# Belmont Neighborhood Fellowship

December 8, 2024

#### **Vision Statement**

Belmont Neighborhood Fellowship is a family of Jesus' followers living out the Bible's message of Jesus' love, salvation, and discipleship. BNF encourages participants to utilize their God-given talents in worship, reaching out to those needing spiritual healing and to provide spiritual guidance to all.

## In 2024, "Bridging Ethnic & Cultural Differences"

Call to Worship and Opening Prayer: Linda

Songs of Worship: Linda

Offering

Scripture: Joel 2:12-13, 28-29; Luke 11:13

Sermon: "Opening Hearts – What Do We Ask For?" Vera

Song of Response: Linda

Dialogue and Discussion: Vera

Sharing of Blessings and Prayer Requests: Sylvia

**Announcements** 

Sending Song: Linda

Carry-In Meal and Fellowship in the Gym

## Joel 2:12-13, 28-29 (NIV)

"Even now," declares the Lord,
"return to me with all your heart,
with fasting and weeping and mourning."

 <sup>13</sup> Rend your heart and not your garments.
 Return to the Lord your God, for he is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in love, and he relents from sending calamity.

<sup>28</sup> "And afterward,
I will pour out my Spirit on all people.
Your sons and daughters will prophesy,
your old men will dream dreams,
your young men will see visions.
<sup>29</sup> Even on my servants, both men and women,
I will pour out my Spirit in those days.

## Luke 11:13 (NIV)

<sup>13</sup> If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

### **Announcements**

Kevin and Sharon are in Puerto Rico December 4-11. If you have pastoral concerns during this time, feel free to contact Evan at 574-536-0726 or Sylvia at 574-575-1276. Kevin will be back in the office on Thursday, December 12.

## Next Sunday, December 15

Sermon: Kevin Yoder

## Last Sunday, December 1

Attendance: 22 Offering: \$658

## **Church Calendar This Week**

Friday: AA Meeting, 7pm

## **BNF People to Pray For This Week**

December 9: Erica & Luke Mast December 10: Seamus Sprow December 11: Jeff Warner December 12: Carreon Family December 13: Bob & Kristine Stark

December 14: Renee Yoder