

Serving Soon

	Next Week Apr 19	Two Weeks Apr 26
Volunteers		
<i>Worship Leader</i>	Layne Garringer	Adam Pugh
<i>Opening Prayer</i>	John Wood	Ken Warfield
<i>Communion</i>	Dennis Hilby	Jeremiah Forsythe
<i>Announcements</i>	Gary Stidham	Jeff Felzien
<i>Children's Church</i>	Shelly & Caden	Stidhams
<i>Sound Booth</i>	Jordan Rinard	Adam Vencil
<i>Nursery Attendant</i>	Laura, Kelley, Grace	Carol & Barb
<i>Ushers</i>	Dave, Jake, Kevin	Dave, Jake, Kevin

Statistics

Attendance

Sunday Bible Classes ..107
 Sunday Worship248
 Small Group 5
 Wednesday Classes66

Budget

Contribution\$9,966

Leadership

Elders

Jeff Eldridge
 Dick Moore
 Gary Stidham
 Jeff Felzien

Deacons

David Hubbard
 Kenny Hoyle
 Shane Barker
 Jamie Fee
 Chuck Forsythe
 Gary Forrester
 Mike Wilson
 Bill Daufen

Ministers

Stephen Walker
 Kevin Johnson

Office Manager

Ashley Eldridge

Meeting Times

Sundays

Sunday Bible Classes 9:30
 Sunday Worship 10:30
 Sunday Evening 6:00

Wednesdays

Bible Classes 7:00

Our mission is to bring people to Jesus and help them become fully devoted followers who demonstrate God's love through service.

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Sunday, April 12, 2026



This Morning

Welcome/Come To Worship Wayne Hampton

To God Be The Glory

Prayer Howard Carson

My Eyes Are Dry

Teach Me Lord To Wait

Will Your Anchor Hold

I Gave My Life For Thee

Communion David Hubbard

Servant Song

Offering

Children's Church Shelly & Caden

Blessed Assurance

Sermon Stephen Walker

Kneel At The Cross

Announcements Dick Moore



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What To Do

“But if any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all men generously and without reproach, and it will be given to him.” (James 1:5 NASB)

An ancient Jewish story tells of a young traveler, who encountered an old man at the edge of a forest. Staring into the darkness of the overgrown foliage in front of him, the young man asked his elder, “Can you tell me the best way through this forest?”

The wise old man replied, “I cannot.”

The young man asked, “But haven’t you lived here for a while? Surely you have been in the forest many times.”

“Yes,” the old man said, “and I can tell you all of the pitfalls and dangers I have encountered. I can tell you which path *not* to take. But I have never been all the way through the forest. That is something you must experience for yourself.”

Every day, we encounter all kinds of problems which others may have faced before us. It is a good thing to ask for advice in these matters. In truth, however, every set of problems has its own unique twists and turns. These subtle differences make each situation unique.

The best advice others give us may very well fall into the category of things “not to do.” We can learn from the mistakes of others, and from our own, but in the end, the solution to *our* new and specific problem will be new and unique.

It is crucial, therefore, for us to rely upon the counsel of the Lord every hour of the day, and to ask specifically for His wisdom as we face questions, needs, or troubles. He knows the precise answer for the particular circumstances we face. He knows the beginning from the end!

Others may be experts at what *not* to do, or what is a *good* thing to do, but only the Lord can point us in the direction of what is *best* to do. (Taken from [Coffee Break with God](#))

Small Groups

Beavercreek Jeff Eldridge 937-603-4269 Sundays at 6:00	Bellbrook/ Sugarcreek Steve Liles 937-689-5725 Sundays 5:00pm	Bellbrook/Xenia Gary Forrester 937-477-3113 JD Sandoval 501-827-0443 Sundays at 5:00pm
Young Adult Group Gary Stidham 937-728-4700 Sundays at 6:00	Building Group Jimmy Williamson 937-776-5021 Sundays at 6:00	Beavercreek Dick Moore 937-609-3530 Sundays at 5:00

Prayer Requests

Dave Giuliani	Jerry Booher
Linda Luginbuhl	Naomi Shields
Charlie Lightle	

College Students

Caden Liles	Ethan Byham
Kaitlyn O’Callaghan	Erica Moore
	Bo Frye

News and Events

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: There will be a congregational meeting tonight at 6:00pm. We look forward to seeing you there as we share in our Congratulation’s successes and challenges as well as look at plans for the future.

MEN’S BREAKFAST: Trusting God before, during and after the fire. Join us April 25 9-11am, for breakfast and real stories from men in or church about trusting God through life’s toughest seasons. Sign up in the foyer.

HOPE RISING WALK: If you’d like to donate to Hope Rising’s Annual Fundraising Walk on April 25th, see Blanche Dempsey.

CHURCH EMAILS: If you are not on the church distribution list for mass emails and want to be, please email the office at office@xeniachurch.org to be added.

HOPE RISING NEEDS: Baby lotion, Similac 360 formula, Boys 4T/5T Pull-ups

Girls 4T/5T Pull-ups, New or gently used boys winter clothing, size 5T

Spring Quarter Classes

Sunday morning classes:

Worship hall, Gary Forrester will lead a study on the Psalms of Ascent (Psalms 120–134). These psalms focus on themes of worship, God’s protection, and the journey toward His presence.

Fellowship hall, Lenn Moses will lead a study of the “One Another” passages. These verses describe how Christians should interact with one another. (Brown Table Side)

Fellowship hall, Stephen Walker will continue to lead the young adults in a study of questions about our faith. (Round Table Side)

Wednesday evening classes:

Wednesday evening, Kelley Beerbower will lead the ladies’ class on a study of the book of Philippians. (Round Table Side)

Wednesday evening, Jimmy Williamson will conclude the study of 2 Samuel, the life and reign of God’s chosen king. (Brown Table Side)

Student Ministry

grow up, grow out, grow together

LTC: LTC Showcase and awards today following morning worship.

KIDS & TEENS: On the first Wednesday of each month, all kids will start the evening with a short worship service (10–15 minutes) led by our teens before classes.

VBS PLANNING MEETING: April 19 following services. All hands on deck!

NERF NIGHT: Friday, May 29th 6-8pm. Pizza and Nerf battles for all ages. Open to 1st-12th grade. The Centerville youth group will be joining us. Bring your own Nerf blaster and eye protection.

FORT HILL CHURCH CAMP: June 28-July 4. Sign up at forthillcyc.org