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#### **OFFICE HOURS**

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BULLETIN & The CURRENT INFORMATION DEADLINE Thursday noon Editor: Gwen Hernley

Email newsletter items to gwen@yellowcreekmc.org

# ~ Congratulations! ~

Bella Phebus, Jack Phebus and Jacoby Reinhardt have completed their Bible Memory verses for the year. Congratulations!

# ~ Women's Banquet ~

Today is the last day to sign up for the Women's Spring Banquet,

Tuesday, May 6, 6:15 p.m. We will enjoy a meal and hear from a local author, Brenda Yoder, speak on Renewal. Details were in your mailbox a few weeks ago. Invite your family, friends and neighbors. Signup now in the foyer. Please pay at that time.

## ~ Car/Tractor Cruise |n ~

**Our Car/Tractor/Cycle Cruise-In** is coming up, Wednesday, April 30 in the west/south parking lot. There will be music, fellowship and free food. Invite your neighbors, family and friends. A rain date of May 14 is planned.

### ~ Wiffle Ball! ~

Everyone is invited to an afternoon of Wiffle Ball Sunday, May 18, 4-6 p.m. in the grass area near the retention pond north of the church. Enter at <u>Lincoln and Karen</u>'s driveway. Plenty of bats and balls will be provided for all to play. Re-live your youth or show your current wiffle balls skills or bring your camp chairs to watch the action of young and old alike. Water and snacks will be available. Feel free to bring something to share with fellow players and spectators.

## ~ Senior Adults ~

**The next Senior Tuesday Luncheon & Program** is May 20 at noon. Terry Deiner, former pastor at Clinton Frame, will be talking about his book, *My Journey Toward Healing - Battling Lyme Disease*". Sign-ups will be in your Sunday School class next week.

# ~ Church Bus Replacement ~

The Finance Committee has established a Church Bus Replacement Fund based on the need to have safe and dependable transportation for church activities. Those activities include transportation for our seniors, youth trips, MDS trips, and other events. As an update to the brief report during our most recent congregational meeting, the committee working on the replacement of our two current buses with a single bus is following up on an opportunity to purchase a low-mileage vehicle. We ask that you prayerfully consider a contribution designated to the Church Bus Replacement Fund.

Our mission is to call and prepare everyone to be fully committed followers of Jesus Christ.

Yellow Creek Happenings . . .

Sunday, April 27

9:00 a.m. Bible Memory (Room 113)

9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship – Doug
The Boy Jesus in the Temple

10:45 a.m. Sunday School

5:00 p.m. Young Adult Gathering At Bontreger's (63630 CR 111, Goshen)

5:30 p.m. CLICK Club

Monday, April 28

8:00-8:30 a.m. Morning Walking

6:30 p.m.
Gifts Discernment
Pickleball
Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, April 29

6:30-7:30 a.m.
Men's Bible Study/Fellowship at
Angel's House of Pancakes,
Linway Plaza

8:00-8:30 a.m. Morning Walking 6:30 p.m.
VBS Committee
Praise Team Leaders

7:00 p.m. Volleyball

Wednesday, April 30

8:00-8:30 a.m. Morning Walking

6:00 p.m. Cruise-In

6:45 p.m. MYF Cruise in /Sharing Your Faith S Carson Golden

Thursday, May 1

8:00-8:30 a.m. Morning Walking

Friday, May 2

8:00-8:30 a.m. Morning Walking Sunday, May 4

9:00 a.m. Bible Memory (Room 113)

9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship –Wes
Lord of the Sabbath

10:45 a.m. Sunday School

5:00 p.m. Young Adult Gathering At Bontreger's (63630 CR 111, Goshen)

5:30 p.m. CLICK Club

#### **Extended Calendar**

(Activities at 7 p.m. unless otherwise noted)

#### <u>May</u>

- 5 Iron Sharpens Iron
- 6 Women's Spring Banquet, 6:15 pm
- 7 Spring Class, 6:30 pm
- 7 MYF, 6:45 pm
- 8 Young Adult Team, 6 pm
- 11 BP Checks, 9 am
- 12 Trustees, 6 pm
- 12 Women's Bible Study, 6:30 pm
- 13 Daycare Board, 6:30 pm
- 13 Finance Committee, 6:30 pm
- 14 MYF, 6:45 pm
- 18 Wiffle Ball, 4 pm
- 19 Iron Sharpens Iron
- 20 Senior Luncheon, Noon
- 20 Leadership Board, 3:30 pm

# ~ Church Campout ~

**Do you have Father's Day** weekend plans? Come spend the weekend camping at Amigo Park with your Church family, June 9-13. Sign-up in the foyer today and Sundays May 4, and 11. Even if you don't want to spend the night, come up Saturday to fellowship and enjoy God's beautiful outdoors. There is a carry-in dinner Saturday evening and a church service Sunday morning. Any questions contact **Rich and Karen Leinbach** or **Devon and Raymondè Witmer**.

Park

## ~ Outside Events ~

For information on most of these or other events, see the Outside Events bulletin board in the lower hallway.

**Maple City Community Orchestra** is featuring music from the Walt Disney movie *Fantasia*. The performance is Friday, May 2, 2025, 6:30 p.m. at the Goshen Theater. The music director is Victoria Petrak. This is a family and children's concert. **Ashley Graybill** is part of this orchestra.

Fundraiser Egyptian Street Food Meal Koshary! Support a local family facing \$8,000 in legal fees. Your support will go directly toward easing this heavy burden. Koshary is a beloved Egyptian street food—warm, hearty, and full of flavor! Come enjoy a plate (or two) while giving toward a great cause. Saturday, May 3, 5-7 p.m. at Sunnyside Mennonite Church, 23786 Sunnyside Ave, Elkhart, IN 46516 Suggested Donation: Give what you can—every dollar helps! Please let us know if you plan to come so we can prepare enough food. RSVP by emailing: <a href="mailing@gmail.com">mhaiamg@gmail.com</a>. Can't make it but want to support? Donations are welcome, please contact mhaiamg@gmail.com for information on how to give. Your kindness can help lighten this huge load in a big way.

<u>Everence Financial®</u> is hosting a FREE educational Medicare seminar on Monday, May 5 at 6:30 p.m. at Everence Financial 1110 N Main St., Goshen.

As you approach retirement, you may have some questions about moving to Medicare and Social Security. During this workshop, Everence discusses the important details you need to know about retirement income and transitioning to Medicare, including:

- Enrollment details and deadlines.
- Budgeting for health care and income in retirement.
- What are your options if you continue to work?
- Social Security when do I start?
- Prescription drug coverage.
- Plans that supplement Medicare.

May 5 - 6:30 p.m. | online webinar | register here

For additional information and a list of future workshop dates, visit everence.com/medicare-mondays.

**All You Can Eat benefit for The Center**, formally Family Christian Development on Saturday, May 10, 4-7 p.m. Several Nappanee churches are hosting this event. This is donation only. The event is at Nappanee Church of the Brethren, 301 Mack Drive, Nappanee. Menu: Beef Samosa, Chicken Curry w/Rice, Naan Bread, Chicken & Noodles, tossed salad, cookies, cake and drink. Carryout is available.

**Grab Your Golf Clubs!** Register for Amigo Centre's Golf Scramble at Klinger Lake on Saturday, May 31, 8 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Proceeds from this event support Amigo Centre's high-quality summer camp programming, especially providing registration scholarships for low-income youth. Register your team of four by May 15 at bit.ly/AmigoRegistration. For more information about sponsoring the event, visit AmigoCentre.org/golf-scramble or call 269.651.2811.