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HUMC's VBS 2023: **WHEN:** July 24-27
CHURCH PICNIC: **WHEN:** JUNE 4

KINGDOM KIDS

KINGDOM KIDS NURSERY (BIRTH - 2 YR.)
Sunday Mornings during the 10 a.m. worship service.
Visit hempfieldumc.org/nursery.

KINGDOM KIDS PRESCHOOL (2 YR. - KINDERGARTEN)
Meet in classrooms upstairs in preschool wing on Sundays at 10 a.m. No Kingdom Kids Preschool Sunday, May 28. Visit hempfieldumc.org/kingdom-kids-preschool.

KINGDOM KIDS-ELEMENTARY (GRADES 1-6)
Meets Sundays during the 10 a.m. service, through May 21 in the MPR. Pick up is in upstairs classrooms. Visit hempfieldumc.org/kingdom-kids-elementary.

KINGDOM FAMILY PRODUCTION
A fun, faith-filled evening of worship, prayer, drama and family interaction. No need to sign up, just show up! Kids grade 1 and up also are welcomed to join our production team! Contact Julie Miller (jmiller@hempfieldumc.org).

WHEN: Rehearsal: Sunday, Mar. 19, 11:30 a.m.
Production: Wednesday, Mar. 22, 6:30 - 7:15 p.m.

WHERE: MPR

KINGDOM FAMILY BINGO
Everyone is welcome to come to Family Bingo. We will have prizes for all ages. There is no cost to participate. Everyone leaves with a prize!

WHEN: Monday, Apr. 24, 6:30 - 8 p.m.

WHERE: Spirit Café

KINGDOM KIDS / ENCOUNTER TRANSITION MEETING
This parent meeting is for families of current grade 6 students to meet Encounter student ministry leaders and learn about upcoming youth events. In June, students entering grade 7 in the fall are welcomed into encounter student ministry

WHEN: Sunday, Apr. 30, 11:30 a.m.
WHERE: Encounter rooms 170 & 172

NOAH'S CAMP SMILE-A-LOT

Camp runs for 3 weeks in June and 3 weeks in July. Campers must be 3 - 6 years old and potty trained. Sign up for one week or up to all six. \$50/wk. Call 717-285-7110 to register. Information at noahsarkhempfield.org.



ENCOUNTER

SUNDAY NIGHT ENCOUNTER
Weekly meeting for students grades 7 - 12. Worship, teaching, games, small groups. Sunday evenings, 6 - 8 p.m., MPR & encounter rooms 170 & 172. Doors open 6 p.m.

ENCOUNTER PASSOVER SEDER
Students grades 7-12 are invited to experience a passover seder dinner on Sunday, Apr. 2, 6 p.m. in encounter rooms 170 & 172.

ENCOUNTER SUMMER CAMPS
Students entering grade 7 through recent high school graduate can attend summer camp at True Life Cabin, Jonestown, PA (1 hour north of Lanc.), Monday, July 31 - Aug. 4. This is a fun weekend filled with friends, outdoor games, swimming, worship and great food. Cost: \$200/student, due Sunday, July 16. Early registration: Sunday, May 21 = \$50 discount. Discounts offered to families sending multiple students.

SPRING 2023

EVENTS & PROGRAMS

EASTER SERVICES
Sunday, Apr. 9, 8:30 & 10 a.m.



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TO LEARN MORE about these opportunities or to sign up to participate, visit hempsfieldumc.org or call the church office at 717-285-5156.

Programs and events may require advance registration and/or have a cost. Check the HUMC website for details.



CONFIRMATION CLASS

This is an opportunity for youth to grow in their personal faith and learn the foundational doctrines and practices of the Christian life. At the end of the class, students will have the opportunity to be received into the church as full members. Students who have not been baptized will receive baptism. Those who wish to reaffirm the baptism of their infancy may do so.

WHEN: Mar. 12, 19, 26, Apr. 16, 23, 30, 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Confirmation Sunday, May 7, 11:30-12:30 **WHERE:** Room 124

HEALING SERVICE

This service will be led by Pastors John and Brenda. It is based on the pillars of a balanced life: social, emotional, spiritual, mental and physical healing. There will be contemporary worship music, prayer, a forgiveness candle, special music and a prayer team praying between messages. The public is welcomed.

WHEN: Sunday, Mar. 19, 5 p.m.

WHERE: HUMC Sanctuary

FAMILY NIGHTS

An evening for families to worship, parents to learn together with Pastors John and Jeff, and children and youth to enjoy small groups.

WHEN: First Wednesday of month: Mar. 29 (instead of Apr.

5/Holy Week) & May 3. There will be a break during summer.

EASTER CHOIR REHEARSALS

HUMC's choir is open to all who want to make a joyful noise to the Lord! The Easter choir will rehearse on three Monday evenings.

