



EC LEADER

APRIL 2018

From the Bishop:

The 16th chapter of Matthew tells us about a confrontation between Jesus and a group of Pharisees and Sadducees. The Pharisees were the larger and more popular group. The Sadducees were much smaller but they controlled much of what happened in and around the great Temple in Jerusalem.

Some might suggest that they were kind of like the Republicans and the Democrats who make up the U.S. Congress; at time they had to work together, but most of the time they didn't get along. So a group of men from the two parties came to test Jesus demanding Jesus perform some great "miraculous sign from heaven" to prove his authority; to prove he was the Messiah.

Jesus responded by calling their attention to a common saying about the weather, "Red sky at night means fair weather tomorrow; red sky in the morning

means foul weather all day." Just like today people want to know what the weather will be; they just have weather.com to find out; so they looked at the colors in the sunsets and sunrises, the winds and the clouds. What Jesus was saying was while these religious leaders could read the skies for weather, they couldn't figure out the spiritual "signs of the times"

right in front of them.

So Jesus says in effect, you want a sign proving that I am the Messiah, the anointed one of God?

"The only sign I will give them is the sign of the prophet Jonah." So what's the sign of Jonah? Go back into your childhood Sunday School memories; how long was Jonah inside the big fish? [Three days.] In a similar passage Jesus said, "...so will the Son of Man be in the heart of the earth for three



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days and three nights." Jesus would give them the sign—a suffering Savior who gave himself to die on a cross, buried in the earth for three days, and then, like Jonah, to miraculously come back.

It's not necessarily wrong to look for a sign, to look for evidence. The book of Judges tells us about Gideon who was drafted by God to be the general of the Hebrew army. It's one thing to be drafted; it's another to be grafted to be the general! Gideon wanted to be sure that it really was God calling him so he asked for a sign; actually a couple of them. God was gracious and answered Gideon's requests.

Some people think that believing in Jesus is a step in blind faith. Yet, Christianity is not based on blind faith; it is to believe based on evidence that establishes our convictions. Jesus' teaching, his life, his death and, above all, his resurrection speaks to us. My response to the truth of the resurrection is to believe Jesus is who he says he is, to trust in Jesus, to follow him in discipleship, and to serve him with my whole life. Jesus is alive!

In Christ's service,



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Bishop's Top Ten Prayer & Praise List

1. Pray for the transition in leadership within our Global Ministries Community with the change in Global Ministries Associate which will take place on July 1, 2018.
2. Pray for Evangelical Seminary—the students who are soon graduating as well as new students who are considering coming to Evangelical.
3. Pray for two of our international conferences: the Annual Leaders Conference of the EC Church—India and Randy Sizemore's trip to Japan.
4. Ask the Lord to bless our camping ministries as they prepare for the summer camping season.
5. Please keep praying for the Stationing Committee as they seek the Lord's will in bringing together pastors and congregations who will fit and flourish.
6. Praise the God we serve, a risen Savior, who continues to live and work through his Holy Spirit today!
7. Thank the Lord that the changing of seasons reminds us of the great faithful of our heavenly Father.
8. Praise the Lord for opportunities to get outside our homes to work and play and to interact with our neighbors and build new relationships.
9. Praise the Lord for his leading during our recent spring National Ministry Team meeting.
10. Thank the Lord for all the individuals who remind me that they are praying for me. I depend on it! (Don't quit now.)



News from the Executive Director

Thanks to almost everyone for completing the **workers compensation forms** on a timely basis. The workers compensation audit is scheduled and the invoices will be sent to the church by mid April. Early estimates indicate there will be a decrease to the workers compensation premiums and all churches in the group workers compensation program will see a decrease in their premiums.

