

# Message from the Scriptures

“Applying the Word of God”

1 Timothy 4:1-16

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**Growing**  
IN CHRIST

**BEDFORD ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH**

*Creating environments where people encounter Jesus and journey together.*

# News and Information

# September 22, 2024

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

- September 29, after worship - Family Ministries Safety Training
- October 1, 7pm - Music Team
- November 17, after worship - Annual Vision & Report

## WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES

Studies are held on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 7:00–8:00pm. There is also a youth group Bible study on Wednesdays at the same time. All groups are journeying alongside the Sunday messages as we explore the topic of spiritual maturity and discipline.

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

We are building boxes for OCC from now until October 27. See Ray or Brenda Brown at the display in the foyer to get a box and instructions.

## FAMILY MINISTRIES

If are are new to Bedford Road, greeters are available to connect you with one of our volunteers so you can get checked in.

- Nursery is available 9:45–11:30am every Sunday for children from birth to Pre-Kindergarten.
- Children’s Church for grades K5–3 coincides with the sermon time. (Note change in grade levels.)

## YOUTH GROUP, WEDNESDAYS 7PM

All teens grades 7–12 are welcome to join the youth group. We are studying “Growing in Christ” right now. There will be a Harvest Party on October 29! Parents are welcome to participate.

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION

2024 Budget	\$248,545	Budget to Date	\$176,849
Weekly Budget	\$4,780	Offerings to Date	\$183,132

*A donation box is available in the back of the sanctuary. You can also give online at [bedfordroad.org](http://bedfordroad.org) or use your bank bill payment service and have giving sent to PO Box 443 Merrimack NH, 03054.*

## LET’S JOIN IN WORSHIP

— Romans 3:21–26 —

“Forever”

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## COME TO THE LORD’S TABLE

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“To God Alone”

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## MESSAGE FROM THE SCRIPTURES



### QUININE PREVENTS MALARIA,

but it tastes awful. In the 19th century, East India Company soldiers mixed it with gin and tropical fruits, what is now known as a “Gin and Tonic.”

The medicine was easier to swallow, but the gin made it ineffective against malaria.

*Not all applications of truth are valid.*

Those that make hard, bitter truths more palatable and convenient

**ALSO TEND TO UNDERMINE THEIR POTENCY.**