



BETHESDA E.C. CHURCH

at Reedsville "A Healing Community"

SERVICE TIMES & INFORMATION

Sunday Morning Services

- 8:00 am - Traditional Service**
- 9:15 am - Sunday School**
- 10:30 am - Contemporary Service**

During the 10:30 am service, Nursery is available for 0 - 2 yrs old in Room 104, Pre-K is available for 3 - 5 yrs old in Room 109 and Jr. Church is available for all school-age children in Room 100.


The 10:30 service is also streamed on YouTube. Find us at:
 *Bethesda EC Church*

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Christmas Eve at Bethesda
Tuesday, December 24th, at 7 pm
 Don't miss this special service and bring the whole family!

THANKFUL FOR YOUR SERVICE

"God has given gifts to each of you from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Manage them well so that God's generosity can flow through you." 1 Peter 4:10

Thank you to everyone who serves through Bethesda's opportunities. Whether inside or outside the walls of the church, using gifts to impact the lives of others is so important and valuable.

"As our Lord served us, we must serve one another and be joyous in our service." Mark 9:35

As 2024 ends, a HUGE thank you to those who have served faithfully on our Ministry Council. Some of these Council servants have served anywhere from 1 - 8 years, and are stepping down due to a variety of reasons:

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| Lisa Minnich (Treasurer) | Leroy Bates (Missions Chair) |
| Tim DeLay (Secretary) | Brain Stine (Operations Chair) |
| Bill Mills (Outreach Chair) | Lily Henry (Member-at-Large) |
| Dillon Wertman (Discipleship Chair) | |

Again, thank you to those who have served, and a thank you to those willing to accept their nomination to be placed on the ballot for vote at the December 8 Annual Congregational Meeting.

As Bethesda EC Church continues to move forward in 2025, do not hesitate to look for ways you can serve. May you bring to life Galatians 5:13, "By love, serve one another."



Blessings, Pastor Mark



Ed's 2 Cents



Christmas time is all but here. The hustle and bustle of all-things Christmas time is here. It is time for presents, much needed time with family, and some high calorie-based foods. During this time don't forget there was a true Christmas miracle, Christ's birth. Christ was born of a virgin in a manger filled with "stinky" animals (Luke 2:7). Christ chose to be lowly and show us how to ultimately live for Him. While we are opening gifts this season, don't forget to praise God for the family and gifts you have received. 😊

During the Christmas season, we will be doing our annual Christmas card distribution as a fundraiser for our BYM. We will have a mailbox located outside for Christmas cards to be distributed to church members. The cards will be distributed on a table inside the church for church members to receive. A donation is requested to help youth for their Youth Retreat in January.

Both Children's and Youth Ministries are in full effect. During Sunday School, they will be learning about the season of advent. In case you forgot, Advent is the season of hope, peace, joy, and love. They will be looking at scripture and how these concepts relate to Christ and his birth. During mid-December we will be having a progressive dinner for our BYM. This will be a fun scavenger hunt oriented meal bonanza. Youth will have to go to a few homes, eat some great food, and find a clue to get to their next destination. December for our BYM will be filled with fun and learning. Each BYM group meeting will have a lesson about a Christmas carol and even some caroling to our shut-ins.

Our big church outreach for children will be our Holiday Pizza Party, on Friday December 13th. This event will make it possible for parents to have a break or get some of their much-needed shopping done. This event will be held from 6 pm to 8 pm.

Our party entails pizza, Jesus' celebration cake, the gospel message of Jesus, crafts, and even some fun games. Lastly, Lynn Koch will be doing a Christmas Medley with students in pre-school through middle school, on December 15th, at the second service.

Children will be singing five minutes worth of modernized Christmas songs along with some scripture to encourage the Christmas season. To close-out the show, children aged 3 to pre-school will be singing "Jesus loves me".

