

WELCOME TO BACK ROADS CHURCH

MAY 3, 2026 | Pastor Eddy Eddie | *At some BRC locations

Welcome and Announcements

Praise Music

***Call to Worship:** Leader: *Jesus said, "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me."*

People: *We believe, and we have questions, and we wonder what is happening in our lives and in this world.*

Leader: *Jesus said, "If you love me, you will keep my commandments."*

People: *We love you and we try to keep your commandments.*

Leader: *Jesus said, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you."*

People: *We need peace in our lives. We are here in this place because we believe, we love, and we seek peace. Let us worship together.*

Opening Prayer: *Gracious God, You have made room for us in Your house through Jesus Christ. Quiet our hearts and draw us near to You today. Remind us that we belong, not because of what we have done, but because of Your grace. Shape us into a people who make room for others, just as You have welcomed us. We come to worship You with grateful hearts. Amen.*

*Children's Message

Joys and Concerns, Pastoral Prayer, and Lord's Prayer

Gospel Reading: John 14:1-14 (NIV) *"Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. ² My Father's house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? ³ And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am. ⁴ You know the way to the place where I am going." Jesus the Way to the Father ⁵ Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?" ⁶ Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. ⁷ If you really know me, you will know[b] my Father as well. From now on, you do know him and have seen him." ⁸ Philip said, "Lord, show us the Father and that will be enough for us." ⁹ Jesus answered: "Don't you know me, Philip, even after I have been among you such a long time? Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? ¹⁰ Don't you believe that I am in the Father, and that the Father is in me? The words I say to you I do not speak on my own authority. Rather, it is the Father, living in me, who is doing his work. ¹¹ Believe me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; or at least believe on the evidence of the works themselves. ¹² Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father. ¹³ And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴ You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it."*

Leader: *This is the Word of God for the people of God*

People: *Thanks be to God*

Message: *Tiny Houses?*

Holy Communion Liturgy: (Please bring your offering forward as you receive communion)

The Lord be with you. And also with you. Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise. ...And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith. Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again. ...Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father (God), now and for ever. Amen.

Offering and Doxology

Praise Music

Closing

CONNECTION CARD

WORSHIP LOCATION/TIME

- Bloomington
 Boscobel 7:30am
 Boscobel 9:00am
 Mt. Zion
 Richland Center
 Gays Mills / North Clayton / Soldiers Grove

Change of information

Name(s): _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Preferred Phone: (_____) _____ Birthday: ____/____/____

AGE 17 & under 18 - 35 36 - 65 66+

I'M A 1st time guest 2nd time guest
 regular attender member

HOW I HEARD ABOUT Back Roads Church:

Please complete this 2-sided connection card, tear it along the perforation, and place it in the offering basket. Please do NOT put this card inside the offering envelope. Thank you!

BACK ROADS CHURCH OFFICE HOURS | MONDAY – THURSDAY, 8:00AM – NOON

OFFICE PHONE: 608-375-4565 KID'S MINISTRY: 608-375-6069 (hours vary)





BackRoadsChurch.org | FB.com/BackRoadsChurchWI



ANNOUNCEMENTS | Stay in the know, wherever you go! Text BRC to 844-247-4441. Scan for this week's BLTN →


 **PLEASE REMEMBER TO SILENCE YOUR PHONE** | Thank you!


 **BRC KIDS/KIDS CARE** | Sundays @ 9am | BRC Boscobel
For infants through 4 years and kids 5 years through grade 5
Green activity bags are also available in the lobby for children who would prefer to color, etc. during Worship time


 **HEARING ASSIST DEVICES** | BRC Boscobel | Ask the Media Tech on duty if you would like to try a hearing device during Worship

WNSS WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUNDAY SCHOOL | BRC Boscobel
Ages 4K through Grade 5 are invited each* Wednesday from 6 – 7:30pm. Contact Ms. Nikki at 608-375-6069 or Nikki@BackRoadsChurch.org

WNSS FAMILY PICNIC | May 13 | 5:30-7pm | BRC Boscobel
UPDATE: You do NOT need to bring a dish to pass. This is the last WNSS of the school year

