

## This Wednesday, January 3 Family Night Resumes for 2024

AWANA for Kids, IMPACT Students,  
MOMENTUM Young Adults,  
Worship Choir Practice and Adult ABEs

Happy  
New Year

## MEN'S NEW YEAR'S FRIENDSHIP BREAKFAST

8-10 AM ON JAN 6

In the Fellowship Hall  
\$10 Suggested Donation  
Bring a friend!

## COMBINED ABE ON JAN 7



Titus 2 Women  
& Titus 2 Men

9:00 & 10:45 AM

Women in Rm 125,  
Men in Rm 100

IBC Life Groups will resume on January 7

**LIFEGROUPS**  
WE ARE BETTER TOGETHER

To join sign-up online

## LOVE GOD'S WORLD

### Missionary of the Week

**Bob & Corrie Evans**

**BCM International  
USA**



We thank the Lord for strength, good health, spiritual enablement and the provision He gives every day. John 15:5 is true, Jesus said, "apart from me you can do nothing." **PRAISE** We are blessed to have been able to provide spiritual encouragement and helpful instruction for fruitful ministry on several continents this past year. **PRAY** for the Board of Directors of *The Comfort Foundation*, an organization I helped found in Northern Russia in 1998. CF has 13 Russian Staff ministering to disadvantaged children and families and orphans in four state run facilities. Because of sanctions imposed on Russia, due to their invasion of Ukraine, we have not been able to send funds for a number of months. We pray that the Lord will open a way to get funds to our staff so that their personal needs will be met and ministry can continue. See the IBC prayer Journal for information.

## NEW MEMBER

Sophie Deaver



Today—9:00 AM and 10:45 AM

Preschool (Ages 3-5)  
Elementary (K5—5th Grade)

Today's Bible Lesson:

ACTS 1

**JESUS GAVE HIS FOLLOWERS A MISSION**

Jesus sent the Holy Spirit to help us while we wait for  
Jesus to come again.

# INDEPENDENT BIBLE CHURCH

Welcome

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

*Teaching The Bible As It Is For People As They Are!*

**Mark Johnson**  
Pastor-Teacher

**Tom Turley**  
Pastor-Executive

**Curt Lowry**  
Pastor-Care & Small Groups

**Dave Marion**  
Pastor-Music Ministries

**John Rickman**  
Pastor-IMPACT  
Student Ministries

**Chris Marion**  
Pastor-IBC KIDS  
Children's Ministries

**Miguel Yustiz**  
Pastor-IMPACT  
Middle School Ministries

**Phillip Macdonald**  
Pastor-MOMENTUM  
Young Adult Ministries

IBC EXISTS TO EXALT GOD BY MAKING CHRIST-LIKE DISCIPLES  
WHO LOVE GOD, GOD'S WORD, GOD'S PEOPLE, AND GOD'S WORLD

"EL CAMINO" Servicio Hispano—Domingo—10:45 AM ([www.ibcww.org/en-espanol](http://www.ibcww.org/en-espanol))

IBCMartinsburg [www.ibcww.org](http://www.ibcww.org) 304.263.5167 [info@ibcww.org](mailto:info@ibcww.org)

90.5 FM on Sundays @ 9:30AM 2306 Hedgesville Road, Martinsburg WV, 25403

## LOVE GOD

**December 31, 2023**

Special Music by Arielle Clark:  
"If The Lord Builds The House"

Special Music by Steve Catlett

**Message by Pastor Phillip Macdonald:  
"The Servant of God" (Philippians 2:5-11)**

10:45 AM Service Livestreamed

10:45 AM Deaf Service with Dr. Toby Welch in Modular

**WELCOME! VISITING IBC?**—Please stop by the **Guest Reception** right after the service to meet one of our pastors. It's just down the hallway with a green **WELCOME** sign. You can complete a blue **Connection Card**, located in the seat pocket in front of you, and hand it to one of the hosts at that time. We look forward to seeing you!

### BOARD MEMBER OF THE WEEK

Bryan DeOms (Elder) - You may contact him at: 304.261.2065

## December 24, 2023

### ATTENDANCE

Christmas Eve AM	880
Christmas Eve 5 PM	445
Christmas Eve 7 PM	430
Wednesday Christmas Break	

### GIVING

**END OF YEAR GIVING TO DATE**—Today, December 31 is the deadline to qualify your tax-deductible financial gift for the 2023 tax year.

## LOVE GOD'S PEOPLE

**CANDIDATE FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL PASTOR**—The Elders have invited Pastor Andrew Taylor to candidate January 14, 2024. Please pray for Andrew and his wife Kara. More information coming soon.

**BAPTISM**—Classes begin Sunday, January 28, 5:00 PM in Room 122. Sign up online at [ibcwv.org/events](https://ibcwv.org/events).

**ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**—January 21, 6:30 PM. The Executive Board recommended 2024 budget is available at the Welcome Centers and posted along with a sample ballot for church officers on the bulletin boards.

**MY LEGACY PLANNER**—Information on how you can set up your legacy giving is available online at: <https://ibcwv.mylegacyhq.com/>

**TITHE ENVELOPES**—Located in the Sanctuary Welcome Center. If you do not have a number please contact Chad wingert: [chad@ibcwv.org](mailto:chad@ibcwv.org).

## IMPORTANT DATES

[www.ibcwv.org](http://www.ibcwv.org) (See Events and Calendar)

- **January 6**—Men's New Year's Friendship Breakfast (\$10 Suggested Donation, 8-10 AM, Fellowship Hall)
- **January 21**—Annual Congregational Meeting (6:30 PM, Sanctuary)
- **January 26-28**—IMPACT Winter Retreat (Friday-Sunday)
- **January 28**—Baptism Class (5 PM, Room 123)
- **February 2**—Worship Choir Concert (Friday, 7 PM, Sanctuary)

**The Art of Parenting**  
6:30 PM on Wednesdays  
in Rm 125 from Jan 3 - Feb 28  
Led By Matt & Felicia Reisberg  
Book Cost: \$12

## LOVE GOD'S WORD

### SUNDAY MORNING

**9:00 AM** - Deaf Bible Study - D. Speranza and K. Peacock **Modular**  
**10:45 AM** - Deaf Ministry Service - Dr. Toby Welch **Modular**  
El Camino Servicio Hispano - Jimmy Salinas **Sanctuary**  
IBC Kids - Nursery through 5th Grade **Kids Area**

### SUNDAY EVENING

**NO PROGRAMS - HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

### WEDNESDAY EVENING

**6:30 PM** - *Art of Parenting* - Matt & Felicia Reisberg **Room 125**  
*Understanding the Bible* - Pastor Mark **Room 123**  
El Camino Servicio Hispano - Jimmy Salinas **Room 124**  
Worship Choir Practice - Pastor Dave **Sanctuary**  
AWANA - Preschool through 5th Grade **Kids Area**  
IMPACT Middle School / High School **Third Floor**  
MOMENTUM Young Adult Ministry **Modular**

### MEN'S SMALL GROUPS

For Times and Locations—Contact Pastor Curt: 304.676.9793

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES

<https://www.ibcwv.org/calendar/womens>

**ADULT BIBLE ELECTIVES**

**NEW Winter Classes Begin in January**  
*Details and Information at Welcome Center*

Adult **ABE** Bible Electives