This month is filled with many opportunities for young people to be a part of Bethesda EC Church. It is an honor to be a part of the many moving parts here. I hope you and yours have a truly blessed Christmas season. May God bless and use you during this season.



God bless,
Ed Moyer
Children & Youth Director



Financial Snapshot

November 2024

	Actual	Budgeted	Difference
Income	\$ 339,418	\$ 354,617	\$ (15,199)
Restricted Funds	\$ 40,000	\$ 40,000	\$ 0
Expenses	\$ 357,996	\$ 391,247	\$ 33,251
Net Difference	\$ 21,422	\$ 3,370	\$ 18,052

Important Information/Events

Brazil or Bust

There are still 3 seats open for the July 19th - 29th, 2025 Brazil short-term missions trip, with the Roof Family. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Mark (570-573-0218), by December 15th.

ALICE Security Training Sunday, December 15, at 11:45 am

This training is open to all teachers and will be in Room 200 (Library). Lunch will be provided. ALICE stands for Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, Evacuate

Congregational Meeting

Moving forward with God, as the body of Christ at Bethesda EC Church, continues to bless us in countless ways as we look to 2025. Please join us for the Annual Congregational Meeting scheduled at approximately 12:45 pm in the Sanctuary, after a combined 10:30 am service and covered-dish luncheon. Childcare will be available during the meeting. Annual reports, including the proposed 2025 budget, are available at the Welcome Counter for your review.

Next Communion Sunday, January 5th



A Message From Your Financial Secretary

It is that time of the year again for me to start assigning offering envelopes for 2025. I know some of you have gone the route of online giving for your tithe and donations to the church. To that extent, I need to know who wants an assigned number and an actual box of offering envelopes for 2025. Kindly contact the church office or me, the financial secretary, Cheryl Bender at (home) 570-739-4441, (cell) 570-573-9539, or (email) cherylbender@verizon.net if you want an actual box of envelopes for 2025 or if you are receiving envelopes and no longer want them.



Bethesda Children

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY - AGES 0-4TH GRADE

Family Movie Night - Friday, December 6th, from 7 to 8:30 pm, in Room 101 (Cinema Room). See ad, located to the right, for more information. No RSVP needed.

Holiday Pizza Party - See ad to the right for information.

Christmas Medley - The Bethesda Children's Ministry will be presenting a special "Christmas Medley" during our second service in the Sanctuary, on December 15th.



BYM

BETHESDA YOUTH MINISTRY - 5TH-12TH GRADE

BYM Group Hangout - Every Sunday, from 6 to 8 pm, in the Common Ground. Come for food, fun, and a message!

BYM Progressive Meal & Scavenger Hunt - The BYM are invited to a Progressive Meal and Scavenger Hunt, on December 15th, at 5:30 pm. It will include 6 homes of Bethesda attenders. Please RSVP with Ed Moyer at 610-316-2425, by December 11th.

BYM Christmas Card Distribution - Christmas cards to be delivered to regular attenders at Bethesda, can be dropped off at the upper entrance in the large mailbox, by 12/20. Then the BYM will sort and make the cards available to the congregation. As a love offering for the youth, a donation that would have covered postage fees, can be donated to the BYM.



The Mountain

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY - AGES 18 TO 30-ISH

Where - Bethesda EC Church - Room 101 (Cinema Room)

When - Every Tuesday from 6:30 - 8 pm

Discussion - Current hot topics are chosen by the group each week for an open dialogue to occur, bringing a Biblical view point into the reality of today.

Contact - Dillon Wertman (570-640-8807)



Women of Bethesda

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Ladies' Monthly Brunch - All ladies are welcome to join us on Saturday, December 14th at 12:30 pm, at the Haven Diner, at the intersection of 443 & 183.

Ladies' Leadership Meetings - Sunday, January 12th and March 23rd, at 11:45 am, in the Common Ground. All women are welcome as we look to plan for future events!



