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Monday, Wednesday, Friday
 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
 Article Deadline for the Shoreline:
 Wednesday morning by 9 a.m.

Save the date of Saturday, April 27 for the Spring King's BBQ Chicken Fundraiser to benefit the Brethren Retreat Center. It will begin at 10:30 at the County Courthouse in LaGrange. Be sure to mark the date and grab lunch or dinner and support BRC!

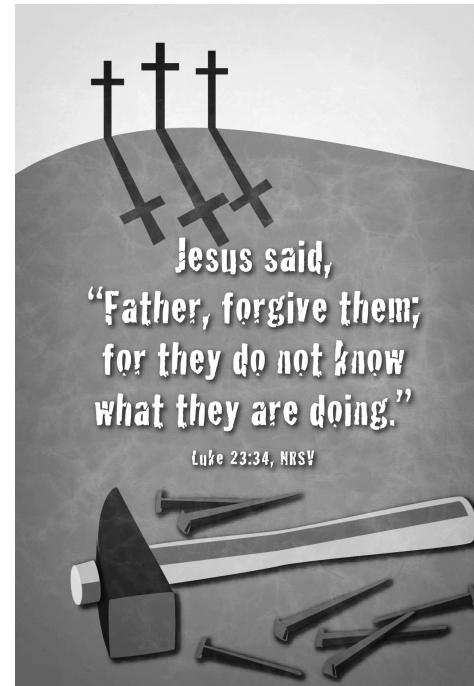
Pancakes with a Purpose - Join the Emma Church congregation on March 16 from 7:00 a.m.-11 a.m. for a Pancake, Sausage, and Egg Fundraiser; and Bake Sale. All by donation. Proceeds will go towards sponsoring a Ukrainian refugee family who will soon be arriving in our community.

Youth Group still has a few spots open on the sign up sheet in the lobby for volunteers to provide a meal for them at Wednesday night bible study. If you'd like to serve in this way, please sign up in the lobby.



Shoreline

Loving God - Loving Others



- **Dale Bender family** - grief
- **Rod Bontrager family**- grief
- **Jordan Brown DiPinto** - healing from brain bleed.
- **Johnetta Henard** - waiting for lung transplant
- **Karson Hochstetler** - health issues
- **Mark Mishler** - healing- chemo
- **Bob Schrock** - cancer, chemo
- **Esther Wenger & family** - cancer

"Do something you really love in the most adventurous place you can and make sure it helps other people." -Diane Sawyer

Stewardship Report	
February 25, 2024	
General	\$6197.40
Class 20	\$75.00
Class 24	\$5.00
Class 25	\$275.00
Sharing One Hope	\$31.00
Rent	\$100.00



It is with great sadness that we grieve our brother in Christ, **Dale Bender**. Dale died suddenly on Monday,

February 26. Dale attended Shore with his wife Wanda of 46 years since they were married. He was involved in many areas of the church, especially when there was some hard manual labor to do. He worked tirelessly laying floors, pulling up carpets and other volunteer work that he did with a great attitude. If there was a job to do you could count on Dale. Two weeks ago, he used his skills on the MDS work trip to Maryland. He also loved kids. This past year he had been sharing teaching responsibilities with his son Chad in the 4th & 5th grade Sunday School class.

Dale always had a smile ready and waiting for you. He was quick-witted, loved to laugh and to make others laugh. We will greatly miss his contagious enthusiasm, his stellar work ethic, and his big love for others. Our prayers are with Wanda, and their children, Tarrah, Chad, and Brooke and their families.



Parent & Child Dedication service will take place on March 24. If you're interested in participating please contact Pastor Nic, Pastor Lance or Kim.



Order your tulips in honor of or in memory of a loved one. Sign up and pay in the lobby until March 10. Tulips will decorate the Sanctuary on Easter Sunday and you can take your tulip home after the service. \$13.00 each.



You may be asking, "Why am I getting another calendar?" You may be asking, "Has the church secretary lost her mind?" Well, I won't answer that entirely, but I will say that I did mess up on the calendar in last week's issue. So, you are getting a new one, with lots of other cool info that you may want to know. Sorry for any confusion I may have caused. Boy, if I had a nickel for every time I've made that statement...!). Kim



February 25, 2023	
Attendance:	244
Sunday School:	123
Primary Sunday school	51

Parent's - there's still time to sign up for

Parent's Nite out!
March 15

Drop off the kiddos for a night of food and fun while you enjoy a date night!
See sign up table for details!

WHEN IT RAINS

The skeleton flower, a perennial native to Japan, has delicate petals that change from opaque white to almost transparent when wet. After it rains, only the flower's intricate, skeleton-like veins are visible.

When the rains come (and they will!) in our lives, the same can be said. Amid difficulty and struggle, our true selves often become more transparent. During a parenting challenge, criticism might emerge. Or while we tackle a tough work project, impatience might rear its ugly head.

Hosea 6:3 (NLT) proclaims: "Oh, that we might know the Lord! Let us press on to know him. He will respond to us as surely as the arrival of dawn or the coming of rains in early spring." The rains will come. Whether you're experiencing light rain or a downpour, ponder what the water reveals. Then ask God how you can be more open to his work in that area.

Janna Firestone

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Easter Services

Come join us for our annual Easter Morning Breakfast that will be served between 8-9 a.m. on Easter morning March 31. Our Easter Celebration Service will take place at 9:30 (please note the different worship service start time). There will be no Sunday school that day. Come celebrate the Risen Savior!

Jesus Said



We begin our Lenten Series today "Jesus Said". This series of sermons will all be based on things that Jesus said from the cross.

March 3, 2024

Mishler Moments An update from Josh and Maria Mishler Wycliffe Translators Germany

Dear Praying Friends and Family,

We are now settled into our apartment in Orlando, FL where we will be until July. We ended our time in IN in Dec and then headed to TX at the beginning of Jan. After spending 10 days there visiting partners and our home church we drove to Florida - we made it out of TX just before their winter storm came!

Prayer Requests

***Ryan, as he makes big decisions** for this Summer and Fall. He needs to find a summer internship related to his Film and Media Arts program (hopefully in the field of editing, which is his area of interest). If you know of any contacts for him please let us know! He also has an opportunity this Fall to live in LA and intern at various film companies. It is a program through Taylor but it does require him to have a car and to drive to and around LA (he doesn't have a lot of experience driving yet) and the cost is a bit more than his regular

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semester. If he does the semester in LA he won't need an internship this summer. Please pray for the Lord to guide him in these decisions and that the Lord would be preparing a workplace for him to work and minister in.

***Josh will be traveling for 3 weeks** from March 16 to April 7 to 3 different European countries for Global HR Meetings and then Group Conferences.

***Please pray for our financial support.** We have recently had a main supporting church of ours cut their support by 40%, and a few others have had to stop or lower their amount in the past few months. At the moment we are doing OK but we are praying for a few new partners to join our team.

As always, we are so thankful for your prayers on our behalf.

Through Him,

Maria for Josh, Ryan, Kody, Maya and Bryn Mishler