
OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK- APRIL 10-16

Monday

- 9:00 a.m.** MOMs Group (*Fellowship Hall*)
9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study (*103*)
- Study on the book *He Speaks to Me* by Pricilla Shirer.
7:00 p.m. Christian Education Committee (*Library*)
7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study (*103*)

Tuesday

- 7:30 p.m.** VBS Committee Meeting (*Conference Room*)

Wednesday

- 9:00 a.m.** MOMS Playday (*Gym*)
6:00 p.m. Family Meal (*Crossroads Ministry Center*)
- Menu: Walking Taco, Salad & 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. Men's Bible Study (*115*)
7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study (*103*)
7:00 p.m. Middle School Small Groups (*Schoolhouse*)
8:30 p.m. Youth Dodgeball (*Crossroads Ministry Center*)

Thursday

- 6:15 p.m.** College & Career Small Group (*489 Cherry St., Bluffton*)
- College students & young adults are welcome to this small group. Food is served at 6:15 p.m. and the Bible study begins at 7:15 p.m.
7:00 p.m. GriefShare (*Bluffton Town Hall, 154 N. Main St.*)
- GriefShare is a weekly support group designed to help people rebuild their lives after losing a loved one.
8:30 p.m. Men's Basketball (*Crossroads Ministry Center*)

Friday

- 3:30 p.m.** Women's Retreat (*Depart from Church*)

Sunday

- 4:00 p.m.** Trustee Meeting (*103*)

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Apr. 19** Family Skate Night (*Grove Skateland*)
Apr. 29 Women's Mystery Dinner
Apr. 29 Men's Breakfast and Trapshoot (*Fellowship Hall and Lawn*)
May 31 Youth Cedar Point Trip (*register online*)
June 4-9 Stellar Vacation Bible School (*register online*)

April 9, 2023



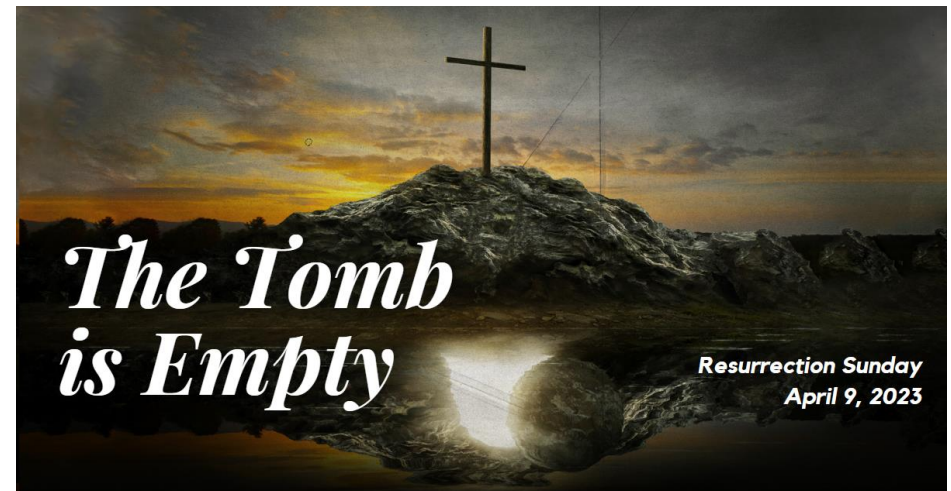
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OPPORTUNITIES OF THE DAY

- 9:00 a.m.** Easter Breakfast (*Crossroads Ministry Center*)
10:00 a.m. Children's Church (*Ages 2-6, B10 & B11*)
10:15 a.m. Resurrection Sunday Service- Pastor Nick Ringer (*Crossroads Ministry Center*)
Message- The Tomb is Empty
Scripture- Mark 16

He is Risen! We are so happy you are here to celebrate Resurrection Sunday with us. If today is your first time joining us, please pick up a gift at the Welcome Center in the Lobby.

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.



ATTENDANCE AND GIVING

Attendance on April 2:

Sunday School/Adult Bible Study	243
Worship Gathering	355

Mother's Day Chicken BBQ (May 14): Order forms are available at the Welcome Center, on the Church App, and the website for the annual youth chicken BBQ. All proceeds will go toward the 2023 high school mission trip. Each meal is a suggested donation of \$10. Order forms are due Sunday, May 7. If you have any questions, please see a member of the staff or you can call the church and complete your order via phone.

Parent's Night Out: Parents need a night out sometimes! Support our youth missions trip to Guatemala and enjoy an evening out by participating in this event where you can drop your child off and pick them up between the hours of 6-10pm on April 21. Bring your children (3m - 5th grade) to the church, and they will enjoy a snack, story, craft, gym time and a PG movie. The registration fee is \$10 per child with an opportunity to donate more to the mission trip if you choose to do so. Spots are limited, so please register on the Church Center App or go to the church webpage.

Memorial Service: There will be a memorial service for Andrew Reichenbach on April 15 at 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary. Andy, son of Dean and Jennifer Reichenbach and grandson of Jean Reichenbach, passed away March 16, in Texas.

Thank You: Many thanks for the unexpected gift of the beautiful quilt that was brought to me during the most recent SIM trip. It looks great and feels like a warm hug from all of you. We continue to admire and be blessed by how you love God and others. May your wonderful church family continue to thrive and be a strong tower in your community and beyond! *Grace, peace and thanksgiving, Bob and Amy Hay*

Youth Cedar Point Trip: All high school & middle school students are invited to register for the Cedar Point trip on Wednesday, May 31. Register today on the church website or through the Church App. The cost is \$65, with a \$30 deposit due at registration. The cost covers a ticket into the park, transportation to and from the park, and an all-day free drink wristband.

Miracle Camp Registrations: Registrations are nearing completion for Summer Miracle Camp 2023 for students 1st-12th grade. There is a two-step process to this registration, (1) registering at 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. Please note that the registration deadline was April 1 with a 50% payment to Miracle Camp required by April 5. Plan to secure your registration today or there is a possibility that you will be put on a waiting list for camp.

Save the date: "Stellar" Vacation Bible School (VBS) will be June 4-9. Registration is currently open for children and volunteers. VBS is every night from 6:00-8:30 p.m. for children from age 4 through 5th grade. Each night, there will be an opening with music and a skit, then the children will go to a Bible class, crafts, rec time, and have tons of fun.

Volunteers for vacation Bible school are still needed. Please sign up on the church website. Volunteers are asked to attend a training on either May 7 or May 17 at 7:00 p.m.

Vacation Bible School Donations: If you are interested in donating supplies for VBS, stop by the table in the Crossroads Ministry Center Lobby and pick an item to donate or information about the Amazon Wish List. All items are due by Sunday, May 21.

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