Men of Bethesda

MEN'S MINISTRY

Men's Breakfast - All men are invited to breakfast, at the Friedensburg Country Restaurant, on December 14th, at 8 am. Questions? Contact Pastor Mark.



Just Older Youth

50+ MINISTRY

TBD - Have an idea, let us know!

Family Ministries

BETHESDA CHILDREN'S MINISTRY PRESENTS:

FREE ADMISSION Family Movie Night
Friday, December 6th, from 7 - 8:30 pm
Room 101 (Cinema Room)

Bring PJ's, a blanket, and a stuffy.
Snacks and drinks will be provided!
No RSVP is Needed.



Parents: Enjoy some free time on us!



Children in K-4th grade are invited to a **FREE Holiday Pizza Party**

Friday, December 13
6:00 - 8:00 PM
155 Reedsville Road
Schuylkill Haven

Pizza - Cake - Cocoa
Games - Crafts - Stories

Visit bethesdaec.org/signups to register.
Please RSVP by 12/10.

Women of Bethesda
SAVE-THE-DATE for the following upcoming events in 2025:

Ladies' Brunch

Saturday, January 11th, at 12:30 pm, at the Haven Diner.

Paint Party

Saturday, February 1st, from 4 - 7 pm, in the Common Ground.

Ladies' Brunch

Saturday, February 8th, at 12:30 pm, at the Haven Diner.

Potluck

Saturday, February 22nd, from 2 - 4 pm, in the Common Ground.

Ladies' Brunch

Saturday, March 8th, at 12:30 pm, at the Haven Diner.

Winter Retreat at Kenbrook

March 14th - 16th
(Start saving if you haven't already.)



Bethesda EC Church - 155 Reedsville Road - Schuylkill Haven - 17972 - Phone: 570-739-2241

Mailing Address - 23 Meadowbrook Drive - Schuylkill Haven - 17972

www.bethesdaec.org



Adult Sunday School

9:15 to 10:15 am

Room 102 - Log Cabin Room

Biblical Foundations: New Testament

"27 Books in Thirteen Weeks"

- by Sue Crabtree

Facilitated by Theresa Kaylor

A survey study of the New Testament: 27 books that tell the story of Jesus and His followers for the hearts of people today.

Room 200 - Library

"Waiting Here For You" An Advent Journey of Hope

- by Louie Giglio

Facilitated by Linda Bollinger

A season overflowing with anticipation, Christmas comes the same time each year with great hope and promise of a baby born long ago. But this season meant for joy is often consumed by busyness, pressure, mixed emotions, and is gone as quickly as it came. What is it all for? In this four-session study, Louie Giglio reminds us that it's in the richness of Advent--a season of expectant waiting and preparation--that we find our answer. And it is throughout this waiting season that we prepare our hearts to greet December 25th with joy, peace, hope, and refreshed promise in our newborn King.

Room 202 - International Room

NIV Standard Lesson - "A King Forever and Ever"

- by Jon Miller

Facilitated by Steve Minnich

In Jeremiah 30:22 God said, "So you will be my people, and I will be your God". His covenant—his enduring promise of relationship and presence— is central to the worship of his people. Worship is the act of ascribing worth to and celebrating the glory of something or someone. The truth is all people worship. The lessons of the winter quarter examine the worship that God's people have offered. Although the ways his people worship may have changed throughout history, the reason for their worship remains the same: a faithful response to God. Through worship, we proclaim that the Lord truly is the worthy Lamb of God! Join us in Room 202 to learn and to worship.

Children's Sunday School

9:15 - 10:30 am

Nursery

Ages 0 to 2

Room 104



9:15 - 9:30 am

Kids' Worship

Age 3 to 4th Grade

Common Ground

9:30 - 10:30 am

Sunday School Class

Age 3 to Pre-School

Room 108

Kindergarten to 4th Grade

Common Ground

Grades 5th to 8th

Room 102

Grades 9th to 12th

Room 101



Jr. Church

10:30 to 11:30 am

All School-Aged Children

Taught by Jane Baudoin, Jayme Cooper, & Kara Miske in Room 100.