Churches not included in the denominational workers compensation group policy; Ohio, Illinois and Kentucky churches, however your individual state mandates workers compensation coverage. Please confirm that all employees of the church are covered by workers compensation insurance. Per EC Benefits Corporation policy H.3.b, churches not covered by the denomination group workers compensation policy shall submit proof of workers compensation coverage by July 1 of each year. Please submit proof of your workers compensation coverage to:

EC Benefits
100 W. Park Avenue
Myerstown, PA 17067
Or fax 717-866-7553 or
email
dking@eccenter.com

The **annual disability premium** was due January 15 and the **Benefit Corporation administrative fee** is due by April 15, 2018, retirees are not subject to the administrative fee. Both of these fees are listed in the Treasurer's Guide available on the EC website. Many have remitted the disability fee timely and a few have already submitted the administrative fee and we thank you for your diligence and hard work.

Treasurers please confirm that you are remitting your **ministry fund payments** on the correct monthly form. In 2018 the ministry fund percentage decreased to 6.75%.

To date about 80% of **pastoral compensation forms** have been returned. Thanks to all the churches that have responded. We will be reminding non compliant churches to complete and submit their pastoral compensation forms.

Please save Dave King some work by submitting your pastoral compensation forms as soon as possible.

Tax Cut and Jobs Act Legislation

The Tax Cut and Jobs Act, aka Tax Reform, signed into law on December 22, 2017 contains a few provisions that pastors and lay leaders should be aware of. The most talked about provision is the increase in the standard deduction that has the potential to reduce charitable giving. With the increase in the standard married couple deduction to \$24,000 from \$12,700 reduces the importance of a charitable gift to reduce tax liability. In other words, a couple that in previous years itemized deductions and the total of those deductions exceeded the \$12,700 married couple standard deduction would be able to reduce their tax liability for every \$1 of deductions over the standard deduction of \$12,700. Dona-

tions to charities, including churches, were a key tax reduction strategy for tax payers to exceed the \$12,700 standard deduction. Now with the standard deduction at \$24,000 there is less of a tax savings incentive to make a charitable donation. A typical tax payer that may have \$10,000 in eligible tax deductions has no

tax savings incentive to make a \$3,000 charitable gift to exceed the previous \$12,700 standard deduction if the standard deduction is now at \$24,000. The tax payer can keep his \$3,000 and have the same tax liability whether his itemized deductions are \$10,000 to \$13,000. Only a small portion of high wage U.S. taxpayers will be itemizing deductions that will exceed the new standard deduction for couples of \$24,000.

As Christians we should not base our tithes and offerings off of the U.S. tax code however most experts are anticipating a decrease in giving to churches in 2018. Various ministry and other organizations are advertising methods and campaigns to minimize the anticipated decrease in giving. I have



never been a supporter of schemes or gimmicks to increase giving. I do encourage pastors and lay leaders to begin conversations and be aware of how giving is trending at their church during 2018 and most likely any impact of decreased giving will be felt in the traditional end of the calendar year giving bump in December. I believe this is a time for churches to act on faith and not decrease ministry opportunities out of fear of what may or may not happen. Being a good steward by counting the cost and making plans is different than a hide in a bunker and survive at any cost mentality.

Two other concerns are the elimination of miscellaneous deductions and tax free moving costs. All pastors should have an accountable reimbursement plan for ministry expenses such as travel, professional development or cell phone reimbursement. An accountable plan is a plan or procedure in which the pastor submits mileage or receipts of costs that they have incurred in the course of performance of their job duties and are reimbursed by the church. I know there are EC churches that have non accountable plans that provide to the pastor a set amount each month for their out of pocket ministry costs without the pastor providing receipts or details of the expenditure. If the pastor was completing an accurate tax return the difference between the reimbursements received under a non accountable plan and their documentable expenses is taxable income or a tax deduction depending if the reimbursements exceeded or were less than the actual expenses. Now that the miscellaneous deduction has been eliminated, eliminating the ability for the pastor to deduct a short fall in their non accountable plan reimbursements, expenses should be reimbursed under an accountable plan thus eliminating the potential of a tax liability for the pastor.

