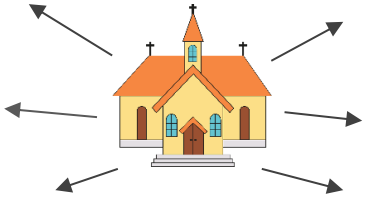
Belmont Neighborhood Fellowship

September 20, 2026

Witnessing to the Ends of the Earth

Outward Looking: Acts



Call to Worship and Opening Prayer: Vera

Songs of Worship: Vera

Offering and Greetings

Focus on Children: Erica

Scripture Reading: Acts 28:16-22, 28-31

Meditation: "Outward Focus: Paul's Bold Witness" Kevin

Dialogue and Discussion: Kevin

Song of Response: Vera

Blessings and Prayer Requests: Kevin

Announcements

Sending Song: Vera

Fellowship Time in the Gym with a Snack

Acts 28:16-22, 28-31 (NIV)

16 When we got to Rome, Paul was allowed to live by himself, with
a soldier to guard him.
17 Three days later he called together the local Jewish leaders.
When they had assembled, Paul said to them: "My brothers,
although I have done nothing against our people or against the
customs of our ancestors, I was arrested in Jerusalem and handed
over to the Romans. 18 They examined me and wanted to release
me, because I was not guilty of any crime deserving death. 19 The
Jews objected, so I was compelled to make an appeal to Caesar. I
certainly did not intend to bring any charge against my own
people. 20 For this reason I have asked to see you and talk with you.
It is because of the hope of Israel that I am bound with this chain."
21 They replied, "We have not received any letters from Judea
concerning you, and none of our people who have come from there
has reported or said anything bad about you. 22 But we want to
hear what your views are, for we know that people everywhere are
talking against this sect."
28 "Therefore I want you to know that God's salvation has been
sent to the Gentiles, and they will listen!" [29]
30 For two whole years Paul stayed there in his own rented house
and welcomed all who came to see him. 31 He proclaimed the
kingdom of God and taught about the Lord Jesus Christ—with all
boldness and without hindrance!

BNF People to Pray For

Sept 21: James Burks
Sept 22: Condy Family
Sept 23: Chris & Stan Schott
Sept 24: Nick Pratt
Sept 25: Renee Yoder
Sept 26: Maria Garcia

Church Calendar This Week

Thursday: Zoom Bible Study, 7:30pm
Friday: Open AA Meeting, 7pm

Next Sunday, Sept 27

Meditation: Kevin Yoder
Ephesians 4:11-13
Food on the 4th
Nazareth Village Offering

Our Fall Retreat is October 9-11 at Merry Lea Environmental Center. Everyone is welcome! Let Evan know if you can help with the planning.