OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK: JULY 18-23

Monday

7:00 p.m. Christian Education Committee Meeting (103)

Tuesday

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

Wednesday

6:30 p.m. Family Water Game Night (*Ebenezer Lawn*)

- You and your family are invited to join us for a night of water games, water balloons, slip & slides, and more! Wear your bathing suit, bring a towel, and bring a friend!
- 7:15 p.m. Middle School Summer Session (Schoolhouse)

Thursday

7:00 p.m. Deacon Meeting (103)

- 7:00 p.m. College & Career Small Group (Ron & Sue Epp's House, 489 Cherry St.)
 - College students and young adults are welcome to this small group. The pool opens at 4:00 p.m., food will be served at 6:15 p.m., and Bible study will begin at 7:15 p.m.

Friday

Family Camp (Jellystone Park, Fremont, IN)

Saturday

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- July 19-30 Paraguay Mission Trip
- July 24-30 Elementary School (Miracle Camp)
- July 28 Ladies' Mystery Dinner
- July 29 Family Movie Night: Secret Life of Pets (Ebenezer Lawn)
- July 30 Men's Breakfast & Trap Shoot (Fellowship Hall & Ebenezer Lawn)
- July 31 Congregational Meal
- Aug. 12 Parents' Night Out
- Sept. 7 Wednesday Night Ministries Fall Kickoff
- Nov. 6-9, 13 Missions Conference "Jesus, Hope of Nations"



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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 David Glick (CMC) Message: Tumbling Sky Scripture: Psalm 13
4:00 p.m.	Trustee Meeting (103)
5:00 p.m.	Coed Softball League Game (Village Park)

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.

ATTENDANCE AND GIVING	
Attendance on July 10:	
Sunday School/Adult Bible Study	191
Worship Service	358
Giving for July 10:	\$12,016.50
Building Fund	1,785.00
Christian Education Fund	321.50
General Fund	7,625.00
Missions Fund	2,185.00
Youth Fund	100.00
Memorials for Janice Shields (Christian Education Fund)	\$375
Missions Special Projects	
\$1,000 Match Vacation Bible School Offering	

\$50 SEND International: Memorial gift for mother of Belva Rae Kotlarzyck

Teacher/Volunteer Training: A required training will be held this August for all planning to volunteer with any children's ministry. The training will be offered on Wednesday, August 3, and Wednesday, August 10, both nights at 7:00 p.m.. This training will go over new additions, policies, and any other changes, as well as review current policies. If you have any questions, contact Hanné Streicher (hanne.streicher@ebenezermennonite.org).

Help us prepare our College Students: Women's ministry is asking the congregation to help this fall in making donations to create care packages that will be presented to all college students before they leave for school in the fall. Donations can be: school supplies (pens/pencils/highlighters), food (ramen, single-serving mac-n-cheese, snacks, etc.) hot chocolate, coffee, tea, blankets, or anything else you are willing to give. Monetary donations will also be accepted on Sunday, July 31. Contact the church office (419-358-8588 or info@ebenezermennonite.org) if you have any questions.

College Students: Please send your school address and other contact information to the church office so we can stay in contact with you during the school year! Email your information to the church office (info@ebenezermennonite.org).

Congregational Meal: Women's Ministries will be preparing a meal and providing all the fixings on July 31. We ask that instead of cooking that day, come fellowship and throw in a donation for your meal. We will be taking any of the proceeds after the cost of the meal and using it towards care packages for the church's college students.

The College & Career Ministry meets weekly on Thursday nights at Ron & Sue Epp's house (489 Cherry St.). The Epps will open their pool at 4:00 p.m., start eating at 6:15 p.m., and Bible study will start at 7:15 p.m. All college students and 20 somethings are invited.

White Christmas in July: The month of July is the time to remember and honor our Ebenezer-member missionaries with our White Christmas giving. This annual offering is to help make Christmas a little more special for our missionaries. Please see the table in the Crossroads Ministry Center Lobby if you are interested in giving. (Because Christmas gifts are considered personal by the IRS, no tax-deductible receipts will be issued.) – The Missions Committee.

Mission Trip Opportunity: A group will be serving in Mayfield, Kentucky, August 7-12, 2022, serving with Samaritan's Purse. This will be a construction project for the people of Mayfield who lost homes in storms last year. Construction experience is not needed. If you are interested in going on the trip, please contact Josh or Crystal Hanna.

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.

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 18 and end November 10. 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@ebenezermennonite.org).

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@ebenezermennonite.org or 419-358-8588).