This time will provide a bible lesson in a fun, interactive way and a bible

memory verse during this

children's service!

Nursery - 0 to 2 yrs old

Taught by Rotating Volunteers in Room 104

Pre-K - 3 to 5 yrs old

Taught by Rotating Volunteers in Room 109





GriefShare

FOR THOSE GRIEVING THE LOSS OF A LOVED ONE

Sunday, December 8th & 22nd at 1:30 pm in Room 200

GriefShare is a support group for those who have lost a spouse, child, family member or friend. Video vignettes, group discussion, personal study, and reflection are part of healing. For more information, call Paul at 570-294-0778 or Maggie at 570-573-0412.

"Surviving The Holidays" - A special presentation of GriefShare offering help and hope as you navigate the holiday season. This presentation will be held at Bethesda @ The Corner, located at 1669 Long Run Road, on December 15th, at 1:30 pm.



Celebrate Recovery

FOR THOSE STRUGGLING WITH HURT, PAIN OR ADDICTION OF ANY KIND

Tuesdays at 6:30 pm in Rooms 200 & 202

Celebrate Recovery is designed to help those struggling with hurts, habits, and hang ups by showing them the loving power of Jesus Christ through the recovery process. The program is based on eight principles from the Beatitudes and the Twelve Steps (i.e. AA) and their biblical comparisons. A limitless number of issues can be dealt with through the program such as chemical addictions, overspending, anger, overeating, need to control, fear/anxiety, and more! Questions, contact Norma 570-617-0931.



Prayer Meetings

MEETING AT THE HEIM RESIDENCE

Wednesdays at 6:00 pm

Join us on Wednesdays in person at the Heim residence starting at 6:00 pm. Call the church office for more information.



Extended Hands Ministry

HELPING ONE ANOTHER WITH GIFTS IN OUR FELLOWSHIP

Here are some resources if you have a need:

- Meals:
 - Call the church office 570-739-2241
- Housing/property project:
 - Jeff Hughes 570-617-4254
- Information & resources about premature babies:
 - Cindy Smith 570-640-5416

Support Ministries

Coffee @ the Corner

Open Every Saturday
8 am till 12 pm

To provide a safe space to have dialog and be heard.

FREE COFFEE

At the NW corner of 443 & 183

Embrace Grace

Embrace Grace is a support group for single, pregnant women. It is a 12 week program that provides emotional, practical, and spiritual support for single young women who find themselves in an unexpected pregnancy. It teaches them about God's love and grace. At the end of the program a baby shower is given to honor them for choosing life and help provide for their baby needs. This ministry takes place at First United Methodist Church in Schuylkill Haven with a group meeting Tuesdays at 6:30 pm. More information on Embrace Grace is available online at www.embracegrace.com

Premature Babies or Foster Caregiver Support

Cindy Smith is a good resource on answering questions or directing you toward resources available in the county. Also hear from her own experiences, as she offers a listening ear and encouragement. Call Cindy at 570-640-5416.



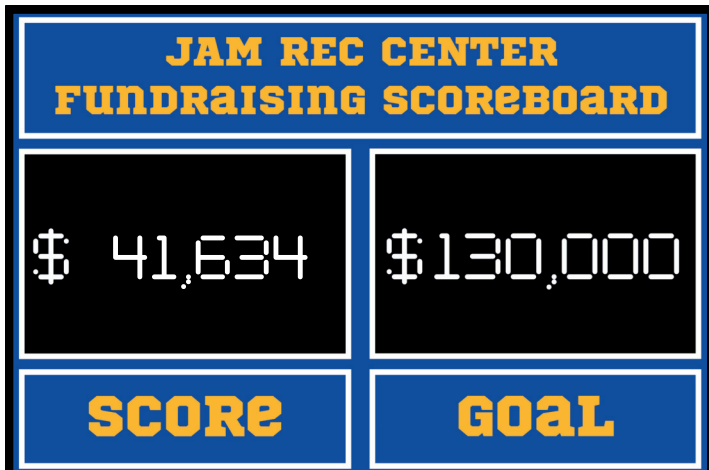
JAM Rec Center Updates



We are moving fast and furious toward the end goal of completing the JAM Rec Center!

