# Belmont Neighborhood Fellowship

January 5, 2025

#### **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: Luke 2:41-52

Sermon: "From Whom Do We Learn?" Kevin

Song of Response: Linda

Dialogue and Discussion: Kevin

Sharing of Blessings and Prayer Requests: Kevin

**Announcements** 

Sending Song: Linda

Fellowship Time in the Gym with a Carry-In Meal

### Luke 2:41-52 (NIV)

<sup>41</sup> Every year Jesus' parents went to Jerusalem for the Festival of the Passover. <sup>42</sup> When he was twelve years old, they went up to the festival, according to the custom. <sup>43</sup> After the festival was over, while his parents were returning home, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem, but they were unaware of it. <sup>44</sup> Thinking he was in their company, they traveled on for a day. Then they began looking for him among their relatives and friends. <sup>45</sup> When they did not find him, they went back to Jerusalem to look for him. <sup>46</sup> After three days they found him in the temple courts, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. <sup>47</sup> Everyone who heard him was amazed at his understanding and his answers. <sup>48</sup> When his parents saw him, they were astonished. His mother said to him, "Son, why have you treated us like this? Your father and I have been anxiously searching for you."

<sup>49</sup> "Why were you searching for me?" he asked. "Didn't you know I had to be in my Father's house?" <sup>50</sup> But they did not understand what he was saying to them.

<sup>51</sup>Then he went down to Nazareth with them and was obedient to them. But his mother treasured all these things in her heart. <sup>52</sup> And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.

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

January 6: Tina Grimm & Tyler Rose

January 7: Lisa Scutchfield

January 8: Dave & Dawn Weyant January 9: Glenn & Vera Leinbach

January 10: Seamus Sprow January 11: Ardith Fransen

### Next Sunday, January 12

Sermon: Kevin Yoder

### Last Sunday, December 29

Attendance: 17 Offering: \$1,352

#### **Church Calendar This Week**

Thursday: Zoom Bible Study

Friday: AA Meeting, 7pm