



BEREAN

Loving God, Loving People



COLOSSIANS

THE PREEMINENCE OF CHRIST

CHANGE YOUR CLOTHES

Part 2

Pastor Steve Storkel

Colossians 3:16

Pastor Stephen McCune

Colossians 3:17-4:1



Our Mission:

To glorify God by growing disciples who follow Christ and love others.

Our Ministers:

The Entire Congregation

Our Shepherds:

Pastor Phil Leineweber

Pastor of Student Ministries

Pastor Stephen McCune

Pastor of Congregational Devotion

Pastor Steve Storkel

Pastor of Outreach & Missions

Pastor Spencer Valeri

Pastor of Children & Parents Ministries

Ashley DeFrancisco

Director of Women's Ministry

Rev. William Heaton

Director of International Missions

Matt Spiegel

Director of Jr. High Ministries

“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”

Acts 1:8 ESV

Today at Berean:

- 9:00 a.m. Worship Service
- 10:45 a.m. Worship Service
- 12:15 p.m. Discovering Church Membership Class

This Week at Berean:

MONDAY, OCTOBER 22

- 3:00 p.m. KidZone
- 7:00 p.m. Conquer Study Series for Men

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23

- 9:00 a.m. MOPS & MOPS Kids
- 9:30 a.m. Scripture Fellowship
- 3:00 p.m. KidZone
- 6:30 p.m. Ladies Craft Night

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24

- 12:00 p.m. Grief Share/Healing Hearts Lunch and a Movie
- 3:00 p.m. KidZone
- 6:45 p.m. Prayer Gathering Berean Kids Adventure Club SURGE Student Gathering Adult Studies

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25

- 9:30 a.m. Homeschool Co-Op
- 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study
- 3:00 p.m. KidZone
- 6:45 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 8:00 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27

- 9:00 a.m. Grief Share/Healing Hearts Breakfast at Paul Revere's
- 10:00 a.m. Men's Skeet Shoot

Save The Date. . .

4th Quarter Business Meeting
Sunday, November 18th @ 6:00 P.M.

Please be in prayer for our search committee as they meet and engage in the process of looking for our next Lead Pastor.



Welcome to Berean!

If this is your first time at Berean, please be sure to stop by the Welcome Center in the Lobby . . . We'd love to meet you and give you a special gift!

TODAY'S CONGREGATIONAL SONGS

*You Are Good, So Will I (100 Billion X),
Good Good Father, Build My Life*

We want our corporate praise to be as meaningful as possible for everyone. Please feel free to sit, if necessary, during this time. Song lyrics are available in the Lobby. All songs are reproduced by permission, CCLI #107225.



MISSION FOCUS: globalLead

Chris Davis leads training workshops for future leaders in ministry in 50 different countries around the globe.
<http://globallead.world/>



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You can give online at www.bereanfamily.com/on-line-giving, or download the Easy Tithe app on the Apple App Store or Android Play Store. It's safe and secure! You can do a one time gift OR set up recurring giving.

GIVE ONLINE

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On the Web: www.bereanfamily.com

On Facebook: www.facebook.com/Bereanfamily

Fill out a "CONNECT CARD" located in the back of your seat.

Send an email: info@bereanfamily.com

Call: 419-756-3300 (Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)



Sanctuary: BBC—Sanctuary1

Adult Sunday School classrooms: BBC—WClassroom (upstairs rooms only)

Password: phil0413

Please help us by limiting usage to Bible Apps only.

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OPEN

NEW CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Starting This Week:

10 a.m.—3 p.m., Tuesday-Friday

Closed on Mondays

The Bible says the first step of obedience after salvation is to be baptized! We will be having baptisms next Sunday, October 28th. If you would like to be baptized as a symbol of your new birth, please email info@bereanfamily.com or call the church at 419-756-3300, ext. 237.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

"JESUS LOVES ME THIS I KNOW"

Almost two million children in 156 countries made decisions for Christ after receiving a red and green shoebox and going through a twelve week discipleship course called The Greatest Journey. This year we hope to reach 11 million more children and tell them about Jesus. Shoe boxes are on the table in the Lobby and are ready to be picked up and filled as we share the love of Jesus together. You may bring them back to the table now through Sunday, November 11. Thank you so much!