- The epoxy lobby floors are done and look awesome which means that the kitchen cabinets can begin to be installed!
- The wooden gymnasium floor has been delivered and is in the process of being installed as you read this!
- The Loft carpet squares have been laid!
- A myriad of other details have been selected such as:
 - Exterior smoking chimney and benches
 - Interior cubbies, benches and tables for the lobby
 - Appliances for the kitchen

Other items such as sports equipment and Loft furnishings are in the queue to be ordered! Please continue to lift this design team in prayer as we come down the home stretch with this project! You are an important part of this team!



Construction Photos





Get to Know Your Praise Team

**Singer
Cindy Brooks**



As I reflect on my musical journey at Bethesda, I am reminded of how much God has worked in and through the music ministry of our church. From the early days of singing in the choir to my current involvement with the praise team, I've experienced firsthand how powerful and transformative music can be in drawing us closer to God and to one another.

When our family first joined the Bethesda community in 2002, I was invited to be part of the choir under the direction of Terri Smith. I was welcomed by a group of people who shared a common love for worship and a desire to serve the Lord with their gifts. The more I sang, the more I realized how the act of singing is an offering of praise, not just to lead the congregation, but also to nourish my soul. It was a joy to sing the weekly anthem, as well as take part in the annual Christmas cantata.

Joining the praise team was the next part of my journey at Bethesda. Our fearless leader, Steve Minnich, worked tirelessly at choosing music to coordinate with the weekly message and keeping all the musicians moving in the right direction. Helping to lead worship was not about singing all the right notes or getting all the rhythms perfect. It was about creating an environment where the congregation could encounter God's presence. There is a special kind of connection that happens when we worship together through music. It has been exciting to work with Jim Munster, who has taken up the mantle of leadership for the praise team. His creativity and humble leadership is a blessing. The faces of the praise team have changed over the years, but what has remained the same is the willingness to offer our talents, no matter how big or small, to glorify God. I have been so grateful for the opportunity to serve in these ministries, and I look forward to many more years of worshipping together through music.



In Christ,
Cindy Brooks

Local Ministries

Wayne Township Senior Group

23 Meadowbrook Center
December 2024 Events

Wednesday, December 4

Lunch: Baked Ziti & Tossed Salad
Activity: BINGO

Wednesday, December 11

Lunch: Ham & Cheese Sandwich & Soup
Activity: Merry Christmas Word Game

Wednesday, December 18

Lunch: Christmas Lunch
Activity: Drum Performance by Lee

Wednesday, December 25

Closed: Merry Christmas!

Suggested Donation: \$7.00

If you have any questions, please call the office at **570-739-2241** or visit **www.23meadowbrook.org**.

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Diakon's Exercise Programs

Soft Yoga takes place every
Tuesday at 6 pm.

Age Busters (exercise program for
people 60+) takes place every
Thursday at 10 am.

Zumba Gold takes place every
Thursday at 6 pm.

For more information, call Diakon
directly at **570-624-3018**.

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Painting Class

Fridays: 10:30 am to 12:30 pm

Instructor will bring watercolor
supplies. Acrylic & colored pencils also
welcomed, but bring your own
supplies. Please no oil paints. Bring
whatever you would like to work on or
we will get you started. No expertise
needed & it is great fun! As long as
there is interest, we will keep it going.

