

The Dueber Doings

2026

OCTOBER

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT



Opportunities to Reach out at Heritage

We have two opportunities for people to reach out to students and families at Heritage Christian School.

One is working with our Good News Club after school 7 Tuesdays in the fall and again in the spring. This ministry is geared to K-5th grade students. Also, if you would like to volunteer to mentor with 6th grade students we are taking a team over to the school on Wednesday mornings to meet with the students and share some lessons from 8:45-9:30am. Please come and join us.

HOW CAN YOU HELP?????????

Volunteers NEEDED to work with kids.

If you love children you can help.
CEF will give you 3 training sessions.
Prayer partners will get a weekly list of requests and a specific group to pray for throughout the sessions.

Goody Bag preparers are needed to assemble the weekly take home bags for each child. These items will be supplied.
Please contact Kathy McDowell or the office for more information on these opportunities.



Are you in the midst of **HURTS, HABITS, AND/OR HANG-UPS...** Celebrate Recovery's lingo for areas of brokenness that we all experience in one way or another throughout our lives.

In Jesus' sermon on the mount, He addresses the woundedness that we find ourselves in and offers the hope of healing through our surrender to and relationship with Him. Celebrate Recovery uses these "blessed are" statements of the Lord, as well as many other scripture references, in supporting the 12 steps and 8 principles that are foundationally worked through in overcoming our hurts (divorce, job loss, death of a loved one); habits (alcohol, drugs, food); and hang-ups (control, anger, co-dependency).

As CR national puts it, we are **ALL** imperfect people who are broken in some way...and we are **ALL** in need of a Savior... and so **ALL** are welcome!

For more information, come on a Tuesday (10am or 6:30pm) or see/call leadership: Carol and Eric Gregg, or Char.



Many thanks to Varian Orchards for their hospitality shown at our HOPE Family Ministry Kick-Off! What a great time we had...cooking fire roasted hot dogs, fellowship together, riding on the orchard Trolley, and eating fresh picked apples... the evening was filled with fun! Thanks is also extended to Annette Oleno for set-up and clean-up both at the orchard and upon our return!

**A wonderful day spent at Lakeside for
a retreat!**



Trunk or Treat Night



Trunk or Treat Night is October 21st
from 6:00-7:00pm. This event is
going to be held in the Dueber Church
Back Parking Lot.

Decorate your car, dress up in your
costume and come for some fun!

Candy donations can be dropped off at the church office.

Please reach out if you have any questions!



The Mission Committee
is hosting a
mission auction and
potluck dinner
Saturday Nov 7th.

We are again looking for
handmade donations to auction off.
In order to avoid multiple similar
items we are limiting the numbers of
blanket donations (afghans, quilts,
wall-hangings and shawls)
to 2 per person.

Non-perishable items need to be
turned in no later than
Sunday Oct 25th to give everyone
time to view the items.

Throughout the month
of **October**,

We will take orders for weekly or monthly giving envelopes.

If you would like either type,
please sign up on the sheet out side
the office or call during regular
business hours.

If you have decided to make your
donations
electronically, please let us know so
we can remove your envelope num-
ber from the list.
Thank you for your attention.



FROM THE PASTOR



Isaiah 43:19, For I am about to do something new. See, I have already begun! Do you not see it? I will make a pathway through the wilderness. I will create rivers in the dry wasteland.

Over the past few years, I have been amazed at the Lord's provision for our church. The past couple of years we start out far in the red. Our expenses in the beginning part of the year far exceed our income at the church. Yet, by the end of the year God has provided and placed us in the position to help send money to other ministries. We can start to wonder if God is done with us, but He continues to say that He is doing new things through us. When I worry that we are in a financial wilderness, God proves to make a pathway and creates rivers to provide for the ministry of the church.

When we entered into the work to begin a Spanish speaking ministry and congregation again, I wondered how it would go and what we would be able to afford to do. I thought maybe we could support something in part. I wondered if anyone else would see what God could do besides those in our church. Yet again, God has provided in amazing ways. He has worked through other churches, one of which is four hours away from Canton. He has worked through our conference. Again, God has shown me when I see a wasteland, He is already creating a river.

