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## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK: JUNE 13-18

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### Wednesday

- 6:30 p.m.** Engage Committee Meeting (*Library*)  
**7:00 p.m.** High School Summer Session (*Schoolhouse*)  
**7:00 p.m.** Women's Bible Study (*103*)  
- Open to all ladies. This class, led by Lynda Rodabaugh, goes through various Bible studies

### Thursday

- 7:00 p.m.** Deacon Meeting (*103*)  
**7:00 p.m.** GriefShare (*Bluffton Town Hall, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor*)  
- Weekly support group designed to help people rebuild their lives after losing a loved one.  
**7:00 p.m.** College & Career Small Group (*Ron & Sue Epp's House*)

### Friday

- 6:00 p.m.** Parents Night Out  
- Open to parents of children age 3 months through 12 years old. Free childcare offered while parents have a night out. Sign up on the church website ([ebenezymennonite.org](http://ebenezymennonite.org)) or in the church app.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

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- June 19-25** High School (*Miracle Camp*)  
**June 22** Family Fun Night: Ice Cream Social (*Ebenezer Lawn*)  
**June 22** Middle School Summer Session (*Schoolhouse*)  
**June 23** Women's Mystery Dinner  
**June 24** Family Movie Night: *Finding Dory* (*Ebenezer Lawn*)  
**June 25** Men's Breakfast (*Fellowship Hall*)  
**June 25** Trap Shoot (*Ebenezer Lawn*)  
**June 26** Congregational Meal and Baptism (*CMC*)  
**June 26-30** Middle School Columbus Mission Trip  
**June 30** High School Summer Session  
**July 7-16** High School New York City Mission Trip  
**July 17** Congregational Meeting & Meal (*CMC*)  
**July 22-24** Family Camp  
**July 24-30** Elementary School (*Miracle Camp*)

June 12, 2022



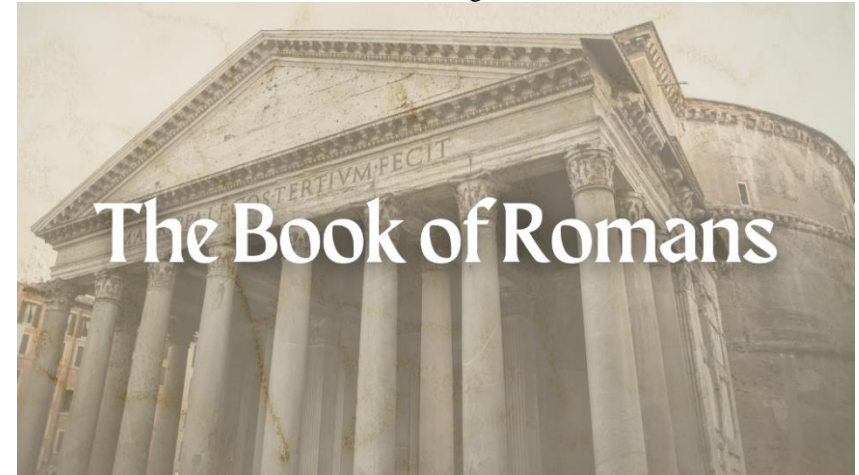
# Ebenezer Mennonite Church

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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:* Mystery Revealed  
*Scripture:* Romans 11  
Middle School Miracle Camp van leaves  
**7:00 p.m.** Middle School Summer Session (*Schoolhouse*)

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**Welcome to Ebenezer!** We are so happy you are here. If today is your first time joining us, please pick up a gift at the Welcome Center in the Lobby.

**Contact Cards** are available to be completed at the Welcome Center. We would love to update any information we already have. If you are new, please complete a card so we may stay connected.

