

NCC Connection 6/19/25

Good afternoon, Church Family.

What a great challenge Pastor Kerry Dinkins brought to us this past Sunday about evaluating our shadow. Our personal walk with Christ not only affects our own life, it also impacts the lives of those around us.

Here are a few things going on this week:

- The church picnic/potluck coming up this Sunday evening is a great way to make connections within our body. Make it a priority to attend and a goal to connect with several people that you haven't made a connection with before.
- Thank you to all the men who filled out a Men's Ministry Survey. Pray for the Men's Committee as they seek to better serve the men of our church. "When men follow the Lord... and lead their families, over 90% of the time the family comes to know the Lord." (From Pastor Kerry Dinkins' Sunday sermon)
- We welcome Doug Cline to our pulpit this Sunday. Doug has connections to our Berean Fellowship and has experience in ministry, teaching, counseling and law enforcement.

One of the goals for 2025 that Pastor Jim challenged us with at the annual meeting in January was Leadership Development.

- The elders are using resources from the organization -- Biblical Eldership Resources -- to study the biblical teachings on how to teach, protect, and lead God's precious flock.
- Time has been spent together studying the concepts of shepherding, working as a team, and every-member ministry.
- Time has been spent together building personal relationships to promote unity and mutual accountability.

Blessings on your week!

Dustin, Dan S., Lonnie, and Dan J.

See the current preaching schedule through mid-August below:

June 22	Doug Cline (Shelton, NE)
June 29	Gary Burruss
July 6	Tom Rempel
July 13	Eric Underwood
July 20	Gary Burruss
July 27	Matt Schulte (Youth for Christ – Lincoln)
August 3	Matt Schulte
August 10	Tyce Jensen (President – Berean Fellowship of Churches)