All pastoral moving costs whether paid by the local church or by the denomination are taxable income in 2018. It does not matter if the pastor is actively serving a church or retired or in a parsonage or in their own home or if the move is 500 miles or 10 miles, all moving costs paid for by the local church or denomination are taxable income. Pastors that have their moving cost paid for by the denomination a 1099-MISC tax form will be supplied by January 31 of the next year and must be included on your personal taxes.

I recommend during late spring or early summer 2018 that pastors schedule time with their tax preparers and review what impact the Tax Reform legislation will have on their 2018 taxes. The rules of conference will be updated to comply with the current tax laws.

As always, please contact Dave King, Benefits Administrator, or Kevin Henry, Executive Director, with any questions or problems, dking@eccenter.com, khenry@eccenter.com or 717-866-7581.



Garden Club Achieves Certification from Penn State

The StoneRidge Garden Club at StoneRidge Poplar Run in Myerstown, whose entries at area fairs and gardening events each year reap many winning ribbons and accolades, has worked toward and achieved a certification from the Penn State Cooperative Extension. The garden property at StoneRidge has been designated a "Pennsylvania Pollinator Friendly Garden." This certifies that the property provides food and habitat for native insects and animals which in turn provides the pollination needed to protect our plant diversity and food sources. Club President and Certified Master Gardener Doris Yochum was delighted that the club achieved this important certification. "It is an important designation for us and affirms our commitment to maintain the natural integrity of the property for which we are responsible," Yochum said.

*StoneRidge Retirement Living Communities is comprised of four retirement communities in South Central Pennsylvania. Locations include StoneRidge Poplar Run and StoneRidge Towne Centre both in Myerstown and Church of God Home in Carlisle and Schoolyard Square in Pine Grove. For more information about options available for you or a loved one, visit us online at www.StoneRidgeRetirement.com or call us at 717-866-3553. StoneRidge Retirement Living is all about just that—living!



This protected swale is part of the gardens maintained by the StoneRidge Garden Club. The swale contains a variety of native wild plants and flowers including this deep-purple colored aster in the foreground.

News from the Ministerial Development Community

What You Can Expect from the Pastoral Assessment Center

Five individuals who went through the PAC in 2018 have answered a few questions about their experience this past year. Below is a compilation of some of their answers.

1. What did you learn from the pre-PAC discipleship huddles?

I learned how to start dealing with past disappointments and to not let them build up inside of me... The most important thing I learned was the value of ongoing fellowship and openness with a small group of believers in order to be properly disciplined. I learned clearly how to be a disciple and how to disciple others. I learned to look for kairos moments—special times when God is working and when He wants me to maybe make a change.

2. How did the PAC help you to understand the EC Church better?

PAC allowed me to see the real commitment that the EC Church has in helping those who have God's call to be a pastor. With having so many of the EC leaders there, PAC helped me realize that the EC Church is there to help you in any way they can to help grow your ministry. I came to understand "the EC way" — the method, as well as the vision, behind the way the EC Church does things. I was struck by the diversity of congregational cultural under the EC umbrella.

3. What tools and resources were most helpful?

It is very difficult to choose a single tool. But I think it was very helpful for my life, the assigned readings, starting from the book "Building a Discipling Culture" to the readings on the web. All the tools were valuable; but I learned most from the Grip-Birkman tool what I need to be aware of in myself as a leader. I could see both the strengths and the potential dangers or disadvantages in my leadership style. This, in turn, made me more aware of the need to build a team for ministry. The marriage assessment helped both my wife and I see that we are more in line with how we think of the other more than we thought. Natural Church Development helped me narrow and refine the most important things to concentrate on. And God Space is a helpful way to look at outreach and how to communicate.

4. What would you say to someone entering next year's PAC?

Before I went to PAC, I was told: "They want to see where your heart is." I can say the same now that I've been to PAC. Be prepared for questions that will make you think; be ready to open your heart and learn where you're strong and where you're weak; be ready to have your idea of ministry sharpened and redefined. Relax. Don't sweat the intimate nature of the interview questions. Do not let anything impede your participation in this event. The PAC experience will confirm the call that the Lord has made to your life. Be ready for a week that will challenge and stress you out but when it's all done, the PAC experience will change your life!

