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## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK- APRIL 1-7

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### Wednesday

- 9:00 a.m.** Mom's Gym Playtime (*Gym*)  
**5:30 p.m.** Worship Team Practice (*Crossroads Ministry Center*)  
**6:00 p.m.** Family Meal (*Crossroads Ministry Center*)  
- Menu: Pancakes, sausage, and fruit  
- Gluten-free options available  
**6:30 p.m.** Kids JAM Choir (*Sanctuary*)  
**7:00 p.m.** Wednesday Night Kids JAM (*Various classrooms*)  
**7:00 p.m.** Middle School Small Groups (*Schoolhouse*)  
**7:00 p.m.** Men's Bible Study (*Library*)  
**7:00 p.m.** Women's Bible Study (*103*)  
**7:00 p.m.** Gospel: Plain & Simple (*Sewing Room*)  
**8:30 p.m.** Youth Dodgeball (*Gym and Fellowship Hall*)

### Thursday

- 7:15 a.m.** Youth Breakfast (*Shaner's House- 515 Greding St., Bluffton*)  
**9:30 a.m.** Prayer Group (*Conference Room*)  
**6:15 p.m.** College & Career Small Group (*location TBD*)  
**8:30 p.m.** Men's Basketball (*Gym*)

### Friday

- 6:00 a.m.** Men's Bible Study (*Fellowship Hall*)  
**5:30 p.m.** Women's Painting and Devotional Night (*CMC*)

### Saturday

- 1:00 p.m.** Youth & Adult Baptism Class (*Conference Room*)

### Sunday

- 6:45 p.m.** High School Small Group (*Schoolhouse*)  
**7:00 p.m.** Women's Small Group (*Conference Room*)

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

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- Apr. 19-21** Women Retreat at Miracle Camp  
**Apr. 21** Youth Sky Zone Event  
**Apr. 26** Men's BBQ and Campout  
**May 12** Youth Chicken BBQ  
**May 28** Youth Cedar Point Trip  
**June 2-7** Vacation Bible School

March 31, 2024



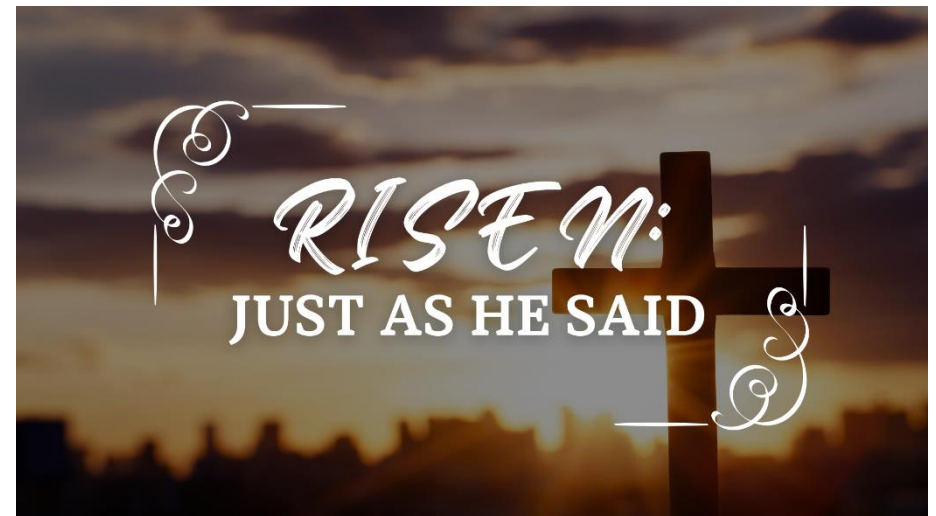
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## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE DAY

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- 9:00 a.m.** Sunday School/Adult Bible Studies (*Various Classrooms*)  
**10:00 a.m.** Children's Church (*Ages 2-6, B10 & B11*)  
**10:15 a.m.** Worship Service- Pastor Nick Ringger (*CMC*)  
*Message-* Risen: Just as He Said  
*Scripture-* John 20

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**He is Risen!** We are so happy you are here to worship with us this Easter Sunday. If today is your first time joining us, please pick up a gift at the Welcome Center. For more information about the church and its ministries, text "new" to 419-792-3625 and staff member will contact you.