**Cost is \$10 per class. Questions,
Call Karen 610-217-2973.**

MISSIONARY CORNER

Prayer Points for Missions - *please pray for these missions this month...*

- **Dave and Conce Roof**, were in the US for the month of November. Dave and his sisters helped their mother to make the move to a place that better suited her needs. Pray for her transition to the change and for the Roofs' ongoing ministry in Brazil.
- **Child Evangelism Fellowship** is having Christmas party clubs in several locations during the first two weeks of December. Pray that children will understand the gospel and respond by trusting in Jesus as Savior.
- **Keith and Sarah Evans** serve with Disciplemakers at Lebanon Valley College. Praise God for a good fall conference. Also, a student offered a classmate some chewing gum - now they study the Bible together!
- **Pray for UNITY in the women's ministry.**

Look for pictures of the Evans' and the Roof's in the hallway between the sanctuary and the Christian Education wing.

Crochet Circle

As some of you are aware, the crochet circle is not currently meeting, however, the prayer shawl ministry is still up and running. If you would like a shawl for yourself or to share, the bin with the completed prayer shawls is located in the Copy Room in the first black cabinet and clearly marked. When one is taken, please mark the book so that Cheryl can keep track of them. She is doing her best to keep the bin stocked, as she is the only one currently making them. If you are interested in helping, please connect with Cheryl Bender at 570-573-9539.



Local Ministries



10 AM - 12 PM

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2024

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18, 2025

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 15, 2025

SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 2025

Boxes are first come first serve, while supplies last!

This is a drive thru pick up event. You will stay in your vehicle and we will load the food box for you.

SPONSORED BY BETHESDA EC CHURCH THROUGH BLESSINGS OF HOPE.



We are offering 40 pound food boxes to the community. To keep this event free, we are asking for donations. Each box costs \$12. Donations can be given online, in the collection plate or delivered, by mail or in person, to the church office.

Who's Who at Bethesda:

Staff

Lead Pastor

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Children & Youth Director

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call or email church office

Custodians

Roxanne & Terry Seltzer

call or email church office

Treasurer

Lisa Minnich

570-739-2241 x232
treasurer@bethesdaec.org

Praise Team Director

Jim Munster

Organist

Billy Mills Jr.

*Officers

President

Maggie Arbushites

Vice President

Shane Minnich

Secretary

Tim DeLay

Lay Delegate

Curt Behler

Alternate Lay Delegate

Sue Killian

Treasurer

Lisa Minnich

Financial Secretary

Cheryl Bender

Ed Moyer/Lily Henry

*Members at Large

*Outreach Commission "COME"

To be **PRESENT** in our Community

American Heritage Girls Liaison

Celebrate Recovery

Coffee @ the Corner

Fall Festival

Food Box Distribution

God's Pantry

GriefShare

Men of Bethesda Service Projects

The Church Has Left the Building

Upward Sports

Vacation Bible School

Bill Mills, Director

Cherie Powell

Norma Minnich

Janet Stoyer

Ed Moyer

Steve Svenson

Tim & Lisa DeLay

Paul Moyer/Maggie Arbushites

Jeff Hughes

Steve Svenson

Chris Brauer

TBD

Steve Svenson, Director

Steve Svenson

Various

Rae Huneke

Linda Bollinger

Ed Moyer

Don Gossard

Cara Stine

Bette Jo Long

Rae Huneke

Linda Bollinger/Steve Svenson

Michelle Svenson/Cherie Avezzano

Dillon Wertman

*Church Life Commission "FIND"

To be **CONNECTED** in our body.

Annual Church Picnic

Extended Hands

Hospitality

Just Older Youth (JOY)

Kidz Klub

Men of Bethesda Activities

Seasonal Decorating

Twin Pines Coordinator

Welcoming Committee

What's for Dinner Wednesday

Women of Bethesda

Young Adult Ministries



Pastoral Relations Committee

Bethesda EC Church maintains a Pastoral Relations Committee (PRC). The PRC helps to fulfill our commitment to the best interests of the pastors, as well as the health of our congregation. More information about the PRC can be found at bethesdaec.org/prc.

