OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK- APRIL 24-30

Monday

MOMs Group (Fellowship Hall) 9:00 a.m.

Finance Committee Meeting (103) 6:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. Safety Committee Meeting (Library)

Tuesday

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

Wednesday

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

Thursday

Mystery Dinner (depart from church) 5:00 p.m.

Enjoy a night out at a undisclosed restaurant location with other ladies from the church. Make a reservation for you and a friend. Contact information located inside bulletin

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

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.

Men's Basketball (Crossroads Ministry Center) 8:30 p.m.

Saturday

Men's Breakfast and Trap Shoot (Fellowship Hall & Ebenezer Lawn) 8:00 a.m.

Enjoy fellowship, a delicious meal prepared by the Ebenezer men, and an encouraging message. Follow it up with a trap shoot on the Ebenezer lawn.

Sunday

Teacher Appreciation Sunday 10:15 a.m.

Vacation Bible School Teacher Training (Fellowship Hall) 7:00 p.m.

Training designed for those individuals teaching specific groups during Stellar Vacation Bible School. The VBS Committee is coordinating the individuals who are required to attend this training.

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 14	Mother's Day Chicken BBQ (register tickets online)
May 31	Youth Cedar Point Trip (register online)
June 4-9	Stellar Vacation Bible School (register online)
June 12-14	Middle School Stowe Mission Trip
July 7-14	High School Guatemala Mission Trip

April 23, 2023



Website: ebenezermennonite.org Email: info@ebenezermennonite.org

Follow us on Facebook and Instagram: @ebenezermennonitechurch



OPPORTUNITIES OF THE DAY

Sunday School/Adult Bible Studies (Various Classrooms) 9:00 a.m.

Children's Church (Ages 2-6, B10 & B11) 10:00 a.m.

10:15 a.m. Worship Service- Pastor Nick Ringger (Crossroads Ministry Center)

Message- Committed Scripture- Ezra 2

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

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 April 16: Easter Breakfast 217 Worship Gathering 308

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.

Youth Summer Event Calendars: New calendars for the Middle School and High School Youth events are available at the Information Center and the Welcome Center. These calendars detail the events that will take place during the summer months along with the locations and times. If you have questions, please see Pastor David or a member of the staff.

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.

All-Church Email List: Every Wednesday, an email is sent to everyone on the church email list with announcements about events happening in the church, information about registrations, and the weekly prayer bulletin. If you have not yet joined the all-church email list, contact the church office (info@ebenezermennonite.org) to be added.

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.

Graduation Announcements: This notice is for any families with students who will be graduating from High School this year. The church would like to provide information regarding the date, time and location of the graduation party. Please contact the church office with this information or if you have any questions.

EBENEZER MENNONITE STAFF

Nick Ringger, Senior Pastor

nick.ringger@ebenezermennonite.org Monday-Thursday, off Friday

David Glick, Pastor of Student Ministries

david.glick@ebenezermennonite.org Monday- Thursday, off Friday

Hanné Streicher, Director of Children's Ministry

hanne.streicher@ebenezermennonite.org Monday a.m., Tuesday, Thursday a.m.

Tim Gallant, Communications & Connections Coordinator tim.gallant@ebenzermennonite.org

Dylan Whitlow, Office Administrator dylan.whitlow@ebenezermennonite.org

Doug Messinger, Custodian doug.messinger@ebenezermennonite.org

John Shaw, Assistant Custodian Tim Stockman, Assistant Custodian Seth Hilty, Custodian Assistant