If you are sensing a call to pastoral ministry, it is essential that you first discuss this matter with the lead pastor at your church and talk to other leaders who are able to observe your gifts and abilities in action. If they provide you with positive (and constructive) feedback, your next step would be to contact me at jgbyerly@eccenter.com or call me at 570-294-3467. The 2019 PAC information follows this article.

Blessings,
Rev. Jeffrey Byerly
Ministerial Development Associate

2019 Pastoral Assessment Center Enrollment

The deadline for registering for the 2019 Pastoral Assessment Center is June 1, 2018. The date and location for the PAC are January 15-19, 2019 at the campus of Evangelical Seminary. There is no cost to those who are seeking credentials in the EC Church. Because ministry requires more of the family than other typical vocations, the wife of each applicant is asked to attend. Please work out arrangements in adequate time for both of your attendance to participate.

Please enroll by requesting an entrance application from
jgbyerly@eccenter.com

DIVERSE CALLINGS IN THE CHURCH

The Ministerial Development Community (and previously the Conference Relations Committee) has listened to the stirrings within our men and women sensing ministerial callings over the years. As we have listened, we have noticed the opportunity to consider that God often speaks to people within a variety of contexts and toward a variety of different expressions.

We are reminded that Paul says in Ephesians 4:11-16:

So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip his people for works of service so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of God.

When we look at the five-fold ministry of APEST (Apostles, Prophets, Evangelists, Shepherds (or Pastors), and Teachers), we see a diversity of gifts that are not easily categorized into our current pastoral structure. As we observe how God is working in the midst of our churches and field of ministry, we've been considering what might be involved in expanding our view of ministry and categories for ministerial credentials.

Therefore, the MDC leadership would like to facilitate a discussion around the diversity of gifts for ministry. Not only are we interested in how this conversation could enhance the ongoing work within our churches and our fields of ministry, but we would value the opportunity to join with others in these pursuits. We are likewise aware that many differing views exist around this five-fold ministry concept, and would appreciate dialogue, debate, and feedback in regard to this discussion.

If you are interested, please contact Jeff Byerly at jgbyerly@eccenter.com to join us for lunch and the discussion to follow.

DIVERSE CALLINGS IN THE CHURCH
at EVANGELICAL SEMINARY
Thursday, May 3rd, 2018
Noon—3 pm

Kingdom Extension Community

Pastoral Health & Ministry Resources

Stuck? Facing a new issue? Sure this can't be happening? Wondering if anyone else has been where you are? You could Google "this" or "that." Or you could check out this list of resources, categorized in various ways.

Do you have resources you have enjoyed that should be added this list, forward them to Les Cool (revcool@ptd.net or 717-951-8433) and he will add them to the list for a future posting. We are in this together!

WEBSITES

These sites include books, articles, newsletters, training, experiences, web and podcasts, coaches and coaching, blogs, and much more.

◆ Self & Soul Care

◆ <http://www.leadershiptransformations.org/>

◆ LTI will help you listen, equip you to discern, invite you to act, encourage you to pursue God's unique will for you, your team, and your ministry.

◆ <http://www.soulcare.com/>

◆ Soul Care helps you live from a healthy soul and wisely lead others towards authentic transformation.

◆ <http://www.transformingcenter.org/>

◆ Strengthening the souls of pastors, Christian leaders, and the congregations and organizations they serve.

◆ Small Church Support

◆ <http://newsmallchurch.com/>

◆ This relatively new resource is designed for the pastor of the smaller church. I especially loved a recent article title which says it all, "Being A Small Church Pastor Isn't a Penalty, It's a Specialty."

