
OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK- JANUARY 29-MARCH 4

Monday

7:00 p.m. Engage Committee Meeting (103)

Tuesday

7:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting (103)

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: Shredded chicken sandwiches, chips, 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. Gospel: Plain and Simple (Sewing Room)

7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study (Library)

7:00 p.m. Women's Bible Study (103)

8:30 p.m. Youth Dodgeball (Gym and Fellowship Hall)

Thursday

7:15 a.m. Youth Breakfast (Shaner's House- 515 Greeding St., Bluffton)

6:15 p.m. College & Career Small Group (489 Cherry St, Bluffton)

8:30 p.m. Men's Basketball (Gym)

Friday

6:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)

Sunday

7:00 p.m. Sunday Night Women's Small Group (Conference Room)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Feb. 11 Congregational Meeting- following worship service

Feb. 18 Soup and Salad Social- following worship service

Feb. 18 Tubing Event at Mad River Mountain

Feb. 23-25 Youth Ice Camp- both Middle School & High School

Mar. 2 Membership Class

Mar. 9 Mom2Mom Sale

Mar. 31 Easter Sunday with Breakfast & Communion

May 12 Youth Chicken BBQ

January 28, 2024



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SUNDAY'S SERMON

EPHESIANS SERMON SERIES

Trinity Construction: a family of builders

Ephesians 2:19-22

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE DAY

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- Trinity Construction: a family of builders

Scripture- Ephesians 2:19-22

11:30 a.m. Congregational Information Meeting (Berean Classroom)

6:45 p.m. High School Small Group (Schoolhouse)

Welcome! We are so happy you are here to worship with us. 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 a member of the church staff 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.



ATTENDANCE AND GIVING

Attendance on January 21:

Sunday School/Adult Bible Fellowship	(9:00 a.m.)	254
Worship Gathering	(10:15 a.m.)	343

Opportunities

Information Meeting: The Deacons will hold an information meeting in the library after this morning’s worship service to lead a discussion and answer any questions regarding the agenda items for the Congregational Meeting that will be held on February 11.

Congregational Meeting: A meeting has been scheduled for Sunday, February 11, following the worship service. Members will be voting to approve the mission budget and affirm Pastor David in his new role as Associate Pastor. Annual Reports containing the budgets will be available next week at the Welcome Center.

New Women’s Small Group: Adult women are invited to join a group that will begin at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 4. The study will include a time of prayer and a study of a book of the Bible. For more information, contact Hanné Streicher (hanne.streicher@ebenezymennonite.org).

Soup and Salad Social: Women’s Ministries is sponsoring a Soup and Salad lunch on Sunday, February 18, after the worship service. Women's Ministries is providing the desserts and are asking the congregation to bring either soup or salad and the recipe to share for a new church cookbook.

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.

Miracle Camp Registrations: Registrations are now open for Summer Miracle Camp 2024 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.

Youth Tubing and Skiing Event: The Youth are invited to join a tubing and skiing/snowboarding event at Mad River Mountain on Sunday, February 18. Information on costs and times are available on the registration page online. Contact Pastor David with any questions.

Information

Thank You: Thank you so much for all your prayers and support after my fall and total hip replacement. Thank you also to Pastor David and Pastor Dick for visiting and praying with us at the hospital. All the cards and prayers meant so much to us. -Ralph and Melba Gerber and Family

Congratulations to Christopher and Brittany Good on the birth of their daughter Raya Rose on January 23. The couple reside in Ontario, Canada.

Our sympathy to the family of James Johnson, father of Todd Johnson, who passed away on January 3 in Lakeland, FL.

SIM Mission Trip Cookies: The SIM mission team will depart on February 18, and the team is asking for donations of bags of frozen cookie dough balls (monster, snickerdoodle, and oatmeal). Please mark the bags for SIM, including the baking instructions, e.g., time and temperature, and place the frozen cookie dough in the upright freezer in the kitchen by February 16.

Ice Camp Registrations: Ice Camp registrations for High School (February 23-25) are available on the Church Center App and on the church website. The deadline for registrations is February 18. Registrations for the Middle School students whose camp was canceled due to the inclement weather are being transferred to the above dates. Contact Pastor David with any questions.

Sermon Notes- “Trinity Construction”

Ephesians 2:19-22
