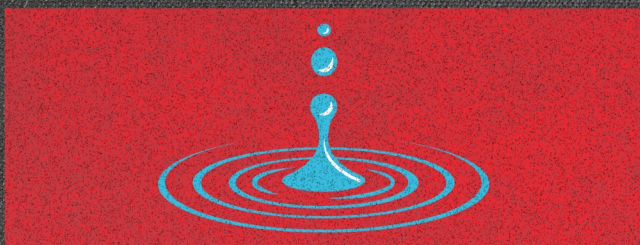


May 4, 2025



WHY DO WE DO THAT?



"Why Do We Do That - Communion" Luke 22:19-20

_____ is an invitation into life.

Humans gave up access to this meal by choosing to define _____ and _____ on their own terms, and they are exiled from the garden.
(Genesis 3:22-24)

God intends for these meals to _____ His people of the covenant He made with them and to remind them to stay faithful to the covenant they have made with God.
(Exodus 19:5-6)

But the Israelites are _____ to the covenant. They continually choose a way of life that leads to self-destruction, exile, and death.
(2 Kings 21:1-7)

Israel's prophets talked about a day when God would make a new _____ in spite of Israel's unfaithfulness.
(e.g., Jeremiah 31:31)

Jesus says that He is the " _____ " and that if they " _____ " they will discover and find eternal life.
(e.g. John 6:53-59)

Jesus is offering Himself as a new _____ .
(John 15:1; 4-5)

This meal invites us to _____ and it reminds us of what Jesus has _____ for us.



LIVE IT OUT

June 22-25

(Sunday-Wednesday)

6-8:30p



REGISTRATION

— NOW OPEN —



bccanderson.org/vbs

register today!



Bereavement Support Ministry



Thursday | 7pm
Fireside Room



COMBINED

SERVICE

MAY 25 | 10:30am



Coffee, Milk, Juice, & Donuts at 10am!!

TODAY, May 4 - Praise Ringers

- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
Worship
10:30 a.m. Sunday School
Worship
12:00 p.m. LOAH Lunch Meeting
6:00 p.m. Sunday Night Youth (7th-12th)

MONDAY, May 5**TUESDAY, May 6**

- 5:30 a.m. Rev Boot Camp
8:30 a.m. Rev Strength

WEDNESDAY, May 7

- 6:30 p.m. Anderson Christian Martial Arts (8 yrs & up)
7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study

THURSDAY, May 8

- 5:30 a.m. Rev Boot Camp
8:30 a.m. Rev Strength
7:00 p.m. Bereavement Support Ministry

FRIDAY, May 9

- 9:00 a.m. Grace Marriage

SATURDAY, May 10

- 4:30-7 p.m. Spaghetti Dinner

SUNDAY, May 11 - Mother's Day

- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
Worship
10:30 a.m. Sunday School
Worship

PRAYER CONCERNS:**Our Sympathies To:**

The family of Sebastian Sigler on his passing on 4/22.

Jacklyn (Dustin), Aubrey, Rylee, & Rowan Redwine on the passing of their brother and uncle, Caleb Werling, on 4/24.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **LOAH Volunteers:** We are having our lunch meeting TODAY, **May 4**, after 2nd service in the Friendship Room.
- **Bereavement Support Ministry** will meet this Thursday, **May 8**, at 7 p.m. in the Fireside Room. Shawn Buis, Pastor at Daleville Christian Church, will be our guest speaker. Please enter through the North Entrance, Door #7.
- **Spaghetti Dinner** will be Saturday, **May 10**, from 4:30-7 p.m. in the gymnasium. Pre-sale tickets are \$7, and \$10 at the door. Ages 5 & under are free. All proceeds will go towards our youth mission trip to Elizabethton, TN. You can purchase tickets from one of our students, at the Welcome Center, or in the church office. If you have any questions, contact Jeramy Hunter.
- **Mahoning Valley Summer Camp** signups are happening now for kids entering Kindergarten to graduating seniors. Early bird pricing ends **May 16**. Register at MahoningValley.org. Contact the church office for a code for 50% off tuition for regular attending BCC kids & students.
- **6th Grade Graduation Celebration** will be Sunday, **May 18**, at 10 a.m. in the Discovery Zone. Parents need to register and have pictures to Rachel by **May 15**. Register at bccanderson.org/resolve.
- **High School & College Graduation Celebration** will be Sunday, **May 18**, during both morning services. If you are a High School or College graduate and would like to participate in this celebration, please contact Jeramy Hunter at the church office. Info & pictures need to be turned in by **May 11**. Also, if you would like Jeramy to share info about your open house, please let him know.
- **Join Us For A Combined Worship Service** on Sunday, **May 25**, at 10:30 a.m. We will have coffee, milk, juice, and donuts at 10 a.m. in the gym!
- **VBS Registration For Kids** is now open! The dates are **June 22-25** from 6-8:30 p.m. Vacation Bible School is about creating an intentional time and space for kids of all ages to hear the gospel, learn Scripture, and tell their friends about Jesus. You can register today at bccanderson.org/vbs.
- **Volunteers Needed for VBS Meals:** If you would like to help feed our volunteers during VBS, please sign up today! You can sign up online at bccanderson.org/vbsmeals.



If you are new to Bethany, have a prayer request to share, recently changed contact information, have questions about Jesus, volunteering, or more—***we want to connect with you!*** Simply open your smart phone's camera app and point it here or navigate to www.bccanderson.org/connect