

## EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH

Whitehall, Michigan

## More people, more like Jesus. Loving God, loving others.



March 17, 2019 9:00am & 11:00am

# WELCOME

## We are glad you're here!

#### EVANGELICAL COVENANT CHURCH OF WHITEHALL – March 17, 2019

## **NEW HERE?**

Thank you for joining us today! Our prayer is that you will be blessed as you worship this morning. Please fill out the enclosed communication card and place it in the offering plate to let us know how we can assist you! We would love to meet you and share a coffee and some refreshments with you in the Don Erickson Room after the service.

## POWER UP CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

We have an exciting time of worship during both services for children ages 2 years through 5th grade. Check your child in at either of the two kiosks in the Don Erickson Room. 2 year-olds and preschoolers are in the upstairs classrooms off the hallway, and K-5th graders are downstairs. Parents—you will be required to pick up your children after services! Nursery is available for children from birth—2 years of age and the nursery drop-off is located along the east wall in the Don Erickson Room.

## TODAY'S SERVICE

We Are

Mission Moment—Muskegon Pregnancy Services

Call To Worship—2 Corinthians 1:3-4

Called Me Higher

The Way

"The 72" Pastor Tom Beeghly

Tithes & Offerings

Build Your Kingdom Here

#### MUSKEGON PREGNANCY SERVICES Baby Bottle Bonanza!

Stop at the table in the Don Erickson Room to pick up your Baby Bottle and start collecting your spare change for this ministry. Last year the ECC donations from this event totaled \$1942.42. Small change can make a BIG difference! Just more proof that God can make a lot from a little. Thanks for your willingness to participate and change the lives of mothers and children in Muskegon County.

#### **YOUTH MINISTRIES**

Hi-League Grades 9-12 Wednesdays, 7:30-9pm Here @ ECC! Craig Smith, HL Pastor 215-7075 FB: World's Best Youth Group

## Junior Hi-League (JHL)

Grades 6-8 Wednesdays, 6:30-8pm Here @ ECC!

#### JHL Breakfast Club

Sundays, 9-10:15am Meets @ Lifehouse (615 Lewis –next door) Chuck Connell JHL Director 215-5814 FB: Jr. High League

#### March 22-23

Junior High & Hi-League overnighter at Intersect in GR. See Chuck for a permission slip!

## THE LATEST INFORMATION:

#### CONGO KIDS GLOBAL 6K FOR WATER

This is an upcoming run/walk to raise funds for clean water in the Congo. For more information, contact Amanda Wendell at 231-557-5844 or amandawendell2016@gmail.com

#### DISCOVER ECC—March 24, 12:30pm

New to ECC in the past 6 months? This gathering is for you! Come and meet some of our pastors and ministry leaders, learn more about ECC, and enjoy some lunch! Childcare provided, if needed. Sign up on your communication card.

#### GOD'S GARAGE

We are looking for 2 car repair candidates from within the ECC community. Please contact Craig if you have a candidate in mind!

#### WORK CAMP-JUNE 17-21, 2019

Use the enclosed insert to sign up! Many hands allow us to take on more projects!

#### **BUILDING 429 CONCERT—APRIL 11—7pm** @ Montague High School Auditorium

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT MUSKEGON RESCUE MISSION Get your tickets today at www.itickets.com

## A LOOK AHEAD—SAVE THE DATES!

Base Camp in May! (date TBD) ECC Bible Conference—July 7-10 Mega Sports Camp—July 14-18

## CONGREGATIONAL MEETING—MARCH 18, 7PM

Our Leadership Team is looking forward to seeing you at this meeting. They have lots to share:

- Budget Updates—voting on budget allocation
- ♦ Leadership Team updates
- ◊ Q & A session with YOU!

Your presence is valued at this meeting, please plan to attend!

#### AWANA FAIR IS MARCH 26!

If you would like to donate new items for the fair, please drop them off in Terri Means' office. For monetary donations to the fair, place your donation in the offering marked "AWANA Fair".

#### COFFEE FUNDRAISER FOR CAMP!

There is a new way to support our students attending Portage Lake Camp....coffee! Stop by Guest Services to pick up a bag of Magnum Coffee (\$10). All sales go right into the PLCBC Scholarship Fund!

### **OPPORTUNITIES & INFORMATION**

#### **CHURCH-WIDE E-MAIL LIST**

An e-mail is sent weekly that includes reminders and upcoming events. If you would like to be added to this list, please let us know on your communication card.

#### SCRIP

SCRIP is an ongoing gift card fundraiser for our youth programming with a personal incentive for earning as well. We have more to tell you, so contact Melissa Brower for all the details! (231) 794-8049 or brower\_melissa@hotmail.com.

#### ECC TEES

We have ECC T-shirts for sale—adult sizes S through 2XL. They are \$10 each and you can purchase them at the Guest Services Desk!

#### **COVENANT QUILTERS I & II**

Quilts are made to bless our local ministries! **CQI**—Meets every other Monday, 1-4pm We are now back at the Lifehouse. Our next meeting is March 18. Contact Lee: 292-2213

**CQII**—Every Tuesday, 5-9pm @ Linda Wood's home, 7020 Durham Road, Whitehall. Contact Linda: 292-1143

## CONTACT US:

#### Office Information:

Hours: Mon—Thurs 8-3:30pm office@eccwhitehall.org (231) 894-4271

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#### Terri Means Children's Ministries Director tmeans@eccwhitehall.org

Amy Love Office Administrator alove@eccwhitehall.org

**ANCHOR MENTORING** Anchor is a mentoring program that supports Montague High School students. We have students looking for a mentor! We meet on selected Thursdays in the MHS cafeteria from 8-9am. The dates for mentoring for the rest of the school year are as follows:

\*March 21\* \*April 25\* \*May 16\*

If you think you may like to come see what it is about, please contact Jennifer Jensen ahead of time at 231-923-0755 or <u>jlj1995@me.com</u>. Come make an impact on a teenager's life!

#### Monthly Stewardship Report

February General Fund (GF) Giving	\$ 50,021.13
Monthly budget GF goal	\$ 50,833.08
YTD GF Giving	\$ 93,911.16
YTD GF Goal	\$ 101,666.16
YTD GF Deficit	\$ 7,755.00
Annual Budget goal	\$ 610,000.00

#### For more ECC information, visit:

Website: www.eccwhitehall.org Facebook: Evangelical Covenant Church of Whitehall