
OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK: MARCH 14-19

Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8-4

(CMC-Crossroads Ministry Center, FH-Fellowship Hall)

Monday

- 9:00 a.m.** MOMS Meeting (*Various Classrooms*)
6:00 p.m. Christian Education Committee Meeting (*Library*)
7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study (*103*)
- All women are invited to join as the group looks through a book called *Jesus & Women* by Kristi McLelland. This group is led by Nancy Wright.

Wednesday

- 6:15 – 6:45 p.m.** Family Meal (*Kitchen & FH*)
- Menu: Chicken Tetrazzini, Salad, Fruit, & Carrots
- 7:00 – 8:15 p.m.** Middle School Small Groups (*Schoolhouse*)
- Students in grades 6-8 are invited to come play games, study God's Word, and enjoy fellowship.
- 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.** Wednesday Night Children's Ministry (*CMC*)
- Children from age 3 through grade 5 have a packed night with music, a kid friendly message, crafts, and gym time.
- 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.** Men's Bible Study (*Sanctuary Overflow*)
- All men are invited to join this group as they study through Romans. The group is led by Chuck Niswander.
- 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.** Women's Bible Study (*103*)
- Women are invited to join this group as they go through a series by Revive Our Hearts called *The Truth that Sets Us Free*. The group is led by Lynda Rodabaugh.
- 8:30 – 9:30 p.m.** Youth Dodgeball (*CMC*)
- All High School & Middle School students come play dodgeball, enjoy free food, and hang out.

Thursday

- 7:00 p.m.** Deacon Meeting (*103*)
8:30 p.m. Men's Basketball (*CMC*)
- Open to all men.

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OPPORTUNITIES OF THE DAY

- 9:00 a.m.** Sunday School/Adult Bible Studies (*Various Classrooms/Sanctuary*)
10:00 a.m. Children's Church (*Ages 2-4, B10*)
10:15 a.m. Worship Service – Pastor Nick Ringger (*CMC*)
- Message:* No Excuses Allowed
Scripture: Romans 2
- 6:45 p.m.** High School Small Groups (*Schoolhouse*)

Welcome to Ebenezer! We are so happy you are here. If you have not yet done so, pick up a gift bag at the Welcome Center.

Church Lunch: Please stay today for a free lunch after the Worship Service. Bubba C BBQ is on the menu.

Save the date: "Monumental" Vacation Bible School (VBS) will be June 5-10. Registration opens on April 3 for children and volunteers. VBS is each night from 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. for children from age 4 through 5th grade. Each night, children will open with music and a skit, then go to a Bible class, crafts, rec time, and have tons of fun.

ATTENDANCE AND GIVING

Attendance on March 6:

Sunday School/Adult Bible Study	220
Worship Service	337

Giving for March 6:

	\$12,051.76
Benevolent Fund	25.00
Building Fund	1,540.00
Christian Education Fund	366.97
General Fund	6,889.79
Missions Fund	3,145.00
Youth Fund	85.00

Memorial for Carolyn Frysinger (General Fund) \$50

Missions Special Projects:

\$1,500 Cru: Toward New Mexico mission trip and Chicago trip for Brad Dukes

Wednesday Night: Every Wednesday night, there is something for the whole family. Start with the family meal at 6:15 (this week is chicken tetrazzini), and stick around for children's ministry, men's and women's Bible studies, middle school small groups, or high school/middle school dodgeball!

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. GriefShare will meet at the Town Hall in Bluffton (154 N. Main St.) every Thursday evening. Meetings are scheduled 7-8:30 p.m. from March 17 to June 9. For more information, contact Pastor Dick (dick.potter@ebenezermennonite.org), or stop by the Welcome Center.

Wild Game Night is a dinner for the outdoor enthusiast. This year, the guest speaker is John Godwin from the television series *Duck Dynasty*. Each ticket costs \$15, and all ticket sales are online.

YFC Drive Thru Chicken BBQ: St. John Mennonite Church is hosting a chicken BBQ to support Bluffton and Pandora Campus Life clubs on March 27, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tickets are \$10. Menu: half a chicken (Ted's Market), baked potato, applesauce, roll, and a bottle of water. Tickets may be purchased today in the CMC foyer or see Bev Stockman. The last day to purchase tickets is March 20.

Visiting Missionary: St. John Mennonite Church is having their Missions Festival Breakfast on Saturday, March 19, at 8:30 a.m. Their speaker is the program director at Echo Ranch, Parker Shroeder. Childcare will be provided.

Service Opportunity: There will be a trip to help the people of Memphis, Tennessee, affected by winter storms that left damage due to extreme ice. The trip will leave Sunday, March 27, and will be returning on Thursday, March 31. If you are interested in going, contact Josh or Crystal Hanna.

Women's Retreat at Miracle Camp is April 29-May 1 for women college age and up. The cost is \$158 and scholarships are available. To register, go to Miracle Camp's website and contact Jaime Shaw or Katie Kruse to be added to the transportation list.

Girls Night at Ebenezer is an event for middle school and high school girls. It will be an evening of praise, worship, coffee, desserts, games, and fun. Girls night is Saturday, March 26, at 6:30 p.m.

The Trustees are accepting bids for mowing the church lawn. If you are interested in submitting a bid, please see a trustee or contact the church office. Bids must be received today.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Mar. 21-22** All Day Sew (CMC)
- Mar. 26** Girls Night (CMC)
- Mar. 27-31** Tennessee Mission Trip
- Apr. 1** Parents Night Out (Various Classrooms)
- Apr. 9** Wild Game Night (CMC)
- Apr. 15** Good Friday Service (CMC)
- Apr. 17** Easter Services (CMC)
- Apr. 29-May 1** Women's Retreat (Miracle Camp)
- May 1** Congregational Lunch (CMC)
- May 15** Parents Night Out (CMC)
- Jun. 1** Youth Cedar Point Trip
- Jun. 5-10** "Monumental" Vacation Bible School (Pre-K-Grade 5)
- Jun. 17** Parents Night Out (Various Classrooms)
- Jun. 26-30** Middle School Columbus Mission Trip
- Jul. 7-16** High School Mexico Mission Trip
- Jul. 22-24** Family Camp (Fremont, Indiana)