WHEN: Rehearsals on Monday, Mar. 20 & 27, and Apr. 3 from 3 7 - 8 p.m.;

Sing in both 8:30 & 10 a.m. service, Easter Sunday, Apr. 9

WHERE: Sanctuary

PALM SUNDAY

On Palm Sunday, we remember Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem on the colt of a donkey. The children will parade with palms as we worship the King.

WHEN: Sunday, Apr. 2, 8:30 & 10 a.m.

WHERE: Sanctuary

EGG HUNTS & SPRINGTIME SNACKS

Age-specific egg hunts. Signups requested by Mar. 26 to help us with planning. Also, please consider donating some of your very best deviled eggs for snacks. This event replaces our previously held Palm Sunday picnic, however a church picnic is planned for Sunday, June 4.

WHEN: Palm Sunday, Apr. 2, 11:30 a.m. / after worship

WHERE: Spirit Café; egg hunts outside (weather permitting)

MAUNDY THURSDAY

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another." In this service, we will focus on the Last Supper and the events of Jesus' last hours on earth, leading up to the crucifixion.

WHEN: Thursday, Apr. 6, 7 p.m.

WHERE: Sanctuary

TENEBRAE (GOOD FRIDAY)

"Were you there when they crucified my Lord?" On Good Friday, Christian believers take time to remember the Crucifixion. This service of readings and music will remind us of what Jesus endured on our behalf.

WHEN: Friday, Apr. 7, 7 p.m.

WHERE: Sanctuary

PRESCHOOL PLAY + PRAY

Preschool Family Play + Pray Pizza on the Playground! Join us as the weather warms for a light meal and fellowship. Open to families of preschool and younger-aged children. Sign-up will be requested for planning purposes.

WHEN: Friday, Apr. 21, 6 - 7:15 p.m.

WHERE: Pavilion or Spirit Café/MPR if raining



FIFTH SUNDAY

Ice cream and all the toppings will be waiting for you in the Spirit Café after both the 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. services. Come socialize. Join the fun!

WHEN: Sunday, Apr. 30

WHERE: Spirit Café

CONTEMPLATIVE RETREAT

Join us as we praise God the Creator. Led by Pastor Brenda Coffin, immerse yourself spiritually and physically in meditations, a group nature walk (low level difficulty), and a warm, nourishing lunch. Cost = \$25. Registration begins in April.

WHEN: Saturday, May 6, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

WHERE: Black Rock Retreat Center, 1345 Kirkwood Pike, Quarryville

SPRING CLEAN UP DAY

This annual Trustee-sponsored event is a morning where members can help with some general cleaning and sprucing up of HUMC's grounds. Online registration will be available.

WHEN: May 6, 8 a.m. - noon

WHERE: Outdoors at HUMC

VBS COMMITTEE TEAM MEETING

We welcome you to attend our second VBS team meeting, where we will discuss options for times, groups and learn more about this year's theme: Ready, Set, Move! Follow Jesus Here, There, and Everywhere. Come join the fun!

WHEN: Sunday, May 7, 11:30 a.m.

WHERE: Room 124

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION

You're invited to a time of celebration in honor and recognition of HUMC's many faithful volunteers.

WHEN: Sunday, May 21, following both worship services

WHERE: Spirit Café

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

This service is an opportunity for graduating seniors of the class of 2023 and their families to pause and prayerfully reflect upon this important rite of passage in the students' lives.

WHEN: Sunday, May 21, 2 p.m.

WHERE: HUMC Sanctuary

MEN'S BREAKFAST

All HUMC men are invited for breakfast and a time of fellowship. No sign up required.

WHEN: 1st Tuesday of the month, 8:30 a.m.

WHERE: Old Hickory Restaurant

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - TUESDAY EVENINGS & THURSDAY MORNINGS

Visit hempsfieldumc.org/bible for current study's theme and info. Registration required. All women are welcomed.

WHEN: Tuesday, 6:30 - 8 p.m.; Thursday, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

WHERE: Tuesday, Sanctuary; Thursday, Room 124

YOUNG ADULTS BIBLE STUDY

This study is for young adults college-age though 30's. Email Andy & Trisha Brighton for details.

WHEN: 1st & 3rd Tuesday of month, 7 p.m.

WHERE: Home of Andy & Trisha Brighton

MEN'S MINISTRY

Open to all men. No signup required. Join anytime. Contact Tony Glinski or Andy Brighton with questions or for more information.

WHEN: 2nd & 4th Thursday of month, 7:30 p.m.

WHERE: Room 170

THURSDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE STUDY / BREAKFAST

Led by Pastor Ed. All adults are invited. Attend as you are able. Also live streamed. Past session archives can be found at hempsfieldumc.org/senior-adult-bible-study.

WHEN: Thursdays, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

WHERE: Spirit Café