◆ <http://www.rhma.org/>

◆ Rural Home Missionary Association serves small town pastors and churches. They also run annual multi-day seminars with appropriate speakers and resources.

◆ <http://www.smallchurchpastor.com/home>

◆ Dave Jacobs, with 30 years of pastoral experience in smaller churches, specializes in small churches and their pastors. He provides resourcing and coaching.



BOOKS

◆ Self & Soul Care

◆ The Emotionally Healthy Leader: How Transforming Your Inner Life...
Peter Scazzero

◆ Replenish: Leading from a Healthy Soul
Lance Witt

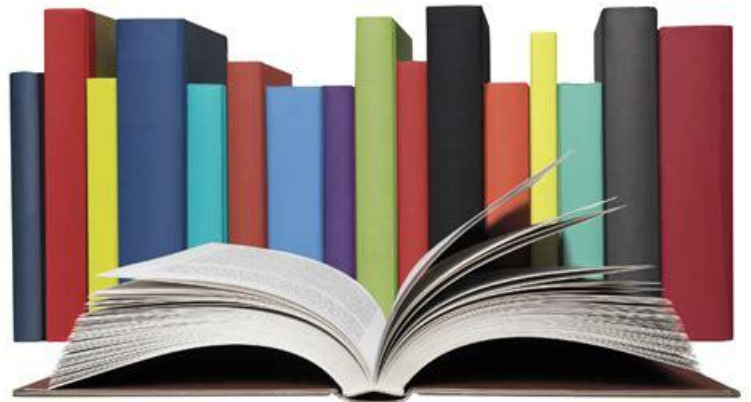
◆ Sacred Rhythms: Arranging Our Lives for Spiritual Transformation

Ruth Haley Barton

- ◆ Simplify: Ten Practices to Unclutter Your Soul
Bill Hybels
- ◆ Soul Detox: Clean Living in a Contaminated World
Craig Groeschel
- ◆ Soul Keeping: Caring for the Most Important Part of You
John Ortberg
- ◆ Strengthening the Soul of Your Leadership
Ruth Haley Barton

◆ **Pastoral & Leadership Development**

- ◆ Fail: Finding Hope and Grace in the
Midst of Ministry Failure
J.R. Briggs
- ◆ The Heart of a Great Pastor
H.B. London & Neil Wiseman
- ◆ Leading on Empty
Wayne Cordeiro
- ◆ Pastors at Greater Risk
H.B. London & Neil Wiseman
- ◆ The Sense of the Call
Marva J. Dawn
- ◆ Liberating Ministry from the Success
Syndrome
Kent & Barbara Hughes
- ◆ The Shepherd's Covenant
H.B. London & Neil Wiseman





May 11-12, 2018

Community EC
Sinking Spring

Friday 4-9 pm
Saturday 9 am—5 pm

Register on EVENTBRITE:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/discipleship-and-mission-taster-workshop-reading-pa-tickets-43764596085>

COST

**\$99 for the first person;
\$59 for your spouse and/or additional team members.**

Questions or more info?
Contact Al Giles—610-389-5857—pastoral@ptd.net

Discover the principles of going from having a ministry to leading a movement:
reproducing disciples instead of just recruiting more volunteers,
multiplying communities instead of just adding more people.

MORE THAN THEORY—practical experience!

Large amounts of Q & A
Consultations for your team with our team
Worship
Down time
A great mixture of work, rest, practice, theory and team time

We strongly encourage you to come with at least one other person.

If possible, bring a whole team.
It'd be great to have the senior leader there.

The 3dm framework and tools *for discipleship and mission*
Strategically apply to church, para-church, campus ministries,
Non-profits, and everyday people of God
Who want to learn how to make disciples
In a way that mobilizes a missional movement!

What's Happening at Twin Pines from April—May 2018 ??



