



ARE YOU LIVING BY ACCIDENT OR ON PURPOSE? JOHN 10:32-42

MAY 5, 2024 PASTOR CLIFF



### May 5, 2024 ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 5th - Benevolence Sunday Worship Services - 8:45 & 10:30am Children's Ministry Classes - 8:45 & 10:30am Adult Sunday School - 8:45am in Outback Room https://bit.ly/49tWIBC - online folder Monday, May 6th Men's Breakfast at Bert's in Palmerton - 7:00am Tuesday, May 7th Celebrate Recovery - 6:30pm Wednesday, May 8th ELEVATE Teen Ministry - 6:30pm Saturday, May 11th Ladies' Breakfast at Bert's in Palmerton - 8:00am

In-house services at 8:45 & 10:30am! Watch our service LIVE at 8:45am <u>www.bmcc.cc</u> or "@bmccpalmerton" Facebook page

### How to reach us:

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Alicia Klotz (Welcoming & Connection Minister): <u>bmccwelcome@gmail.com</u> **NEW EMAIL!** Website: <u>www.bmcc.cc</u> | Church office: 610-826-8402 Facebook: "@bmccpalmerton" & "Going to Church is Fun @ BMCC" | Instagram: @bmccpalmerton

# **REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!!**



### We are offering a parent Bible study during Vacation Bible School.

Any parent can register using the same QR code, select "Register your child", Accept, then under "last grade completed" select "ADULT".

# **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL NEEDS**

We are so very grateful for the response we received for Vacation Bible School volunteers. All needed slots are filled for this event!

### If you were hoping to help in some way, there are a few ways you can!

- VBS snack sign ups will be available at the Get Connected table!
- We will have VBS decorating and clean up day sign ups available soon!
- Please hang posters throughout the community and hand out VBS invite cards.





Providing Resources, Aid & Hope to Preemies and Their Families

### **BABY BLANKETS & BABY WIPES NEEDED**

The Impact Ministry is asking for your help! We are collecting NEW baby blankets & baby wipes to donate to the Lily's Hope Foundation.

Blankets should not be smaller than 24X30inches please.

All donations should be placed in the basket by the Get Connected Table by May 12th.

## **Attention Men!!!**

### Mark your calendars for our first Father & Child canoe trip coming on June 15th!!!

We will be canoeing/ kayaking the Lehigh River. We will stop for lunch on the river and have a short devotional.

See Jim Argondizzo or Pastor Rick for details.

<u>Children must be able to swim to attend the trip. life jackets are</u> <u>mandatory for all participants.</u> Sign up sheet will be coming in May!

## **Prayer Nights Together**

1st & 3rd Thursday of each month. Next gathering: Thursday, May 16th from 6:30-8:00pm at BMCC Led by: Larry Wetzel

## **UPCOMING YOUNG ADULT EVENTS**

### May 19 - Hike or Trail Walk - 2pm

• Location is TBA

#### June 16 - Bear Rock Junction, Mini Golf - 2pm

- \$9.75/ per person
- 8181 Route 309, New Tripoli, PA 18066

#### July 14 - Indoor Movie Night

- Rose Hickman's House ask for address
- Time TBA

#### August - No meeting

September - Breaking Bread: Meal & Message

• Details to TBA

#### October 18-20 - Awaken Conference

• Details TBA

Contact: Rose Hickman at <u>rosehickman@live.com</u> Facebook: Blue Mountain Community Church > Groups > BMCC Young Adults

## - Ladies' Prayer Group -

### at: Bunny Michael's Home located in Palmerton Tuesdays - May 14th & 28th 10:00-Noon

Focus: Praying for our loved ones, especially our children Additional dates will be discussed soon! Please text Louise Zercie for more details, address, and to RSVP! \*\*When texting, please include your name in the text. 860-716-9834

## ELEVATE TEEN MINISTRY

For students entering 7th-12th grade!

ELEVATE Meeting Wednesday, May 8th at 6:30pm

> Join us on Facebook: ELEVATE Student Ministries Instagram: elevate\_ministries7

## **CELEBRATE RECOVERY**

Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm Overseers: Wes & Jessica Neal Tuesday, May 7th

### SPEAKER: WES NEAL

Questions about Celebrate Recovery? Email: celebraterecoveryatbmcc@gmail.com

## **Connection Groups**

### **Trachsville Connection Group**

Tuesdays - 6:30-8:30pm Location: 210 Spruce Hollow Rd., Palmerton Call Larry Wetzel at 610-462-0477

### **Lehighton Connection Group**

Tuesdays - 6:30-8:30pm Locations vary. Call Shawn Rudalavage at 484-560-3965

### **Danielsville Connection Group**

Wednesdays - 6:30-8:30pm Location: 3365 Buckskin Ln., Danielsville Call Patti Argondizzo at 908-601-0598

Connection groups engage in fellowship & praise as well as discuss "Going Deeper" questions pertaining to the previous Sunday's message.We hope you can join us!

## UPCOMING COUPLES' EVENTS For married & engaged couples

### ~COUPLES BRUNCH~ Saturday, June 29th 9am - 1pm @ "The Mission!" 305 White Street, Weissport Hosted by Hank & Pat Brosky

### ~COUPLES POTLUCK~

July 20 @ 2:00-6:00pm at **The Brosky Home** 

## ~IRONPIGS GAME~

Saturday, August 10th at 6:30pm \$60/couple, All You Can Eat Buffet

### ~COUPLES RETREAT~ September 27-29, 2024 at Bongiorno Conference Center Carlisle, Pa. \$445 per couple, meals included

Save the dates!

**Benevolence YARD SALE** July 19th and 20th

**Impact Ministry -**Family Fun Day Fundraiser Saturday, August 10th

### **10th Annual Men's Retreat** October 11-13, 2024 **Refreshing Mountain Camp** "No Excuses"

## From Lori's Desk

**Newest Devotion:** "Missing Puzzle Piece" by Lori Schaffer

Go to: bmcc.cc, ministries, devotionals



1st Thursday of each month at 7am! See vou June 6th! Watch LIVE on Facebook "@bmccpalmerton" or at www.bmcc.cc

### Giving totals for the week of April 28th:

Total Giving: \$23,759.93 Women's Ministry: \$429.00 Go Ye Missions India: \$638.00 Building Fund: \$50.00 Celebrate Rec. Evt: \$100.00 Peaceful Knights: \$5.00

Tithe: \$7.930.00 Salary Escrow: 13,717.93

Women's Min. Evt: \$140.00 The Mission BMCC Weissport: \$150.00 Benevolence: \$560.00 Elevate: \$40.00

### **Giving Options**

• We offer online giving through our website: <u>www.bmcc.cc</u> => GIVE Mail in giving to BMCC: 25 Oak St. Palmerton, PA 18071