# ECC ANNOUNCEMENTS

### did you know?

## OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

Each Sunday in October, we will be celebrating and honoring one of our ECC Pastors.

#### Today we honor Chuck!

We have provided gift bags for each Pastor at the Pastor Appreciation Table for you to reach out and show your appreciation throughout the month!

#### **Discover ECC Luncheon**



At ECC we believe in creating an EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH environment where people are encouraged to meet and follow Jesus. Yet, the reality is it can often be difficult to navigate a new church family and discover where you fit in.

**Discover ECC** is a free, casual, after-service lunch for those new to ECC and desiring to learn a little more about the church and how to connect and grow. The event will be a fun yet relaxed opportunity to meet the Staff and others exploring the church while also discovering what makes ECC tick. Bring your appetite and your questions and we'll handle the rest!

#### The Details:

**Who can come?** If you have been attending ECC for less than a year and are interested in learning more, we invite you to RSVP!

When is it? Sunday, November 5, right after 2nd service.

Where is it? Here at ECC in the Erickson Room.

**How do I sign up?** You can reserve your spot in a variety of ways. Simply indicate on your communication card, sign up at the Guest Services Desk, e-mail Amy at alove@eccwhitehall.org or by phone at (231) 894-4271.

**What about childcare?** Free childcare will be provided! Just let us know how many and what ages and we'll have you covered!



The deadline for the November newsletter is Monday, October 23. Please submit your articles/event information to Amy in the office by this date. Thank you!

#### DON ERICKSON ROOM DEDICATION



We will officially be dedicating the Don Erickson Room on Sunday, October 29 at 10:15am (between services). Please join the Erickson and ECC families in this time to remember and celebrate Don's impact and ministry here at ECC and also to pray a blessing over this room!

#### **COVENANT QUILTERS—SOMETHING NEW IS AFIELD!**

Covenant Quilters now has a place in the Life House that has a permanent setup for sewing. New tables, oldie-but-goody sewing machines, and all the sewing supplies you'll need.

Fabric is already cut and awaiting a sew-er.



**CQI** - - Join us Monday, November 6, at the Life House, to either tie quilts that are almost finished or work in the new sewing room to start a new quilt. Fabric is ready and waiting. Contact Lee Dickinson, 231-894-2572, jerlee 68@gmail.com or Barb Pulaski, 231-894-8022.

CQI will be delivering finished quilts to Muskegon area organizations and ministries on October 23. Meet at the Life House at 10:00am.

**CQII** -- Meets Tuesday, October 24 at 7020 Durham, Whitehall; 5-9:00 pm. Linda's Lab has a complete set up for all parts of the process. There is room for you. Contact Linda Wood, 231-292-1143, linbobwood@aol.com

#### WHAT IS SCRIP?

**SCRIP** provides an opportunity for fundraising for our youth groups! A percentage of each card goes back to our youth and also helps earn funds for your child's



camp cost at Portage Lake next summer! Why not use them for the purchases you make weekly, like groceries, gas, and entertainment?

#### **INSTANT SCRIP SCHEDULE:**

Instant SCRIP gift cards are available on Thursdays at the church office and on Sundays between services at the Guest Services Desk. Instant SCRIP for Wesco, Shell, Meijer, Sam's/Walmart, Little Caesar's, Pizza Hut, Montague Foods, Northstar Cinemas and Arby's are all available on a first-come first-served basis.

Questions? Check the box on your communication card, or contact Melissa Brower (brower\_melissa@hotmail.com or 231.794.8049).

#### Online giving is available!

Just visit our website—www.eccwhitehall.org. Under the "Resources" tab, you will see a link to our giving page. From there you will find a link to our online giving portal. Questions? Contact Pastor Justin—jporath@eccwhitehall.org.