Craft Retreat April 6-8

Spend time away from your "normal life" crafting, laughing and sharing. Bring whatever craft you wish to make progress with. Times are flexible for you to get up as early as

you want, or stay up at late as you want to work on your craft. There is now an extension option available to craft Thursday evening & all day Friday. Brochure and registration materials are available at <http://bit.ly/2018CraftRetreat>

Spring Fling Children Retreat April 27-29



Twin Pines will again offer a retreat for children. This year's Spring Fling theme is **UR**. It will challenge children in their faith; and guide them to a better understanding of who they are in Christ. The retreat is for groups of children between 3rd & 5th grade. Churches provide their

own group leadership. Information, promotional poster and registration materials are available now at <http://bit.ly/SpringFling2018>.

Twin Pines Adult Retreat May 4-6



Believers seek a time to retreat from their daily busyness and spend time with the Father, just as the Gospel writers state Jesus did. Enjoy

spending a weekend with God in nature to rest, relax, and delve into



the Word, with Rev. Jim Price as the speaker. He will focus on Exodus 34:6-8, and Moses' encounter with God, guiding you to be lost in wonder, love and praise. More information and registration is available at <http://bit.ly/TPAdultRetreat>

For Ladies Only Retreat May 15-17



Back by popular demand, Sue Duffield, with her love to make people laugh with her off-the-wall Jersey logic and sacred sarcasm. Not surprising, Sue has found it's a style of humor that resonates with audiences everywhere. Come to enjoy time with other ladies of faith, growth in your spiritual life, and time away from your normal life. For more

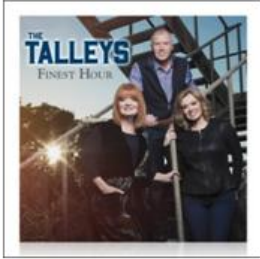
information about Sue, and to register, go to http://bit.ly/2018_TPLadies.

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Learn more about all of these at www.twinpines.org



The Praise Dinner—Tuesday, April 10, 6:00 pm



The Wenger Foundation has an exciting evening planned for the event this year! Held at the Lebanon Expo Center, our special entertainment will be

The Talleys, and guest speaker will be Rev. Bob Kettering. Reservations are due by March 30, so if you are interested in attending, call Ann Steel at 717-866-5775, ext. 2143 right away.



The 33rd Annual Golf Tournament—Thursday, May 17, 7:15 am

The 2018 Golf Tournament will be held at the Fairview Golf Course on Route 72 in Lebanon, PA. We anticipate a great day of golf, friendship, and good fun while also raising the funds needed to develop effective servant leaders.

To learn more about some wonderful features of this tournament, go to evangelical.edu/golf. See you on the links!



The Wesley Forum—Wednesday, April 25, 9:00 am-2:30 pm



The Art of Work: C.S. Lewis and John Wesley Speak will be presented by Chris Armstrong, Ph.D., a church historian and director of Opus: the Art of Work, at Wheaton College. He

will be exploring ways in which C.S. Lewis and John Wesley, as well as other “Sages of the Ages,” speak into how Christians can live out their faith in the world through work, vocation, and human flourishing. To register online go to: evangelical.edu/Wesley.

The 2018 Friends of Evangelical Banquet—Thursday, October 11, 5:45 pm

We are pleased to announce that our guest speaker at the 2018 Banquet will be Dr. Leonard Sweet, Evangelical’s Charles Wesley Distinguished Visiting Professor of Doctor of Theology Studies. Dr. Sweet has been one of the most prolific and provocative voices on the mission of the church in this generation. He has something to say, and a unique way of saying it which is accessible to ordinary people, not just to scholars or clergy. Watch for more information over the next few months.