**Contact Cards** are available at the Welcome Center or by scanning the QR code to the right. Please update any new information or share any praises and prayer requests. If you are new, please complete a card so we may stay connected.



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## ATTENDANCE AND GIVING

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### Attendance on March 24:

Sunday School/Adult Bible Fellowship	(9:00 a.m.)	244
Worship Gathering	(10:15 a.m.)	363

**Easter Service:** We welcome everyone to the Resurrection Sunday services at Ebenezer. It is a blessed day to remember all that Christ has done and the opportunity that we have as believers to experience the true hope of Easter. May God bless your day.

**Mowing Bids:** Today is the last Sunday the Trustees are receiving mowing bids for the church property and cemetery. Contact Andy Marquart (andrew.marquart@gmail.com) or the church office to submit written bids.

**Baptism Classes:** We will be having a baptism class on April 6. This baptism class is for youth and adults and is tentatively scheduled for 1:00 p.m. Parents would be encouraged to join with their child to help foster the learning experience. If you have questions or would like to register for either of these dates, please contact the church office.

**Women's Small Group:** Adult women are invited to join a small group that meets at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room on Sunday evenings. The study includes a time of prayer and will begin studying Psalms. Contact Hanné Streicher (hanne.streicher@ebenezermennonite.org) for more information. The group will resume next Sunday, April 7.

**Miracle Camp Registrations:** Registrations are now open for Summer Miracle Camp 2024 for students 1<sup>st</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade. There is a two-step process to this registration, (1) registering at [www.miraclecamp.com](http://www.miraclecamp.com) and then (2) finalizing the registration on the Church Center App or on the church website. If you have questions, please see a member of the staff. **The due date to receive scholarships from the church is April 15.**

**Women's Retreat:** Miracle Camp is not just for kids! Enjoy a weekend of fun, food and fellowship at Miracle Camp by registering for the 2024 Women's Retreat that will take place from April 19-21. Please contact Hanné Streicher if you have any questions about the registration.

**Lost and Found:** A table has been set up in lobby with items that were left at the church. Please collect your items. On April 8, the items will be collected and donated to the Et Cetera Shop.

**VBS Donations:** "Start the Party" Vacation Bible School will take place the first week of June, and the committee is asking for donations of old CDs, cassettes, or records that will be used as decorations. These items will not be returned, but this is a great opportunity to repurpose old media items to further God's Kingdom. Donations can be dropped off at the offices of either Hanné Streicher or Dylan Whitlow.

**Volunteer Tutors:** The group assisting Lima's new residents from Haiti is recruiting tutors to assist the Lima Literacy Council (LLC) with English language classes. Requirements to be a tutor are a love of books and learning, and a minimum commitment of two hours a week. If interested, contact Rachel Barber.

**Men's BBQ & Campout:** Men of all ages are invited to join with other men from the congregation for an evening of BBQ, games, a bonfire, and a campout on the church lawn. Events will begin at 5:00 p.m. on April 26 on the Ebenezer Lawn. Contact Cory Meyer or John Shaw for more information. Men and their sons are encouraged to join this special event that will end with the Men's Breakfast the next morning.

**Baby Dedications:** There will be a baby dedication service on April 14 during the worship service. If you would like to participate, contact Hanné Streicher regarding your intentions. There will be a meeting at 9:00 a.m. on that day to discuss the dedication.

**Congratulations** to Trudy Baber who turned 102 on Saturday. Be sure to give Trudy a big Happy Birthday the next time you see her.

**Canned Food Drive:** Thank you to all those who donated items for the canned food drive that concluded this past Sunday. The Youth delivered the items to the food pantry and helped to stock the shelves. It is a blessing to be able to partner together with others in the community to help those in need.

**Golf Fellowship:** Men and Women golfers from the area are invited to a golf fellowship that is being organized for the mornings of the 2nd and 4th Saturdays, beginning in April. To begin receiving notifications about dates and tee times, contact Rich Streicher or the church office.

**Ladies Night Out:** Women's Ministries is organizing a Night Out with Painting, Devos, and Delightful Snacks on Friday, April 5, at 5:30 p.m. Arrive early to get your supplies and then begin painting at 6:00 p.m. when you will receive guided instruction on how to paint your own beautiful Spring canvas. There will also be a devotional and refreshments. The cost is \$20.00 per person and cash payment will be received at the door. Please register for the event on the church signups or by calling the church office. Seating will be limited so register early.