**Thank you** to all of the volunteers who helped with Vacation Bible School this week. This year, we averaged 190 kids per night with 89 volunteers per night. Thank you for your volunteer time, donations, and any other way you helped with VBS this year. -Vacation Bible School Committee

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## ATTENDANCE AND GIVING

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### Attendance on June 5:

Sunday School/Adult Bible Study	193
Worship Service	337

### Giving for June 5:

	<u>\$15,886.17</u>
Benevolent Fund	500.00
Building Fund	1,025.00
Christian Education Fund	350.17
General Fund	9,961.00
Missions Fund	3,550.00
Youth Fund	500.00

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**Middle School Summer Session:** Tonight is the first Middle School Summer Session. This event is open to all students who are going into sixth grade through those who just finished eighth grade. The summer session will be in the Schoolhouse from 7:00 p.m. to 8:15 p.m.

**New Church Phone App!** Ebenezer now has an app for your phone! Go to the app store and download "Church Center App" and select Ebenezer Mennonite Church. Follow the app's instructions from there. If you have any questions on the features of the app, contact Dylan Whitlow (dylan.whitlow@ebenezymennonite.org or 419-358-8588).

**Softball League:** Ebenezer will be participating in an area coed softball league this summer. Games will be Sunday afternoons starting July 10 through August 14. If you are interested in joining a team, please contact Emily Warner (warnere@bluffton.edu) by June 15, with your name, phone number, and shirt size.

**Membership Class** will be held Saturday, June 18. If you are interested in becoming a member, please contact the church office (info@ebenezymennonite.org) or a pastor. If you are not yet a member of the church, please prayerfully consider joining.

**Baptism Class** will be held Saturday, June 18. If you are interested in joining a class, please contact the church office (info@ebenezymennonite.org) or one of the pastors. Baptism will be held on June 26 following the Worship Service.

**GriefShare** is a weekly support group designed to help people rebuild their lives after losing a loved one. The group is led by members of Ebenezer who want to help those mourning. The next session of GriefShare is scheduled to start August 4 and end October 27. This group will meet at the Bluffton Town Hall (154 N. Main St.) on Thursday evenings from 7-8:30 p.m. For more information, contact Pastor Dick (dick.potter@ebenezymennonite.org).

**Mission Trip Opportunity:** A group will be serving in El Salvador on October 22-29, 2022, with missionaries Mike and Sandy Gleason of Lifeline Christian Mission. If you are interested or have questions about the trip, please contact Josh or Crystal Hanna.

**Diaper Drive:** The Middle School Youth Group will be serving at Stowe Mission in Columbus June 26 through 30. As they get ready for their trip, the church will be collecting diapers and baby wipes to send with them to donate to Stowe Mission's Pregnancy Resource Center. Diapers can be placed on the table in the Foyer by June 26.

**The College & Career Ministry** meets weekly on Thursday nights at Ron & Sue Epp's house (489 Cherry St.) starting at 7:00 p.m. All college students and 20 somethings are invited.

**Service Opportunity:** Be2Live is planning a ministry and work trip to Nacer USA supported New Heart Foundation girls' home in Santa Cruz, Bolivia leaving October 22 and returning October 29. Ministry opportunities may include working on or in the New Heart home, the local public school, or help build a home for a local family. Please contact Dan Steiner or Barb Steiner for details.

**Parents' Night Out** is scheduled for this Friday night, June 17. Children from 3 months old to 12 years old are able to be signed up. Free childcare is provided for parents from 6-10 p.m. While you have a night out, your kids will be enjoying gym time, music, crafts, a snack, and a movie. Sign your child up today on the church website (ebenezymennontie.org) or in the Church Center app.

**Family Movie Night:** Join us on Friday, June 24, for a family movie night on the lawn. This month, the movie will be *Finding Dory*. Bring family and friends, blankets, and lawn chairs. Popcorn and water will be provided. This event will be canceled if there is rain.

**Ice Cream Social:** Wednesday, June 22 from 6:30-8:30 p.m., all ages are invited to join us for a night of fun and ice cream in the Ebenezer Lawn. In case of rain, we will move everything indoors for ice cream and a game night.