PRE-CONFERENCE MEETINGS

Saturday, April 21

- ◆ 9:00 AM (Eastern) meeting live at Lakeside EC Church, 3203 North Hermitage Road, Transfer, PA 16154
- ◆ 8:00 AM (Central) meeting via video conference at Bethel EC Church, 131 North Court, Dixon, IL 61021

Tuesday, May 1—7:00 PM

St. Paul's EC Church
46 East Church Street, Reamstown, PA 17567

Saturday, May 5—9:00 AM

Christ EC Church
2135 Tilghman Street, Allentown, PA 18104

Thursday, May 10—7:00 PM

Zion EC Church
247 Zion Church Road, Pitman, PA 17964

Saturday, May 12—9:00 AM

First EC Church
55 West Main Street, Palmyra, PA 17078

All church personnel involved with pastoral compensation (treasurers, stewards, financial secretaries, PAC members, etc.) are encouraged to attend the pre-conference meetings. The pre-conference meetings will cover the new pastoral compensation rules and new pastoral compensation forms. Churches that outsource payroll will also find benefits from attending the pre-conference meetings.



The numbers are in—join us in celebrating 11,012,840 shoebox gifts collected in 2017! We praise God for the partnership with so many Evangelical Congregational Churches that join with the local church worldwide in sending Good News and Great Joy through gift-filled shoeboxes. Please join us in prayer over the transportation of these gifts, for the millions of children who will hear the Gospel at shoebox outreach events, and for the local church partners who also facilitate The Greatest Journey follow-up discipleship program.



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Registration forms
are available on the
EC website
(www.eccenter.com)

2018 NATIONAL CONFERENCE

May 30, 31—June 1
Messiah College, Grantham, PA

What is the life of following Jesus all about? We go to church on Sunday morning to enjoy fellowship and worship. Those are good things; but is that all there is to it? An hour or two until next Sunday when we show up and do it all again; but nothing in between changes—there's no difference at home, work, school, or in our relationships. Paul tells us Jesus died so that those who receive his new life will no longer live for themselves. Instead, they will live for Christ. We are to be ALL IN! That means more than what I do—it is who I am as a disciple of Jesus.

April 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 EASTER SUNDAY <i>Day of Prayer for Kingdom Extension</i>	2 Church Center Closed	3	4	5	6 Craft Retreat, Twin Pines <i>Day of Prayer for the E.C. Church</i>	7 Craft Retreat, Twin Pines
8 Craft Retreat, Twin Pines	9 Prayer Mobilization Team Mtg.	10 Youth Network Mtg. Evangelical Seminary Praise Dinner	11	12	13 Health Insurance Due Twin Pines Board Mtg. Allegheny/Buckeye Women's Retreat	14
15 Allegheny/Buckeye Women's Retreat	16	17	18 Episcopacy Mtg.	19	20	21 Pre-Conf. Mtg. Lakeside, Transfer And Bethel, Dixon
22	23 Info for MAY EC Leader Due	24 StoneRidge Trustee Mtg.	25 Wesley Forum, Evangelical Seminary	26 Evangelical Seminary Mtg.	27 StoneRidge Open House Spring Fling-Children's Retreat, Twin Pines	28
29 Spring Fling-Children's Retreat, Twin Pines	30					

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May 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Pre-Conf Mtg Reamstown	2 Spring Spruce-Up, Twin Pines	3 NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER Diverse Callings in the Church	4 Adult Retreat, Twin Pines <i>Day of Prayer for the E.C. Church</i>	5 Pre-Conf Mtg Christ, Allentown
6 Adult Retreat, Twin Pines <i>Day of Prayer for Kingdom Extension</i>	7	8 Youth Network Mtg.	9	10 ASCENSION DAY Pre-Conf Mtg Zion, Pitman	11 3 D Movements, Sinking Spring	12 Pre-Conf Mtg Palmyra
13 MOTHER'S DAY Mother's Day Offering	14 Prayer Mobilization Team Mtg.	15 Health Insurance Due	16 For Ladies Only, Twin Pines	17 StoneRidge "Senior Prom" Evangelical Seminary Golf Tournament	18	19
20 PENTECOST	21 Info for MAY EC Leader Due	22	23	24	25	26
27	28 MEMORIAL DAY Church Center Closed	29	30	31 NATIONAL CONFERENCE	June 1	

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