If you have a question or comment you believe would help the PRC in attaining these goals, please contact one of the following PRC members:

Ed Redding

570-915-6367

Curt Behler

610-698-0759

Maggie Arbushites

570-573-0412

Amanda Gossard

570-527-0651

Janet Stoyer

570-573-9997

Next Ministry Council Meeting

Tuesday, January 21st, 2025

23 Meadowbrook Center

6:30 pm

All articles for events held from **January 1st** through **January 31st** should be submitted by the **16th of December** to be included in our **January issue**. A copy of this newsletter can also be found online at www.bethesdaec.org.

Who's Who at Bethesda:

*Discipleship Commission "GROW"

To be **FORMED** as disciples.

Bethesda Training Institute & Prison Ministry
All Church-Wide Bible Studies & Sunday School Classes
Prayer Ministry
Life Groups & Spiritual Partners
Spiritual Gift Assessments

Dillon Wertman, Director

Steve Minnich
Dillon Wertman
Connie Wright
Norma Minnich
Curt Behler/Cherie Avezzano



*Missions Commission "SERVE/GO"

To be **SENT** as disciples.

Adult & Youth Missions
Local, National & Global
Field Missions

Leroy Bates, Director

TBD
Connie Wright

*Operations Commission

To **MAINTAIN** Property

Property & Vehicle Maintenance
Building Expansion Solutions
Team (BEST)
Campus Design Team
Usage Committee
Security Team

Brian Stine, Director

Brian Avezzano
Chris Brauer
Jody Stine
Becky Hoover
Leroy Bates



Administration

To **SUPPORT** the Body

Advertising, Insurance, Purchasing, and IT
Benevolence
Communications
Counseling
Facilities
Financial Giving Statements & Memorial Gifts
First Aid /Safety
Website

Lynn Wiscount

Lynn Wiscount
Shane Minnich
Tiffany Rayle
Pastor Mark Brooks
Amanda Gossard
Cheryl Bender
Curt Behler
Tiffany Rayle/Lynn Wiscount

Committees Reporting to the Membership

Pastoral Relations Committee
Nominating Committee
Finance Committee
Auditing Committee

Ed Redding
TBD
Nick Steranko
Carol Sleinkofer



Children's Ministry Council (Reports to Church Life Commission)

Superintendent
Director
Volunteer Coordinator
Secretary
Members at Large

Ed Moyer
TBD
Cindy Brooks
Lynn Koch
Janet Stoyer, Vanessa Minnich,
Jane Baudoin, & Jayme Cooper

Youth Ministry Council (Reports to Church Life Commission)

Superintendent
President
Program Director
Recorder of Meetings & Volunteers
Members at Large

Ed Moyer
TBD
TBD
Molly Steranko
Tammy Munster, Dallas Henry, & Cherie Powell
Billy Mills, CJ Powell,
Matix Minnich, & Kelly Canfield

Student Representatives

*Ministry Council Members and Officers



December Worship Volunteer Schedule

Live Stream

December 1 - Lisa M.
December 8 - Charlie K.
December 15 - Dillon W.
December 22 - Tim Delay
December 29 - Maggie A.

Coffee Makers

December 1 - Norma M.
December 8 - Maggie A.
December 15 - Steve S.
December 22 - Bates Family
December 29 - Norma M.

Stewards

December 1 - Sue K.
December 8 - Steve R.
December 15 - Theresa K.
December 22 - Steve M.
December 29 -

Church Lock-Up

December 1 - Austin B.
December 8 - Shane M.
December 15 - Jim C.
December 22 - Danny W.
December 29 - Brian A.