 **BACK ROADS YOUTH** | Wednesdays* @ BRC Boscobel
Junior High 6:15-7:15pm; Senior High 7:15-8:15pm
Contact Kalyn and Allie at YouthLeader@BackRoadsChurch.org
Register for all of the above at BackRoadsChurch.org/Learn
**Canceled if Boscobel Area Schools close due to weather/ scheduled break*

 **TOWN HALL MEETING** | May 21 @ 5pm | BRC Boscobel
People from ALL BRC campus locations are invited to see what's going on behind the scenes and share ideas for ministry, discipleship, community outreach, etc.

 **TACO TUESDAY** | May 12 | 4:30-7pm | BRC Boscobel
Adults \$7, kids \$4, Under 5 Free. Carry-outs available. Supports Youth Missions. Sign up on the BRC Boscobel lobby whiteboard to donate meat or desserts

GriefShare Thursdays from 1 – 3pm, Mar 26 – Jun 18 | BRC Boscobel
GriefShare is a 13-week support group to help you move through the grief process. Contact Mendy Biege at 608-617-6701. Find.griefshare.org/find

→ **UPDATED WORSHIP ROTATIONS** | BackRoadsChurch.org/Calendar

Pastor Eddie will lead Sunday Worship in person at:

***Bloomington @ 11am**—May 10, July 12, Sept 13, Nov 8

***Richland Center @ 11am**—June 14, Aug 9, Oct 4, Dec 13

**Regular Worship time on all other Sundays*

Gays Mills @ 6pm—May 3, May 24, June 14, July 5 & 26, Aug 16

North Clayton @ 6pm—June 7 & 28, July 19, Aug 9 & 30

Soldiers Grove @ 6pm—May 31, June 21, July 12, Aug 2 & 23



FOOD PANTRY | 7:45-9:45am | BRC Boscobel

Open the 3rd Saturday of each month. All in need are welcome.



WORSHIP IN THE PARK, POTLUCK, & BIKE BLESSING | May 17

ALL BRC campuses are invited to Worship at Kronshage Park in Boscobel. Bring your lawn chair and a dish to pass. Worship begins at 10am, followed by a short Blessing of the Bikes (motorcycles, bikes, or any other wheeled vehicle you'd like blessed for safe riding this summer). Then we will enjoy a potluck picnic and fellowship. In case of severe weather, the event will be moved to BRC Boscobel → **Sign up for BLTN to get updates: Text BRC to 844-247-4441. NOTE:** Worship will NOT be held at any other BRC location that day so that we may fellowship together!



BLESSINGS IN A BAG provides simple to prepare weekend

food for Boscobel Area School children every week during the school year. How to partner with this outreach:

- **DONATE:** please mark your financial gift BIAB. Checks can be made to *Boscobel Methodist Church*
- **VOLUNTEER:** bags are packed between 7:45-9am on Fridays. Contact Carol Bartlett at (608) 604-5484

Snack Sacks Ministry serves River Ridge School students similarly



MEDIA SHOUT TECHNICIANS | BRC Boscobel | We are looking

for teens or adults interested operating the media screens on Sunday morning. Training provided. Interested? Make a note on your Connection Card

SAVE THESE DATES:

- **WEEKLY PRAYER CALL** | Wednesdays @ noon
Call 848-220-3100; Conference ID: 53805
- **ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MISSION DAY** | June 24 | Boscobel
For kids entering Grades 3 - 6 in Fall 2026
- **RAINFOREST FALLS VBS** | July 19 – 23 | BRC Boscobel
Save the Date for Vacation Bible School!
- **ADULT MISSION TRIP** | Oct 25 – 30 | Bear Branch, KY
Contact Diane at the church office

MY NEXT STEPS |

I'D LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT:

(Include your contact info on the front of card)

Becoming a Jesus Follower for the 1st time

Church Membership

Automated Giving

Serving:

Other:

PRAYER REQUESTS AND COMMENTS:

Include my prayer request on the prayer list: YES NO