

Living Securely in the Day of Dread

Proverbs 1:33

September 7, 2025
Pastor Cliff



In-house services at 8:45 & 10:30am!
Watch our service LIVE at 8:45am
www.bmcc.cc or
["@bmccpalmerton"](https://www.facebook.com/bmccpalmerton) Facebook page

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ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Sunday, September 7th - Benevolence

Worship Services & Children's Min. | 8:45 & 10:30am

Connection Group in Palmerton | 5:30pm

Palmerton Festival

Monday, September 8th

Men's Breakfast at Bert's in Palmerton | 7am

Tuesday, September 9th

Young at Heart Ladies' Group - 10am

Celebrate Recovery | 6:30pm

Connection Group in Leighton | 6:30pm

Connection Group in Bowmanstown | 6:30pm

Wednesday, September 10th

GriefShare | 6-8pm

ELEVATE | 6:30pm

Connection Group in Jim Thorpe | 6:30pm

Connection Group in Danielsville | 6:30pm

Saturday, September 13th

Men's Breakfast at Bert's in Palmerton | 8am

Membership Class | 8am to 2pm



The Palmerton Festival is **Sept. 5, 6, 7**

Stop by the
Get Connected
Table to Help!

All proceeds go to our special services.

Celebrate Recovery

Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm
Overseers: Wes & Jessica Neal

Tuesday, September 9th
LESSON 13: ADMIT / SPEAKER: LISA HEFFERNAN

*For children whose parents are attending
Celebrate Recovery we have:*

Celebrate Recovery Kids Ministries
for Infants through grade 12 from 6:15-8:30pm
"Bright Beginnings" for infants
"Celebration Place" for students K-6th
"The Landing" for students 7th-12th

Email: celebraterecoveryatbmcc@gmail.com

Baptisms

We will be holding baptisms on
Sunday, September 21st

If you have been praying about taking this next step in your walk with Jesus, please stop by the Get Connected Table or email Alicia Klotz at bmccwelcome@gmail.com with your name and phone number.

MEMBERSHIP CLASS

Are you considering joining our church family?
Would you like to get to know us a little bit better? If
so, then please join us for our Discovering
Membership Class (101) on

Saturday, September 13, 2025
from 8am-2pm

Come learn more about our church's mission, vision,
history, and ministry.

**There is no pressure to become a member after
taking the class, so please feel free to join us for a light
breakfast & lunch, and day of fellowship.**

We hope to see you there!

Please use this link to register:

<https://bmcc.breezechms.com/form/b57cc91792>

LEAD NIGHTS

Sept. 22 & 29 | Oct. 20 & 27
6:30-8:30 pm
@ BMCC

If you are a leader at church or in the workplace, this is
your opportunity to develop your skills. Pastors Cliff &
Jen will discuss Biblical leadership principles, trouble-
shoot problem areas, pray together and encourage one
another to grow in leadership effectiveness.

registration: <https://bmcc.breezechms.com/form/4e3d28>

2025 MEN'S RETREAT
**FIGHT THE
GOOD FIGHT**
2 TIMOTHY 4:7-8

OCTOBER 10TH-12TH
REFRESHING MOUNTAIN
RETREAT CENTER

*** Register by September 28th**

Connection Groups

Bowmanstown Area Connection Group

Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm starting
September 9th

Location: 1407 Mauch Chunk Rd. Palmerton
Led by Larry Wetzel | 610-462-0477

Lehighton Connection Group

Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm starting
September 2nd

Location: 1385 Towamensing Rd. Lehighton
Led by Shawn & Amy Rudalavage | 484-560-3965

Jim Thorpe Connection Group

Wednesdays 6:30-8:30pm

Location: 136 Primrose Ln. Jim Thorpe
Led by Bill & Ellie Gill | 856-304-2299

Danielsville Connection Group

Wednesdays 6:30-8:30pm starting
September 10th

Location: 3365 Bucks Ln., Danielsville
Led by Jim & 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!

Palmerton Connection Group

Streaming Craig Groeschel's
"Relationship Goals" series

Please RSVP - meal to share
1st & 3rd Sundays 5:30-7:30pm
starting September 7th

Location: 2605 Hemlock St. Palmerton
Led by Kent & Cindi Christman | 267-210-3359

Prayer Nights Together

1st & 3rd Thursday of each month.
Starting in Fall

Next gathering: September 18th

Led by: Larry Wetzel
6:30-8:00pm at BMCC

GriefShare®

Grief Support Group

*Help and encouragement
after the death of a loved one*

At a GriefShare group, you'll find understanding, guidance, relief, and a safe place to navigate the challenges of grief. Come join us!

**Wednesdays – August 27
September 3, 10, 17, 24**

for more detailed information visit the Get Connected Table



AGES 18–30 | BLUE MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY CHURCH

Emerge Young Adults is a community for ages 18–30 to connect with the church and with Jesus. Our mission is to create space for young adults to grow in faith and purpose through activities, gatherings, and small group discussions.

STAY CONNECTED

Scan the QR code to join
our Facebook Group for
updates, encouragement,
and event details.



UPCOMING GATHERINGS

September 7th – Palmerton Festival | 1–3 PM

Meet us at the BMCC Booth

October 19th – Fall Festival | Yenser's Tree Farm

November 9th – Friendsgiving

QUESTIONS

Contact: Olivia Collumb
emergeya.bmcc@gmail.com | 570-517-6278



Couples Save the Dates

Couples Mini Golf - October 25

ELEVATE

TEEN MINISTRY

For students entering 7th-12th grade

Wednesday, September 10th

6:30-8:30pm

Bonfire at Pastor Rick's home

Facebook: ELEVATE Teen Ministries

Instagram: @elevate.bmcc

SAVE THE DATE

Girlfriends' Brunch - November 8th

Christmas Eve - Wednesday, December 24th

@ Penn's Peak 4:30 doors open, 6:00 pm service

No Services on Sunday, December 28th

- Online Devotion Only

Celebrate Recovery New Year's Celebration

Wednesday, December 31st

2026 NEW YEAR - January 4th at 10:30am

One Service Only

Our Vision:

To be a community of believers as
described in Acts 2

Our Mission:

To help today's generation come to know,
love and serve Jesus

Giving totals Aug. 19th - Sept. 1st

Advertising/Marketing: \$721.00

Caring Friends: \$5.00

Children's Min.: \$20.00

Couples Min. Events: \$775.00

3MR: \$20.00

Palmerton Festival: \$929.00

Total Giving: \$55,693.16

Benevolence: \$233.00

Celebrate Recovery: \$419.22

Children's Min. Events: \$40.00

ELEVATE: \$144.00

Men's Ministry Events: \$648.00

Salary Escrow: \$4,619.99

Tithe: \$36,198.95

Building Fund: \$95.00

CR Events payments: \$20.00

Couples Ministry: \$200.00

Go Ye Missions India: \$1,605.00

Peaceful Knights: \$65.00

The Mission BMCC Weissport - \$8,935.00

Giving Options

- We offer online giving through our website: <https://www.bmcc.cc/give>
- We also offer TEXT GIVING. Text the word GIVE to 610-600-9302

Mail in giving to BMCC: 25 Oak St. Palmerton, PA 18071