talk about "the merger," which sounds a bit odd in a church setting. Bedford Road has a unique history because it was formed by two independent congregations coming together.

It begins in 1975 when Grace Baptist Church began meeting in the local elementary school, led by Stan Rockafellow, a Conservative Baptist church planter. A decade later, Heritage Baptist Church was founded in a similar way by Paul Schultz, moving around until they settled in a storefront in Hooksett.

Erik DiVietro was leading a group planning to start a church in Manchester before being called as pastor of Heritage Baptist in 2004. After two years without a pastor, Grace Baptist agreed to explore a merger with Heritage in 2009, and in November 2010, Bedford Road was formed after a year of joint worship and ministry.

"All Righteousness"

(Matthew 3:13-17)

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Nursery is provided 9:45-11:30am for children ages 0-3. God's Backyard, our program for children ages 4-10, will be dismissed right before the teaching time.