



Local Missions: Biblical Studies Released Time

Greetings Bethel Church family and friends,

Biblical Studies Released Time (BSRT) is part of the national Biblical Released Time Education program, which provides a legal avenue for delivering biblical instruction to Clover elementary school students. BSRT is prayerfully and financially supported by area churches and individuals who share BSRT’s mission to joyfully teach God’s Word to 3rd-5th grade students in the Clover School District.

For the 2025-2026 school year, over 600 students, whose parents have signed release forms, are picked up at school by BSRT buses and driven to churches where a combination of BSRT-paid teachers and church volunteers teach short Bible lessons from September through April each year. Not only does Bethel sponsor BSRT with financial donations, but it also hosts students daily, and four of the program’s teachers are Bethel members!

To further support financial needs, BSRT holds an annual pancake supper fundraiser. This year’s pancake supper will be held on Saturday, March 14th, from 4:30 pm to 8:00 pm in the Clover High School cafeteria. BSRT students will showcase what they’ve been learning in class this year through performances throughout the evening. If you’re able, please consider attending to support BSRT.

We remain grateful that the Clover School Board has allowed our program to operate within the district and pray for their continued support. In the fall of 2026, Liberty Hill Elementary School will open, providing BSRT with the opportunity to expand its reach to students. Please pray that God would provide the resources to minister effectively to this school and its students.

To God be the Glory!

Brett Brackett

this week

Sunday’s sermon:

Spiritual Midwifery

Exodus 1:1-22

events

Family Quest
2/22 at 5:00 pm

Men’s Bible Study
2/25 at 6:00 am

Youth
2/22 at 5:00 pm

Senior Citizen’s Lunch
2/25 at 12:00 pm

GriefShare
2/24 at 1:00 pm

Mentors & Moms
2/26 at 9:30 am

volunteer schedule

Infant Nursery
Ann Carol Love & Harper Harvell

Toddler Nursery
Peggy and David Long & Beth Jackson

Worship Training
Lindsey Hall & Ruth McCormick