Over the past couple years, I feel God has been teaching me to walk by faith and not by sight. God is saying to look with eyes of faith to see that He has already begun a work. At the beginning of those works we don't always see it. When Jerusalem lingered as a wasteland after Babylon destroyed it, God was working to break the heart of the king's cup bearer, Nehemiah, to return and rebuild the city. A thousand years before Mary and Joseph arrived in

Bethlehem and the shepherds got to see the baby Jesus, God brought together Ruth and Boaz to be His ancestors. While the believers were praying they were not able to see the angel that God sent to free Peter from Herod Agrippa's dungeon. Those believer's struggled to believe what God had done, even when Peter pounded on their door.

Sometimes we feel like we are stepping out in faith. It feels like we are about to step off a cliff or step off the path into the unknown. Thankfully, in those times where we feel we are leaving the path to walk by faith, we find God has already begun to blaze that trail. He is doing something new and sometimes it takes us a little time or help to see that He has already begun. When we continue to be true to God and walk by faith and not by sight, He will show us again and again that He has already begun the work to lead us in a life of faith.



Our Men's prayer breakfast is held the Last Saturday of each month.

Meet for breakfast at 8am

Please check the church bulletin

How can you help?

Missions of Prayer



Please pray for: all missionaries and the ill, healing of division and discrimination, Celebrate Recovery, RAHAB Ministries, The Pregnancy and Parenting Center, and Hammer & Nails.

Missions of Service



Volunteer with: Street Hope Ministry, HOPE Family Ministry, or to be a van driver or rider. - See Char to sign up for a Mission opportunity.

Finance Missions



If you feel led to give financially to any ministries in addition to your tithe please designate such on your offering envelope or on the memo line of your check.

Collection Missions



If you feel called to serve by giving items: Street Hope ministry needs men's clothing, (in sizes S-XL ONLY). We can also use women's slacks.

Operation Christmas Child



It's that time of year again! We will be collecting school supplies for the shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. We need crayons, colored pencils, markers, scissors, glue sticks, pencils, pens and erasers. We don't need any paper this year. Please look for sales on these items as you are shopping!



The deadline for submissions for the next edition of The Dueber Doings is the 3rd Friday of the current month. Please have submissions to the office by that date.



HOPE Family Ministries welcomes all of our Dueber Church family and friends to join us Wednesday evenings for a light dinner, fellowship, and small group studies. Meet in the dining hall at 6pm, small groups begin at 6:30, and the evening ends at 7:30. See our September 16th Fall Kick off Info...and look for our calendar on bulletin boards or by request from Char or the office. Want to serve through HOPE? Sign up to help in the kitchen: cook, serve, and/or clean-up options; team teach or assist with our children and youth; young adult leadership; and/or Wednesday prayer warrior. For more information, please see or call Char.

Wednesday Bible Study

*Does your Bible look like this?
If not, you need to join us!*



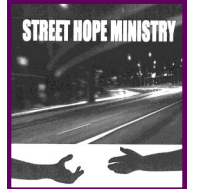
Wednesday, at 6:30pm in the New life # 3 and on ZOOM, led by Pastor Doug. This is a lively time of growing deeper in our understanding of God's will for us.



Upper Room Devotionals and the Mission Prayer Calendar can be picked up near church entrances.



Street Hope Ministry continues to reach out every Thursday night. We thank all those who have been praying for this ministry. Please continue to pray (or **join us!**) each Thursday from 6:30 to 8:30 PM.



Wednesday Morning Bible Study start September 9th, 11:00am Dining Room Come join us for a study entitled "The God Who Sees" by Kathy Lee Gifford and Joann Moody. See Kay Eakin for questions or details.



Local Relief

If you are in need of financial assistance or know someone who is; please get in contact with the church office. Be the connection who gets people the help they need.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

Traditional at 8:45
Contemporary at 11:11
Living Waters (kids) at 11:11
Online anytime at Dueber.org
Sunday school for all ages at 10 AM



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BIBLE STUDY

on Zoom and in person
each Wednesday
at 6:30 PM
Contact the church office
for information