For questions or more information, contact Elizabeth Dawson @ 419-884-0762 or EODAWSON@aol.com.

MEN'S SKEET SHOOT

Saturday, Oct. 27th, 10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Lunch provided

Shooters and non-shooters welcome. Bring your own gun or we will loan you one. Today is the last day to sign up in the Lobby. You can also call the church office at 419-756-3300, ext. 222.



MEN'S BIBLE STUDY, WEDNESDAYS AT 6:45 P.M. IN THE SANCTUARY - 7 WEEK STUDY BEGINS OCT. 24TH

"Remembering the Forgotten God," By Francis Chan and Mark Beuving



In this workbook companion to *Forgotten God*, author Francis Chan reminds us of the true source of the church's power—the Holy Spirit. Chan contends that we've ignored the Spirit for far too long, and that without Him, we operate in our own strength, only accomplishing human-sized results. This study offers a compelling invitation to understand, embrace, and follow the Holy Spirit's direction in our lives.

ELECTION DAY—COOKIES NEEDED

We'd like to show our neighbors some Berean hospitality on Election Day, Tuesday, November 6th by offering them some cookies as they leave the polls. We are looking for people willing to bring in a couple dozen cookies for the hospitality table. Please bring them in and drop them off on Sunday, November 4th. Sign up in the Lobby today!

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Women's Ministry

R.E.A.L. Redeemed. Esteemed. Adopted. Loved.

Facebook: [Women's Ministry - Berean Baptist Church](#)

Instagram: [bereanwomensministry](#)

WOMEN'S MINISTRY CRAFT NIGHT

This Tuesday, October 23rd - 6:30 p.m.

Community Room

FUN WITH GLASS ETCHING!

Please bring your own glass piece to etch, a non-glass bowl to rinse off the etching solution, and a towel to dry your item.



LADIES ARE YOU LOOKING FOR SOMEWHERE TO VOLUNTEER?

We have just the thing for you! Women's Ministry is looking for a volunteer to lead the "Each One Reach One" meal ministry. You would be responsible for calling people about taking meals to families that have had injuries, surgeries, or illness. Please contact Ashley DeFrancisco (419-756-3300 ext. 249) if you are interested.

LADIES CHRISTMAS TEA

The date for the Christmas Tea has been changed to
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH.

If would you like to hostess a table, sign up in the Lobby today or next Sunday.

Tickets on sale in the Lobby beginning Sunday, November 4th through Sunday, November 18th.



THE QUEST
BY BETH MOORE
6 SESSIONS

JOIN US IF YOU WANT TO:

- Deepen your intimacy with God as you ask, discuss, and ponder questions of faith
- Take comfort in remembering this world is only a temporary stay until we reach our heavenly home
- Understand that questions are inherent and essential to growth

Embrace the adventure.

Women's Bible Study
Begins Wednesday,
Nov. 7th

@ 6:45 p.m.
in the Chapel

SAVE THE DATE—

Berean Gold Banquet—November 16th, 6:00 p.m.

Join Our Zoo Crew!

Interested in serving with
Berean Kids? It's not too late
to join our zoo crew!

Join our volunteer crew as we show kids the love
of Jesus, teach them, and guide their hearts to
grow in the knowledge of Jesus' love for them.

You could serve:

1st Service

- ★ Elementary Kids Church

2nd Service

- ★ Bunny Nursery (0-17 months)
- ★ Kindergarten helper
- ★ 1st Grade helper
- ★ 4th Grade helper

Wednesday Nights

- ★ Gym (run games)

Contact [Pastor Spencer Valeri](#) or
[Kelly Canfield](#) if you're interested!

