OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK- APRIL 17-23

Monday

9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study (103)

Study on the book *He Speaks to Me* by Pricilla Shirer.

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

Tuesday

7:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting (Conference Room)

Wednesday

9:00 a.m. MOMS Playday (Gym or Playground)

6:00 p.m. Family Skate Night (*Grove Skateland*)

Open to all who want to join. To celebrate the end of the Wednesday Night Children's Ministry year, there will be a party at Grove Skateland. Children kindergarten and younger must be accompanied by an adult. Children first grade and older may be dropped off at the skating rink and picked up by 8:00 p.m. The cost is \$2 per skater (non-skaters are free).

8:30 p.m. Youth Dodgeball (Crossroads Ministry Center)

- All High School & Middle School students come play dodgeball, enjoy free food, and hang out. This will be the final dodgeball event of this Ministry year.

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. Deacons Meeting (Conference Room)

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

6:00 p.m. Parents Night Out (Crossroads Ministry Center)

Open to parents of children age 3 months through 5th grade. Free childcare offered while parents have a night out. Sign up on the church website (ebenezermennonite.org) or in the Church Center app. All proceeds benefit the youth trip to Guatemala.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Apr. 27	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 16, 2023



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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 David Glick (Crossroads Ministry Center)

Message- Î Need a Do Over

Scripture-Ezra 1

4:00 p.m. Trustee Meeting (Conference Room)

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

Welcome! We are so happy you are here to worship with us this Sunday morning. 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 Easter Weekend: Good Friday Service 141 Easter Breakfast 315 Worship Gathering 475

Mother's Day Chicken BBQ (May 14): Order forms are available in the bulletin, 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.

Lost and Found: A table has been set up in the Mission Center with items that were left at the church. Please collect your items. After a few weeks, the items will be collected and donated to the Et Cetera Shop.

Women's Mystery Dinner: Women's Mystery Dinner is scheduled for Thursday, April 27. Meet in the church parking lot at 5 p.m. and enjoy a night out at a secret location with other ladies from the church or invite a friend! Ladies of all ages are welcome. Make your reservation by contacting the church office (419-358-8588) or Kathy Brauen.

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 possiblity 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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