Prayer Concerns

December 2024



Personal

Adalyn (cancer)
 Lisa (recovery)
 Emily C. Babb (recovery)
 Jean Becker (recovery)
 Gary Bruen (recovery)
 Robyn Bulino (tests)
 Tim Christman (treatment)
 Irene Conway (back)
 Jayme Cooper (recovery)
 Sara Costenbader (aneurism)
 Rachel Croyle (cancer)
 Merijo Dietrich (cancer)
 Ashley Dubble (recovery)
 Millie Dukman (treatment)
 Joanne Forbes (cancer)
 Kathleen Grey (cancer)
 Sharon Hart (diagnosis)
 Jason Himmelreich (transition)
 Mark Himmelreich (back)
 Parker Hummel (tests)
 Susan Kanezo (cancer)
 John Kara (cancer)
 Theresa Kaylor (tests)
 Eugene Lamberth (recovery)
 Carolyn Leinheiser (comfort)
 Tom Luckenbill (recovery)
 Jayme Manley (cancer)
 Jim Martin (dialysis)
 Landis Martin (recovery)
 Mary McMahan (recovery)
 Gia Middleton (infusions)
 Troy Miller (support)
 Stephen Moore (infection)

Shannon O'Boyle (anxiety & loss)
 Brianna Osceles (decisions)
 Jenna Ogden (transition)
 Gemma Payot (Israel)
 Hannah Reiter (recovery)
 Don Rothrock, Sr. (cancer)
 Brianna Scarola (tumor)
 Robin Schoener (chemo)
 Steve Steranko (transition)
 Barbie Tretter (recovery)
 John Trevi (recovery)
 Allison Wambach (thyroid)
 Louis Welsh (recovery)
 Nancy Wertman (lungs)
 Katie Yelk (recovery)



Family

C. Emily Babb Family (stability)
 Nikki and Cliff Brignola Family (fertility)
 Margarita Del Valle Campiz Family (loss)
 Christman Family (care)
 Delores Hoffman Family (loss)
 Jim Litzel Family (loss)
 Chuck Lishman Family (cancer)
 Patricia Sattazahn Family (loss)
 Harold Sausser Family (loss)
 Jack Spatz Family (transition)
 Jim Stock Family (loss)
 Theo Klocko Szumlanski Family (cancer)
 Rick Wanamaker Family (loss)
 Terry Willard Family (loss)
 Phil/Margie (transition)

Local, National & Global

- EC Officers:
 - Bishop: Randy Sizemore
 - Exec Director: K Henry
 - Associates: G. Kuehner, T. Rathman, M. Snedeker & M. Hill
 - District Facilitator: John Smith, DFD
- President: Joe Biden
- Vice President: Kamala Harris
- US Military Forces
- Conflict in Middle East & Ukraine
- 2024-2025 Schools

Congregational

- American Heritage Girls
- 23 Meadowbrook Center
- JAM Rec Center
- Celebrate Recovery
- Coffee @ the Corner
- GriefShare ministry
- L.I.F.E. & TUMI Prison Ministries
- Ministry Council
- Upward



Local Missions

Jewel Women's Center
 Servants to All
 Jubilee Ministries
 Child Evangelism Fellowship
 LIFE Prison Ministry
 Bethesda Training Institute

National Missions

Keith & Sarah Evans
 Bob & Bettina Schaeffer
 Joe & Wendy Toy
 Dan & Mary Lynne Wills

Global Missions

Dave & Conce Roof (Brazil)
 EC Churches in Nepal
 EC Churches in India
 EC Churches in Liberia

Shut-ins

Nancy Berger
 Eileen Blew
 Doris Harig
 Mary Ellen Hering
 Edith Houtz
 Sharon Kissinger
 Mary Rhen
 Karen Rountree
 Maria Szumlanski (back & lungs)



Military

Alex Amaya (Navy)
 Josh Behler (Air Force)
 Megan Dull (Navy)
 Ben Kilmer (National Guard)
 Sierra Mueller (Air Force)
 Zehn Schropp (Air Force)
 Matthew Sterner (Air Force)
 Nate Stine (Air Force)
 Thomas Walser (Air National Guard)