Berean Kids Fall Festival

Wednesday, October 31st
6:45-8:00 p.m.



Stop by the table in the Lobby to sign-up!

- Decorate a door and pass out candy for "trick-or-treating"
- Get dunked in the dunk tank
- Help tear-down
- Help with games
- Help with food
- Help with security

**Join us for trick-or-treating through the halls,
bounce houses, food, games, & much more!!**

Don't forget...

- No nursery or regular childcare available that night
- Wear your costume! (No scary costumes please)
- Children MUST be accompanied by an adult
- Bring your carved pumpkin for a Jack O' Lantern contest

**Flyers are available at the table in the Lobby -
invite your family and friends to join us!**



**Sunday Morning
Kid's Church
9:00 a.m.**

**Sunday School
10:45 a.m.**

**Wednesday Night
Adventure Club
6:45-8:15 p.m.**

**Nursery
(birth-2 years old)
available every
Sunday morning
and Wednesday
evening.**

CONNECT WITH US!

[Facebook.com/bereanchildren](https://www.facebook.com/bereanchildren)

Berean Kids monthly
newsletter mailed to you

Pastor Spencer Valeri:
SValeri@Bereanfamily.com
or call:
(419) 756-3300, ext. 230

Kelly Canfield:
KCanfield@Bereanfamily.com
or call:
(419) 756-3300, ext. 243



SURGE STUDENT MINISTRIES

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Student Gatherings

for 6th-12th Graders

- **Sunday—10:45 a.m.**
in the SURGE Center
- **Wednesday-6:45 p.m.**
in the SURGE Center

**Leader lunch Sunday, October 28th
right after church services until 2.p.m.**
Let Lori Seher know if child care is needed.
lseher@bereanfamily.com

4:12 – COLLEGE AGE BIBLE STUDY

Are you a young adult looking for a group of others your age who want to explore and study the Word of God and want to have a time of fellowship together? Join us on Sunday mornings at 10:45 a.m. in Room 212!

The College group will be meeting today right after church to make care packages for freshman college students. Meet in SURGE Student Center

MISSING ANYTHING FROM YOUR KITCHEN?

There is a large selection of baking/serving dishes and utensils that have been left behind by their owners. If you are missing any of these things, please look for it downstairs in the Community Room kitchen (the small kitchen) on the serving window counter. Anything that is still unclaimed by October 28th will be donated.



THERE'S STILL TIME!

The Meijer Simply Give campaign ends soon.

Please place your donation in the offering plate this month. Mark your donations with "Food Pantry."

This program was created to help neighborhood food pantries, like ours, keep their shelves stocked to feed local families.

Our fundraising goal this year is \$20,000. We still need your help to achieve this goal! So far, we have received \$5,300 in donations. Thank you for your help and support of this ministry!





Sunday, October 21, 2018

**THE SUPREMACY & SUFFICIENCY OF CHRIST
CHANGE YOUR CLOTHES, Part 2**

Pastor Steve Storkel—Colossians 3:16

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God." Colossians 3:16

1. Living as you were meant to live, through the Holy Spirit's daily leading
 - A. Love and Compassion
 - B. Peace
2. Allowing the Word of Christ to dwell richly in our hearts
3. The manifestation of the Holy Spirit in our lives - Our Worship of Christ

Pastor Stephen McCune—Colossians 3:17-4:1

1. Put Christ First _____ (3:18-19)
 - A. Wives: put on _____
 - B. Husbands: put on _____ & put off _____
2. Put Christ First _____ (3:20-21)
 - A. Children: put on _____
 - B. Parents: put off _____
3. Put Christ First _____ (3:22-4:1)
 - A. Slaves: put on _____ & put off _____
 - B. Masters: put on _____ & put off _____
4. Put Christ First _____ (3:17)

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